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THE BEST OF MACEDONIA - Private tour from Skopje
Including city tours + St. Naum monastery and visit to Bitola
Tour Code 211

DAY 1: From Skopje to Ohrid via Mavrovo national park
Spend the morning with our experienced and professional tour guide in strolling
Skopje city center and Skopje Old Bazaar.
Pass across river Vardar on historical Stone bridge from 15th century.
Visit Mother Teresa memorial house (inside) and the place where she was born in 1910.
Possibility to have lunch at some of many traditional restaurants at Skopje old bazaar.
Later on, drive towards Mavrovo NP, on a picturesque road along Radika river and lakes made by river Black
Drim, passing many traditional villages on the way to the south part of Macedonia and Ohrid lake.
Upon arrival in Ohrid accommodation at hotel and overnight.

DAY 2: Ohrid and Ohrid lake, UNESCO sites
Start the walking (2-3 hours light walking) tour with our experienced guide in Ohrid Old town.
*Because of the religious importance and its numerous churches and monasteries, Ohrid is also famous under
the name "Macedonian Jerusalem". According the history facts, there used to be 365 churches - a church for
each day! Since 1979 the city and the lake of Ohrid are under protection of UNESCO.*
Do not miss to have a nice panoramic picture from Ohrid fortress (inside) and to visit remains of
the first Slavic university in the Balkans, today founded at Holy area of Plaoshnik (inside).
Go inside the recently rebuild Church of St Clement (inside).
Pass by the unique church of St. John - Kaneo (from outside). E
njoy a boat ride from Kaneo with panoramic view of Old town (included in the price).
Finally, visit to the cathedral church from 10th century, St. Sofia (inside).
You can have a lunch at some of many traditional restaurants by Ohrid lake.
In the afternoon, light drive along the lake coast to visit another pearl
located on the south part of the lake, St. Naum monastery complex,
with its unique church, originally built by St. Naum in 9th century.
As final surprise - you can have an unforgettable 40 minutes boat ride above the springs of Black Drim river
(optional, could be paid on the spot) Drive back to Ohrid for overnight.

DAY 3: From Ohrid via Galichica NP to Bitola and back to Skopje
Morning drive across Galichica NP on the narrow mountain road,
with panoramic views of both Ohrid and Prespa lakes (road closed during winter season,
alternative road will be provided).
Upon arrival in Bitola, city tour with our guide visiting Bitola bazaar, the old square with the Clock tower and
the main pedestrian zone in Bitola. Free time to have a lunch in the pedestrian zone.
Visit to Heraclea Lynkestis ancient site (Included) from the time of Philip II, The father of Alexander the Great.
Afternoon drive back to Skopje.
End of the tour

Why private tour?
**No other people on the tour,
Departure date is chosen by you,
Possibility to extend
or reduce the program,
Flexibility during the tour**

What is included
- ✔ Pick up/Drop off at any hotel or address;
- ✔ Private transportation with air conditioned car or van according the itinerary;
- ✔ 2 nights accommodation in Ohrid, boutique hotel, including breakfast;
- ✔ Services of an English speaking tour guide (for parties 2-3 pax, guide will be a driver)
- ✔ Visits inside as described in the program, including admission fees;
- ✔ 1 bottle of water per person / per day complementary.

Not included
- ✘ Supplement for accommodation in Single room 52 € (for single travelers, on request)
- ✘ Guide on other language than English - supplement may apply;
- ✘ Gratuities for the driver/guide (not obligatory)
- ✘ Personal travel insurance

Tour Information
- ⚙ Tour code: 211
- ⚙ Booking deadline: 2 days before departure date
- ⚙ Duration: 3 days
- ⚙ Departure date and time - you will choose
- ⚙ Pick up / Drop off: Any hotel or address within Skopje

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