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SWISS TOURS 2016
Escorted First Class Coach Tours from Zurich, Lucerne and Geneva

COMBINED TOURS WITH THE FAMOUS
GLACIER EXPRESS
Zermatt - St. Moritz

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THE LEADING SWISS TOUR OPERATOR
Welcome to Meier Tours – Swiss Quality Escorted Tours
Situated in the heart of Europe lies beautiful Switzerland, a country of fascinating contrasts. Switzerland is also home to Meier Tours (Hans Meier Tourist Ltd.) – Gray Line Zurich, your host on a memorable tour of this remarkable little country. With more than 60 years of experience, we know better than any other what you would like to see. Switzerland is easily reached by air to the international gateways at Zurich and Geneva, or by rail from any major city in Europe. Our quality escorted tours of Switzerland are thoughtfully designed to show you as much of Switzerland’s diverse regions as possible, yet at a leisurely pace. We have selected not only the most scenic routes and destinations such as Lucerne, Interlaken, Geneva, Zermatt, Berne, St. Montiz and Lugano, which are characteristic of Switzerland’s diversity, but we have also included highlights like a trip in the world’s first ever revolving cable car at Mt. Titlis, offering 360° panoramic views into the Swiss Alps. Some tours have been cleverly combined with a trip up to Jungfraujoch – Top of Europe or aboard the Mt. Titlis, offering 360° panoramic views into the Swiss Alps. Some tours have been cleverly combined with a trip up to Jungfraujoch – Top of Europe or aboard the famous Glacier Express train in its original full stretch from Zermatt to St. Montiz!

Your Advantages when Booking our TOURS
Guaranteed Departures
All tours are operated on a regular schedule and whatever tour you choose, you can be assured of a guaranteed departure; no disappointments in store for you.

Group Size
We limit the size of our groups. This ensures you maximum comfort and makes the trip more rewarding and personal.

Professional Tour Managers
Our friendly knowledgeable guides will give you ample information on sights, history and traditions on the areas visited. Besides they will be on hand to help you with more practical information, such as where to change money and where to find a good restaurant or the best shopping facilities.

Superior Hotels and Meals
Our selected hotels, mainly first class, belong to the best of their category. Special care has been given to ensure convenient locations in town centers. A rich breakfast buffet is provided in all hotels on the tour, and dinners where indicated. On the few nights when dinner is not included, a wide variety of restaurants serving local specialties awaits you. Your tour manager will assist you in your choice.

Deluxe Motorcoaches
Our coaches are all fully air-conditioned and our fleet consists of latest models in perfect condition. They are equipped with ABS safety brakes, comfortable reclining seats, large picture windows, ample space for passengers and luggage, toilet, refrigerator, microphone and stereo equipment.

Skilled Drivers
Our Swiss coach drivers are experienced and careful. With them you will feel safe on winding mountain roads, in narrow alleys in town centers and on modern highways. They care about you!

Luggage
Your luggage will be transported in the luggage hold of our coaches. Porterage at the hotels to and from your room is included in the tour price.

Assurance of Customer Money
Meier Tours is a member of the guarantee fund of the Swiss Federation of Travel Agents (www.meier-tours.ch) and guarantees the security of money received in connection with bookings.

Senior Citizen Discount
Discount will be granted to Senior Citizens of 60 years and over. In order to qualify for the discount, the exact date of birth must be given at the time of booking. (No discount can be granted afterwards.) Please see below the discount granted on each tour.

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SWISS GRAND ALPINE TOUR
Starting and ending in Zurich
Guaranteed departures every Monday from April 25th to October 10, 2016
Departure: Swissair Zurich, Schulistrasse 44, 8050 Zurich

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Zurich–Lucerne–Mt. Titlis–Interlaken
1st day–Monday
We leave Zurich at 8.30 a.m. A short drive takes us to the city of Lucerne where we visit the Lion Monument and walk over the 14th century wooden bridge, time at leisure for shopping and sightseeing. In the afternoon we proceed to the mountain resort of Engelberg. A cable car ride to the summit of Mount Titlis brings you up into the high alpine region with its glaciers and eternal ic. Enjoy a magnificent ride in the newly renovated “ROTHOR” gondola. Like a warm winter day, in the afternoon we cross Brunig Pass to the Bernese Oberland and reach the village Brienz, which is famous for its long tradition of woodcarving. We continue to the holiday resort of Interlaken at the foot of Jungfrau mountain. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Interlaken–Gruyères–Geneva
2nd day–Tuesday
We leave Interlaken in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thun to the Swiss capital, Berne. The city is attractively set on a steepsided curve of the River Aare and backed by the majestic Alps. A city tour to the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A driver south takes us to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, preserved against time, which could be the most picturesque setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vital Riviera and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dinner on your own. Overnight at superior tourist class hotel.

Geneva–Montreux–Zermatt
3rd day–Wednesday
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lausanne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poems. In the afternoon we proceed through the Lavaux, the valley of the river Rhone with its orchards and vineyards. At Täsch we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Zermatt–Nufenen Pass–Lugano
4th day–Thursday
Morning at leisure in Zermatt – admire the quaint old farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Afternoon board the train to Täsch where our bus is waiting to take us over the breath-taking Nufenen Pass into the Italian-speaking part of Switzerland, to the garden city of Lugano. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Lugano–Lake Como–Maloja Pass–St. Moritz
5th day–Friday
We leave Lugano and drive along the scenic road to Gandria where we cross the border into Italy. Along the romantic shores of Lake Como we pass by Menaggio and reach Como. In the afternoon we cross the Croce (2024 m) and drive thirteen hairpin bends over the Maloja Pass. Passing by crystal blue Lake Sils and Silvaplana we reach the world-renowned mountain resort of St. Moritz in the late afternoon. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich
6th day–Saturday
We leave St. Moritz in the morning and cross the Flüela Pass to reach Davos. In the capital of Principality of Liechtenstein, Vaduz, there will be time for lunch and for sightseeing. This tiny country with the mighty castle, which is the home of the present Prince and his family, attracts visitors from all over the world. In the afternoon we will return to Zurich through the Toggenburg region with its picturesque farmhouses. Arrival in Zurich at approx. 5 pm.

For additional nights in Zurich see page 11
**SCENIC SWISS TOUR**

Starting and ending in Zurich  
Guaranteed departures every Monday  
From April 25 to October 10, 2016  
Departure: Swissôtel Zurich, Schulstrasse 44, 8050 Zurich

8 day tour (Monday to Monday)  
Z508Z

All inclusive price per person  
Double occupancy with bath or shower  
CHF 2220.–  
Supplement for single room  
CHF 550.–  
Senior Citizen Discount (age group 60+)  
CHF 36.–

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1st day—Monday  
We leave Zurich at 8.30 a.m. A short drive takes us to the city of Lucerne where we visit the Lion Monument and walk over the 14th century wooden bridge, time at leisure for shopping and sightseeing. At noon we proceed to the mountain resort of Engelberg.

A cable car ride to the summit of Mount Titlis brings you up into the high alpine region with its glaciers and eternal ice. Enjoy a magnificent ride in the new revolving “ROTAIR” gondola. (Take a warm sweater along.) In the afternoon we cross Brunig Pass to the Bernese Oberland and reach the village Brienz, which is famous for its long tradition of woodcarving. We continue to the holiday resort of Interlaken at the foot of Jungfrau mountain. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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2nd day—Tuesday  
We leave Interlaken in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thun to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaud Riviera and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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3rd day—Wednesday  
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Dienny Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhone with its orchards and vineyards. At St. Moritz we board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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4th day—Thursday  
Morning at leisure in Zermatt—admirable the quaint old farm houses and barns in their unique style, the snow tube or any of our other crazy sledges. At noon we proceed to the village of Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaud Riviera and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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5th day—Friday  
We leave Lucerne and drive the scenic road to Ganda where we cross the border into Italy. Along the romantic shores of Lake Como we pass by Menaggio and reach Chiavenna in the lovely Bregaglia Valley. In Castasegna we re-enter to Switzerland through the Toggenburg region with its picturesque farmhouses. We start with a scenic drive along the lake Aare and backed by the majestic Alps. A city tour to the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A drive south takes us to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the resort of Engelberg.

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6th day—Saturday  
For additional nights in Zurich see page 11

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**ROMANTIC SWISS TOUR**

Starting in Zurich and ending in Geneva  
Guaranteed departures every Monday  
From April 25 to October 10, 2016  
Departure: Swissôtel Zurich, Schulstrasse 44, 8050 Zurich

2 day tour (Monday to Thursday)  
ZRO2G

All inclusive price per person  
Double occupancy with bath or shower  
CHF 500.–  
Supplement for single room  
CHF 70.–  
Senior Citizen Discount (age group 60+)  
CHF 20.–

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1st day—Monday  
We leave Zurich at 8.30 a.m. A short drive takes us to the city of Lucerne where we visit the Lion Monument and walk over the 14th century wooden bridge, time at leisure for shopping and sightseeing. At noon we proceed to the mountain resort of Engelberg. A cable car ride to the summit of Mount Titlis brings you up into the high alpine region with its glaciers and eternal ice. Enjoy a magnificent ride in the new revolving “ROTAIR” gondola. (Take a warm sweater along.) In the afternoon we cross Brunig Pass to the Bernese Oberland and reach the village Brienz, which is famous for its long tradition of woodcarving. We continue to the holiday resort of Interlaken at the foot of Jungfrau mountain. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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2nd day—Tuesday  
We leave Interlaken in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thun to the Swiss capital, Bern. The city is attractively set on a stepped curve of the River Aare and backed by the majestic Alps. A city tour to the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A drive south takes us to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaud Riviera and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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**HIGH ON EMOTIONS**

Have a fabulous day out in the snow at over 3000 metres.

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**TITLIS ROATAIR**  
It’s going round. During the trip the cable car turns 360 degrees to show you the mountains in all their glory.

**TITLIS GLACIER**  
Enjoy a view from your full round on the highest glacier excursion in Central Switzerland.

**TITLIS GLACIER PARK**  
It’s cool sliding down the slope on a snow tube or any of our other crazy sledges.

**TITLIS CLIFF WALK**  
For the brave ones: a suspended suspension bridge over the summit, you need nerves of steel at all as against the safety that support them.

**TITLIS ICE SLEVER**  
From the chairlift you get awesome views of the deep blue glacier mountains.

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**For additional nights in Zurich and/or Geneva see page 11**

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**ST. MORITZ—PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN—ZURICH**

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**ZURICH**

On arriving at Geneva airport, you will pick you up for a tour that shows you the most interesting sights of Zurich and its surrounding areas. We start with a city-tour of Zurich. Along the Höhenstrasse that offers spectacular views into the Alps, we drive to Rapperswil, the town of the Rosegarden, where you will see the castle and the deer park on the Lindenhof. Return to Zurich by boat approx. 4 p.m.—return to your hotel individually. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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**ZURICH—RAPPERSWIL—BOATRIDE ON LAKE OF ZURICH**

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**8th day—Monday**  
Breakfast is served at the hotel. Check out not later than 11 a.m.

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**Swiss Charm Tour**

Starting and ending in Zurich  
Guaranteed departures every Monday  
From April 25 to October 10, 2016  
Departure: Swissôtel Zurich, Schulstrasse 44, 8050 Zurich

4 day tour (Monday to Thursday)  
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1st day—Monday  
We leave Zurich at 8.30 a.m. A short drive takes us to the city of Lucerne where we visit the Lion Monument and walk over the 14th century wooden bridge, time at leisure for shopping and sightseeing. At noon we proceed to the mountain resort of Engelberg. A cable car ride to the summit of Mount Titlis brings you up into the high alpine region with its glaciers and eternal ice. Enjoy a magnificent ride in the new revolving “ROTAIR” gondola. (Take a warm sweater along.) In the afternoon we cross Brunig Pass to the Berneese Oberland and reach the village Brienz, which is famous for its long tradition of woodcarving. We continue to the holiday resort of Interlaken at the foot of Jungfrau mountain. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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2nd day—Tuesday  
We leave Interlaken in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thun to the Swiss capital, Bern. The city is attractively set on a stepped curve of the River Aare and backed by the majestic Alps. A city tour to the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A drive south takes us to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the resort of Engelberg.

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3rd day—Wednesday  
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Dienny Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. Time for lunch in Montreux. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhone with its orchards and vineyards. At St. Moritz we board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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4th day—Thursday  
Morning at leisure in Zermatt—admirable the quaint old farm houses and barns in their unique style, the snow tube or any of our other crazy sledges. At noon we proceed to the village of Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaud Riviera and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dine on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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**FOR ADDITIONAL NIGHTS IN ZURICH SEE PAGE 11**
2nd day–Thursday
Full day at leisure in Zermatt – admire the quaint farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Zermatt–Glacier Express Train–St. Moritz
5th day–Friday (unescorted)
Today you will travel on the legendary “Glacier Express Train”. You board the train in Zermatt in the morning and a magnificent travelling day is ahead of you. Seated in a comfortable premium panoramic viewing car, you will pass by breathtaking mountain scenery, snow-covered peaks, meadows with wild flowers and tiny old villages. Delicious lunch is served right at your seat along with a movable table on which you can dine in comfort. In the late afternoon you will arrive at the world-renowned mountain resort of Engelberg. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich
6th day–Saturday
We start with a city tour of St. Moritz this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhine with its orchards and vineyards. At Taesch we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

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Zermatt–Glacier Express Train–St. Moritz
6th day–Thursday
Full day at leisure in Zermatt – admire the quaint farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich
7th day–Monday
We leave St. Moritz in the morning and cross the Fluela Pass to reach Davos. In the capital of Principality of Liechtenstein, Vaduz, there will be time for lunch and for sightseeing. This tiny country with the mighty castle, which is the home of the present Prince and his family, attracts visitors from all over the world. In the afternoon we will return to Zurich through the Toggenburg region with its picturesque farmhouses. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Zurich–Lake Lucerne–Lake Geneva
8th day–Sunday
At 10 a.m., our bus will pick you up for a tour that shows you the most interesting sights of Zurich and its surroundings. We start with a city tour of Zurich. Along the Helvetia house that offers spectacular views into the Alp, we drive to Rapperswil, the town of the mice, where you will see the rosegarden, the castle and the dive park on the Lindenhof. Return to Zurich by boat approx. 4 p.m. – return to your hotel individually. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Interlaken–Berne–Gruyères–Geneva
9th day–Monday
We travel Interlaken in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thun to the Swiss capital, Berne. A city tour to the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A drive south takes us to the scenic dairy farmlands, to Gruyères. A beautiful hilltop town, preserved against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytails with its impressive, medieval castle. An informative visit to a factory of delicious milk product is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaud lakes and reach Geneva, the most cosmopolitan city of Switzerland. Dinner on your own. Overnight at superior tourist class hotel.

Geneva–Montreux–Zermatt
3rd day–Wednesday
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhine with its orchards and vineyards. At Taesch we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Zermatt–Glacier Express Train–St. Moritz
5th day–Sunday
Today you will travel on the legendary “Glacier Express Train”. You board the train in Zermatt in the morning and a magnificent travelling day is ahead of you. Seated in a comfortable premium panoramic viewing car, you will pass by breathtaking mountain scenery, snow-covered peaks, meadows with wild flowers and tiny old villages. Delicious lunch is served right at your seat along with a movable table on which you can dine in comfort. In the late afternoon you will arrive at the world-renowned mountain resort of St. Moritz. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich
4th day–Saturday
We leave St. Moritz in the morning and cross the Fluela Pass to reach Davos. In the capital of Principality of Liechtenstein, Vaduz, there will be time for lunch and for sightseeing. This tiny country with the mighty castle, which is the home of the present Prince and his family, attracts visitors from all over the world. In the afternoon we will return to Zurich through the Toggenburg region with its picturesque farmhouses. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Zurich–Lake Lucerne–Lake Geneva
5th day–Saturday
At 8 a.m., our bus will pick you up for a tour that shows you the most interesting sights of Zurich and its surroundings. We start with a city tour of Zurich. Along the Helvetia house that offers spectacular views into the Alp, we drive to Rapperswil, the town of the mice, where you will see the rosegarden, the castle and the dive park on the Lindenhof. Return to Zurich by boat approx. 4 p.m. – return to your hotel individually. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Interlaken–Berne–Gruyères–Geneva
8th day–Monday
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Geneva–Montreux–Zermatt
2nd day–Thursday
Full day at leisure in Zermatt – admire the quaint farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Zermatt–Glacier Express Train–St. Moritz
4th day–Thursday
Full day at leisure in Zermatt – admire the quaint farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich
3rd day–Wednesday
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhine with its orchards and vineyards. At Taesch we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Zermatt–Glacier Express Train–St. Moritz
1st day–Wednesday
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the Valais, the valley of the river Rhine with its orchards and vineyards. At Taesch we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Geneva–Montreux–Zermatt
7th day–Tuesday
All inclusive price per person
Double occupancy with bath or shower CHF 2420.–
Supplement for single room CHF 350.–
Supplement upgrade to 1st class rail CHF 150.–
Senior Citizen Discount (age group 60+) CHF 50.–
TYPICAL SWISS TOUR

Starting in Geneva and ending in Zurich
Guaranteed departures every Wednesday from April 27 to October 5, 2016
Departure: Geneva Bus Terminal, Place Dorcière, 1201 Geneva

4 day tour (Wednesday to Saturday)

All inclusive price per person

- Double occupancy with bath or shower: CHF 1200.–
- Supplement for single room: CHF 220.–
- Senior Citizen Discount (age group 60+): CHF 40.–

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Geneva–Montreux–Zermatt

1st day–Wednesday
We start with a city tour of Geneva this morning. We will show you the beautiful parks along the lake, the unique town-hall and the European seat of the United Nations. In the late morning we leave Geneva and drive to Lucerne and Montreux. We pass by Chillon Castle, the 13th century fortress made famous by Lord Byron’s poem. In the afternoon we proceed through the valleys, the valley of the river Rhone through Lake Geneva and Montreux before we drive to Zermatt. Along the way we will board a cogwheel train that takes us to the mountain resort of Zermatt at the foot of the mighty Matterhorn. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

Geneva–Montreux–Nufenen Pass–Lugano

2nd day–Thursday
Morning at leisure in Zermatt–admire the quaint old farm houses and barns in their unique style, do some shopping, relax or take an optional cogwheel train up to Gornergrat for a spectacular view of the surrounding snow-covered peaks. Afternoon board the train to Täsch where our bus is waiting to take us over the breathtaking Nufenen Pass into the Italian-speaking part of Switzerland, to the garden city of Lugano. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich

4th day–Saturday
We start in the morning and drive along beautiful Lake of Thou into the Swiss capital, Bern. The city is attractively set on a steep-sided river of the Aare and bounded by the majestic Alps. A city tour through the Old Town includes the Clock Tower, Kramgasse, and the 15th century Cathedral of St. Vincent. A drive north takes us to the scenic farms around, to Gruyeres. A beautiful hilltop town, perched against time, which could be the magical setting for fairytales with its impressive, medieval castle. An information visit to a factory of delicious milk products is a further highlight of our day. We continue our drive to the Vaduz Rivers and each Geneva, the most romantic city-state of Switzerland. Tour ends at approx. 3 p.m. in Zurich.

For additional nights in Geneva see page 11

GUARDIAN'S STEEPLE IN ZURICH

A cable car ride to the summit of Mount Titlis brings you up into the high alpine region with its glaciers and eternal ice. Enjoy a magnificent ride in the new revolving “ROTAIR” gondola. Take a warm summer along. In the afternoon we cross Brung Pas to the Bernese Oberland and reach the village Brienz, which is famous for its long tradition of woodworking. We continue to the holiday resort of Interlaken at the foot of Jungfrau mountain. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

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Lugano–Lake Como–Maloja Pass–St. Moritz

3rd day–Friday
We leave Lugano and drive along the scenic road to Gandria where we cross the border into Italy. Along the romantic shores of Lake Como we pass by Menaggio and reach Como in the lovely Briga valley. In Castasegna we re-enter to Switzerland and start our ascent along the thirteen hairpin bends over the Maloja Pass. Passing by crystal blue Lake Sils and Silvaplana we reach the world-renowned alpine resort of St. Moritz. Dinner and overnight at first class hotel.

St. Moritz–Principality of Liechtenstein–Zurich

4th day–Saturday
We leave St. Moritz in the morning and cross the Fluela Pass to reach Davos. In the capital of Principality of Liechtenstein, Vaduz, there will be time for lunch and for sightseeing. This tiny country with the mighty castle, which is the home of the present Prince and his family, attracts visitors from all over the world. In the afternoon we will return to Zurich through the Liechtenstein region with its picturesque farmhouses. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Zurich–Rapperswil–Boatride on Lake of Zurich
5th day–Sunday
At 10.00 a.m. bus will pick you up for a tour that shows you the most interesting sights of Zurich and its surroundings. We start with a city tour of Zurich. Along the hilly avenue that offers spectacular views into the Alps, we drive to Rapperswil, the town beside Lake Zurich. Along the way we pass by the medieval castle and the train on the Lindenhof. Return to Zurich by bus at approx. 4 p.m. – return to your hotel individually. Dinner on your own. Overnight at first class hotel.

Zurich

6th day–Monday
Breakfast is served at the hotel. Check out individually not later than 11 a.m.
**Switzerland** is a country with fascinating contrasts, such as Alpine regions with glaciers and snow-covered peaks, crystal blue lakes, endless lush green meadows, breathtaking mountain passes, tiny villages, cosmopolitan cities . . .

A country with four different cultures and languages offers a changing array of life styles, customs and scenery, truly unequalled anywhere else in the world. Our popular tours are worked out with special care; we choose the most scenic routes for you. With our friendly crew of experienced drivers and multilingual tour guides we will make sure that your stay in Switzerland will become an unforgettable experience.

**Hans Meier Tourist Ltd.,** with headquarters in Zurich is one of the leading Swiss Tour Operators with its own fleet of deluxe motorcoaches which offer you the optimum in comfortable traveling.

**PRE & POST TOUR ACCOMMODATION**

For passengers arriving from other countries, prior to tour departure, it may be necessary to reserve at least one extra night's hotel accommodation, and possibly also at the end of tour. The reservation for these additional nights must be made at the same time as the reservation for your tour.

**OUR SELECTED FIRST CLASS HOTELS**

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**ZURICH WEEKEND PACKAGE**

April 23 to Oct. 15, 2016

- Includes 2 overnights at first class hotel Swissotel Zurich, service charges, taxes, buffet breakfast, tour of Zurich and its surroundings, boat ride on Lake of Zurich.

**Package price per person in double occupancy** CHF 310.–

**Supplement for single room** CHF 160.–

**Additional Information**

- **Package price per person in double occupancy** CHF 125.–
- **Supplement for single room** CHF 170.–
- **Senior Citizen Discount (age group 60+)** CHF 270.–
- **Supplement for single room (age group 60+)** CHF 40.–

**Departure**

Monday

Breakfast is served at hotel. Check out individually not later than 11 a.m.

**After the weekend why not take one of our popular escorted Package Tours (see pages 3–6), departures every Monday from Zurich at 8.30 a.m. or from Lucerne at 11.00 a.m.**
THINGS TO KNOW

Departures
Guaranteed departures from Zurich and Geneva
Zurich: Swissôtel Zurich, Schulstrasse 44, 8050 Zurich.
Check-in at the Hans Meier Tourist Ltd. Counter in the lobby 30 minutes before the departure.
Clients are kindly requested to meet 15 minutes prior to departure time.
Or with pre-tour accommodation booked with us, pick up is from Hotel Ramada Encore, Route des Jeunes 12, 1227 Geneva-Carouge.

Children
Children between 4 and 12 years receive 20 % discount when accommodated in their parents’ room.

Hotels
Although no changes are anticipated, we reserve the right to make changes in hotels where deemed necessary or advisable. Substitutes will be equal in quality.

Passport and Visa Requirements
Valid passport is needed for travel in Europe. In addition, passengers from certain countries may require visa for Switzerland. Please check with your travel agent.

Itinerary
If unforeseen conditions beyond the control of Hans Meier Tourist Ltd. and/or agents so require, the tour operator reserves the right to make changes in the itinerary, timetable and activities.

Senior Citizen Discount
Discount will be granted to Senior Citizens at the age of 60 and above. The exact date of birth is to be given at the time of booking (no discount can be granted afterwards).

Gratuities
To the guide and driver at the end of a tour are customarily left to the discretion of the tour members, and are therefore not included in the tour cost.

General Conditions
Booking Instructions and Conditions
Reservations and payment should be made through your travel agent or nearest airline office as early as possible to guarantee the exact departure and tour of your choice. Final payment is due four weeks prior to departure.

Cancellation
Full refund if cancellation is made 22 or more days prior to departure. A booking fee of CHF 50.– to cover communication and administrative expenses will be charged in each case. A cancellation fee of 10% for cancellations made between 22 and 15 days before departure; 25% for cancellations between 14 and 8 days. For cancellations less than 7 and more than 3 days before departure 50% of trip price. No refund for no-shows or cancellations less than 3 days before departure.

Alterations
Changes to the original booking entail expenses which have to be passed on. The appropriate fee being CHF 50.– per alteration.

Responsibility
The responsibility of Hans Meier Tourist Ltd. as the tour operator and/or their suppliers is limited. The passengers’ conditions of contract in use by the tour operator (Contrat de Tourisme) are in full force and effect to the same extent.

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Applicable Law / Court of Jurisdiction
The General Information and Conditions are construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of Switzerland. The participant expressly recognizes the Swiss Court.

OUR TOURS INCLUDE

Transportation
Transportation by deluxe bus with air conditioning, reclining seats, toilet, stereo equipment and microphone. Experienced and careful drivers.

Hotels
Accommodation in selected hotels, mainly first class, typical of the area, ensuring every comfort and the best food. All rooms with private bath or shower. Porterage at hotels, service charges and taxes included.

Meals
Buffet breakfast at the hotels and dinners only where indicated in the tour program. Our tour guide will be happy to give recommendations of local restaurants.

Tour Conductor
Service of friendly, multi-lingual guides (English and Spanish).

Extras
Extras which are mentioned in the brochure, are already included in the tour price — such as the cable car to Mount Titlis, informative visit to a factory of delicious milk products in Gruyères, Glacier Express Train, etc.

Optional side trips at an additional cost can be arranged directly with the tour director. (No Credit Cards accepted.)

VAT – Value added tax
Swiss VAT is included in the published rates.

Items not included in the tour price
Airport taxes, passport fees, beverages with meals, baggage and cancellation insurance and personal items such as laundry, room service, telephone, minibar drinks, etc.

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