

# Rome, Civitavecchia, Italy

## PORT EXPLORER and SHOPPING GUIDE



**ROMVS ARTIS**  
48 Via della Conciliazione  
ROME

**GALLERIA AURORA S.R.L.**  
61 Via della Conciliazione  
ROME

**LETTERME DEL COLOSSEO**  
13A Via del Cardello  
ROME

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Roma, Galleria A. Sordi  
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**VAT** Most stores participate in the Value Added Tax program in which Non-European citizens may be entitled to reclaim a portion or all of the taxes paid (depending on the total purchase price). It is your responsibility to inquire as to whether or not the store participates in VAT refund program if the purchase qualifies for a refund.

**GLOBAL BLUE** Shop where you see this Global Blue - Tax Free Shopping sign and ask for your tax refund receipt. To qualify, there are minimum amounts, per store, per day, so please ask the retailer for details. Show your purchases and Global Blue receipts to Customs officials when leaving the EU. Have your Global checks stamped and collect your cash at the Global Blue cash refund office.



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**GENERAL INFORMATION** Rome, the 'Eternal City', capital of Italy and the Catholic Church, is a modern, lively and fashionable city. It lies roughly in the center of the region of Lazio (Latium), between the Tyrrhenian Sea to the west and the Apennine Mountains to the east. The Tiber River curves through the City and Ancient Rome is situated on the left bank, as are the original Seven Hills of Rome and the more modern shopping areas, while the Vatican City is on the right bank of the Tiber.

Many Romans today are employed in tourist related industries, as well as in government, film-making and some other small-scale industries. The citizens of Rome still enjoy a relaxed way of life, and live and love life to the fullest. It is believed locally that on the last day of the world the Romans will throw a great farewell party, a gastronomic feast with wine flowing from the City's many fountains – "La Dolce Vita!"

Rome is unique because of its many fine buildings that span so many centuries of history and it is richer in masterpieces, both architectural and artistic, than most any other city in the World.

According to legend, Romulus and Remus, twin sons of the War God; Mars and Rhea, a Vestal Virgin, were abandoned as babies and brought up by a She-Wolf. They grew up to lead a band of outlaws and adventurers before Romulus killed his brother and founded Rome in 753 B.C.

**SHORE EXCURSIONS** To make the most of your visit to Civitavecchia, Rome and their surrounding areas we suggest you take one of our organized Shore Excursions. For information concerning tour content and pricing consult your Shore Excursion Brochure or contact the Shore Excursion Desk. When going ashore, be advised to take with you only necessary items and secure any valuables on-board.

**LOCAL CUSTOMS** Bargaining: Most items have fixed prices, but it may be possible to get a discount on a large purchase. It is normal to bargain at markets, except for food items.

**Tipping:** Generally a 10% service charge is added to restaurant bills, however, as this amount doesn't all go to the waiter, it is normal to offer a 5% tip to the waiter in addition to any service charge. For taxi drivers, a 5 – 10% tip is acceptable.

**LOCAL CUISINE AND DRINK SPECIALTIES** There are many varieties of pasta available with a wide range of sauces, Bucatini all'amatricana is one example associated with Rome, a thick

spaghetti in a tangy tomato and bacon sauce. Osso Bucco is popular, a casserole of veal shin, flavored with garlic, tomatoes and wine. For dessert try Ricotta Cake, a form of cheesecake, or Zuppa Inglese; a liqueur soaked sponge, covered with a custard, similar to English Trifle.

Through-out Italy there can be found many coffee bars, often without seating, where Espresso or Capuccino are the thing to drink. The local wine is Frascati, a light, dry white wine from the region just to the south of Rome. Bottled water is recommended.

**LOCAL CURRENCY** The unit of currency in this port of call is the euro.

**POST OFFICE AND TELEPHONE FACILITIES** The main Post Office in Civitavecchia is located on Via Giordano Bruno II. There is also a Post Office within the Vatican City walls.

Most public telephones accept coins, tokens and telephone cards which can be purchased at Tobacconists. To make a call using AT&T and MCI, a token is required, which will be returned after the call.

**TOURIST INFORMATION** The main EPT (Rome Provincial Tourist) Office is on Via Parigi. There is also an EPT booth at the Termini Station. The Tourist Information Office in Civitavecchia is located on Via le Garibaldi.

**TRANSPORTATION** A few taxis will be available at the Pier. It is important to negotiate a fare before departing, although most taxi drivers will accept U.S. Dollars.

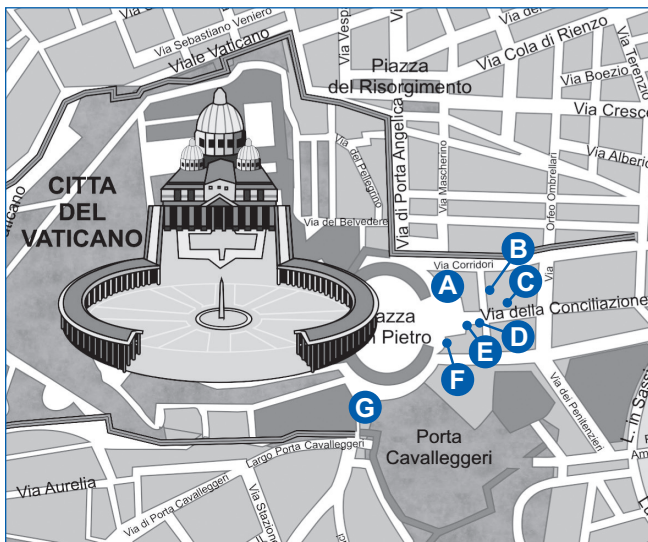
The Civitavecchia train station is on Viale Repubblica and in Rome, the most convenient station is Termini. The distance from the ship's berth to the Civitavecchia train station is approximately 1 mile.

### USEFUL WORDS AND PHRASES

- Yes • Si
- No • No
- Good Day • Buon Giorno
- Good-bye • Arrivederci
- Thank-you • Grazie
- You're Welcome • Prego



# The SHOPPING and DINING in ROME



**A GALLERIA S. PIETRO - 5 Largo del Colonnato**  
At the Galleria San Pietro you will find the largest selection of handicrafts "Made in Italy". Religious articles, 18kt gold and souvenirs are all offered at the best price. Galleria San Pietro also provides a Tourist Information & Ticket Office, luggage storage, refreshments and restroom facilities. Our friendly and courteous multi-lingual staff will be happy to help you with any request.

**B VACANZE ROMANE - 12 Via Rusticucci**  
"Roman Holiday" (Vacanze Romane) offers a wide selection of religious merchandise. The store is located a few steps from St. Peter's Square on Via Rusticucci, at the beginning of Via della Conciliazione. "Roman Holiday" has an impressive collection of rosaries, souvenirs and keepsakes which will provide wonderful memories of Rome and the Vatican. You will enjoy "Roman Holiday's" delightful atmosphere which is inspired by the famous film starring Gregory Peck and Audrey Hepburn.

**C DOMUS ARTIS - 48 Via della Conciliazione**  
"Domus Artis" is located across from St. Peter's Basilica at the start of Via della Conciliazione. Domus Artis is a leader in providing religious articles and souvenirs. Today the store is managed by Stefano and Raffaella Rossetti, worthy heirs to their respected Roman family which dates back to 1850. Domus Artis offers its customers a wide variety of exquisitely crafted objects and superb artistic mosaics.



**D GALLERIA AURORA S.R.L. 61 Via della Conciliazione**  
Galleria Aurora is a large store next to St. Peter's Square. You can browse in air-conditioned comfort among an extensive collection of Italian art, mosaics, Capodimonte porcelain, marble statues, hand-carved wooden items, cameos, jewelry and Murano glass sets and vases. Religious items include rosaries, medals, crosses, nativity sets and beautiful icons. The wide selection of books, coins and stamps make wonderful souvenirs. Cold drinks are available for refreshment.



**E MOSAIC CAPIOTTI 65 Via della Conciliazione**  
Capriotti has over twenty years of experience in offering shoppers the best selection of religious articles and Italian crafts. Our store also has Vatican coins, chains and medals in silver and 18k gold. Capriotti is located in St. Peter's Square, just in front of the Pope's window in the Vatican's Apostolic Palace.

**F MONDO CATTOLICO - 12 Piazza Pio XII**  
This company selling religious articles was founded in 1885. Situated by St. Peter's Square, you are sure to find a special religious article to suit every occasion. This store specializes in medals, crosses, icons, cameos and miniatures.

**G SAVELLI - 27/29 Via Paolo VI**  
In St. Peter's Square since 1898, this shop is proud of offering an outstanding selection of religious articles at all price points. Be sure to pick up a special piece to remember your visit. From books, rosaries, nativity sets, mosaics and souvenirs, this shop has something special for everyone on your list.



**H MARCO AURELIO 35A Via Marco Aurelio**  
"Marco Aurelio", a short 5 minute walk from the Colosseum, brings together a wonderful collection of Italian hand-crafted products. We offer a wide range of leather goods, 18k gold jewelry and cameos, stationery and wine. Our beautiful selection of hand-made mosaics has been sculpted from semi-precious stones and exquisite Venetian glass. Visit Marco Aurelio and take home a memory of the real Italy.

**I LA RINASCENTE - Galleria A. Sordi**  
The beautifully redesigned La Rinascente provides the ultimate in exclusive shopping leisure. We offer the most prestigious name brands in men and women's wear. La Rinascente also carries a wide selection of cosmetics, under-garments and fashion accessories. You will find shopping with us to be a wonderful experience. Show this Map at La Rinascente in the Roma Galleria A. Sordi to receive 10%\* off on your purchases.

**J LA RINASCENTE - Piazza Fiume**  
La Rinascente provides the ultimate experience in high-class shopping leisure. We offer the most prestigious name brands in men and women's wear. We also carry a perfect mix and wide variety of high quality cosmetics and houseware. Designed with the contemporary woman in mind, La Rinascente in Piazza Fiume has an entire floor devoted to perfumes, accessories and the best brands in the fashion world. Be sure to take a break and visit the gourmet area which features famous De Santis sandwiches. Show this Map at La Rinascente in the Roma Piazza Fiume to receive 10%\* off on your purchases.

**K LA BOTTE - 133 Via Sistina**  
La Botte restaurant is located in the center of Rome, where Italian cuisine and tradition come together in a familiar, warm and cozy atmosphere. Visitors from all over the world are welcomed every day with homemade pasta, meat, pizza and desserts, all accompanied with a glass of wine.

**L LE TERME DEL COLOSSEO 13A Via del Cardello**  
Culinary art in the heart of Roman history. Meet our fine staff ready to serve you traditional as well as new and unique cuisine. An extensive wine list, impeccable service, and years of experience make this an ideal place for lunch or dinner. Whether you want an intimate table for 2 or to enjoy the joyful company of friends, Le Terme del Colosseo can accommodate your wishes.



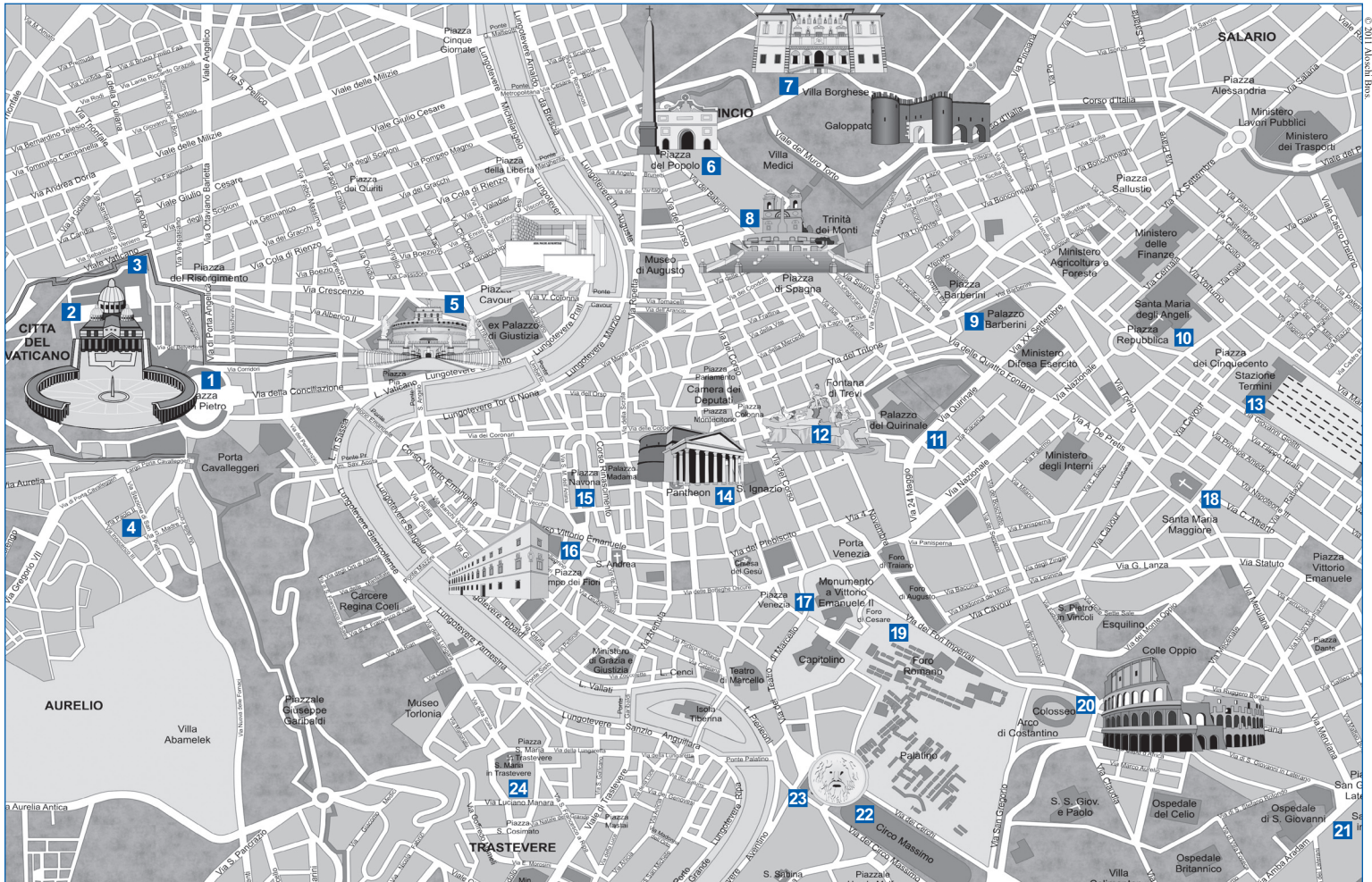
**M L'OLIMPO - 23 Piazza Barberini**  
This rooftop restaurant is located in the heart of the Eternal City in the Hotel Bernini Bristol. From its height it ensures one of the most exclusive and breathtaking views of Rome, offering both inside and outside dining on the panoramic terrace. The seasonal menu, carefully prepared by Chef Michele Simioli, offers the very best of Mediterranean cuisine, Roman delicacies, and daily market specials. The attentive and warm service along with the wide selection of wine by the bottle or glass will complete this unforgettable dining experience. Music and entertainment is offered every evening. Special Menu offers are available at lunch time.



**N OPERA - 48 Via Paola**  
Located at Castel Sant'Angelo, next door to the Pope's residence, this restaurant is perched in a truly spectacular setting, built on two floors where one can dine in different rooms. The famous Opera wine cellars, carved in volcanic rock, feature wines from all over Italy. Typical and innovative cuisine is prepared with seasonal and fresh ingredients, chosen with great care by the chef. Opera is one of the few restaurants in Rome where you can taste a real Italian style pizza made in a wood oven.



# The SIGHTS of ROME



- 1** **ST. PETER'S SQUARE** was commissioned in the 17th century by Pope Alexander VII. It was designed by the heralded successor to Michelangelo, the incomparable Italian sculptor and architect Gian Lorenzo Bernini. Built in the Baroque style, the great open space was created so that more of the faithful would be able to see and receive the blessing of the Pope.
- 2** **ST. PETER'S BASILICA** is perhaps the most recognizable Catholic churches in the world. Built in the Late Renaissance style and financed through the sale of indulgences, construction began in 1506 and was not completed until 1626. According to Catholic tradition the basilica was erected over the burial site of the apostle Peter.
- 3** The **VATICAN MUSEUMS** are home to the extensive collection of religious art, sculpture and artifacts which have been collected and organized by the Vatican over the past 600 years.

- 4** **ST. PETER'S TRAIN STATION** is a convenient point for passengers entering Rome by rail to disembark and begin their exploration of the Vatican.
- 5** **ST. ANGELO CASTLE AND NATIONAL MUSEUM** houses a large collection of antique weaponry, historic artifacts and paintings which date to the Renaissance. The original fortress was built in the 2nd century to serve as Emperor Hadrian's mausoleum
- 6** **PIAZZA DEL POPOLO** served for centuries as the major gateway into Rome. The Piazza visitors see today was designed in the neoclassical style of the early 1800s. At the center of the piazza stands the Egyptian obelisk of Pharaoh Sety I (1290 – 1279 BC).
- 7** The **BORGHESE GALLERY** was the former villa of the renowned Borghese family. Today visitors have the opportunity to view a wonderful collection of sculpture, antiquities and paintings.

- 8** **SPANISH STEPS** are recognized as Europe's widest staircase. The 138 steps were built in the early 1700 and financed by a gift from French diplomat Étienne Gueffie. The famous steps connect the Church and Piazza Trinità dei Monti (top) with the Piazza di Spagna (bottom).
- 9** **BARBERINI PALACE** is an elegant Renaissance palace which dates to the 1620. The palace belonged to the powerful and influential Cardinal Maffeo Barberini. Soon after acquiring the property Barberini was elected Pope and took the name of Urban VIII. As a historic note, it was Pope Urban VIII who ordered the great astronomer Galileo Galilei to recant and stand trial on charges of religious heresy. Today the palace is home to the Galleria Nazionale d'Arte Antica (National Gallery of Ancient Art).

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- 10 ST. MARIA DEGLI ANGELI BASILICA** (St. Mary of the Angels and the Martyrs) was commissioned by Pope Pius IV and Michelangelo began construction in 1563. He did not live to see the wonderful church completed. The church is rather unique in that it was built within the ancient Baths of Emperor Diocletian.
- 11 The QUIRINAL PALACE** was built as a summer residence in 1583 by Pope Gregory XIII. It sits atop Quirinal Hill, the highest of Rome's seven hills. This was once the site of pagan Roman temples. Since construction, the palace has been home to many Popes, Kings and Italian Presidents.
- 12 TREVI FOUNTAIN** is one of the most beautiful and recognizable sites in Rome. The fountain was commissioned by Pope Clement XII in 1730. Competition for the fountain's design was won by the Roman architect Nicola Salvi. Built in the Baroque style, the fountain was completed in 1762.
- 13 TERMINI TRAIN STATION** was built in 1867. Located in the heart of Rome, the station has undergone extensive modernization over the years. Today over 150 million passengers use the station annually.
- 14 The PANTHEON**, though it has a carved dedication to Marcus Agrippa, was actually built in 126 AD by Emperor Hadrian. The temple was to honor all Roman gods. With its great dome which opens to the sky and its massive Corinthian columns quarried in Egypt, the building remains one of Rome's great structures. Nearly 1500 years later even the incomparable Michelangelo was impressed by the Pantheon.
- 15 PIAZZA NAVONA**, is the main public square in Rome. In the 1st century this was the site of a great sports stadium which had been commissioned by Emperor Domitian. Today the beautiful Baroque architecture which encircles the piazza follows the general outline of the stadium. Among the most famous features of the piazza is Bernini's Fountain of the Four Rivers (1651).
- 16 CAMPO DEI FIORI** (Field of Flowers) has been a commercial center for merchants and tradesmen since the Middle Ages. The piazza was also used as a site for public execution. The piazza's famous statue of astronomer and mathematician Giordano Bruno is a reminder that in centuries past, free speech and innovative ideas were rarely compatible with good health and longevity. Today Campo dei Fiori continues to serve as an open market and public gathering place.
- 17 VENICE SQUARE, CAPITOLINE HILL AND THE MUSEUMS** are in close proximity to each other. The square is famous for the massive marble monument dedicated to Italy's first king, Victor Emmanuel II. On Capitoline Hill visitors will find the Piazza del Campidoglio. Designed in the mid-1500s by Michelangelo, construction on the piazza was not completed until 400 years after the great master's death. The beautiful palaces which line three sides of the piazza are home to the Capitoline Museums. The museums hold a wondrous collection of classical Roman statues together with art from the Middle Ages and Renaissance.
- 18 ST. MARIA MAGGIORE BASILICA**, was commissioned by Pope Sixtus III in the mid-400s. The church honors the Virgin Mary and was built to represent the center of the Roman Catholic world. Over many centuries the interior and façade of the church have undergone extensive renovation. Some people are of the opinion the St. Maria Maggiore Basilica is the most beautiful in all of Rome.
- 19 The ROMAN FORUM** was the heart of the ancient city. Amidst the classic ruins visitors can still feel that here, for centuries, was the center of the Rome and its great empire. Here the politicians sought the ear and support of the masses. Here markets and commerce thrived. Here victorious Emperors received the praise of the people. Here gladiators fought and criminals met the justice of Roman law. For hundreds of years this was the very center of the civilized world.
- 20 The COLOSSEUM**, a marvel of design, engineering and construction, is perhaps the most recognizable symbol of the power and majesty of the Roman Empire. The Colosseum was started late in the 1st century by Emperor Vespasian and completed by his son Emperor Titus. It was a monument to Rome's triumph during the "Jewish Revolt" in Palestine (66–70 AD). For over 400 years (spanning the reign of 42 Emperors) the primary function of the Colosseum was to provide violent amusement and entertainment for the people of Rome.
- 21 ST. JOHN IN LATERAN BASILICA** is Rome's cathedral and official seat of the Bishop of Rome (the Pope). Perhaps surprisingly, St. John's church is actually held in higher ecclesiastical esteem than the Vatican's more famous St. Peter's Basilica. Due to earthquakes and fires over the centuries the church has been rebuilt many times. The church seen today dates to the mid-1300s.
- 22 The CIRCO MASSIMO** (Circus Maximus) was a large circular track used for chariot races. Massive seating encircled the track and tens of thousands of Romans regularly attended the races. Little of the original architecture remains but visitors can clearly see the great structure's outline and impression.
- 23 ST. MARIA IN COSMEDIN CHURCH** dates to the 700s. Over the centuries numerous additions and renovations have taken place. The church is a popular attraction due to the large marble carving of "La Bocca della Verità" (the Mouth of Truth). It was here in the portico of St. Maria's that Gregory Peck, much to the Academy Award winning anxiety of Audrey Hepburn, stuck his hand into the Mouth of Truth in the movie "Roman Holiday" (Paramount Pictures – 1953).
- 24 ST. MARIA IN TRASTEVERE CHURCH** dates back to 1140. It was built with the patronage of Pope Innocent II. The Pope tore down the original sanctuary which had graced the site for the previous 700 years. This was an act of revenge on the part of Innocent II. The original church had held the tomb of Innocent's Papal rival, Pope Anacletus II. Anacletus II was removed and Pope Innocent II was entombed in his place.