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Paris Opera Breaks



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Those who enjoy history, culture and art will find much to do in Paris. Considered to be the most romantic capital in the world, Paris is the hub of culture and sophistication. The Opera National de Paris presents an extensive repertoire every year and during your time in Paris, you will have the opportunity to experience opera or ballet at its best.

Day 1: Arrival in Paris, welcome at the airport or the train station and transfer to your hotel. Rest of day at leisure to enjoy the atmosphere of the city. **Welcome dinner** in a good restaurant.

Day 2: Morning guided **Panoramic Paris sightseeing** by private coach including the main city highlights as **Arch of Triumph, Champs Elysées, Place de la Concorde etc....** Tour ends at the Place de l'Opera for an **inside guided visit of the Palais Garnier**, inaugurated on January 15th 1875. We see the Great Staircase and the newly restored Foyer, the auditorium with 1900 red velvet seats and learn about the story of the wonderful building. Rest of the afternoon at leisure. Early evening transfer from the hotel to a Parisian restaurant for **pre-theatre dinner** followed by an Opera or a Ballet **in the Opera Bastille**. Return transfer to the hotel after the performance.

Day 3: Enjoy a full day excursion to **Fontainebleau** and **Barbizon** by private coach with guide. The Fontainebleau Palace, lavishly built and furnished in Renaissance period style, was a favourite hunting residence of the French Kings. The apartments occupied by Napoleon were recently restored and are included in our tour. Barbizon has been known as an artistic centre since the 19th century when Jean-François Millet and Robert-Louis Stevenson lived there. This tour includes a guided visit of the palace, a drive past the Fontainebleau forest and a short stop in Barbizon. Return to the hotel at approx. 16.00pm. Early evening transfer to the **Opera Garnier** for an Opera or Ballet performance followed by a **farewell post-theatre supper** at the famous **Café de La Paix**.

Day 4: Transfer to the airport or the train station for departure.

Our services:

- 3 x overnight and breakfast in central Paris. Escorted airport or station transfer by private coach
- Guided Paris sightseeing tour incl. the inside visit of the Palais Garnier
- Full day guided excursion by coach to Fontainebleau and Barbizon including admission
- All escorted transfers hotel-restaurant-opera-hotel
- Welcome dinner in a good restaurant
- Pre-theatre dinner in a Parisian restaurant
- Farewell post-theatre supper at Café de la Paix

Not included: Opera tickets – price subject to category and performance

Other programs available for opera breaks in French towns as: Lyon, Bordeaux, Nancy, Toulouse, Strasbourg etc..

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Operas and Ballets in Paris 2015 – 2016

Opera Bastille

L'Elisir d'Amore Donizetti
2 – 25 Nov 2015

La Bayadère Noureev
17 Nov – 31 Dec 2015

La Damnation de Faust Berlioz
5-29 Dec 2015

Werther Massenet
20 Jan-4 Feb 2016

Il Trovatore Verdi

31 Jan – 15 March 2016

Il Barbiere di Siviglia Rossini

2 Feb – 4 March 2016

Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg Wagner

1 – 28 March 2016

Roméo et Juliette Noureev

19 March – 16 April 2016

Rigoletto Verdi

9 April – 30 May 2016

Der Rosenkavalier

12 – 31 May 2016

La Traviata

20 May – 17 June 2016

Concert Philippe Jordan

15 June 2016

Aida

13 June – 16 July 2016

Peck/Balanchine

2 -15 Juli 2016



Opera Garnier

Le Château de Barbe Bleue/La voix humaine

23 Nov -12 Dec 2015

Wheeldon/Mc Gregor/Pina

Bausch

3 – 31 Dec 2015

Batsheva Dance Company

Naharin

5 – 9 Jan 2016

Capriccio

19 Jan – 14 Feb 2016

Bel/ Robbins Bel

5 – 20 Feb 2016

Iolanta/Casse Noisette

Tchaikowski 9 März – 1 April 2016

Ratmansky/Balanchine/Robbins/Peck

24 March – 5 April 2016

Lear

23 May – 12 June 2016

Giselle Coralli/Perrot

28 May – 14 June 2016

Englisch National Ballet

Rojo

21 – 25 June 2016

William Forsythe

4 – 16 July 2016

Other famous places (Programs on request)

- Opéra Comique
- Théâtre des Champs Elysées
- Châtelet
- Salle Pleyel
- Cité de la Musique
- NEW JANUARY 2015 : la PHILHARMONIE DE PARIS

