



SANTIAGO AND LAKES REGION

DAY 1

Arrival to Santiago. Pick up at the airport and transfer to your Hotel. Rest of the day free. Overnight in Santiago.

DAY 2 Viña del Mar Valparaiso

We leave from Santiago straight to the Pacific Ocean in a 120 km trip, from your hotel or house. Curacavi Valley will give us the chance to see the diversity of sceneries, and later on we pass by Casablanca valley mainly known by its wine production. **Viña del Mar**, our "Garden City", will charm us with its special architecture, its streets, palaces, and the **Quinta Vergara**. We will also have the opportunity of getting to know a Moai from Easter Island. After visiting the coastal border we will visit the city of **Valparaiso**, whose origins go back to 1536, which has been declared a Cultural World Heritage and is the seat of the Legislative Power. It has magic, picturesque elevators, colorful neighborhoods, and unique and unforgettable sceneries. Return to Santiago by the end of the day.

DAY 3 Santiago City tour

We will visit the most important places in the city, such as Santa Lucia Hill, Civic Quarter, historical Santiago, Government palace "The Mint", Main Square, Santiago's Cathedral, City Hall Building, National Historical Museum. During our sightseeing you will be appreciating the most precious facts of our history and looking at the different achievements of a conservative society. Later on we'll cover the uptown financial district. At the very end we will stop in one of the most prestigious handicraft stores in the city and you will have the opportunity to taste the typical national drink "Pisco Sour". Return to your Hotel. At the end of the day transfer from your Hotel to the Bus station.

DAY 4 Puerto Montt Puerto Varas

Arrival to Puerto Montt transfer from the bus station to the Hotel in Puerto Varas. Check in at the Hotel rest of the day free. Overnight in Puerto Varas.

DAY 5 Frutillar – Llanquihue

Daily departures from Puerto Montt or Puerto Varas, traveling across Route 5 or Pan American to reach the city of Llanquihue, located about 7 km north of the city of Puerto Varas. This city is known in our country for its great industrial activity, such as dairies, forestry, fishing (salmon), Seaweed Processors and Sausages factories in this city are the most famous factories in Chile in the quality of its products.

We will learn about many of these industries in our journey to Frutillar visiting also typical neighborhoods of this city like the Village Presidents, where wooden buildings stand out with a tin roof, then continue our journey along the lake Llanquihue and get to know the source of the river Maullin which flows into the ocean and the only outlet to the Pacific Ocean of the lake Llanquihue. We stop to take pictures on the shores of Lake Llanquihue where we have some nice giant-size replicas of the Black-necked swans, which in some quiet areas of our region are very common.

Later on we will travel on to what was the first road that joined Llanquihue and Frutillar during the German colonial times, it is a dirt road and it is not used as a main road, rather a tourist road. We will

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learn a bit of history of this area, its old buildings that still stand after over a century, and also appreciate the agricultural activity of these fields visit the memorial for German colonists which is located on a hill where you can get beautiful pictures of the Lake next several volcanoes.

Around noon we arrive to Low Frutillar, which is a beach by the lake with its typical Germanic style buildings and a variety of colors of each garden, we will visit the German Colonial Museum, where he emphasized 4 buildings, replicas of the time of the colony, including a water mill, the Casa del Herrero, the Belfry and country houses, each containing in its interior items, furniture and furnishings of those years, donated to the Museum by descendants of the first families of German colonists.

Later on free time for lunch. The afternoon is free to walk and visit the local handicraft, we will return to Puerto Varas or Puerto Montt by the end of the day.

DAY 6 Ancud – Chiloe

We leave aerly in the morning, first townb we reach is Pargua, where we will embark on one of the many Ferries which transport vehicles and people on a daily basis from Pargua, continental location and Chacao, gateway to Chiloe Island.

After sailing for 30 minutes on the Pacific Ocean through the Canal de Chacao we arrive to the town of the same name, one of the oldest towns in the large island of Chiloe, founded in 1567. This town has a typical Plaza de Armas where they emphasize their curious and picturesque buildings, its strong color makes a difference in this part of Chile, we will visit the Church of Madera, which joins over 150 churches located in Chiloé, many of them are National Monuments.

Continuing our tour we come to Ancud, where we will visit the Mirador del Cerro Huaihua, Arena Gruesa beach, Fort San Antonio, a former Spanish fort dating from the eighteenth century, the Interactive Museum and Craft of the city of Ancud, Municipal Market, Central and Costanera Avenue, and the stories of the culture and myths of one of the larger islands of South America, Mythology and magical stories which are told by our guides, making passengers to immerse themselves in the interesting world of the unknown that surrounds this segment called Chiloe Island.

During the tour we stop for lunch in a typical restaurant. Afternoon return to Puerto Montt and Puerto Varas arriving by the end of the day.

DAY 7 Puerto Montt or Puerto Varas / Mountain Ski Center and Volcano Osorno

Depending on weather conditions, departure from the hotel for a visit to the Ski resort and Osorno Volcano and River Falls Petrohué in Vicente Perez Rosales National Park to Lake Todos los Santos, also known as the Emerald lake because of its green-blue waters.

Lunch at a traditional inn at the area. In the afternoon return to your hotel in Puerto Montt or Puerto Varas.

DAY 8 Puerto Montt or Puerto Varas

Free day until departure time to the bus terminal to board room-bed bus bound for Santiago



DAY 9 Santiago

Arrival to Santiago. Transfer from the Bus terminal to the Hotel In Santiago. Afternoon free for activities on behalf of passengers . We suggest an Optional Tour, Folk Dinner Show.

DAY 10 Santiago

Transfer Hotel – Airport.

PRICES

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EN OF OUR SERVICES

INCLUDED IN PRICE

- * 03 nights in Santiago.
- * 04 nights in Puerto Montt or Puerto Varas.
- * Bus 02 Nights on Bus Bed Salon
- * Breakfasts.
- * Bilingual Guide
- * Tourism vehicle.
- * Bus Ticket Santiago – Puerto Montt – Santiago.
- * The route and times may change for climatic reasons or others.
- * Rates per person in american dollars, may change according to the exchange rate of the day.
- * Rates vary depending on number of people.

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