

## «North-Eastern Russia»

Sergiev Posad - Pereslavl-Zalessky - Rostov the Great - Yaroslavl - Kostroma - Ivanovo - Suzdal

## 3 days/ 2 nights

1st day 08:00 Meeting with group in Moscow at the customer's address.

08:15 Departure to Sergiev Posad.

10:00 Excursion to "Trinity-Sergius Lavra": architectures and interiors of "Uspensky" and "Troitsky" cathedrals. Departure to Pereslavl-Zalessky.

12:00 Excursion around town PereslavI, then photo-stop on the PereslavI's red square, view of Pleshcheyevo lake and museum of a little sailing ship "Peter's I Botik".





13:00 Lunch in the city cafe. Departure to Rostov the Great.

14:00 Excursion to the Rostov Kremlin - is the residence of Rostov bishops and metropolitans. The architectural ensemble of Rostov Kremlin, decorated with the "Uspensky" Cathedral (XVI century) with unique belfry tower, which completely survived with a set of 15 bells; the Bishop's Court; Cathedral Square. Exhibition of ceramics in the Kremlin. Expositions "Walls and Crossing of the Rostov Kremlin" (small crossing) - in the summer, "Museum of Rostov Enamel" - in the winter time.





Accommodation: "the Azimut 3\* hotel of Kostroma or similar ( "Samokovskaya 3\* ", "Shelestov 3\* " - Kostroma; "Liubim 3\* " - Yaroslavl; "Moscow Trakt 3\* " - Rostov the Great). Standard rooms.

20:00 Dinner in the hotel's restaurant.

2nd day08:00 Breakfast (buffet) in the hotel's restaurant.08:30 Departure to Yaroslavl.

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10:00 Excursion program around Yaroslavl with a visit of "Spaso-Preobrajensky" Abbey. You will see the exterior of church "Ilya the Preacher"; also rivers fusion of "Volga" and "Kotorosli"; the "Uspensky" Cathedral; walk along the embankment of "Volga" river reconstructed on millennium of the city; see the unique architectural ensemble of the Yaroslavl old town wich included in the UNESCO World Heritage List.





14:00 Lunch in the hotel's restaurant.

15:00 Excursion around Kostroma. Acquaintance with the merchant city, which has survived to present day the original appearance of the architectural ensemble 18th century.





Survey of central square (called "frying pan"), shopping arcades and belfry tower of 19th century.

"Ipatievsky" abbey ("Troitsky" cathedral, Boyars of the Romanov's dynasty burial tomb) is the main sight of Kostroma. There is a cradle of the Romanov dynasty.

Also will see "Epiphany-Anastasia" abbey, where was kept the miraculous icon of the "Fedorovskaya Mother of God" (13th century). Return to the hotel.

20:00 Dinner in the hotel's restaurant.

3<sup>rd</sup> day 07:00 Breakfast (buffet) in the hotel's restaurant. Departure to Suzdal. Trip sightseeing tour around Ivanovo town.

11:00 **Trip sightseeing tour around Suzdal town** – open air museum, about 200 historical monuments, many of them have status of UNESCO World Heritage.

Acquaintance with the architectural ensemble of the Suzdal Kremlin, sightseeing of "Spaso-Efimiev" Abbey with a bell-ringing show.

Visiting to "Spaso - Preobrajentsky" Cathedral. Inside the abbey there is a tomb of a famouse russian commander Prince Dmitry Mikhailovich







Museum of Wooden Architecture with unique buildings of 17-19 centuries. The exposition was built like a village street with temples, houses, mills, granary and other buildings, transported from different places of Vladimirsky area.

"Pokrovsky" abbey (view point) is a women's monastery, which keeps a lot of secrets.





15:00 Lunch. Departure to Moscow.

21:00 Estimated time to arrival in Moscow at the customer's address.

Group tour price per 1 adult USD:				
	ВВ	НВ	FB	SINGL
10+1	341	366	387	46 USD/ adult.
15+1	248	217	292	
20+2	230	255	276	
25+2	202	226	246	
30+3	184	209	230	
35+3	170	193	214	
40+4	159	184	205	

<sup>\*</sup>the price in EUR and USD at the exchange rate of the Central Bank of the Russian Federation + 2%.











\* Price depends on date/season and the quantity of participants

## What included:

- English speaking guide including tickets to museums,
- All transfers according to the program,
- Accommodation in rooms of "standard" category,
- Selected option of meals board.