

Canavese Magic

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An unusual tour in Canavese awaits you: we will follow ancient stories and thrilling legends surrounded by the charm of nature and beautiful architecture. You will meet the "masche" (witches), visit the Temples of Mankind and uncover other mysterious tales of Canavese.



Periodo	May / September
Target	hikers
Duration	5 days / 4 nights
Max people	12
Min people	8

Day 1

Arrival in Canavese. Meeting in Mazzè. Walk in the city center and around the Castle accompanied by the tales of Queen Ypa. Then you will move to Candia Lake, Natural Park and protected area, visiting the Priory of Santo Stefano, Romanesque church, isolated on a hilltop overlooking the lake and the town. Transfer to Pont Canavese, typical dinner and overnight at the hotel restaurant Bergagna **.

Day 2

After breakfast, transfer to Ribordone to visit the Sanctuary of Prascondù (1,321 m), within the National Park of Gran Paradiso, where a miraculous event occurred attributed to the Virgin Mary. From here you can hike to the Pian delle Masche (witches plateau) and the Masche Pond about 1,950 meters high. After a picnic lunch with local products, we will make a sweet stop at Pont Canavese, to taste the exquisite chocolate of Perotti Pastry Shop. Return to the hotel restaurant Bergagna, typical dinner and overnight.

Day 3

After breakfast, transfer to Valchiusella for a day full of mystery. The journey begins with a hike along the "Souls' Path", so called because of the stone carvings that are encountered along the way. Many legends surround this place that has all the characteristics of a sacred way, with a number of etchings that is unmatched in the Alps. Picnic lunch. The adventure continues with a visit to the Monti Pelati (Bare mountains) Natural Reserve, a range of 3 km square barren and almost completely without vegetation, due to the particular nature of the subsoil. After dinner at the restaurant Principe d'Oro in Vidracco, the day will end with an overnight visit to the Underground Temples of Mankind, an extraordinary artwork built the Federation of Damanhur, in several years. Night at Principe d'Oro or at Damanhur Welcome & University (your choice).

Day 4

After breakfast, transfer to Turin, magical city, belonging both to the white magic and the black magic triangles, also visited in 1556 by Nostradamus. The tour will introduce you to an unusual city, rich in legends, Masonic and esoteric symbols. The tour ends with a visit to the Museum of Human Anatomy. Return to Canavese, typical dinner in Principe d'Oro in Vidracco and overnight at Principe d'Oro or at Damanhur Welcome & University (your choice).

Day 5

After breakfast, transfer to Caravino to visit the Masino Castles and its beautiful park. The castle is rich of art, history, charm and mystery. There are many ghosts that manifest their presence here and in the Castle rest, after a long pilgrimage, the bones of the Marquis of Ivrea and King of Italy Arduino. End of the tour.

Rates per person from **455 euro**

Rate includes: 4 nights with breakfast in double room in Hotel or B&B, 4 typical dinners in restaurant, 1 picnic with local products, 1 packed lunch, guided tour of Mazzè and Turin, guided hiking to

Pian delle Masche and the Souls' Path, entrance to all churches, Museums (as mentioned) Masino Castle, Temple of Man at the Federation of Damanhur, tasting pastry, a guide for all tour.

Not included: transfers (available on request), drinks, personal expenses and everything not mentioned in "Rate includes".

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