



Fjord Deluxe Panorama

Tour 401

9 Nights, 10 Days

Kiel - Kiel



Embark on a journey through majestic mountains, captivating fjords, and vibrant cities like Oslo and Bergen. Enjoy a leisurely fjord cruise and explore the charming Hanseatic quarter. Elevate your experience with authentic and independent hotels. This trip is a perfect blend of pampering and unique adventures.

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DAY 1 Arrival - KIEL - OSLO (Ferry)

Arrive in Kiel according to your own itinerary. Board the Color Line ship for an overnight cruise from to Oslo. Check in at latest 12.00, and departure from Kiel is at 14.00

Half board accommodation in **outside cabins** on board Color Line.

DAY 2 OSLO - LILLEHAMMER (190 km)

Breakfast buffet on board and arrival in Oslo at 10.00am. Meet your local city guide at the Color Line Terminal and explore Oslo on a 3 hours city sightseeing tour. Panoramic views of: Opera house, Karl Johans gate – Oslo's main street, Old town Christiania, Akershus Castle and Fortress, and the Royal Palace. Picturesque ride through some of Oslo's prettiest neighborhoods to the Vigeland Park with its more than 200 sculptures. Visit the Fram Museum with the Polar Ship Fram, the strongest wooden ship ever built, still holding the records for sailing farthest north and farthest south. Continue by coach to the Olympic town of Lillehammer. The charming and historically important buildings in the city of Lillehammer serve as the backdrop for a modern and vibrant shopping environment. The town also has a rich offering of museums and cultural centres.

Half board accommodation at **Clarion Collection Hotel Hammer**

DAY 3 LILLEHAMMER - ÅLESUND (370km)

Drive north through the Gudbrandsdal valley, rich in culture and traditions, then further on to Dombås and along the Romsdal valley, with views of the impressive Troll Wall and majestic mountain peaks. Just beyond Sogge Bru, the renowned Trollstigveien unfolds with its iconic hairpin bends, weaving through waterfalls and steep rock faces (accessible for buses up to 13.1m). Journey onwards through Stordal and Skodje to reach the picturesque destination of Ålesund.

Half board accommodation at **Scandic Parken Ålesund**

DAY 4 ÅLESUND - GEIRANGER - LOEN (190km)

Embark on a scenic boat trip from Åsund to Geiranger, past famous waterfalls. The bus takes the overland route and meets the group in Geiranger. In the afternoon visit to the Dalsnibba Geiranger Skywalk viewing platform, perched 1500 meters above sea level. The road winds back down to the fjord in Stryn. Continue to your hotel in Loen.

Half board accommodation at **Hotel Alexandra Loen**

DAY 5 LOEN - BALESTRAND (195km)

Take the Loen Skylift cable car to experience the view of the area from 1011 metres above sea level. The cable car is among the steepest of its kind. Round trip included. Drive to Balestrand. Weather permitting, enjoy the scenic route of Gaularfjellet, before reaching your beautifully situated hotel by the Sognefjord. Enjoy views of Norway's longest and deepest fjord, with it's famous arm the Nærøyfjord that is classified on the UNESCO World Heritage List.

Half board accommodation at **Kviknes Hotel**



DAY 6 BALESTRAND - FLÅM - BERGEN (290km)

Board a public passenger ferry for a crossing through steep mountains on the beautiful Sognefjord from Balestrand to Flåm. The bus takes the overland route and meets the group in Flåm. Continue to Bergen, Norway's second largest city, known as the capital of the west and gateway to the fjords. A stroll through bryggen takes you back to the middle ages as a lot of the architecture is preserved. In the evening, enjoy a 3-course dinner included coffee at Bryggen Tracteursted.

Bed and breakfast accommodation at **Hotel Norge by Scandic**

DAY 7 BERGEN - HARDANGER - ULVIK (150km)

2 hours city sightseeing in Bergen with a local guide. Bergen is a UNESCO world heritage city with Bryggen Hanseatic Wharf, mount Fløyen and the fish & flower market as central attractions. Travel by coach along the romantic Hardangerfjord to Ulvik. Ulvik is a small village in the region of Hardanger, a region with a living cultural heritage. The Hardanger fiddle, the traditional Hardanger folk costume and Hardanger embroidery are all well known in Norway and regarded as national symbols. During the 13th century growing apples was introduced in Hardanger by monks from England. Today 40% of all Norwegian fruit is grown in the Hardangerfjord region.

Half board accommodation in rooms with **fjord view** at **Brakanes Hotel**

DAY 8 ULVIK - EIDFJORD - GEILO (125km)

After a relaxing morning in beautiful surroundings, travel to Eidfjord where you can see the splendid Vøringsfoss Waterfall, which has a free fall of 145 metres and a total fall of 182 metres, and is one of the most visited tourist attractions in Norway. Possibility to visit Hardangervidda Nature Centre in Eidfjord, which is an exciting experience centre for Norwegian nature, climate and environment (entrance not included). Continue to Geilo. Here you are close to two national parks; Hallingskarvetnational park and Hardangervidda national park. Geilo offers a wide range of activities, shopping, cozy cafes - and several local food producers.

Half board accommodation at **Ustedalen Hotel & Resort**

DAY 9 GEILO - OSLO - KIEL (ferry | 220km)

Travel down the Hallingdal valley to Oslo and board the Color Line ship for an overnight cruise from Oslo to Kiel. Check in at latest 12.00, and departure from Oslo is at 14.00. You can relax on board and enjoy the views while cruising along on the Oslofjord.

Half board accommodation in **outside cabins** on board Color Line.

DAY 10 KIEL - Departure

Breakfast buffet on board and arrive in Kiel at 10.00. Disembark and drive home according to your own itinerary.



SERVICES INCLUDED



Overnight cruises for coach and passengers:

- Kiel – Oslo with Color Line (incl. overnight in 2-berth outside cabins with shower/WC, Scandinavian dinner buffet and breakfast buffet on board)
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Accommodation and meals:

- 6x nights accommodation in double rooms with shower/WC incl. half-board
- 1x night accommodation in double rooms with shower/WC incl. bed & breakfast
- 1x 3-course dinner

Guided city-sightseeing:

- Oslo, 3 hours, incl entrance to Fram Museum
- Bergen, 2 hours, no entrances

Other activities:

- Ålesund - Geiranger fjord cruise
- Balestrand – Flåm, Sognefjord cruise, passengers only
- Geiranger Skywalk viewing platform toll fee
- Loen Skylift cable car excursion, roundtrip

Private coach:

- Coach transport is not included, tour is based on groups arriving with their own coach

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