## Adventures with Karyn Wendell *presents...* **Discovering Poland**

August 20 – 31, 2022



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12 Days • 14 Meals: 10 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Warsaw, Choices on Tour, Malbork Castle, Gdansk, Solidarity Shipyards, Torun, Gingerbread Baking, Wroclaw, Jasna Góra Monastery, Black Madonna, Krakow, Auschwitz, Folklore Show & Dinner

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1	Overnight Flight
, Days 2, 3	Mercure Grand Warszawa Hotel, Warsaw
Days 4, 5	Radisson Blu Hotel Gdansk, Gdansk
Day 6	Hotel Bulwar, Torun
Days 7, 8	The Bridge Wroclaw MGallery, Wroclaw
Days 9 – 11	Holiday Inn City Center Krakow, Krakow
	On some dates alternate hotels may be used.
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**Collette's Flagship:** Collette's tours open the door to a world of amazing destinations. Marvel at must-see sights, sample regional cuisine, stay in centrally located hotels and connect with new and captivating cultures. These itineraries offer an inspiring and easy way to experience the world, where an expert guide takes care of all the details.

**Day 1: Saturday, August 20, 2022 Overnight Flight** You're on your way to Poland, a land of amazing castles, poignant history and a welcoming culture.

**Day 2: Sunday, August 21, 2022 Warsaw, Poland - Tour Begins** Welcome to Warsaw! This city features a blend of old-world charm and modern energy. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (*D*)

**Day 3: Monday, August 22, 2022 Warsaw** Choose how you explore Warsaw because **it's your choice!** Embark on a classic city tour and embrace the city's moving history as you discover the main sights and the Old Town **-OR-** gain a different perspective on Warsaw's past with a tour that delves into the city's communist history, stopping to visit different museums along the way. The afternoon is at leisure to take in the alleyways, visit a quaint café in Warsaw's Old Town, explore a museum, or simply relax. (*B*)

Day 4: Tuesday, August 23, 2022 Warsaw - Malbork Castle -Gdansk Depart Warsaw and stop in the town of Malbork, home to Malbork Castle, one of the largest castles in the world. On a guided tour of this 700-year-old structure, gain an introduction to the world of the Knights of the Teutonic Order. Continue to Gdansk, stopping at the Gdansk Shipyards, site of the creation of the anti-Communist Solidarity movement in 1980 that helped liberate Poland from Soviet rule. (*B*, *D*)

Day 5: Wednesday, August 24, 2022 Gdansk Start your morning with a local expert in Gdansk. Get to know this port city's history on a tour highlighting City Hall and St. Mary's Church. Peek into Poland's age-old culture of amber, which dates back to the Neolithic period. Later, it's your choice! Embark on an excursion to the seaside resort town of Sopot -OR- remain in Gdansk and explore the city as you wish. The evening is yours to stroll through a city square, shop for local handicrafts, or soak in the seaside atmosphere. (*B*)

**Day 6: Thursday, August 25, 2022 Gdansk - Torun** Travel to the town of Torun (UNESCO), birthplace of the famous astronomer Nicolaus Copernicus. Torun remains one of the best-preserved medieval towns in all of Europe and is one of the "Seven Wonders of Poland." On arrival, join a local expert for a walking tour of this unspoiled town. Pass by Copernicus's house before stepping into the past when you bake and sample gingerbread based on a 500-year-old recipe. (*B*)

**Day 7: Friday, August 26, 2022 Torun - Wroclaw** Enjoy a morning at leisure to independently explore the city. As the afternoon sets in, your journey continues to the ancient city of Wroclaw. Get a taste of the culture when you join your traveling companions for some locally-brewed beer and a traditional "home-style" dinner at a local restaurant. (*B*, *D*)

**Day 8: Saturday, August 27, 2022 Wroclaw** Start your morning on a tour of Wroclaw, bringing this 1,000-year-old city to life. In the Stare Miasto (Old Town), discover a diverse blend of ethnicities and religions all coexisting within a unified Polish mindset. The remainder of the day is yours. You can visit idyllic parks, immerse yourself in the captivating culture, or even search for the many "dwarf" statues hidden on the streets of the city. (*B*)





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**Included in Price:** Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$399 per person, Round Trip Air from Logan Intl Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

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Additional rate of: Business Class \$3,790

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Day 9: Sunday, August 28, 2022 Wroclaw - Czestochowa -

**Krakow** Leave Wroclaw for Czestochowa, the spiritual capital of Poland. Every year, over 5 million pilgrims journey to pay their respects to the famous Black Madonna in the Jasna Góra monastery. Venture inside for an up-close look at this miraculous image. Depart for Krakow, an enchanting city famous for its well-preserved town center. Get acquainted with the city during an evening at leisure. (*B*)

**Day 10: Monday, August 29, 2022 Krakow** Join a local expert on a panoramic tour of Krakow, including Market Square, St. Mary's Church and the university. You will also see the famous Wawel Castle, the former residence of Polish kings. The rest of your day is at leisure. Perhaps you'll stroll the quaint side streets of Krakow's famous Old Town, have coffee in one of the largest squares in Europe, or visit the Schindler Museum. Consider taking an optional excursion to medieval salt mines for a unique adventure. (B)

Day 11: Tuesday, August 30, 2022 Krakow - Auschwitz -

**Krakow** Embark on a poignant journey through history as you travel to Auschwitz\*. A local expert guides you through the former concentration camp, where you will learn about the coldblooded terrors as well as the resilience of the human spirit. This evening, celebrate traditional Polish culture during a folklore show and dinner, complete with wine and beer. (*B*, *D*)

Day 12: Wednesday, August 31, 2022 Krakow - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close today. (*B*)

#### **Experience It! Torun**

Torun was founded in 1244 by the Teutonic Knights and today is a UNESCO World Heritage site with many architectural structures dating from the early Middle Ages. The city is famous for having preserved almost perfectly its medieval layout. Numerous brick buildings built in the Gothic style still exist, including churches, the Town Hall and burgher houses which surround the old town. Torun, unlike many other historic cities in Poland, escaped destruction during World War II. Particularly left intact was Old Town, whose important architectural monuments are originals, not reconstructions. Torun is the birthplace of Copernicus and the home where he was born is still intact today.

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#### PLEASE NOTE:

#### Book Now rates valid until Feb 21, 2022, valid on air inclusive packages only.

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Effective for travel after January 2023, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS travel authorization, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit https://www.etiasvisa.com/

#### Included breakfasts are buffet breakfasts.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Triple rooms are not available.

\*On occasion, Auschwitz may not be available for guests who purchase this tour within 30 days of departure as space is limited at Auschwitz.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (1-2 hours) isn't a big deal. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, Zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. You can expect some longer days balanced with free-time to recharge or set out on your own adventure.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$999 per person (Which Includes Cancellation Waiver and Insurance) is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of February 14, 2022 are based upon availability. Final payment due by June 21, 2022. Deposits are refundable up until February 21, 2022.

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#### BOOKING NUMBER: 1042171

DEPARTURE DATE: August 20, 2022

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**Available Options** 

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

#### Krakow



Wieliczka Salt Mines

Venture outside of Krakow to one of Poland's most fascinating locations, the magical Wieliczka Salt Mines. This UNESCO World Heritage Site is the only mining site in the world that has been functioning continuously since the Middle Ages. Lying on nine levels, its original excavations (longitudinals, traverses, chambers, lakes, as well as minor and major shafts) stretch for an incredible 300 kilometers. Meet a miner guide who will take you down into this spectacular maze of unique rooms, tunnels, chapels and salt statues. It's an adventure unlike any other. *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

#### Wroclaw



#### Church of Peace & Countryside Dinner

Travel through the Silesian heartland to the towns of Jawor and Swidnica, home to the "Churches of Peace." You will visit one of these churches whose names are derived from the Peace Accords of Westphalia signed in 1648 which ended the 30 Years War and which permitted Lutherans living in Catholic Silesia to build their own evangelical churches. We will explore the church which has been named a UNESCO World Heritage site due to its masterful architecture and historical importance. Inside you will be treated to a private organ concert. Afterwards, you will journey to a small village in the heart of the countryside where you will enjoy a feast in a countryside restaurant. *Duration: Approximately 6.5 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

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