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## Calabria - The Homecoming 2010

With a touch of Rome and Sicily!! Hosted by Dr. Mario Macaluso & Mr. micheal CASTALDO September 20 - 29, 2010 Calabria, Vatican City, Messina, Taormina

Includes: Roundtrip air via Alitalia JFK/Rome/Reggio 8 nights in 4\*/3\* hotels (2 Rome/6 Calabria) Buffet Breakfast & Dinner daily/olive oil & wine tasting English speaking escort & local guides Private motorcoach with bathroom throughout All sightseeing and admissions Hotel Tax & Service Luggage porterage (1 piece per person) Airline taxes and fuel surcharge (subject to change by airline)

Rates based on 30 passengers minimum

## Double: \$3119 per person/Single \$3544

Cancellation insurance \$169 per person (under 60)/ \$199 (over 60) must be included with deposit.

SPACE IS LIMITED. **SEND DEPOSIT BY MAY 30, 2010.** Don't pass up this chance to travel to Italy with Dr.Mario Macaluso, the author of several books about Sicily and Mr. Micheal Castaldo, world class recording artist and son of Calabria! **FINAL DUE July 15, 2010** 

Please fill out the following and send in a **\$300.00 per person** deposit (plus insurance) by check to: <u>Oyster Bay Travel, 53 Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, NY 11771</u>

Contact Jim Marino @ 516-922-4700.

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Once final payment is made, there is no refund. Cancellation insurance must be included with deposit and covers pre existing conditions. Checks only. No credit card.

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## **ITINERARY FOR ROME, CALABRIA & SICILY TOUR**

20 Sep. - Overnight flight on AZ from JFK to FCO

**21 Sep.** - Arrive at Rome airport. Meet English speaking tour escort and together transfer to your hotel in Rome. En route enjoy an orientation drive of Rome. Balance of the afternoon at leisure. Welcome dinner at the hotel or nearby restaurant and overnight.

**22 Sep.** - (Wednesday) Morning Papal Audience (subject to His Holiness availability). Afternoon Vatican Museum tour. Dinner and overnight at the hotel or nearby restaurant.

**23 Sep.** – Morning Ancient Rome tour with outside viewing of the Colosseum, Roman Forum and Palatine Hill. Lunch on own in Rome, then transfer to FCO airport for 5PM flight to Reggio Calabria. 6:30PM arrive at Reggio Calabria airport and transfer to Lungomare Hotel in Reggio Calabria. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

**24 Sep.** - Full day excursion to Reggio Calabria, including half day guided city tour. Lunch on own and afternoon at leisure in Reggio Calabria. Return to Hotel in Reggio for dinner and overnight.

**25 Sep.** - Full day dedicated to visit scenic Calabrian villages, including tasting of olive oil, Scilla, Palmi, Tropea and Villetta Mimma Vittoria in Gioia Tauro. Return to Hotel in Reggio for dinner /birthday bash hosted by micheal CASTALDO and overnight.

**26 Sep.** - Full day excursion to Taormina for a leisurely day in this beautiful Sicilian town (NO local guide included). Return to hotel in Reggio for dinner and overnight.

**27 Sep.** – This morning take the ferry to Messina for an orientation city tour ending with the viewing of the Astronomical Clock at noon. Lunch on own, and free time for shopping in Messina before returning to your hotel in Reggio for dinner and overnight.

**28 Sep.** - Morning visit to Parco Nazionale Aspromonte and Gerace (no local guide). Afternoon visit a wine producer with wine tasting. Farewell dinner and overnight at Reggio.

**29 Sep.** - Departure transfer from Hotel in Reggio to Reggio Calabria airport for your return flight to JFK (via Rome).

To view many photos of Calabria visit <u>www.VillettaMimmaVittoria.com</u>