



## Santiago, Lakes & Volcanoes (6D/5N)

Santiago – Puerto Varas



**Validity:** All year round

**Beginning:** Santiago Airport (SCL)

**End:** Puerto Montt Airport (PMC)

**Day 01:** Santiago Airport – Transfer in – HD Panoramic City Tour

**Day 02:** Santiago – Transfer out – Puerto Montt Airport – Puerto Varas

**Day 03:** HD City Tour Puerto Montt & Puerto Varas

**Day 04:** HD Frutillar & Puerto Octay with lunch

**Day 05:** HD Osorno Volcano & Saltos de Petrohué with lunch

**Day 06:** Puerto Varas – Puerto Montt – Transfer out

**Included:**

- ✓ Transfer Santiago Airport / Santiago Hotel
- ✓ HD Panoramic City Tour
- ✓ Transfer Santiago Hotel / Santiago Airport
- ✓ Transfer Puerto Montt Airport / Puerto Varas Hotel
- ✓ HD City Tour Puerto Montt & Puerto Varas
- ✓ HD Frutillar & Puerto Octay (lunch included)
- ✓ HD Osorno Volcano & Saltos de Petrohué (lunch included)
- ✓ 01 nights accommodation in Santiago (breakfast included)
- ✓ 04 nights accommodation in Puerto Varas (breakfast included)

**Exclude:**

- ✗ Air Tickets
- ✗ Saltos de Petrohué Tickets
- ✗ Meals and drinks not specified in the program
- ✗ Voluntary tips



### Flights Recommendations:

- Home City / Santiago (SCL) → Arrive to Santiago before 11:00 hrs.

### Day 1 / Aeropuerto – HD Panoramic City Tour

Arrival in Santiago. Reception at the Airport and transfer to the selected hotel. In the afternoon, we will make a city tour through Santiago. The capital of Chile is a vibrant city full of character, with a thriving artistic culture, modern restaurants and lively nightlife. Surrounded by mountains - the mighty Andes to the east and the smaller coastal range to the west - on a clear day, Santiago boasts one of the most incredible urban scenes in the world. Old-world colonial mansions and eclectic neighborhoods seamlessly integrate the skyscrapers of "Sanhattan" into a captivating fusion of tradition and modernity. With world-class skiing, wine routes, biking and trekking right at your doorstep, Santiago is a city full of stimulating possibilities.

Our tour starts from the hotel where the transfer will pick us up. We will start through the main avenue of the city, knowing its history and its surroundings. We will go down to the cobblestone neighborhood of Lastarría, a characteristic sector for its green areas and beautiful houses of the XIX century, now restored and mostly used as cafes, restaurants, bookstores and museums.

Then, we will go to Cerro Santa Lucia here we will have time to walk and take pictures, while our guide tells us some of the most important episodes in the history of Santiago, such as the Mapuche / Spanish confrontation. From its terraces we will have a panoramic view of Santiago, as well as admire relics and constructions from the colonial era, such as Castillo Hidalgo.

We will go to our next stop, on the way we can see emblematic places of the city such as the Plaza de Armas, The Santiago Cathedral and its impressive architecture, in addition to the former national congress. We will arrive at the imposing government house called "La Moneda" and next to it the "Plaza de la Constitución"; We will visit its surroundings and we will know more about its important and interesting history.

Once in our vehicle, the tour will continue with a step through the Central Market, one of the most characteristic gastronomic points of Santiago, and then continue to the upper sector of the capital. On the way we will stop at a lapis lazuli store where we can admire and/or buy beautiful jewelry and unique crafts. Then we will finish the tour at the respective hotel (accommodation included).

### Day 2 / Santiago – Puerto Montt – Puerto Varas

At the agreed time, transfer to the Santiago Airport. Arrival in Puerto Montt. Reception at the Airport and transfer to the selected hotel in Puerto Varas (accommodation included).

### Day 3 / HD City Tour Puerto Montt & Puerto Varas

We will make a City Tour in which we will visit both Puerto Montt and Puerto Varas. Throughout the day, we will pass by its main sights such as markets among which we will find the "Fish & Seafood Market" as well as "Angelmo's Artisanal Market", famous for its copper, wool, wood and lapis lazuli. Moreover, we will visit the natural viewpoints of Phillipi and Calvario mounts from which we will



enjoy a panoramic view on the whole city as well as Llanquihue Lake and Chinguihue and Pelluco resorts. Return to the hotel selected in Puerto Varas (accommodation included).

#### **Day 4 / HD Frutillar & Puerto Octay**

In the morning, we will start our trip to Frutillar, visiting in the first place Llanquihue, famous for its smoked meat and the origin place of Maullín River. It is part of the Colonists old route. Then, we will border Llanquihue Lake and head to Frutillar. This city is a beautiful village with Bavarian reminiscence where its first colonists came from. It became in 1856 as a boarding dock, and then appeared tanneries, mills, breweries etc. We will pass by its lovely old German-style houses, admiring its impeccable gardens and its unique view on Osorno and Puntagüedo Volcano. Passengers will have the option to enter the German Colonial Museum which explains the life of the colonists. On the waterfront, we will observe the Teatro Del Lago where every year, the worldwide famous “Semanas Musicales” take place.

From Frutillar we will go to Puerto Octay, located on the northern shore of Llanquihue Lake. It has a Germany influence and it is the first port of exit of agriculture products to Osorno. We will visit its old streets and its main square to take a beautiful picture in a viewpoint. In Puerto Octay, we will have time to enjoy a delicious lunch (included) in a typical restaurant of this picturesque place. Return to the hotel (accommodation included).

#### **Day 5 / HD Osorno Volcano & Saltos de Petrohué**

We will start our excursion from Puerto Varas, the “Roses City”, to Osorno volcano, bordering Llanquihue lake. We will enjoy a beautiful view on the snowy Osorno and Cabulco volcanoes until we arrive at Ensenada where we will start our ascent. We will reach the Osorno Volcano ski resort, located 1.240 m above the sea level. We will be up there for an hour and we will have the time to enjoy the landscape, take pictures and appreciate a unique view on volcanoes’ summits and its eternal snow glaciers, on Cabulco, Llanquihue Lake and the Pacific Ocean. Passengers will have the option to have a cup of coffee or hot chocolate, or taking the chairlift to reach from 1.450m high on the Primavera resort to 1.750m high in the Glacier resort. From there, we will enjoy a stunning and impressive view on Llanquihue Lake. Return to the selected hotel where we will have lunch (not included).

Before continuing our journey, we will have time for lunch in a restaurant of the area (included). Later, we will go to Petrohué, located in the shore of Todos los Santos Lake, inside Vicente Pérez Rosales National Park. We will take a quiet walk along its trails, surrounded by a green forest, the majestic Osorno volcano and the turquoise Petrohué river. Paying a ticket, we will appreciate one of the most beautiful places of the region, the Saltos de Petrohué, where the Petrohué River is jumping over crystallized lava huge rocks, immune during centuries from erosion and shaped by smaller stones joined by a vitreous material, highlighting the view: must-see place. Return to the selected hotel (accommodation included).

#### **Day 6 / Puerto Varas – Out**

At the agreed time, transfer to the Puerto Montt Airport.

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