

## NORWAY UN-TOUCHED

9 nights/ 10 days  
*FISHING EXPERIENCE*



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A delightful way to enjoy both a marvelous fishing experience combined with the scenic splendor of Norway. Start in Oslo, the capital of Norway and travel north to Geilo. From here your journey will continue on the famous Flåm railway, through the Sognefjord and down the spectacular Stalheimskleiva until you reach Voss. Enjoy fishing in Geilo and Voss with your own private, local fishing guide. Your itinerary will end in Oslo. This itinerary will offer you, scenic beauty, fishing activities and you will experience the fjords, mountains and Norway un-touched.

### **Day 01: Arrival in Oslo**

Welcome to Oslo, the biggest city in Norway, and its capital. Oslo has been Norway's capital from more than 700 years. The history of Oslo, dates back to the middle ages, and the first constructions dates back to the year 1000. Oslo is located at the end of the Oslo fjord, and the city is surrounded by forest. In 2007, Oslo was classified by 'readers digest' as the worlds' second best city for appreciation of nature and respect of the environment.  
Accommodation at Rica Oslo hotel

**Day 02: Oslo – Geilo (train)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Today you leave Oslo by train to the mountain village of Geilo. The 4 hour journey from Oslo to Geilo is part of the Oslo – Bergen Railway, classed as one of the finest train journeys in the world. Arrival in Geilo and the rest of your day is yours at leisure. Overnight at the Bardøla Hotel

**Day 03: Experience fishing in and around Geilo**

Breakfast at the hotel, and meet your local guide. Pick up at 08h00 – at Bardøla Høyfjellshotell, and private transfer by car to Geiteryggen or Holsåsen (weather conditions depending). The best fishing is during the morning and afternoon hours. Lunch is served at the location; you may enjoy a local menu from Hallingdal. Snacks and non-alcoholic drinks served during the day. Guiding and all necessary equipment is supplied. Your fishing day will end at approximately 18h00, return to the hotel and the rest of the evening at leisure. Overnight at the Bradøla Hotel

**Day 04: Experience fishing in and around Geilo**

Breakfast at the hotel, and meet your local guide. Pick up at 08h00 – at Bardøla Høyfjellshotell, and private car transfer to Hardangervidda National Park. Four different mountain lakes are within range. Lunch is served at the location you may enjoy a local menu from Hallingdal. Snacks and non-alcoholic drinks served during the day. Guiding and all necessary equipment is supplied. Your fishing day will end at approximately 18h00, return to the hotel and the rest of the evening at leisure. Overnight at the Bradøla Hotel

**Day 05: Geilo – Myrdal – Flåm (train/boat) - Voss**

Breakfast at the hotel, and today your journey will take you from Geilo to Voss. Breakfast at the hotel. Departure by train from Geilo to Myrdal, where you will change to the Flåm Railway. The Flåm Railway passes through wild and beautiful mountain scenery with waterfalls and steep mountain sides from a height of 900 metres and down to the Sognefjord. There is no other adhesion railway in the world running on normal tracks that is so steep over a long distance. From Flåm you continue by boat on the Nærøyfjord to Gudvangen. The Nærøyfjord is the narrowest fjord channel in Europe, and has recently been added to UNESCO's World Heritage List. From Gudvangen the journey continues by bus through Nærøyfjord Valley and up the Stalheimskleiva, with its 13 steep hairpin bends to Voss (Stalheimskleiva is only open during the summer). Overnight at the Hotel Jarl

**Day 06: Experience fishing in and around Voss**

Breakfast at the hotel. Your local guide will meet you at the hotel and explain the day's itinerary to you. Today's tour brings you to some of the best rivers and lakes in the area. Be prepared for some walking, up to 1,5 hours each way to reach the highest lake. A professional guide gives you the best advices on fishing and will prepare a good meal during the break. Overnight at the Hotel Jarl

**Day 07: Rafting adventure**

Breakfast at the hotel. Today it is time for some adrenalin rush. In the morning proceed to Voss Rafting centre, where you will be briefed and geared up for today's itinerary. A bus will transfer you to the river. Here safety instructions will be given before you board your raft. After some

training, the rafting heads down through easy rapids as a warm up. You are then ready for the rapids of the main section!

Start by a short de-tour around the 11 meter 'Money Drop' Waterfall before the last section starts. Here you will have a short break with coffee, tea and biscuits.

After the break it is time for action! The guides will get you ready for a wild ride, going over a few important commands and informing you of the rapids to come. You then run the river and rapids in a routine to maximize fun and action with no compromise on safety, eventually drifting down to the finishing point.

After being on the river for approx. 2 hours, you return to the rafting centre for hot showers, after For the perfect finish to the trip you should really book a session in the Hot-tubs and sauna! (Prices on request)

After the tour a hot meal is served.

Overnight at the Hotel Jarl

**Day 09: Experience fishing in and around Voss**

Breakfast at the hotel. In the morning your local guide will meet you at the hotel and explain the day's itinerary to you. You continue on a 3-4 hours fishing tour in a close by river or lake, depending on the weather, season and of course your own preferences. After a good catch you return back to your hotel and spend the afternoon at leisure

Overnight at the Rica Oslo Hotel

**Day 09: Voss - Oslo**

Breakfast at the hotel. Today you will proceed on board of the Bergen railways back to Oslo, the capital of Norway. Depending on your trail schedule you will have some time at leisure to enjoy the city. Why not spend the evening in one of the many fish restaurant at Aker Brygge? We will be happy to give you recommendations.

**Day 10: Departure day**

Enjoy breakfast at the hotel, and departure from Oslo according to your arrangements.

**- End of services-**

**Services:**

9 nights accommodation based on bed and breakfast basis

Train/boat services as specified

Lunches as specified

Fishing services: 4 days fishing as detailed in the above itinerary, to include a local fishing guide, fishing license and all necessary fishing equipment.

Rafting trip in Voss, incl. warm meal

Single supplement available on request - should you wish to rent a fishing boat, we can offer this to you – please let us know and we will be very happy to assist.

The price is valid from 01.05. – 30.09.2012