



A serene morning view of the 18th-century Church of the Abbey of Saint Agatha in Catania, Sicily. The statue depicts Saint James the Confessor.



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The hushed golden tones of sunrise gently wash over the Tuscan countryside.



MLy home country of Italy is a land of a thousand facets, offering unique landscapes, flavors and wonders. All you need to do to partake in this beauty is to open your eyes, your mind and your heart—and let yourself be carried away by your emotions.

Left: As the birthplace of the Renaissance, Florence is filled with sights so beautiful they will leave you speechless. At the center of the historic district is the Florence Cathedral, often simply called the Duomo.

Right: Alberobello, Puglia, is noted for its nearly 1,500 trulli, or traditional limestone buildings with cone-shaped roofs, some dating to as early as the mid-14th century.





Above: The fishing village of Vernazza is one of five towns that compose Cinque Terre, recognized as both a national park and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Left: The rustic hiker's refuge dedicated to 19th-century landscape artist Giovanni Segantini sits against the backdrop of the Pale di San Martino, the biggest mountain group of the Dolomites.

Right: Built on the waters of a lagoon in the Adriatic Sea, Venice comprises some 119 small islands connected by 150 canals and more than 400 bridges.

