



The do everything vacation Blog:

Creating a trip: Entering a new era

We are passing into a new era. Others and I got together and created a trip. We went to many travel shows. For almost four years we have worked on this trip. I think I understand the places we will travel. Since the beginning I have experienced how to purchase flights and rooms. It's been educational. This new era is all about planning using the work we have done.

In May of 2020 we can buy flights and rooms. There will be museum tickets and tour busses. A group of 10 or so will find a way to be in Rome at the same time. How they get there and leave will be different. It's almost time to have a meeting. To see what others are thinking. I would hope to get everyone together for one day minimum in Rome for a jumping picture at the coliseum. Can we pull this off?

Yet, in others travels I have gained ideas. We need to gather our experiences together to make this trip as perfect as possible. What to bring? What to wear? Are there dangerous places? Are their accommodations that fit us all? These are good questions. In days gone by we thought about the trip mildly. Now, we need to bring it all together. What is the vision for Rome? How about the cruise? Are there common sites to see?

I am unclear on flights. There will be discussions on places like Venice and Florence that are not actually on the trip. Yet, they might be good ideas. What about the surrounding area like Sicily? There is so much to plan. We will be mostly 55 years old. Will many of us ever come back to this side of the world? I did a ton in Egypt. I will most likely never return there. What does that say for Italy or Greece? That is why I say we need to do as much as we can. Things like cancer and economies can change our lives. Let's do up this trip right. Think about it: a year and a half to go.