

Depart Heathrow 09:50 5th July; Flight SK502

#### DAY 1

#### COPENHAGEN

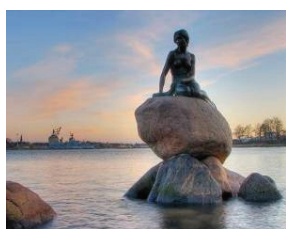


Arrival in Copenhagen, take an express train or a shuttle bus to city centre. In the early evening your tour escort will arrange a **get-together** to give information about the tour and give you a chance to meet your fellow travellers. Overnight in Copenhagen.

First class hotel – **Scandic Hotel Copenhagen**.

#### DAY 2

#### COPENHAGEN



**Copenhagen** is Scandinavia's largest and most lively city and one of Europe's most romantic capitals with its old castles and churches and charming squares and harbours. The **MORNING SIGHTSEEING TOUR** will acquaint you with all the city's treasures: the Little Mermaid guarding the port, the Royal Castle, Nyhavn with its restaurants and small boats and the City Hall Square.

The **afternoon is free** for individual visits, perhaps to the Tivoli amusement park or an optional tour to Roskilde.

First hotel – **Scandic Hotel Copenhagen**.

#### DAY 3

#### COPENHAGEN – OSLO



Buffet breakfast. **Morning free in Copenhagen**. Your tour escort will be happy to advise you about places of interest to visit - we can suggest an optional tour to the three castles in North Sealand, including the Kronborg Castle of Hamlet. Afternoon transfer by coach from hotel to DFDS Seaways terminal for your **overnight cruise to Oslo, departing at 17.00**. Enjoy your first **Scandinavian smörgåsbord dinner** as you cruise up the Kattegat. **Accommodation in 2-berth inside cabins with shower/WC**. We strongly recommend bringing an overnight bag for this cruise, to avoid having to carry your suitcases to and from the cabin.

#### DAY 4

#### OSLO



Buffet breakfast onboard. Enjoy a delicious buffet breakfast as you cruise along the enchanting Oslo Fjord. **Arrival in Oslo around 09.30**, followed by **3 hours guided tour of the Norwegian capital**. You will visit the impressive **Vigeland Sculpture Park**. Evening free.

Superior tourist class hotel - **Thon Hotel Stefan**.

#### DAY 5

#### OSLO – BERGEN



Today you enter the area of the forests and rivers of Norway, following the **Hallingdal Valley**, known for its folkloric tradition, and continue to **Geilo**, a winter resort, refreshing also in the summer. You cross the **Mountain plateau of Hardanger** and on the descent towards the Fjord you pass the famous Waterfall of Vöringsfossen. You cross the **Hardangerfjord by ferry** and continue along its shores to Bergen, the Gateway of the Fjords.

Superior tourist class hotel – **Thon Hotel Brygge**.

**DAY 6****BERGEN**

Situated on a peninsula surrounded by 7 mountains the history of **Bergen** is closely connected with the sea and this is very noticeable in the city, especially at the city's picturesque waterfront. The **MORNING SIGHTSEEING TOUR** will introduce you to this remarkable Hanseatic city with the **Bryggen area** of old wooden houses, the **traditional Fish Market** and **the city centre** with the **Maria Church**. The **afternoon is free** to explore more of Bergen individually.

Superior tourist class hotel – **Thon Hotel Brygge**.

**DAY 7****SOGNEFJORD - HONEFOSS**

Buffet breakfast. Today you will enjoy travelling through the fjord area with fantastic **views from Stalheim** as well as a **2 hrs cruise of the Sognefjord**, the largest fjord in Norway. After the cruise, we leave the majestic Norwegian fjords behind us and travel towards **Honefoss** where you stay the night.

Dinner and overnight at **Comfort Hotel Ringerike**.

**DAY 8****HONEFOSS - STOCKHOLM**

Buffet breakfast. Today we head for Stockholm, passing through Norwegian Honefoss - Stockholm landscapes. We cross the border and enter the **county of Varmland** in Sweden. Throughout the balance of the day we drive through typical Scandinavian scenery with thick forests which will evoke the atmosphere of the fairy-tales of Trolls and mystery. You will also see lakes and other agricultural areas as you approach Stockholm and arrive in the evening.

Overnight in Stockholm at the **First Hotel Amaranten**.

**DAY 9****STOCKHOLM**

Buffet breakfast. Today you will enjoy a **panoramic city tour**. Stockholm - the beauty on the water – is undoubtedly one of the most beautiful capitals in the world. This beautiful capital, built on 14 islands with bridges and viewpoints giving an enchanting feeling of space and light. You will walk around the charming Old Town with its narrow cobbled streets, passing The Royal Palace as well as the Great Church, where the present King and Queen were married in 1976. The afternoon is free for individual visits.

Superior tourist class hotel – **First Hotel Amaranten**.

**DAY 10****STOCKHOLM**

The **day is free** for other excursions or visits to the City Hall, the Wasa Museum or a tour to Uppsala and Sigtuna.

Superior tourist class hotel – **First Hotel Amaranten**.

**DAY 11****DEPARTURE FROM STOCKHOLM**

The **morning is free** to explore more of Stockholm individually before catching Arlanda Express to Stockholm, Arlanda Airport.

Arrive Heathrow 15th July 17:50; Flight SK1523