



Who Goes There?

Following in the Footsteps of the Doctor

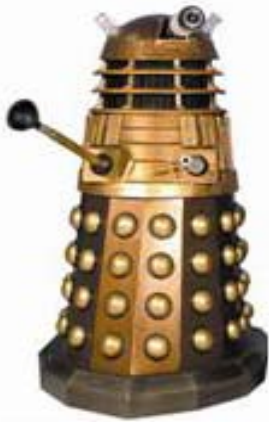
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November 1963 saw the first broadcast of a groundbreaking new science fiction series. For those who grew up with Doctor Who, or discovered the Doctor in later years, there is simply no substitute. With its unique blend of imagination and wit, Doctor Who captured the style and erudition that has made British Television one of Great Britain's most important and beloved exports. This year, (after a shorter hiatus than the show!) we are happy to be back with our 22nd **Who Goes There?** journey - but who's counting?

We'll begin and end the trip in London and meet up with old friends from the show, pop in to see Alex at the Who Shop, and perhaps make some new friends. While the final list of those who will come and meet us is still being compiled, previous **Who Goes There?** tours have met Colin Baker, Sylvester McCoy, Tom Baker, Sophie Aldred, Nicola Bryant, Nick Courtenay, Caroline John, Elisabeth Sladen, Katy Manning, David Banks, and a host of others.

A further highlight this year will be a visit to the acclaimed Dr. Who Experience at the London Olympia Exhibition Hall.

But London is not all we have to offer. We'll take a side trip to Sorrento, set on the beautiful Bay of Naples. We'll explore the nearby ruins of ancient Pompeii, buried and preserved under lava from the eruption in 49 AD - with the Doctor in attendance, of course.



I Hope We Don't Meet Him!

Why not join us and see for yourself who turns up to greet us for **Who Goes There?** While you hardly need to be a *Doctor Who* fan to enjoy this exciting adventure, for those who've been accompanying the Doctor to exotic worlds, **Who Goes There?** promises to be an especially unique trip of a lifetime!



Mt Vesuvius Looms over Pompeii

The cost of this itinerary, per person, double occupancy is:

Land only (no airfare included): **\$2990**
Single supplement: **\$490**

*Airfares are available from many U.S. departure cities.
Please call for details.*

The following services are included:

- Hotels:** 7 nights accommodation in good hotels.
All hotel taxes and service charges included.
- Coaching:** All ground transportation as detailed in the itinerary.
- Meals:** Breakfast daily, 2 dinners.
- Guides:** Discover Europe tour director throughout.
- Tickets:** Round trip airfare from London to Naples inc taxes
- Entrances:** Entrance fees to all sites included in the itinerary, including the Dr Who Experience at the London Olympia.
- Insurance:** Complete travel insurance including cancellation coverage.
- Events:** Meetings with Dr. Who celebrities.





Friday, October 21. Evening departure from your international gateway airport to London.

Saturday, October 22. Upon arrival, you will be met at the airport and escorted to your centrally located hotel. After time to unpack and relax, we'll have an orientation that introduces the intricacies of British life — from where to change money to how to use the Underground. In the afternoon you'll have time to explore the city, visit the British Museum, or join us for a walk to the nearby Forbidden Planet. This evening we'll kick off the trip with a bang as we gather for drinks before dinner with our celebrity guests and sit down to a sumptuous feast while they regale us with stories. **(D) Overnight: London**

Sunday, October 23. The day begins with a sightseeing tour of London designed to give newcomers an overview and reacquaint returning travelers with the city's many charms. We'll start in Westminster where our guide introduces us to 1,000 years of English history; then continue on

to view major sights from the Albert Memorial to St. Paul's Cathedral to Trafalgar Square, touring the city from Chelsea to Bloomsbury. The rest of the afternoon is free—visit the Tower of London and see the Crown Jewels, or take a stroll through the Tate Modern. In the evening, sample one of London's superb restaurants or sip a quiet pint in a neighborhood pub with some of the stars from the show. **(B) Overnight: London**

Monday, October 24. A free morning in London with time to grab some lunch before we head to Stansted Airport for the flight to Naples. On arrival we'll transfer to our hotel in the beautiful resort town of Sorrento where we'll have a late supper. **(B, D) Overnight: Sorrento**



Sorrento

Tuesday, October 25. Today we take a tour around the Bay of Naples to explore the area of the Phlegrean Fields, a volcanic area of hot springs and the site of the original Cave of the Sybil of Cumae. Cumae was one of the oldest Greek colonies in Italy, and figured prominently in Virgil's *Aeneid*, as well as a notable Dr Who series. On the way back we'll visit Pozzuoli with the third largest amphitheatre in Italy, and maybe do a little exploring in Naples, time permitting. We'll be back in Sorrento to enjoy a free evening. **(B) Overnight: Sorrento**

Wednesday, October 26. Pompeii. This morning a local guide meets us at Pompeii for a guided tour of this ancient Roman city, preserved in ash forever in 79 AD by the still active volcano of Mount Vesuvius. We will walk the ancient streets to the Temples of Apollo and Jupiter, the Stabian Baths, Villa of the Mysteries, and much more, as our guide describes the town, decorative features of its buildings and daily life, including amusing graffiti, of this once prosperous Roman colony. In the afternoon, we return to Sorrento to enjoy a free afternoon and evening in the town. **(B) Overnight: Sorrento**

Thursday, October 27. Our morning return flight from Naples to Stansted will be met for the transfer back into the center of London. The afternoon is free for shopping along Oxford Street, exploring the British Museum or the London Dungeon, searching out Bloomsbury bookstores, or pursuing any



The Tardis

of the myriad other delights that this lively city has to offer. Your Discover Europe tour guide will be on hand (or at least in the pub next door) to offer advice, directions, and assistance.. **(B) Overnight: London**

Friday, October 28. Today we spend a full day at the Dr Who Experience. As well as an exhibition charting the success of the show from 1963 to the present, there is a walk-through experience of a fully-contained Doctor Who adventure which puts you in the heart of the action. You'll be free to spend as much time at the show as you like before we meet up again in the evening for our final farewell dinner party. Indian food anyone? **(B) Overnight: London**

Saturday, October 29. Morning transfers to the airport for return flights to the USA. **(B)**



I think he's in that Police Box....