

## Christmas Markets in Historic Train

12<sup>th</sup> December 2026

€ 115,00

### Program

7:30 departure from L'Aquila (Meridiana square)

9:30 arrival in **Sulmona** and departure of the historic train with musicians and guides on board. A scenic route that passes the ancient village of Pettorano sul Gizio and enters the territory of the **Maiella National Park**, winding through forests and tunnels before climbing to an altitude of nearly 1,300 metres. The train then travels along a spectacular, fully open stretch of railway to Roccaraso, where it meets the other historic train of the day in a unique and evocative encounter, as it arrives from Castel di Sangro. From there, the long, breathtaking descent begins into the heart of Mount Arazzecca, following the banks of the Sangro River

11:10 arrival at **Roccaraso** railway station. In the town centre, along Via Roma and Piazza Leone, visitors can explore market stalls offering local specialities, chocolate, sweets, mulled wine, handicrafts and handmade products from the surrounding areas. Free time for lunch at one of the restaurants in town

14:20 departure of the train to continue the journey across the high plateaus

15:00 arrival in **Campo di Giove**, at an altitude of over 1,000 metres, followed by a stroll through the Christmas markets in Piazza Duval. The traditional wooden chalets offer handcrafted goods, woodwork, textiles and handmade creations. Visitors can also explore the food stalls serving hot dishes, polenta, soups, sweets and drinks, as well as local specialities from the Maiella area, including herbal infusions, liqueurs and dairy products. The village streets come alive with festive Christmas lights and roving musical performances, creating a magical Christmas atmosphere

17:20 departure of the historic train for the return journey

18:00 departure for L'Aquila

20:00 expected return time



**Rate: € 115,00 per person (min. 25 pax)**

#### The rate includes:

- Transfers in bus GT
- Round-trip train ticket from Sulmona with musicians and guides on board
- Tour leader

#### The rate does not include:

- Reserved seat on bus: € 5,00
- Extra cost, tips, supplements and all the other items not mentioned in "the rate includes"

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