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SWITZERLAND

CHRISTMAS MARKETS ZURICH & LUCERNE (TOUR CODE: 16692)

STARTS AND ENDS	TRAVEL PERIODS	EXPERIENCE	TRAVEL STYLE
Zurich to Lucerne	November - December	Winter City Stays	Independent Holiday Packages

Celebrate Swiss Christmas magic from Zurich to Lucerne, with enchanting markets, alpine scenery, festive flavours, and a Mount Rigi fondue experience in a winter wonderland.

Highlights

- **Seamless Swiss rail journeys** – Travel effortlessly between Zurich, Lucerne and the Alps, with scenic routes adding to the festive experience
- **Europe's largest indoor Christmas market** – Step into **Zurich Main Station**, transformed into a dazzling festive wonderland filled with lights, stalls and seasonal cheer
- **Alpine winter magic** – Ride to Mount Rigi and **enjoy a traditional Swiss fondue** in a breathtaking snowy setting
- **Festive Lucerne evenings** – Wander charming Christmas markets glowing with lights, music and seasonal treats

Entire Bonus

Peace of Mind, Every Step of the Way

This holiday package is carefully designed by our team to give you complete Peace of Mind, with access to trusted local partners and expert support at your destination.

Leading Industry-Accredited Switzerland Specialist

Swiss Travel is a leading, industry-accredited Switzerland specialist, combining genuine destination expertise with the strength and stability of an established travel group – so you can book with total confidence.

Celebrate the festive season in Switzerland on this enchanting five-day journey from Zurich to Lucerne. Discover some of Europe's most magical Christmas markets, filled with twinkling lights, handcrafted treasures and seasonal flavours. Wander through storybook Old Towns, soak up the joyful atmosphere, and experience the beauty of the Swiss winter landscape.

Enjoy unforgettable alpine moments, including a scenic journey to Mount Rigi, a charming horse-drawn carriage ride, and a traditional Swiss fondue experience — the perfect blend of festive spirit, culture and alpine elegance.

INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights in a Zurich Hotel - ★★★★
- 2 nights in a Lucerne Hotel - ★★★★
- Rail ticket in 2nd class
- Zurich Card 72 hours (2nd class only)
- Lucerne Guest Card – free local public transport and discounts for city attractions.
- Daily Breakfast
- Excursion Mount Rigi
- Horse carriage ride & fondue on mount Rigi
- Free entry to Christmas markets in Zurich and Lucerne
- 50% discount on additional travel by rail, bus and boat and some mountain excursions outside of the Lucerne region

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Day 1 Zurich

Individual arrival in Zurich. During Advent, the city sparkles with festive lights and the scent of mulled wine fills the air. Stroll through the Old Town and visit one of the largest indoor Christmas markets in Europe at Zurich Main Station.

Overnight stay in a **Zurich hotel - ★★★★**



Day 2 Zurich

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Breakfast at the hotel.

Enjoy Zurich's many Christmas markets, each with its own charm. Visit the *Christkindlimarkt* at the main railway station, one of **Europe's largest indoor Christmas markets**; the romantic market in Niederdorf, the city's oldest; or the main market at Sechseläutenplatz by the Opera House.

Nearby, at Rosenhof Square, children can enjoy free skating on a small ice rink, with skates available to hire for a small fee (payable on site).

Overnight stay in a **Zurich hotel - ★★★★**

Breakfast



Day 3 Zurich Lucerne

Breakfast at the hotel.

Travel by train to Lucerne, the gateway to Central Switzerland. Enjoy the festive atmosphere at the Christmas market and the scent of gingerbread and fondue along the lakeside promenade.

Overnight stay in a **Lucerne hotel - ★★★★**

Breakfast



Day 4 Lucerne Mt Rigi Lucerne

Breakfast at the hotel.

Travel by **cogwheel railway to Rigi Kaltbad** and enjoy a horse-drawn carriage ride to Rigi First, followed by a **traditional Swiss cheese fondue.**

Return to Lucerne in the afternoon and take time to explore the city's charming Christmas markets. Wander through festively decorated squares, browse handcrafted gifts and seasonal treats, and soak up the warm atmosphere along the lakeside and in the Old Town.

Overnight stay in a **Lucerne hotel - ★★★★**

Breakfast


VIEW FROM MT RIGI

Day 5

Lucerne

Breakfast at the hotel.

Individual return journey to your ending point in Switzerland.

Breakfast

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
French, Swiss - German, Italian, Romansh	SWISS FRANC

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