

Fascinating Cities Of The World

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EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

1. New York - USA

Intersection of creativity and commerce, New York City is more than ever the symbol of America. Millions of urban dwellers have their roots here while thousands of others come from around the world to seek a better life and realize their dreams. Immigrants and visitors, dreamers and seekers, all come knocking on the door of this amazing city.

2. Paris - France

The capital of the arts, the City of Light, universally recognized as one of the world's most beautiful cities, Paris possesses an enormous cultural wealth which it owes to its extraordinary history as the capital city of France.

3. London - UK

London is steeped in over 2,000 years of history and many of the capital's longest-standing traditions are still very much alive. Head to her palaces, courtyards and castles for ceremonies embedded in history. A number of annual parades regularly adorn the capital's most ancient sites, from Trooping the Colour to the State Opening of Parliament.

4. Venice - Italy

Venice rises on an archipelago of small islands separated from each other by important networks of canals that have undergone such transformations throughout the centuries as to alter the ancient configuration of the city. With its magnificent palaces, religious monuments, splendor and refinement, Venice is an invaluable symbol of the perfect synthesis between man and nature.

5. Buenos Aires - Argentina

Buenos Aires, an energetic, fascinating and seductive port city, stretches south-to-north along the Rio de la Plata, and since its founding has served as the gateway to Argentina. Portenos, as the multinational people of Buenos Aires are known, possess a varied cultural identity. With Italian and German surnames outnumbering Spanish ones, Portenos value their European heritage

highly, and the lifestyle and architecture of Buenos Aires are markedly more European than in any other South American city.

6. San Francisco - USA

With its shimmering vistas of fog, sun, and cityscape, San Francisco Bay is famous worldwide--yet in some ways, it remains very little known. The bay, together with its inland delta, is one of the largest estuaries in the Americas. It is a crucial bird habitat, a vital fishery, a major shipping center, a precious source of water, a playground for the cities that line it, and a natural treasure.

7. Barcelona - Spain

Barcelona's history, tradition, and cultural influences make it an unequivocally Mediterranean city. The capital of Catalonia, the second biggest city in Spain after Madrid, Barcelona is a festive city that will carry you away with its colors, gaiety, cosmopolitan way of life, mild climate, proximity to the sea, architecture, and at night, its caliente movida. It has something to offer everyone, big and small, from entertainment and culture, to good food.

8. St-Petersburg - Russia

One of the world's most beautiful cities, St. Petersburg has all the ingredients for an unforgettable travel experience: masterpieces of art, magnificent architecture, an extraordinary history and rich cultural traditions that have inspired and nurtured some of the modern world's greatest names in literature, music, and the visual arts.

9. Los Angeles - USA

California is one of those names that instantly brings to mind a variety of well-known images: of sun, ocean, and the glamour of the movie industry. Yet it is also one of America's most diverse and captivating states, and no Californian city embodies the feeling that this is the land of endless possibilities better than Los Angeles.

10. Rome - Italy

Of all Italy's historic cities, it's perhaps Rome which exerts the most compelling fascination. The Historic Center of the city is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. With wonderful palaces, milleniumold churches and basilicas, grand romantic ruins, opulent monuments, ornate statues and graceful fountains, Rome has an immensely rich historical heritage and cosmopolitan atmosphere, making it one of Europe and the world's most visited, famous, influential and beautiful capitals.

11. Las Vegas - USA

Las Vegas is without a doubt the entertainment capital of the world. With more fun available than you probably have time for, this glittering city attracts millions of visitors every year. Las Vegas has an incredible selection of things to do, and offers non-stop entertainment 24 hours a day. The city offers world-class shows, impressive hotel complexes, and a variety of amazing attractions. Most of the action is to be found on Las Vegas Boulevard, also referred to as 'The Strip'

12. Verona & Lake Garda - Italy

The city of Verona offers unique opportunities to walk through the pages of the history of art and architecture. Lake Garda, just a few kilometers from the city of Verona, is the largest of the Italian lakes. With its incomparable colors, Lake Garda offers splendid natural scenery surrounded by the Dolomites of the Brenta to the north and the gentle slopes of the morainic hills to the south.

13. Vienna - Austria

Vienna is the largest city in Austria and serves as the country's political, cultural, and economic center. Its long centuries of political dominance led to the construction of the many magnificent historical monuments that grace its streets and squares to this day.

14. Lisbon - Portugal

Situated on the north banks of the River Tagus, the charm of Lisbon exists in its strong links to the past. Its renovated palaces, magnificent churches and an impressive castle mirror the city's rich cultural heritage. Its eclectic blend of neighborhoods, culture and architecture distinguish this capital city uniquely from the other European capitals and make it a truly fascinating and comprehensive city to visit.

15. Florence - Italy

Florence is the capital city of the Italian region of Tuscany and attracts millions of tourists each year. It is noted for its culture, Renaissance art and architecture and monuments. The city also contains numerous museums and art galleries. One of Florence landmarks is certainly Piazza della Signoria, that holds all city's glorious symbols.

16. Istanbul - Turkey

With its spectacular location spanning several important bodies of water, Istanbul has been settled by humans since before recorded history. Bridging and connecting two continents, Europe and Asia, Istanbul is an urban center where various cultures and religions have combined, survived and succeeded each other over the centuries. Istanbul today epitomizes the definition of a great city.

17. Berlin - Germany

Compared to other European cities, Berlin, less than 800 years old, is considered a young city, yet without a doubt its fairly short history makes it unique. The city of Berlin offers an impressive and fascinating history as well as breathtaking modern sculptures. Berlin is also one of the greenest capital cities in Europe.

Madrid, the capital of Spain, is located in the heart of the Iberian peninsula and in the center of the Castillian plain. A splendid and monumental city, Madrid today is a combination of modern infrastructure and historic squares, churches, city gates and palaces.

19. Naples, Capri, Ischia - Italy

Naples is a city of great antiquity with a historical trajectory that has seen it exposed to a very wide range of cultural influences, all of which have left their traces in the city's urban fabric and its architecture. Its street pattern and wealth of historic buildings from many periods have had a profound influence on many parts of Europe and beyond.

20. Prague - Czech Republic

Prague is a fairy-tale town of magical beauty sitting at the very hearth of Europe, a place that has been an intersection of continental merchant routes since time immemorial. Centuries of construction gave rise to an exceptional integrated architectural complex, unique in the world as regards its size and concentration of cultural heritage. Different architectural styles mingle and intertwine here, and their symbiosis creates the city's unique atmosphere.

21. Amsterdam - The Netherlands

Amsterdam has got to be one of the most talked about cities in the World but until visitors actually visit it for themselves it is hard to imagine it. Many people fall in love with it's easy relaxed attitude to life and return time and time again because as well as being one of the world's top tourist destinations Amsterdam is known to be an area that lives by the 'live and let live' motto.