

Permanent Mission of Italy OSCE

CALENDAR 2022

Traveling through Italy accompanied by Latin wisdom

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About the Calendar

With this calendar I like to share quotes, interests, places that are dear to me. Year after year it has become a tradition that I always try to honour.

This year I wanted to continue the project started in 2021 to reveal some lesser known places in my home country, Italy. This time I concentrated on the so called "borghi", which are quaint little villages with an interesting history and architecture, where time seems to have stopped. There are plenty of them all over Italy.

The calendar has always been appreciated by those who have received it in the past: this is great motivation for me to try to find new interesting quotations (and images) that will accompany you throughout the year.

The quotations that I chose this time all refer to Latin wisdom. There is so much we can learn from our past!

For many years, I have created this calendar with my friend Eduardo Gelbstein. He left us on July 19, 2015. I will forever thank him for the great long lasting inspiration he gave me during our long and fruitful friendship. Forever thank you, Ed!

Stefano Baldi

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September - Montepulciano - https://p0.pikist.com/photos/710/993/montepulciano-toscana-italy-city-landscape-architecture-building-mediterranean-panorama.jpg

October - Orvieto - https://pixabay.com/it/photos/orvieto-città-medievale-umbria-2078656/

November - Tropea - https://pixabay.com/it/photos/tropea-calabria-italia-monumento-2035918/

December - San Leo - https://pixabay.com/it/photos/san-leo-rocca-castello-cagliostro-6236281/

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A life without purpose is an aimless one

Vita sine proposito vaga est

Lucius Annaeus Seneca

Alberobello is a small town of the Metropolitan City of Bari, Apulia (southern Italy) famous for its unique trullo buildings. UNESCO World Heritage site since 1996.

January 2022

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February 2022

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When you see a friend, you forget your sorrows

Amieum cum vides obliviscere miserias

Appius Claudius Caecus

Sorano is an ancient medieval hill town in the province of Grosseto (Tuscany) hanging from a tuff stone over the Lente River.

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Art is long, life is short

Ars longa, vita brevis

Latin translation of Hippocrates' Aphorismi

Cefalù is located near Palermo (Sicily) and is one of the major tourist attractions in the region.

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Every man is the artisan of his own fortune

Faber est suae quisque fortunae

Appius Claudius Caecus

Castelsardo is a town in the Province of Sassari in the northwest of Sardinia.

June 2022

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It is easy to do harm, difficult to do good

Latin Proverb

Nocere facile est, prodesse difficile

Orvieto is a town in the Province of Terni (Umbria) situated on the flat summit of a large butte of volcanic tuff.

October 2022

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We learn by teaching

Docendo discimus

Lucius Annaeus Seneca

Tropea is a town in the province of Vibo Valentia (Calabria), a seaside resort with sandy beaches, located on the Gulf of Saint Euphemia, part of the Tyrrhenian Sea.

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I shall either find a way or make one

Aut inveniam viam aut faciam

Latin Proverb



San Leo - Rocca Castello is a town in the Province of Rimini (Emilia-Romagna). San Leo is home to a large fortress at an elevation of 600 metres (2,000 ft) above sea level.

December 2022

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About the Authors of the Quotes

Lucius Annaeus Seneca was a Roman Stoic philosopher, statesman, and dramatist

Marcus Valerius Martialis was a Roman poet from Hispania (modern Spain)

Appius Claudius Caecus was a statesman of the Roman Republic

Hippocrates was a Greek physician of the Age of Pericles (Classical Greece), who is considered one of the most outstanding figures in the history of medicine

Publius Cornelius Tacitus was a Roman historian and politician.

Marcus Tullius Cicero was a Roman statesman, lawyer, scholar and philosopher

