

Hey Alex,

I hope you're doing great! I couldn't wait any longer to tell you about my holiday adventure plans-I'm so excited! I've finally booked a trip that I've been dreaming about for ages, and I just had to share all the details with you.

I'll be heading off on July 10th for two whole weeks, exploring Italy and Switzerland! The plan is to start in Rome, soak up all that ancient history (Colosseum, gelato near the Trevi Fountain, you name it), and then head north through Florence and Milan. I can already picture myself wandering through art galleries, trying authentic pasta, and just getting lost in those magical little streets.

After Italy, it's off to Switzerland! I'm joining a hiking group in Interlaken, which promises breathtaking mountain trails and maybe even a swim in Lake Brienz if I'm feeling brave! I'm also planning a day trip to Lucerne to see those gorgeous wooden bridges and try some proper Swiss chocolate. And who knows, maybe I'll finally get a decent selfie with the Alps in the background without freezing my ears off, haha!

The thing I'm most looking forward to is all the cultural experiences-from bustling city life in Rome to peaceful mountain villages in Switzerland. I can't wait to meet new people, try new foods, and pick up a few random phrases in Italian and German. I'm hoping to come back with a camera full of memories and lots of funny stories to share.

If you have any recommendations (especially for hidden gem places to eat or quirky things to do), send them my way! And if you want to join for a part of the trip, there's always room-just say the word!

Can't wait to catch up before I go. Let's grab coffee soon!

Take care,
Jamie