Explore the Emperor’s Palace

This atmospheric walk will take you right into the heart of Diocletian’s Palace, where Roman monuments sit side-by-side with some of the city’s coolest bars.

**Start** Grgur Ninski statue  
**Distance** 500m  
**Duration** One hour

1. Begin outside Diocletian’s Palace at the imposing statue of Grgur Ninski; rub his toe for good luck.

2. Take the stairs down to the grand Golden Gate, the main processional entrance into the palace.

3. Walk along Dioklecijanova to the peristil, the ceremonial court at the approach to the imperial apartments.

4. Behind this is Diocletian’s magnificent mausoleum, now the Cathedral of St Domnus.

5. Take the stairs up into the well-preserved vestibule, a domed room, open to the sky, once the formal entrance to the emperor’s personal quarters.

6. Snake through the maze of streets lined with medieval buildings housing some of Split’s best bars to the high arches of the Iron Gate.

7. Pass through to Narodni trg, which has been Split’s main civic square since medieval times.

Take a Break... Grab a cushion right on the Peristil’s steps at Luxor.