

It's funny how things just come to you when you need them.

I met Romina a few days after I had just made some enquiries about Plastic Surgery in Auckland, NZ and was feeling very disappointed on the price I was given, thinking how I could ever afford this.

Romina mentioned she and a friend had just had Plastic Surgery in Rosario, Argentina and due to the success of it all decided to start up Silhouette Makeover Tours.

I wanted to find out more about Argentina, the surgery, accommodation, etc. so I had a meeting with Romina and Tania and things just happened. As the months went by things just fell into place, a couple of other ladies pulled out but they decided to take me on my own. That was the biggest influence on my decision that they came with me.

So on Romina and I flew out to Argentina. I was sitting on the plane thinking "Wow I'm really doing this". The flight went well and there was a car waiting at Buenos Aires Airport to take us to Rosario, which was a 3 hour drive. As Romina spoke Spanish things went smoothly.

We arrived at the Hotel- Howard Johnson- where we were greeted well and in English.

They took me up to my room, where one of the porters set my laptop up with Skype and their international settings. The room was great, a great big size king bed to myself.

I was in Rosario for 4 days before the actual operation; in the meantime Romina took me around the town walking for miles. I enjoyed a nice city tour as well. We went and met the surgeons who made me feel very welcome and comfortable. When it came to surgery day I wasn't as nervous as I expected, I was more nervous back in NZ a few weeks before. We went downstairs to where the surgery was to be performed and the recovery rooms where they got me ready. As I was alone Romina was with me every step of the way and before I knew it, it was all over. I woke out of the anaesthetic, and I was feeling very out of it but Romina kept me calm and didn't go anywhere. We eventually went back to the Hotel. Again as I was alone Romina helped me through the first night. I was not in as much pain as I expected, just uncomfortable.

The after care I got from the Doctors was fantastic, they really cared and on the days I couldn't get to the clinic they came to me.

I also did some post operative care from machines which took away some swelling and bruising. I really recommend it, and it feels so good! All in all it went well; it certainly was an experience I will never forget.

I had Romina as my Interpreter, Tour Guide and a great friend. The people in Argentina are all very friendly and I would do it again and recommend Silhouette makeover tours to anyone considering cosmetic surgery. It all went smoothly and I am proud to be their very 1st customer.

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