

# The very best of Tuscany's wine & food!

Visit the top wineries of Chianti, Montalcino and Montepulciano

Enjoy Italy before the summer crowds arrive...or when the wine is being made...

**Departures 2009:** May and October

Visit Tuscany's local village markets, famous ceramics studios, and its top crystal producers. Enjoy a private tour through the workshops where the finest glasses, carafes and ornaments are hand-blown.

Immerse yourself in Tuscany in the company of the World's most talented winemakers! You'll enjoy First-Class Service and learn from the real experts – the winemakers themselves – as well as your professional wine escort.

**Smallest personally hosted groups:** maximum 8 people on most tours

## Unique Luxurious Accommodation:

- **Hotel J&J in Florence**, a charming "Palace-Hotel"
- **Hotel Casafraffi in Chianti**, a family-owned small deluxe hotel, and also a working winery, set in its own tranquil park in the heart of the Tuscan vineyards.
- **Hotel Vecchia Oliviera in Montalcino**, a lovely hotel situated at the gates of the town of Montalcino.



## Gourmet meals in exceptional places as:

- Lunch at one of Florence's great trattorias.
- A tasting dinner with Federico Giuntini at the **estate of Selvapiana**.
- Lunch with Francesco Mazzei at the **Castello di Fonterutoli** winery with a tasting of his superb wines.
- Dinner at **La Tore**, the local's favorite restaurant in Castellina, where you will have the chance to sample some of the most authentic Tuscan cuisine in the bustling, happy atmosphere of the Italian countryside.
- A tasting lunch at **Avignonesi's winery** in front of the open fire.

## Tasting at the top Estates of the region:

Selvapiana, Castello di Fonterutoli, Fontodi, Vecchie Terre di Montefili, Riecine, Avignonesi, Polignano and more!

## Cooking Class on a Tuscan Farm:

Guests describe this as "The best day of the tour!" A chance to learn some delicious Tuscan recipes in one of the most beautiful settings, and have a wonderful time with Paola and her talented and fun-loving chef!



### 7 Night Package Includes:

- ❖ 7 nights Accommodation with Breakfast
- ❖ 4 Lunches with fine wines
- ❖ 5 Dinners with fine wines
- ❖ Transportation by private air-conditioned minivan
- ❖ All Winery Visits and Tasting
- ❖ Bi-lingual Wine Expert Host

From \$5795.00 per person / double occupancy  
Single Supplement: From \$990.00

Above all, **you** are the VIP. Whatever your wine knowledge you will be received with grace and a genuine welcome as friends of your hosts – a unique and priceless privilege!

Join us on the Wine Lover's Ultimate Vacation!

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