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***FRANCE
WINE AND GASTRONOMIC
TOURS***

These tours will be linked and connected in unique and characteristic wine itineraries to enjoy the hidden secrets of the prestigious French wine.



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DAY 1 : PARIS, REIMS

Arrival in Paris.

Pick up at Paris airport by your private driver & transfer to Reims.

Transfer to **Reims** for a **guided walking tour of the city**. Reims offers the most important example in France of an entire town in the architectural style of the 1920s with its Art Deco style facades: wandering through the streets and discover the city of coronation and one of the main gastronomic and Champagne wine centres of France. Enjoy a visit of its **Notre Dame Cathedral**, a masterpiece of Gothic art dates from the 13th century as a reminder of the christening of Clovis. Adorned with over 2,300 statues, this is the only cathedral that displays angels with open wings.

Then you will enjoy a **visit & a wine-tasting** at a **champagne house**. For a while, take a dip into the heart of their House, their heritage, their « savoir-faire ». And discover the making-process of their cuvées. The tour includes a tasting of their Brut Yellow Label cuvée.

Your tour continues through **another vineyard**. This journey will lead you in turn to the vestiges of the **abbey Saint-Nicaise** dating from the 13th century, then to 18 meters deep, in sumptuous Gallo-Roman Crayères forming part of the Coteaux, Houses and Caves of Champagne Inscribed on **UNESCO's World Heritage List**. At the end of your visit, you will appreciate a **prestigious wine tasting**.

Transfer & settle into your hotel in Reims.

Welcome dinner & overnight at your hotel.

Settle at you 4-star Hotel de la Paix for 2 nights B&B in Reims.

Overnight at your hotel.

DAY 2 : REIMS, HAUTVILLERS

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by your private driver and departure to Reims Mountains.

Today you will discover the champagne path through the **vineyards of the Reims Mountains**.

Lunch in a local restaurant.

Enjoy a **Guided tour of Hautvillers**, a charming village classified at **Unesco** which is nested on the historical hillsides of Champagne. Discover the history of **Dom Perignon** who finalized the process to elaborate Champagne.

Continue to **Epernay** capital of champagne with its **Avenue du Champagne**, headquarter of the major wine-maker trade and production. This magnificent street is considered as one of the most world prestigious Avenues. Enjoy the visit of the cellars of **Moët & Chandon** with tasting.

Back to Reims.

Overnight in Reims.

DAY 3 : REIMS, BEAUNE

Breakfast at your hotel and check-out.

Pick up at your hotel by your private driver and departure.

Crossing the champagne vineyards with **visit and tasting of champagne grand vineyards** in a small producer. This **Family Estate** is a wine grower since the 16th century and producing Champagne under their own brand since 1875. Far from the commercial aspect of the Grandes Maisons you will discover here the ancestral methods for the making process of champagne and meet passionate people.

Stop in the historic center of Troyes.

Continue towards Burgundy with stop in **Chablis** for **visit and wine tasting** in Chateau Testut.

Transfer to **Beaune**.

Settle at your 3-star **Hotel La Belle Epoque** for 3 nights B&B in Beaune.

Overnight in Beaune.

DAY 4 : BEAUNE

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by your private driver and departure for the route of the vineyards of cotes de nuits. Today you will discover the Grand Crus of Bourgogne. Stop at a small producer to visit the cave and **wine tasting Chateau Entre-deux-Monts** in Nuits Saint Georges.

Lunch in a gastronomic restaurant in Vosne-Romanée.

After lunch, walk to the mythical **Romanée Conti vineyard**. Then you will visit the **Clos Vougeot**, former cellar of the Cistercian monks. Discover the ancient winemaking facilities and the monk's cellar, constructed between the 12th and 16th centuries.

Back to Beaune.

Overnight in Beaune.

DAY 5 : BEAUNE

Breakfast at your hotel.

Meet your private guide at your hotel. (2hours services)

Today enjoy a guided tour in the medieval town of **Beaune** with visit to the famous **Hospices de Beaune** (hotel Dieu), built in the 15th century XV.

Then go to a **guided visit** of a traditional **Mustard Factory Fallot** with **tasting**. Endowed with a successful industrial facilities, it knew how to protect the know-how of the craftsman mustardmaker ; the grinding of seeds in the stony grindstone which protects all the gustative qualities of the dough.

Enjoy **a tour to the north of the Côte de Beaune**. Stop off on the Corton hillside, a unique location in Burgundy for red and white Grands Crus. Then **visit & tasting** at the Château de Santenay.

Overnight in Beaune.



DAY 6 : BEAUNE, LYON

Breakfast at your hotel and check-out.
 Pick-up at your hotel by your private qualified Spanish driver and route through the vineyards of southern Borgogna and Beaujolais.
 Enjoy a visit and **wine tasting in Chateau Montmelas**. The beautiful outline of this castle is made up of numerous turrets, which is why it's often called Sleeping Beauty's castle, especially since it is surrounded by 70 ha of vineyard in the Beaujolais Appellation. You will visit the interior of the chateau with tapestry and furniture.
 Then you enjoy a **Buffet lunch** of Beaujolais Specialties: "Machons" in Chateau Montmelas.
 After lunch transfer to **Lyon**, capital of French gastronomy. Meet your local qualified Spanish speaking guide and enjoy a walking tour of Lyon. Visit to the Basilica **Notre Dame de Fourviere** and discover the quarter of Vieux Lyon considered a UNESCO world heritage site.
 Settle at your 4-star **boutique hotel College hotel**, for 1 night B&B.
 Overnight in Lyon.

DAY 7 : LYON, CLERMONT-FERRAND, LIBOURNE

Breakfast at your hotel and check-out.
 Pick up at your hotel by your private Spanish speaking driver and transfer to Libourne. Route through the central Magico and the park of volcanoes with its magnificent mountainous landscapes.
 Stop in the historic medieval center of **Clermont Ferrand**. Visit on your own the **Cathedral** which is distinctive by its charcoal grey colour resulting from the Volvic lava stone used to build it. The interior conceals a remarkable collection of stained-glass windows and murals. Discover **Notre-Dame-du-Port Basilica**, listed on **UNESCO's World Heritage**, which takes visitors into the spellbinding world of Romanesque art.
 Continue to the region of **Aquitaine**.
 In the late afternoon arrival in **Puisseguin Saint Emilion** to visit the cellar and garden of the **Chateau de la Vaisinerie** followed by a typical harmonized **dinner**.
 Settle at your 4-star **Hotel Mercure Libourne Saint Emilion**, for 1 night B&B.
 Overnight in Libourne.

DAY 8 : LIBOURNE, BORDEAUX

Breakfast at your hotel and check-out.
 Pick up by your private driver and departure.
 Discovery of the **wine route of Medoc**, through the famous vineyards of Margaux, Saint Estephe, Saint Julien, Pauillac. Stop at **two grands vineyards** Classes of 1855 for a visit of the cellar with wine tasting (Chateau Lynch Bages, Chateau Giscours, Chateau Pontet Canet (...) or similar).
 Transfer to **Cité du vin** in **Bordeaux**.
 Discover **Cité du Vin**, a new **unique cultural facility** where wine comes to life through an immersive, sensorial approach, all set within an **evocative architectural design**. Cité du Vin gives a **different view of wine**, across the world, across the ages, across all cultures and all civilisations.
 Enjoy a **panoramic tour in Bordeaux**.
 Bordeaux UNESCO heritage; from the vestige of the middle ages, to the elegance of the 18th century, you will discover the different golden ages of Bordeaux's history, dominated by the wine trade and various colonial influences.
 Settle in you 4-star **boutique hotel Hotel de Sèze** in triangle d'or of Bordeaux, for 2 nights B&B.
 Overnight in Bordeaux.

DAY 9 : BORDEAUX

Breakfast at your hotel.
 You will appreciate a **private cruise** through the heart of the estuary and stopover on **Patiras island**.
 Enjoy the musical atmosphere and **taste specialties** from the Gironde estuary.
 You will discover the view of islands, sailing channels, Médoc vineyards, as well as the history of the people who used to live on the islands.
 Today, Patiras also invites you to relax in a deckchair and enjoy the peaceful atmosphere of the island.
 Overnight at your hotel.

DAY 10 : DEPARTURE

Breakfast at your hotel and check-out.
 Transfer to the Railway station or the airport.



INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Transport in executive coach according to the above program.
- The services of a professional guide according to the above program.
- 1 night half-board & 1 night B&B in 4-star Hotel de la Paix in Reims.
- 3 nights B&B in 3-star hotel La Belle Epoque in Beaune
- 1 night B&B in 4-star hotel College Hotel in Lyon
- 1 night B&B in 4-star hotel Mercure Libourne Saint-Emilion in Libourne
- 2 nights B&B in 4-star hotel de Sèze in Bordeaux
- Meals : 3 lunches in local restaurant + 1 lunch cruise + 1 half board dinner in hotel + 1 dinner
- 1 wine tasting Veuve Clicquot, 1 wine tasting Taittinger, 1 wine tasting Moët et Chandon, 1 wine tasting in a family estate, 1 wine tasting Chablis, 1 wine tasting Côte de nuits, 1 wine tasting Beaujolais, 1 wine tasting in « Château de la Vaisinerie », 2 wines tasting in Grand Cru Classé Medoc
- Entrances & visits according to the above program: Benedictine Abbaye in Hautvillers, Hotel Dieu (hospice) in Beaune, Mustard Factory Fallot with tasting, Basilica « Notre Dame de Fourviere », Cité du Vin
- 1 full day cruise

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Drinks, other meals not mentioned in the program.
- Any other options, tips or personal expenses, luggage handling.
- Insurance.



DAY 1: BORDEAUX

Arrival in Bordeaux.

Welcome by your driver and your guide.

Transfer to Bordeaux for a Panoramic tour of **Bordeaux UNESCO heritage**: from the vestige of the Middle Ages, to the elegance of the 18th century, you will discover the different golden ages of Bordeaux's history, dominated by the wine trade and various colonial influences.

Settle into your hotel.

Welcome dinner & overnight in Bordeaux.

DAY 2 : MEDOC VINEYARDS

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by a private coach & your guide.

Departure for the **Médoc** for a guided visit of the city.

The most famous of the Bordeaux vineyards which lies to the North-West of Bordeaux city, a vast spit of land between the Atlantic Ocean to the West and the Gironde Estuary to the East. A geographical location that confers on it a temperate climate suited to wine-growing. This symbiosis of plant and environment has given 60 prestigious Grand Crus Classés and 400 Crus Bourgeois in the 8 AOC of the Médoc. During your tour you will have **three visits and wine tastings** at prestigious vineyards and wineries in **Pauillac, Margaux & Saint-Julien** wine appellations of Origin (AOC). Lunch in a typical restaurant to discover the Médoc gastronomy. These places are immersed in a remarkable views of vineyards landscapes and they are based on soils which have been laboured and transformed by the winemakers' industry and savoir-faire like the distinguished. Back to & overnight at the hotel in Bordeaux.

DAY 3: SAINT-ÉMILION, POMEROL

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by a private coach & your guide.

Transfer to **Saint-Émilion** for a guided visit of the city. According to UNESCO 'the Jurisdiction of Saint-Émilion is an outstanding example of an historic vineyard landscape that has survived intact and is in activity to the present day'. Enjoy a visit and a unique lunch -buffet in a prestigious **Château**. Your tour pursues with one **visit and wine tasting** at Grand Cru Classé **Saint-Émilion** vineyards and the last visit in the **Pomerol** Appellation. Back to & overnight at your hotel in Bordeaux.

DAY 4: DEPARTURE

Breakfast at your hotel.

Transfer to **Bordeaux** airport or train station.



- Transport in executive coach according to the above program.
- The services of a professional guide according to the above program.
- 3 nights B&B in 3-star Hotel Quality Ste Catherine OR 4-star Hotel Mercure Chartrons OR Luxury 4-star hotel de Sèze in Bordeaux.
- 1 welcome dinner
- 2 lunches
- Entrance & Visits according to the above program: 3 Wine tastings Grand Cru Classé Médoc & 2 Wine tastings Grand Cru Classé St Emilion & 1 wine tasting in Pomerol.
- Guided tour of Bordeaux & Saint-Émilion.

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- Drinks, other meals not mentioned in the program.
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- Insurance.



DAY 1: DIJON, BEAUNE

Pick up at **Dijon** train station by your driver and transfer to your hotel in **Beaune**.
Settle into your hotel.
Welcome dinner & overnight at your hotel.

DAY 2: CÔTE DE BEAUNE

Breakfast at your hotel.
Pick up at your hotel by your driver & guide and transfer to the **Côte de Beaune**. Walk around the city, capital of the Cote d'Or, in its medieval quarter, courtyards of private mansions. Guided visit of the **Hotel Dieu**, also called **Hospice of Beaune**, a masterpiece of Flemish – Burgundian architecture. It is a former charitable almshouse and has now become a museum. Continue the day by enjoying the visit of a **family domain** in the **Montrachet** Grand Cru Appellation. This domain has been owned for three generations by a Burgundian family. They will explain wine-growing techniques as well as offer an enjoyable tasting-session. For lunch, enjoy an original Burgundy setting in a **Cellier**. Finish the day by a visit and tasting-session at **Santenay Domain**.
Back to & overnight at your hotel in **Beaune**.

DAY 3: CÔTE DE NUITS

Breakfast at your hotel.
Pick up at your hotel by your driver & guide and departure for the **Côte de Nuits**. Start the day by a visit of a **dairy farm** in Brochon and enjoy **tasting different cheeses**, from the mildest to the strongest in flavour.

For lunch, enjoy an outstanding **gourmet meal** with delicious dishes in an amazing domain! Of course prestigious wines will accompany your lunch.
Continue into the heart of the **Pinot Noir Grands Crus vineyards** of Gevrey Chambertin. Learn about the unique Burgundian appellations. Visit and **wine-tasting** at one prestigious domain.
Transfer back to & overnight at your hotel in **Beaune**.

DAY 4: BEAUNE, DIJON

Breakfast at your hotel.
Pick up at your hotel by your driver & transfer to Dijon. Enjoy a guided visit of **Dijon** and appreciate the richness and elegance of its architecture heritage from the Palace of the Dukes of Burgundy to the neighbourhood of Parliament, and from the area of Notre Dame to the medieval streets. Transfer to **Dijon** train station.



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- Transport in executive coach according to the above program.
- The services of a professional guide according to the above program.
- 3 nights B&B in 3-star Hotel de la Bretonnière OR 4-star Hotel de la Poste in Beaune.
- 1 welcome dinner & 2 lunches
- Visit & tastings according to the above program: 2 visits & wine tastings in Côte de Beaune, 2 visits & wine tastings in Côte de Nuits & cheese tasting.
- Guided tour of Beaune & Dijon.

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DAY 1: LYON

Pick up at **Lyon** train station by your driver. Transfer to Lyon city centre and enjoy a **guided walking tour** of the city and its historical centre. The historical site of Lyon was selected by **UNESCO as World Heritage**: from the breathtaking panoramic views to the museums and the famous dance theatre. Lyon is a city full of life, dotted with cobblestoned narrow streets and exquisite places to wine and dine. Admire the **St Jean Quarter**, stroll in the "traboules", covered narrow lanes crossing buildings from one street to the other, and the "hotels "particuliers", beautiful mansions built by Italian merchants in the 15th and 16th century. Settle into your hotel in **Lyon**.

Welcome dinner & overnight at your hotel.

DAY 2: CÔTES DU RHÔNE VINEYARDS

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by your driver.

Transfer to visit and discover the northern **vineyards** of **Côtes du Rhône** and its landscapes, as well as **Ampuis, Condrieu, Côte Rôtie**, and **Tain l'Hermitage**. Explore several domains and enjoying different wine tastings in these AOC areas. Visit a characteristic family estate and its magnificent vineyards in Côte-Rôtie where the winemaker will introduce the group to the cellar's care and treatment processes. Continue down to the Côtes du Rhône pursuing the aim to offer the best portrait of the 'terroir', and stop in **the Maison Chapoutier**, a winegrower and producer of the finest Rhône Valley appellations. Of course this fascinating day will be accompanied by a traditional **lunch** in a local restaurant.

Transfer to **Avignon**. Settle into & overnight at your hotel.

DAY 3: CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE, RASTEAU, GIGONDAS, BEAUMES DE VENISE

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by your driver.

Transfer to **Châteauneuf du Pape**, one of the most impor-

tant wine appellation in Southern Rhône where grapes were first planted in the 14th century by the Avignon popes, for a **visit & wine tasting experience** in an ancient and renewed cellar: **Maison Ogier**. A delightful experience in learning about oaks, barrel making, seeing and comparing wine of the different terroirs. Then departure for another **two visits** and **wine tasting sessions** in **Rasteau** and **Gigondas AOC**. Be witnesses of the best wines sharing their history and different techniques. Enjoy a **buffet-lunch** with local specialties in Gigondas cellar. Your amazing day-tour ends with the last **visit** and **wine tasting experience** in **Beaumes de Venise** cellar and its vineyards. Back to & overnight at your hotel in **Avignon**.

DAY 4: AVIGNON & DEPARTURE

Breakfast at your hotel.

This morning enjoy a guided visit of **Avignon**. The skyline of Avignon is a magnificent urban landscape. Overlooking the city and the **Rhône** river, the Rocher des Doms presents an exceptional set of monuments including the Saint Bénézet Bridge, (the famous « **Pont d'Avignon** »), the Ramparts, the Petit Palais, the Cathedral and the impressive walls of the **Popes' Palace** flanked by four mighty towers. This architectural group has been ranked by **UNESCO as World Heritage** for humanity. Transfer to **Avignon** train station.



INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Transport in executive coach according to the above program.
- The services of a professional guide (EN, ES, IT) according to the above program.
- 1 night B&B in 4-star Grand Hotel des Terraux in Lyon
- 2 nights B&B in 4-star Hotel de l'Horloge in Avignon
- 1 dinner
- 2 lunches
- Entrance & Visits according to the above program: Guided walking tour of Lyon, 4 visits & wine tastings in Côtes-du-Rhône, 4 visits & wine tastings in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Rasteau, Gigondas, Beaumes de venise, Pont d'Avignon & Popes' Palace.

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Arrival in Paris.

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DAY 2: OFF THE BEATEN PAST

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up at your hotel by your driver & Transfer to **Hautvillers**

Enjoy a **Guided tour of Hautvillers**, a charming village classified at Unesco which is nested on the historical hillsides of Champagne. Enjoy the visit of the Abbaye and discover the history of **Dom Perignon** who finalized the process to elaborate Champagne.

Transfer to the little village of Damery for a **wine tasting** at a family estate. The house was created in 1875 and are focus on the respect of both traditions and ancestral working methods.

Transfer to **Ambonnay** for a **lunch & wine tasting** at another family estate, a wine grower since the 16th century which own 4 hectares of grand cru vineyard, especially renowned for their Pinot Noir.

Your tour continues with another **wine tasting** at **Maison Canard Duchêne**. The Canard-Duchêne signature perfectly befits its setting in Ludes. The park, with its centuries-old trees, magnificent views over the vineyards, vast residence hosting more than 6km of chalk-carved underground cellars, make this a truly unforgettable visit.

Back to Reims and overnight at your hotel.

DAY 3: EPERNAY CAVES, PARIS

Breakfast at your hotel.

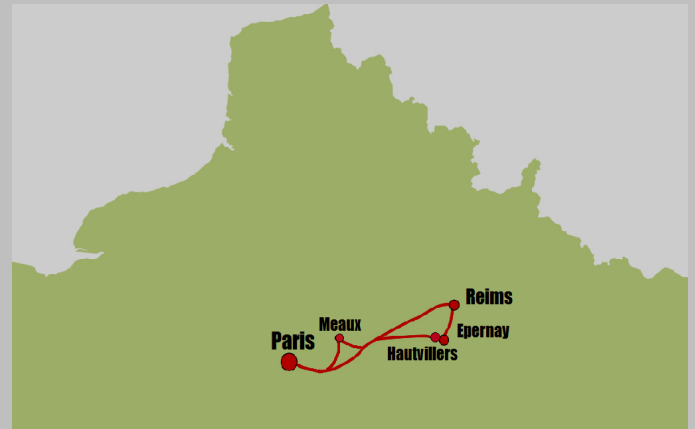
Pick up at your hotel by your driver and enjoy a visit of several different domains and cellars where the famous Champagne is produced. Located in the heart of the Champagne vineyards, **Epernay** is the capital of Champagne with its **Avenue du Champagne**, headquarter of the major wine-maker trade and production. This magnificent street is considered as one of the most world prestigious Avenues.

This morning your day enjoy **two visits & wine tasting** sessions in distinguished and ancient cellars learning about the production techniques, & the different types of wines. You will appreciate **two Grand cru tasting** at different vineyards.

The wine-growers will share their passion with the group and will be glad to answer any question.

Enjoy the **lunch** in one traditional restaurant in Epernay.

Your tour continues with a **visit & cheese tasting** at **Meaux**. You will discover the different stages of the manufacture of Brie de Meaux, from the harvesting of milk to maturing in the cellar. Then you will understand the current stakes of this PDO cheese proudly represented by his Brotherhood. Transfer to Paris city center or airport.



INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Transport in executive coach according to the above program.
- 2 nights B&B in 4-star hotel Hotel Best Western de la Paix
- 2 lunches and 1 welcome dinner
- Visits & Wine tasting according to the above program
- Guided tour of Reims, Hautvillers & Epernay

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Drinks, other meals not mentioned in the program.
- Any other options, tips or personal expenses, luggage handling
- Insurance.



DAY 8 : FULL DAY TOUR OF MEDOC

Breakfast at your hotel. Pick up at your hotel by your driver-guide and departure for the famous '**Route des Vins**' where you'll discover some of the most prestigious names and châteaux – and of course, wine tasting sessions are on the programme today! From Pauillac to Margaux along the banks of the Gironde river, you'll visit **Château Haut-Brion** (or similar) in Pessac Leognan, **Château Pichon Longueville Baron** (or similar) in Pauillac and **Château Lascombes** (or similar) in Margaux – all ranked Grand Cru Classé. Return to Bordeaux. To-night, enjoy a gourmet dinner in a local restaurant ; Overnight at your hotel in Bordeaux.

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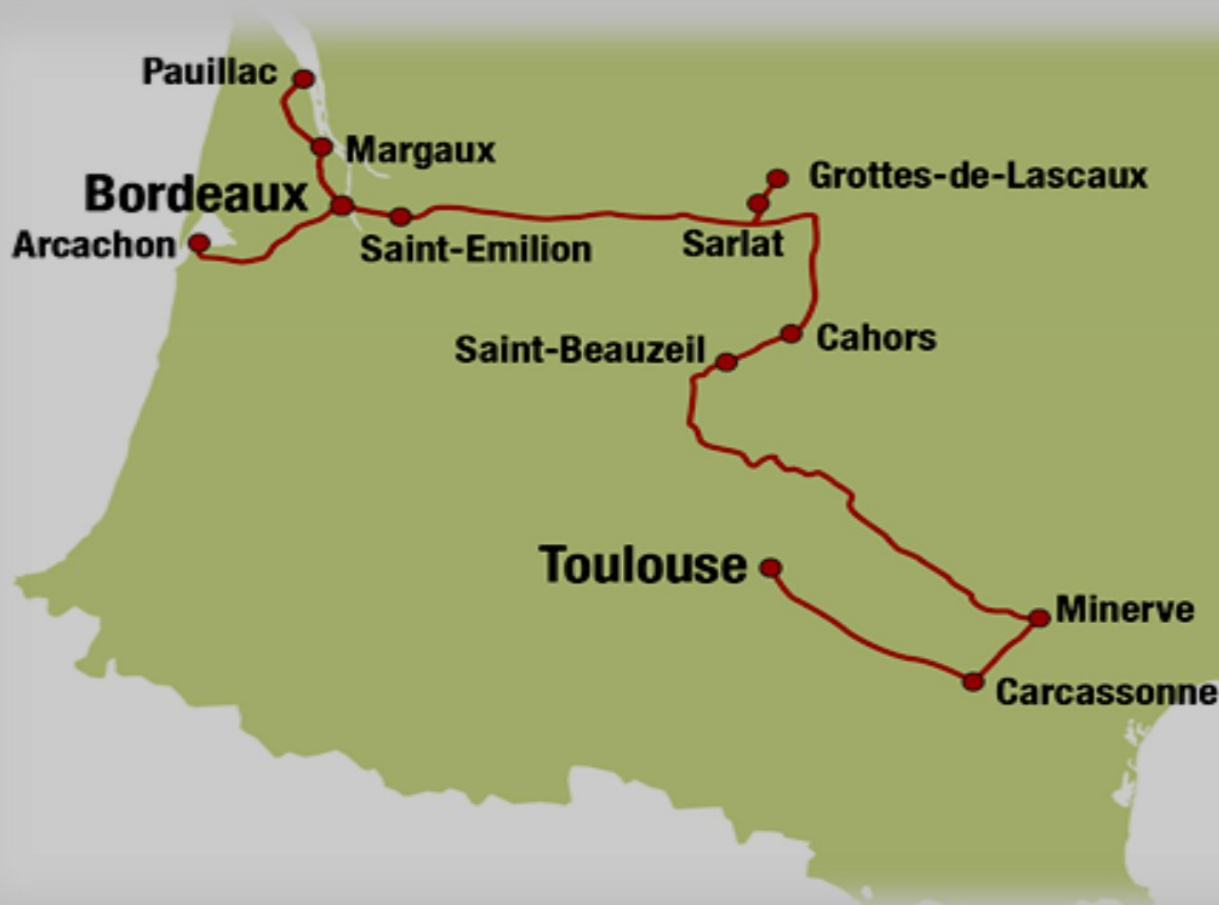
- Drinks, other meals.
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- Insurance.

DAY 9 : BORDEAUX

Breakfast at your hotel. Pick up at your hotel and transfer to Bordeaux airport or train station

INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Private transfers & transport in air-conditioned minivan with the services of a qualified Englishspeaking driver-guide according to the above program. - 1 night accommodation Half-Board & 1 night accommodation B&B in 4-star Hotel des 3 Couronnes in Carcassonne. - 2 nights accommodation B&B in 3-star Hotel Best Western le Renoir or 4-star Hotel des Selves in Sarlat. - 4 nights accommodation B&B in 3-star Hotel Quality Saint Catherine or 4-star Hotel de Seze in Bordeaux. - 6 dinners (drinks are not included): D1 Les 3 Couronnes restaurant - D2 Local restaurant in Carcassonne medieval citadel - D3 & D4 Local restaurant in Sarlat – D5 & D8 Local gourmet restaurant in Bordeaux - Entrance & Visits according to the above program: • 7 x Wine tastings: Cabardes, Minervois, Cahors, Saint-Émilion & Medoc •Lascaux IV Cave Paintings• National museum of Prehistory • Fermigier shop • Cruise •Hands on cooking lesson with lunch and drinks included (only : Wednesday, Friday & Sunday) • Guided visit of Carcassonne, Minerve, Montauban, Cahors, Sarlat, Saint-Emilion & Bordeaux.





DAY 1 : BORDEAUX, ST-EMILION & SARLAT

Pick up at Bordeaux and transfer to Saint-Emilion. Guided **visit of St Emilion**, medieval city, UNESCO world heritage site and one of the centres of Bordeaux wine-making.

Visit and tasting to the Château Ferrand, Grand Cru classé of Saint Emilion.

Transfer to **Sarlat**, medieval town in a region known in France as the *Périgord Noir*. It has been exceptionally well-preserved and is one of the town's most representative of the 14th century in France. More than 1000 years of architecture live in its lanes, roof-tiles and stone walls. Settle in a 3 (or) 4-star Hotel.

Gourmet dinner where you will discover a range of typical dishes.

Overnight at your hotel

DAY 2 : TRUFFLE EXPERIENCE & PERIGORD VILLAGES

Today is devoted to the « **Black Diamond** » the truffle of Perigord. Departure to St Cyprien for visit and initiation of "cavage" that will show the techniques of findings the truffles with a dog. Truffled lunch at the Ferme Auberge Pechalifour.

Then transfer to the beautiful village of Beynac-et-Cazenac and enjoy a boat ride on an authentic Gabarre river boat.

Back to Sarlat

Dinner at leisure & Overnight at the hotel.

DAY 3 : MARKET IN SARLAT & DOMME (Every Wednesday & Saturday)

Breakfast at your hotel.

Today you will discover **Sarlat** through its **gastronomy** as it is the **capital of an exceptional "terroir"**.

You will experience the famous **Farmer's market**, an unmissable spot and one of the most beautiful in all of the South West.

You will taste the local specialties such as foie gras, chestnuts, walnuts, milla (pumpkin cake), strawberries, the cabecou goat's cheeses, wines....

You will then enjoy a guided **walking tour of historic Sarlat**, rich merchant town during the 13th to 16th century.

This afternoon, you will discover the small medieval village of Domme and you will visit and tour a local farm which will introduce you to the production of foie gras, walnuts, shelled walnuts and walnut oil. Your tour will end with a foie gras tasting session.

Gourmet Dinner.

Overnight at the hotel.

DAY 4 : BORDEAUX & DEPARTURE

After breakfast transfer to Bordeaux; You will enjoy a guided **visit of Bordeaux**, UNESCO Heritage.

You will be able to discover the new heart of the City. From the vestiges of the Middle Ages to the elegance of 18th century, you will discover the different golden ages of Bordeaux's history, dominated by the wine trade and various colonial influences.

Private transfer to airport or train station.

INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Private transfers & transport in air-conditioned minivan with the services of a qualified Englishspeaking driver-guide according to the above program.
 - 3 nights B&B in 3-star Hotel Le Renoir OR 4-star Hotel de Selves in Sarlat
 - 2 dinners (including 1 gourmet dinner) + 1 lunch
 - Entrance & Visits according to the above program: •1 x Wine tastings: Saint Emilion •Ferme de Turnac (or similar)• Cruise • Fermigier shop • Cruise •Hands on cooking lesson with lunch and drinks included (only : Wednesday, Friday & Sunday) • Guided visit of Saint-Emilion, Sarlat, Domme & Bordeaux.
- #### NOT INCLUDED IN PRICES
- Drinks, other meals.
 - Any other options, tips or personal expenses, luggage handling.
 - Insurance.



DAY 1 : ARRIVAL IN TOULOUSE

Arrival at Toulouse airport. Private transfer and settle in your hotel located in the heart of the city.

Welcome dinner in a gourmet restaurant, as an introduction to the region's gastronomy. Overnight in Toulouse.

DAY 2 : GOURMET TRAIL TOULOUSE

Breakfast at your hotel.

This morning your guide will introduce you to the famous **Victor Hugo Market**, great food and wine, and spectacular ambiance. You will discover and taste typical french food from south west France.

Then you will lunch in a **typical restaurant**, where you will enjoy the market products.

This afternoon, you will enjoy a walking guided tour in Toulouse. The walk encompasses the history and stories about the most famous of Toulouse's landmarks. During the walk we will pause, wonder & enjoy: the immense **Place Capitôle** & Toulouse's stunning town hall; **Basilique St-Sernin** – a key stop on the pilgrim route to Santiago de Compostela; a stroll along the scenic Garonne; private town houses built during Toulouse's "Golden Age"; and some good local stories and inside knowledge without which any walk would not be complete! Ideal as a first initiation to Toulouse.

Overnight at your hotel.

INCLUDED IN PRICES

- 3 nights B&B in 4-star Hotel Villa du Taur in Toulouse
- Private transfert day 1 & day 4.
- Welcome dinner (without drinks)
- Full Day Private tour of Toulouse to discover the market(*the market is closed on Monday - 2 hours*) and the main monuments with qualified guide (EN) (3 hours) • Lunch in typical restaurant (without drinks)
- Full Day Private tour of Albi & Carcassonne in executive minivan with qualified driver-guide (EN) and entrances to : • Albi Cathedral & choir • Toulouse Lautrec museum • guided visit of Albi & Carcassonne

DAY 3 : ALBI, CARCASSONNE

Breakfast at your hotel.

Pick up by your driver-guide to discover **Albi** magnificent pink- bricked town on the banks of the Tarn. Admire the fortified **Cathedral of Sainte-Cécile**, a masterpiece of the Southern Gothic style, before touring the Toulouse Lautrec museum in the old Bishop's Palace, imposing fortress (13th century).

This afternoon you will discover **Carcassonne**. Visit of the citadel which dominates the old town. It's a town within a town, a maze of narrow cobbled streets within severe ram-parts of thick walls.

Back and overnight at your hotel.

DAY 4 : DEPARTURE

Breakfast at your hotel and check out.

Private transfer to the Toulouse airport or train station. End of our services.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICES

- Drinks, other meals.
- Any other options, tips or personal expenses, luggage handling.
- Insurance.

COOKERY CLASSES IN PROVENCE AT THE "BASTIDE DES SAVEURS"



Our cookery classes are held at our magnificent, 19th-century Provencal "Bastide des Saveurs", complete with beautiful grounds and a kitchen garden where you will gather the sunny vegetables and herbs you will need to concoct your very own Provencal dish!

Set adjacent to the village, in the heart of vines and olive trees, "La Bastide des Saveurs" offers guests an enchanting and romantic encounter with the history and traditions of Provence. Do you love nature, Mediterranean plants and the sunny fragrances of thyme and rosemary? Our cookery classes are held at the "Bastide des Saveurs", located just a short hop from the Hostellerie.

Welcome to Paradise!

This is Pagnol's Provence for real. Our cookery classes are led by Michelin star-rated Chef René Bérard, who delights in introducing guests to the thousand and one flavours of Provence.

Hostellerie Bérard's Provencal cookery classes are a great opportunity to learn all about Provencal and Mediterranean gastronomy and include a trip to the local market to purchase fresh, seasonal produce, hands-on lessons, a visit to a local olive oil mill and introduction to wine tasting... Topped with a fun, friendly and casual atmosphere!



COOKERY CLASSES IN PROVENCE AT THE "BASTIDE DES SAVEURS"



*4-day cookery course, every day from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
(the course members prepare a new recipe every day
with our star-rated Chef!).*

Sunday evening...

*** Welcome dinner (excluding drinks) at the
Hostellerie's gastronomic restaurant, where our
Chef will delight your palate with his delicious,
heartfelt Provencal cuisine.*

Monday...

*It's off to the "Bastide des Saveurs" for a cookery
class with our star-rated Chef René Bérard.
Welcome to Paradise! This is Pagnol's Provence for
real.*

*René issues you with your chef's hat, recipes and
embroidered apron. Now make way for an
unforgettable experience... First of all you will head
for the garden, where you will discover and gather
various herbs, medicinal plants, fruit and
vegetables. Then it's back to the kitchen to prepare
the dish of the day – today's choice is a Provencal
stew with choice cuts of meat cooked up with herbs
and vegetables. The table is ready – now all you
have to do is enjoy your culinary creation out on the
terrace or in the ancient dining room in true
Provencal style.*

Tuesday...

*This morning you'll be up bright and early for a trip
to the colourful fish market in Sanary-sur-Mer in
the company of René, where you'll be able to meet
up with the local fruit and vegetable producers,
fishermen and cheese makers. You will see the day's
catch come into the port and head back to the
"Bastide des Saveurs" armed with some fabulous
fresh fish for the day's class.*

Wednesday...

*Another great day! This time the spotlight
is on Provence's tasty, juicy and sun-
packed Provencal vegetables. René will be
passing on some of his top chef's tips (but
not all of them – you'll have to come back
for the rest!).*

Thursday...

*Your last day, dedicated to those with a
sweet tooth.
And as you'll find out, Provence's much-
appreciated dessert tarts and chocolate
"moelleux" are so delicious you're sure to
want seconds...*

*So... now that René has unveiled (nearly)
all of the secrets of Provencal cooking, it's
your turn to offer your nearest and
dearest a treat.*

And as they say in Provence...

*« Tout fai ventre mai que i 'entre
Tout fait ventre pourvu que tout y entre »
(basically meaning if you enjoy it, your
stomach will too!)*

*Here are some of the afternoon excursions
you will enjoy during your stay:*

*** Tour of a Bandol AOC vineyard with
wine tasting*

*** Meetings with local wine growers*

*** Visit to an olive oil mill*

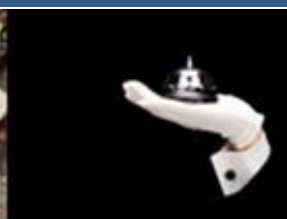
*** Visit to a honey producer with honey
tasting*

This package included:

*welcome dinner on Sunday evening (drinks not included) ; 5 nights stay with 5 breakfasts buffet ; 4-days-
courses ; 4 lunches with drinks ; all recipes and translation in English ; 3-afternoon + 1 morning visits
(vineyard, honeybees producer, olive oil mill, market) ; graduation.*

Transfer not included.

France Unique Experiences



PARIS WINE EXPERIENCE!

Discover the French Wine culture in Paris!

Included:

Visit by your own the MUSEE du VIN and enjoy your lunch with a 3 set menu and 3 glasses of different French wine. To complete your wine experience, play with a new digital App at the CAVE DU LOUVRE with a wine tasting



PARIS CHEESE EXPERIENCE!

Discover the French Cheese culture in Paris!

1 hour and half **ATELIER DECOUVERTE** with tasting of 7 cheeses and 2 glasses of wine

CHAMPAGNE & CHEESE TASTING with 7 cheeses and 2 glasses of Champagne



PARIS CHOCOLATE EXPERIENCE!

Discover the French Chocolate culture in Paris!

Included:

Visit of the MUSEE DU CHOCOLAT with a Live demonstration of a *Maître Chocolatier* and enjoy your chocolate gift a Hot chocolate tasting



PARIS COOKING CLASS IN A PRIVATE HOUSE

Discover a local market with your French host, then have a cooking class in a private house and enjoy your lunch



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PARIS BAKERY OR PASTRY COOKING CLASS IN A PRIVATE HOUSE

Baking Class

Typical "Macaron" or "Choux" Class



PARIS : "MINGLE WITH THE LOCALS"

Parisian Hidden Bar tours with 3 cocktails included

Market tour and Tasting in a private apartment



LYON GOURMAND

Private walking Tours with your personal English- speaking guide

Enjoy a 2hours walking at the famous food market "Les Halles de Bocuse" or at the food market "La Croix Rousse" looking for the local food culture.



BEAUJOLAIS HALF DAY TOUR

Private tour with a local English driver-guide

Enjoy a 4 hours tour with your English- speaking driver-guide discovering the Beaujolais wine area with its typical villages. Wine tasting in a local winery.

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BEAUJOLAIS FULL DAY TOUR

Private tour with a local English driver-guide

Enjoy a 8 hours tour with your English speaking driver-guide discovering the Beaujolais wine area with its typical villages. Visit of local winery, 2 Wine tasting and lunch



BURGUNDY: FULL DAY WINE TOUR (8 hours) "Mâconnais & Pouilly Fuissé »

Private tour with a local English driver-guide

Enjoy an 8 hours tour with your English- speaking driver-guide discovering the Burgundy wine area with its typical villages. Visit of local winery, including 1 Cellar visit and 1 Wine tastings.



"Bordeaux regional & Arcachon's Bay "3 days /2 nights escorted tour from BORDEAUX - with your personal English-Speaking driver- guide (hotel accommodation NOT included)

Program:

Day 1: Bordeaux – Medoc

Day 2: Bordeaux -Arcachon's

Bay Day 3: Bordeaux- St. Emilion

Included in the program:

Food tastings: Oysters

Lunch: Free time for lunch (not included)

Entrance St Emilion Village

Enjoy a 3 days tour with your English-speaking driver-guide discovering the different Bordeaux wine regions and the famous Arcachon's Bay.

Car and driver-guide for 3 days