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## Great Tuscany & Cinque Terre 2024

**9 DAYS TOUR**  
**START IN ROME - END IN ROME**

Small Groups (16 pax) – All Excursions Included  
Minimum Two Meals Per Day  
Comfortable Departure Time  
First Class Hotels - Fully Escorted

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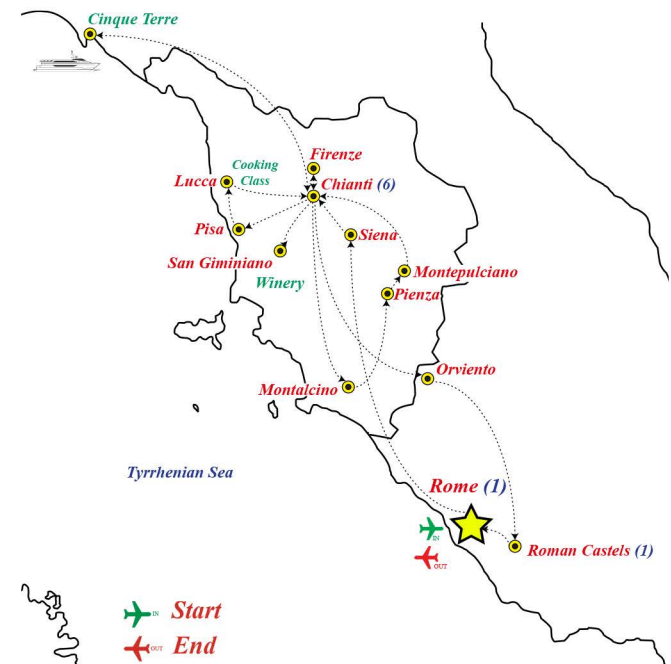
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#### **Day 1 – Welcome to Rome, Italy**

At your arrival in Rome's Fiumicino Leonardo Da Vinci Airport, you will meet our tour director and tour driver. Airport transfers from the airport will leave at 9:30 am, 12:30 pm, or 3:00 pm to your hotel. In the afternoon, meet your travel companions before leaving for a comfortable sight-seeing bus tour of Rome's city center. Sights include views of the Colosseum, Roman Forum, St. Peter's Square, the Circo Massimo, and Via Veneto followed by a special welcome dinner at one of Rome's lively restaurants.

Hotel: Villa Carpegna, Massimo D'Azeglio, or similar (1 night)

#### **Day 2 – Siena – Chianti Area**

After breakfast, we make our way to Tuscany through the unforgettable landscapes of the gently rolling, vine-clad hills of Siena. Here follows our local guide for a walking tour through the city center to admire the elaborately carved Gothic Cathedral, Town Hall, and the famous Piazza Del Campo, site of the spectacular Medieval-style horse race. In the afternoon, enjoy a short ride to your hotel in the Chianti area. Tonight, dinner will be served at local restaurant/hotel.

Hotel: Tenuta di Ricavo, San Leonino or similar (6 nights)

#### **Day 3 – Montalcino, Pienza, Montepulciano**

Today we drive through the beautiful southern Tuscany where you will have the opportunity to enjoy some free time in the villages of Montalcino, Pienza and Montepulciano known worldwide for their high-quality red-wine production, and the famous cheese "Pecorino di Pienza". Later enjoy a wine tasting with dinner. Return to your hotel in the evening.

#### **Day 4 – Florence**

Today, upon arrival in Florence, the splendid capital of Tuscany and birthplace of the Renaissance, follow our local guide to see the marble clad Cathedral and Baptistery where Ghiberti's 'Gates of Paradise' have been recreated in all their glory. Next stop is Signoria Square, political heart of the city and still an open-air gallery of Renaissance masterpieces. The tour ends with a visit of the Santa Croce church where the tombs of Galileo and Michelangelo are kept. In the afternoon, free time to enjoy Florence at your leisure or learn the secrets of traditional Florentine leather-work. Dinner will then be served at one of the Florence's amazing restaurants.

#### **Day 5 – San Gimignano, Chianti Area**

This morning, we drive to the hilltop of San Gimignano, the most picturesque of Italy's perfectly preserved medieval towns. Visit the city center with free time to enjoy the town at your pleasure and do some true Italian shopping. In the late afternoon, we head through the earth of Tuscany overlooking the beautiful landscapes and the many medieval villages of the Chianti area followed by dinner in an authentic local restaurant.

#### **Day 6 – Cooking Class, Lucca**

Today experience a three-hour cooking class with a professional chef to learn how to make some of Tuscany's most traditional dishes. In the afternoon, following our local guide for a light walking tour of Lucca city center.

#### **Day 7 – Cinque Terre**

This morning we travel to the Liguria region on the Tyrrhenian coast for a full day excursion through the famous Cinque Terre. Visit some of the colorful villages built on rugged, steep landscapes right up to the cliffs overlooking the sea. The unique landscapes have terraced vineyards sustained by dry walling, a perfect example of man-made countryside architecture in inaccessible surroundings. Weather permitting, you'll travel between the villages by boat to admire Cinque Terre's cliffs & sweeping coastal views (If rough sea prevails, you will be escorted by minibus through some villages). Tonight, dinner will be served in the hotel.

#### **Day 8 – Orvieto, Roman Castles**

Today we leave the region of Tuscany to reach the gorgeous hilltop town of Orvieto. Here, you have time to enjoy this beautiful city center as you desire. In the afternoon, we make our way toward our destination, the hilltop of the Castelli Romani area (a group of villages where the Pope spends his summers). Here is where we will enjoy a farewell dinner in the hotel's restaurant to celebrate the success of your vacation.

Hotel: Castel Vecchio, Benito al Bosco, or similar (1 night)

#### **Day 9 – Leaving for home**

Arrivederci Roma! Our airport transfers arrive to Rome's Fiumicino Leonardo Da Vinci Int. Airport (FCO) at 7:00 am and 9:30 am.



## WHAT IS INCLUDED

### Transportation:

- Private airport transfer at the arrival and departure in Rome. Should your flights not coincide with these arrival and departure transfer times, please let us know; we can arrange your transfer inexpensively to/from the airport by limousine
- Luxury air-conditioned private minibus, extended leg room
- Ferry ticket for the Cinque Terre (to/from La Spezia)

### Hotels:

- Supreme First-Class Hotel or Four Class Agriturismo
- Taxes, city tax and breakfast buffets
- All standard gratuities for hotel personnel

### 17 Meals:

- 8 American inspired breakfast buffets.
- 2 Lunches to include:  
1 wine tasting with fine local cuisine and olive oil tasting  
1 cooking class followed by lunch
- 7 Dinners to include:  
dinners at local a restaurant/farm house with two main courses, dessert, mineral water, local wine (1/4)  
All standard gratuities for restaurant personnel

### Tour Guide & Tour Driver:

- Your tour will be conducted by our tour guide and tour driver. They will take the worry out of foreign travel as they manage the intricate details of your tour, keeping you entertained with anecdotes and stories to make sure your vacation is educational, entertaining, fun and safe!
- Any gratuities are at your pleasure for your tour director and tour driver

### Licensed Local Guides:

- Experts in Rome, Siena, Florence, Lucca and Winery
- Our local expert guides are native citizens of the cities they represent offering a fascinating insight into local history, customs and tradition while entertain you with stories only a local would know!

### Equipment:

- Wireless headsets to hear our Guide clearly and distinctly in public places by utilizing our personal audio system for groups of 9+ allowing you to roam and explore sites (within 60 feet) without missing any insight from our tour guide or local guide.
- One umbrella for each person in case of rain



**View, Visit, Walking tour, Museums, and Gallery:**  
(WLG) = With local guide and wireless headsets.

### Rome:

- Comfortable sightseeing minibus tour of Rome city center including the view of the Colosseum, the Roman Forum, St. Peter Square, the Circo Massimo and Via Veneto (WLG)

### Siena:

- Follow our local guide to through the city center, admire the Gothic Cathedral, Town Hall, Piazza Del Campo (site of the spectacular Medieval style horse race) (WLG)

### Florence:

- Walking tour through Florence's Cathedral, Bell Tower, 'Gates of Paradise', visit Signoria Square, and the Church of Santa Croce (WLG)
- View from Piazzale Michelangelo

### Lucca:

- Walking tour through the city center surrounded by the mighty walls (WLG)

### Suggested attire:

- Comfortable shoes are important for walking on the uneven surfaces

### Attire for Italian Churches:

- No shorts, skirts, tank tops, or bare shoulders for men or women are permitted. Bermuda shorts are permitted

LAND PRICE FOR PERSON (USD)

DEPART - END DATE	DOUBLE	SINGLE	TRIPLE	YOUNG (5-12)
March 16 - March 24	3360	4200	3024	2856
April 13 - April 21	3360	4200	3024	2856
April 27 - May 05	3500	4375	3150	2975
May 11 - May 19	3500	4375	3150	2975
May 25 - June 02	3500	4375	3150	2975
June 15 - June 23	3500	4375	3150	2975
July 13 - July 21	3500	4375	3150	2975
Sept 14 - Sept 22	3500	4375	3150	2975
Oct 05 - Oct 13	3500	4375	3150	2975
Oct 19 - Oct 27	3360	4200	3024	2856
Nov 09 - Nov 17	3360	4200	3024	2856

LAND PRICE FOR PERSON (CAD)

DEPART - END DATE	DOUBLE	SINGLE	TRIPLE	YOUNG (5-12)
March 16 - March 24	4536	5670	4082.4	3856
April 13 - April 21	4536	5670	4082.4	3856
April 27 - May 05	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
May 11 - May 19	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
May 25 - June 02	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
June 15 - June 23	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
July 13 - July 21	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
Sept 14 - Sept 22	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
Oct 05 - Oct 13	4725	5906.25	4252.5	4017
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LAND PRICE FOR PERSON (NZD)

DEPART - END DATE	DOUBLE	SINGLE	TRIPLE	YOUNG (5-12)
March 16 - March 24	5376	6720	4838.4	4570
April 13 - April 21	5376	6720	4838.4	4570
April 27 - May 05	5600	7000	5040	4760
May 11 - May 19	5600	7000	5040	4760
May 25 - June 02	5600	7000	5040	4760
June 15 - June 23	5600	7000	5040	4760
July 13 - July 21	5600	7000	5040	4760
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Prices are subject to change according to international currency rates and price changes by distribution channels without further notice.

Price per person in Double, Single, Triple room occupancy Price include Tax, city night tax, credit cards fee, currency exchange



LAND PRICE FOR PERSON (AUD)

DEPART - END DATE	DOUBLE	SINGLE	TRIPLE	YOUNG (5-12)
March 16 - March 24	5040	6552	4536	4284
April 13 - April 21	5040	6552	4536	4284
April 27 - May 05	5250	6825	4725	4463
May 11 - May 19	5250	6825	4725	4463
May 25 - June 02	5250	6825	4725	4463
June 15 - June 23	5250	6825	4725	4463
July 13 - July 21	5250	6825	4725	4463
Sept 14 - Sept 22	5250	6825	4725	4463
Oct 05 - Oct 13	5250	6825	4725	4463
Oct 19 - Oct 27	5040	6552	4536	4284
Nov 09 - Nov 17	5040	6552	4536	4284

Why our tours are so special?

- **Small group of max. 16 passengers**, means intimate and personalized experience, enjoy authentic local restaurant, learning more with a peace of mind
- **All excursions are included at no additional cost**, which will turn an already amazing experience into the trip of a lifetime (skip the line tickets, restaurants, venues, local guides, transportation, excursions and more). There will be no surprises along the way
- All our tours have been planned with **comfortable morning departure times**. Never leaving your hotel before **8:00 am**.
- **Included every day you will have a minimum of two meals**; our selected family owned restaurants will certainly be unforgettable!
- **You will never feel alone**. Your tour director and tour driver who will be ready to fulfill your needs with the utmost professionalism and safety
- Tour price include **Tax, city night tax, credit cards fee**
- **Travel and connect with locals** "Traveling the Italian Style"