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Siena & Montalcino  
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daytrip to the Brunello wine region!  
Daily departures 8:00 am from Florence and Tuscany  
Private tour

Prices:  
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1-2 PAX [car] 520 €/person (all inclusive)  
3-4 PAX [car] 780 €/person (all inclusive)  
5-6 PAX [van] 1040 €/person (all inclusive)  
7-8 PAX [van] 1200 €/person (all inclusive)

Important details:  
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Easy & Secure Booking  
Instant confirmation  
Lowest price guaranteed  
Available all year round  
Transportation included  
Three courses lunch  
Full Private tour  
Departure from Florence  
Pick up all over Tuscany  
Departure: 8:00 am  
Kids friendly tour  
Language: english

Free Cancellation up to 24 hours in advance

Tour Includes:  
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1. Comfortable roundtrip transportation by AC 8-seater minivan or 4-seater car
2. Informative english speaking Fun in Tuscany tour guide
3. Visit to an authentic Brunello winery with tour of the estate and wine tasting
4. Guided visit to Montacino
5. Typical three courses tuscan lunch at local restaurant
6. Guided visit to Siena

## Itinerary:

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Wine art and history experience in the area of Siena!

8:00 am:

Meeting point and check in will be on Via Curtatone n.9, in front of Cafe' Curtatone, a few minutes walk from the main Florence train station. Departure by 9:30am. Upon request and at an extra charge we can organize pick up at your villa in Tuscany or at your hotel in Florence. It is also possible to customize the time of departure. Please contact us with your requests.

9:30 am:

On our way to Valdorcia we'll have a short stop in Buonconvento for a coffee in a nice cafe' inside the walled town.

10:30 am:

Visit to the cellar and vineyards of a winery located in the famous Brunello wine region, the small DOCG area where this top premier wine is produced. Wine tasting will combined to a generous plate of tuscan snacks.

1:00 pm:

We'll reach Montalcino for a typical tuscan lunch at a local restaurant and a walk of the cozy alleys of this medieval town.

03:30 pm:

Visit to the most important landmarks in Siena. We'll walk from San Domenico to the House and Sanctuary of Santa Caterina. After visiting the Duomo and Ospedale di Santa Maria della Scala, we'll reach Piazza del Campo with Torre del Mangia and the Town Hall. Along the ancient Via Francigena we'll have a stop at Palazzo Tolomei and Palazzo Salimbeni.

06:00 pm:

Back to Florence.

Note:

All scheduled times are an approximation and can vary slightly based on situations out of our control (traffic, weather, etc.)

Full Description:

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Montalcino and the DOCG wine region of Brunello are located about 50 Km south of Siena. According to some historians the name of the town comes from the roman goddess Lucina, for others it most likely refers to Mons Ilcinus, that in latin stand for "the mount of the holm oaks", a special variety of oak trees still very common in the area.

The production of wine around Montalcino is documented since the Middle Age: the period of the harvest was strictly regulated by the government. Along the centuries many important visitors had mentioned the high quality of the wines produced in Montalcino. But it's only in the XIX century that farmers began to experiment with a native grape variety cultivated in the surrounding territory

and called Brunello. It was a special variety of Sangiovese. Brunello di Montalcino, originated as delicacy of an elite of wine experts, got its popularity in the second half of the XX century: it was registered as DOC wine in 1966 and it was the first wine to become DOCG in 1980. Since then it has been considered one of the best Italian wines in a worldwide ranking.

Our daytrip is a wonderful opportunity to discover and explore the region and the town of Montalcino. Departing early in the morning from our meeting place in Florence we'll be in the Brunello region around 10:30 am. Our first stop will be in a local family-owned winery where we'll have a guided tour of the vineyards and cellar. An expert winemaker will inform us about the history of the family, with a description of the estate and its wine production. Under his guidance we hope to unveil some of those secrets that made the legend of the Brunello wine! We'll then enjoy a lovely wine tasting, to appreciate their wines and possibly buy them. After this fantastic wine experience, we'll visit the town of Montalcino where we'll have a typical Tuscan lunch at a local restaurant.

Back to the car we'll be on our way to Siena. In Siena we'll enjoy the panoramic view of the city from the "secret path" of San Domenico, we'll then stop by at the Santa Caterina Sanctuary, and we'll visit the Duomo and Ospedale di Santa Maria della Scala. Following the ancient pilgrim road "Via Francigena" we'll go to Piazza del Campo, the main square of Siena where twice a year the famous horse race called "Palio" takes place. In the shell-shaped square we'll see "Torre del Mangia", the city tower, "Palazzo Pubblico", the town hall, and "Fonte Gaia", the marbled fountain sculpted in the XV century by Iacopo della Quercia. On our way back to the car we'll also see Palazzo Tolomei and Palazzo Salimbeni, some of the most prestigious palaces of Siena. We'll be back to Florence around 6pm. Families and kids are more than welcome!

Meeting Point:  
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We meet 8:00 am in Florence, on Via Curtatone #9, in front of Cafe' Curtatone, just five min walk from S.M.N. train station.

Private pick up at your accommodation in Florence or at your villa in Tuscany available upon request at an extra charge.

Important Info:  
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- > Online booking is required
- > Download tour description in PDF

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