

MONTALCINO WINE TOUR BY HELICOPTER



A full day in the Orcia Valley, land of great wines and amazing landscapes. The experience includes the *private* visit of two wineries and a lunch at the Michelin Starred Restaurant Silene. Between the experiences you will have the chance to discover all the unique beauty of the Orcia Valley flying by the old villages of Montalcino, Pienza & Montepulciano.

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10.00 Pick up at Castiglion del Bosco

Sightseeing of Castiglion del bosco land and Montalcino old town

10.15 Landing and wine tasting at Podere Le Ripi Winery

12.30 Take off from Podere Le Ripi to Il Silene Restaurant

Sightseeing of Vivo D'Orcia and Seggiano

12.45 Landing at Il Silene

15.00 Take off from Il Silene to Castiglion del Bosco

Sightseeing of Campiglia D'Orcia - Montepulciano - Pienza - San Quirico 15.20 Landing and wine tasting at Castiglion del Bosco Winery 17.30 End of tour



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1st Winery - PODERE LE RIPI

"Owned by Francesco Illy, of Illy coffee fame, Podere Le Ripi is one of the most elegant biodynamic vineyards in Montalcino. Be sure to visit the new cellar"

(Danielle Pergament, New York Times)

A boutique winery with 54 hectares of forest, vineyards and centenary olive trees. An uncontaminated soil and a marvelous vegetal variety surrounded by a breathtaking view. Visit the Bonsai vineyard, the densest in the world with 62.500 plants/H. Walk through the Golden Cellar, built with the ancient construction techniques using over than 750.000 natural clay bricks. Finally, taste an outstanding selection of our best vintages, including the Bonsai wine.



Lunch Restaurant SILENE





Il Silene has a long history that began in the early 20th century. The restaurant has strictly maintained the ancient Tuscany culinary tradition based on the use of the best seasonal products grown in harmony with nature. The food is delicious and the atmosphere warm and elegant.

Roberto Rossi, chef/patron at Silene's, was born and grew up in Tuscany and he will accompany you in this experience. Highly recommend for truffle lovers.



2nd Winery - CASTIGLION DEL BOSCO CASTIGLION DEL BOSCO



The estate, owned by Massimo Ferragamo, extends over 2.000 hectares, with 62 of these dedicated to Sangiovese vineyards. It is one of the world's most fascinating wine estates and one of the founding members of the Consorzio Brunello di Montalcino, established in 1967.

Your extraordinary and private **vertical tasting** of six of our remarkable **Brunello di Montalcino** vintages is a must for wine lovers visiting Tuscany and seeking an **unforgettable experience**.

During the tasting, you will be served local Pecorino cheese, bread, our extra virgin olive oil and honey.

Price for 5 people: € 4.350

Kindly note that the cost covers the helicopter ride, both wine Tours & Tastings and lunch (wines excluded)