



E & E Travel Society

Exclusivity and Excellence

presents

Wines and Castles in Florence / Tuscany

DAY 1

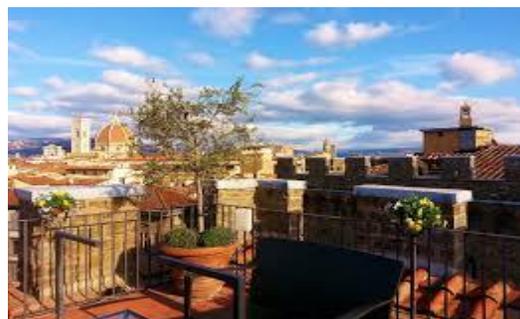
Arrival at Florence airport, You will be met by our private car service and driven to your Hotel :



After check in, a walk through the ancient streets of Florence: our experts will lead the way, showing you some very surprising places, some classics such as the Cathedral and the Baptistery, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio.

Cocktails and Dinner , at the private roof garden room of the Antica Torre , with most outstanding views of Florence. **Wine presentation and tasting of a special selection of Marchese Frescobaldi wines** from various areas of Tuscany.

Hotel: Historic Residence Antica Torre dei Tornabuoni or similar (subject to availability)



The Tower House known as "Antica Torre di Via Tornabuoni 1" was built during the first half of the

13th century by the Guelf Family, the Ruggerinis. Guests of the "Antica Torre di via Tornabuoni 1" do not consider themselves simply clients, but special guests. They are surrounded by a unique atmosphere of charm and history, while at the same time enjoy an elegant and refined ambiance, where the traditional fuses with the modern, offering a truly unforgettable stay.

DAY 2

Chianti & Wine

A day in the country! We will drive you through the **beautiful Tuscan countryside of Chianti** with its medieval villages and wineries: **wine tasting and lunch at the world renowned Principe Corsini wine cantina**, on the grounds of **their 17th century grand villa, a national monument and part of the Historical Residences Foundation.**



In the afternoon a stop and visit to the enchanting village of **Greve in Chianti**, its medieval square famous for its gourmet shops, and considered to be the birthplace of Chianti Classico. We will enjoy a wine tasting at the elegant **Enoteca Falorni** with over 100 wines available for tasting.

In the evening we will visit and dine at the world famous **Terreno Winery** which is owned by the Ruhne family from Sweden, on lands thought to have produced wine for nearly 2000 years.

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DAY 3 Galleria degli Uffizi



Exclusive, no-lines visit to the **Galleria degli Uffizi**, accompanied by our art experts.

Lunch at world famous **Harry's Bar**, on the Arno River.

Afternoon Option

Some time to stroll through the famous market of San Lorenzo, or, accompanied by our expert, visit the world famous **David**, among other splendid masterpieces at the Accademia.

Dinner at one of the best known and loved restaurants in Florence “**Cammillo**”.

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Day 4



Visit the Pitti Palace.

The Pitti Palace Museum of Silver and Artifacts: it is located in the Summer Apartments that The Granduke Ferdinando I had decorated in 1635, on the occasion of his wedding. The museum houses, among other works of art, the important Medici's Treasure: the semi precious stone vases of Lorenzo the Magnificent: our expert will illustrate and comment on them. Also, when available, we will see some current exhibitions. As always, our experts will lead the way.

Lunch at the charming “**4 Leoni**”, outdoor (weather permitting).

In the afternoon, a private, “insider” visit to **Palazzo Vecchio**, one of the most famous of Florence’s monuments. Florence’s city hall is as much a museum as it is a seat of civic government. With passageways that suggest intrigue and power struggles and the tantalizing possibility of a long-lost fresco by Leonardo da Vinci behind the walls, this city hall may have more secrets than most.

Dinner

Private transportation to the spectacular Marchesi Antinori's winery “**Il Bargino**”.

We will taste Antinori's top wines, **Solaia, Tignanello and Guado al Tasso**, among others.
Private dinner in the winery.



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DAY 5

Historical wine cellars of the **Marchesi de’ Frescobaldi**:

In the morning, visit **The Castello di Nipozzano**, built in year 1000 as a defensive fortress, houses the wine cellars. One of the family members with their leading wine expert will show us through the vineyards, introduce the wines and illustrate wine making techniques and the art of “aging”.
Taste the great reds **Nipozzano Riserva, Montesodi** among others.
Private lunch at the estate dining room.



In the evening

Cocktails and dinner : Private and exclusive, hosted by Marchesi Torrigiani, in their magnificent gardens, one of the largest private parks in Italy within a city center.
Wine tasting .



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DAY 6

Departure: according to your schedule, private car service to Florence airport/train station.

*This Wine travel program is all inclusive: hotels, breakfasts, lunches, dinners & wines, transportation, guides, museum admissions, and other activities are included unless otherwise specified. Airfare not included!
* When dinners and lunches are in private residences unforeseen owners' impediments might occur; in such cases, the same events will be available in suitable and comparable private residences.
* Museum schedules, weather conditions and special local events may suggest changes to the day to day proposed itinerary

