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# THE GREAT RED WINES OF BORDEAUX

Margaux, Pauillac, Saint-Julien, Saint-Emilion, Pomerol... one only needs to mention these names in order to awake a red wine lover's senses!

Come and discover the landscapes, terroirs and the Châteaux of these prestigious appellations and meet the men and women who make these great wines and will share their passion with you.

#### Three day package

**Day 1**. Welcome to Bordeaux.

*Welcome* and check-in at your guesthouse in the vineyards. *Dinner* and overnight.

### Day 2. The splendours of the Médoc.

The Médoc, one of the world's most famous vineyard regions, invites you to follow the Route des Grands Crus. You will go past many prestigious châteaux, reflecting the prosperity and prestige of Bordeaux winegrowers -great names such as Margaux, Latour, Mouton-Rothschild, Lafite-Rothschild. Visiting the estates, you will taste wines of infinite nuances in luxurious cellars. Fine Médoc is full of vigour, with an unforgettable bouquet and inimitable finesse.



After breakfast, departure for a tour of the appellations of Margaux, Saint-Julien, Pauillac, Saint-Estèphe and Médoc. Visit and tasting at a Grand Cru Classé. Lunch at a typical Médoc restaurant. Visit and tasting at a Cru Bourgeois. Gourmet dinner and overnight.

### Day 3. Wine & heritage in Saint-Emilion.

Saint-Emilion is set out like an amphitheatre in a splendid natural location. It is a vast indentation on top of limestone hill, exposed to the rising sun and covered with vineyards. The town has conserved its old walls and gateways as well as a series of prestigious archaeological sites. Saint Emilion and its surrounding vineyards were the first wine landscape to be listed as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. Described as "the nectar of the gods" by King Louis XIV when he visited Libourne, the wines of Saint-Emilion are warm, generous and full-bodied, with a fine colour. They acquire a highly distinctive bouquet as they age.



Tour of the vineyards of Pomerol and Saint-Emilion including a visit and tasting at a Grand Cru Classé Saint-Emilion. Lunch at a wine bistro well-known for the quality of its cuisine and its wine list. Guided visit of the subterranean monuments and stroll along the narrow cobblestone streets and alleys of the medieval village.

End of our services.

## **RATES 2009**

Price per person (for a minimum of two people):

- Accommodation at a four-star hotel or equivalent Château: from 550  $\in$
- Accommodation at a three-star hotel or equivalent guesthouse: from 445  $\in$ -

This price includes:

- Accommodation: 2 nights double occupancy including breakfast. -
- 2 lunches and 2 dinners (excluding drinks). -
- The guided wine estate visits and tastings. -
- The guided visit and admission fees in Saint-Emilion. -
- A road book. -

Not included are transportation, drinks, personal expenses and generally speaking any service not mentioned in the itinerary.

Single room supplement:

- Four-star hotel or equivalent Château: from 200 €
- -Three-star hotel or equivalent guesthouse: from 120 €

#### **Transport options:**

- Car rental with our partner AVIS: please contact us for prices. -
- Chauffeur-driven car transfer upon arrival and two full days (9 am 6 pm): from 900 € (for -1 to 4 people and accommodation in Bordeaux).

Price & services subject to availability at the time of booking.