



La Dolce Vita – Women's Small Group Florence & Tuscany Tour

Dates: September 16-22, 2027

Price: \$4,985 pp/double occupancy

Tour is limited to 8 guests.

A \$350 deposit is required to reserve
your space on the tour.

Single supplement: \$950

What's included

- Full-time tour leader
- Private ground transportation
- 7 overnights in boutique hotels
- All hotel breakfasts
- 4 lunches, 4 dinners with wine
- Pasta making class
- Truffle hunt
- 3 winery tours & tastings
- 1 wine class & tasting
- 2 guided walking tours
- Tour of the Uffizi Museum, Florence
- Tickets & admission fees
- All taxes, fees, and gratuities

**Tour price does not include airfare, but we
would be happy to assist in booking your flights.*

What to Expect



Join us for the trip of a lifetime! You'll spend an unforgettable week with a small group of women travelers, beginning in Florence and ending in the breathtaking Tuscan countryside. Highlights include private tours of Florence, the Uffizi Museum, and Siena with local guides; vineyard visits and intimate wine tastings; a hunt for prized truffles with a canine helper; and a pasta making class.

Our Florence & Tuscany Tour itinerary has been thoughtfully designed to include a balance of group activities and free time to relax and explore on your own, so you never feel rushed. We don't travel in order to check items off a list. For us—and we expect for you, too—the joy of travel comes from immersion

in another culture, interactions with local people, and experiences that expand our horizons and introduce us to something new, whether food, art, or an unfamiliar landscape.

You'll get an in depth look at the culture and traditions of this unique region of Italy. We'll meet local producers of wine, olive oil, and cheese who are passionate about their craft and still use methods passed down through generations of family. We'll enjoy food that redefines the term "made from scratch"—fresh-pressed olive oil, homemade ricotta with just-picked tomato and basil, and pasta rolled by hand using wheat grown just down the road and eggs from the chickens roaming outside. Our shared meals run the gamut from rustic home cooking to elevated fine dining, and are always authentic and delicious.

Not to mention the wine! We'll spend a full day visiting three very different family-owned wineries, sampling red and white Tuscan grapes, from Sangiovese to Vernaccia. We'll get an insider's view of the making of the world-famous Chianti Classico, a wine that dates back centuries. In San Gimignano we'll visit a local wine school for a master class, with a view of the stunning Tuscan countryside as backdrop.



Tour Itinerary

DAY 1 – Arrive in Florence and transfer you to your 4-star boutique hotel in the city center. After getting settled in, your tour leader will meet the group for introductions, followed by a walking tour with a local guide who brings history to life and shares little-known insights about the city's people and cultural treasures. We'll see the beautiful Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, Piazza del Duomo, and Ponte Vecchio, along with some hidden gems. Tonight, we'll dine together at a favorite local trattoria just a few blocks from our hotel.

Overnight Florence (1 of 2)

Included meals: Dinner



DAY 2 – After breakfast, we'll explore the masterworks of the Uffizi Museum with a local art expert who has some inside gossip to share about Renaissance stars Michelangelo and Leonardo. We'll view iconic paintings by Botticelli and Caravaggio and an unfinished Leonardo da Vinci with an interesting backstory. Afterwards, join your tour leader at the Uffizi's rooftop café for an Aperol Spritz, and enjoy the rest of the day wandering, shopping, and exploring the city sights on

your own. Dine at one of the many excellent restaurants within walking distance of our hotel.

Overnight Florence (2 of 2)

Included meals: Breakfast

DAY 3 – Our driver picks us up in the morning for the one-hour drive to Siena, with a stop at a scenic viewpoint overlooking the Arno and the city of Florence. On the way, we'll pass through the rolling hills and vineyards of Chianti before arriving at our hotel in historic Siena. We'll lunch *al fresco* as a group before meeting our local guide for a walking tour, including a look at Siena Cathedral, one of the most impressive works of Romanesque





architecture in Italy. We'll return to the hotel before heading out for a 3-course meal at a fine dining restaurant in town.

Overnight Siena (1 of 2)

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 4 – Today we travel to the famous Chianti region for a full day tour. Our first stop is at the impressive 12th century Brolio Castle, home of the first vineyard to produce Chianti. We'll visit the impressive gardens before enjoying a tasting of Chianti Classico in the Castle cellars. Next, we'll stop at a Chianti estate



for a traditional Tuscan lunch accompanied by a tasting of the farm's wines. At our third and final winery of the day, the local producer will show us around the estate and cellars. We'll learn about the traditional Chianti wine making techniques and we'll sit down to savor a glass of the farm's renowned wines before heading back to Siena for the night.

Overnight Siena (2 of 2)

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch



DAY 5 – After breakfast, we'll be on our way to our next destination, picturesque San Gimignano, where we'll stay in a centuries-old hotel with breathtaking views. You'll have free time to visit the local shops selling leather goods, jewelry, and linen. Be sure to try the gelato at Dondoli, named "Best Gelato in the World," and located in the piazza near our hotel. In the evening, we'll sip an aperitif while we learn to make hand-rolled pasta at a local cooking class, then dine on our creations, accompanied by charcuterie.

Overnight San Gimignano (1 of 3)

Included meals: Breakfast, Dinner



DAY 6 – Today we travel to a gorgeous estate in San Miniato, inhabited by same family for six generations. We'll have a coffee and a chance to wander the beautifully appointed rooms of the villa before we meet our specially-trained truffle dog (and handler), and venture into the woods on a truffle hunting expedition. Afterwards, we'll enjoy a 3-course lunch—featuring truffles, of course!—and finishing with biscotti and a glass of the local specialty, Vin Santo (Holy Wine) before returning to San Gimignano.

Overnight San Gimignano (2 of 3)

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 7 – After a free morning in San Gimignano, we'll visit a local wine collective for a tasting class where we learn about native grapes and winemaking methods. This evening we'll gather for our farewell dinner at a wonderful restaurant within walking distance of our hotel.

Overnight San Gimignano (3 of 3)

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



DAY 8 – After breakfast, we'll say *arrivederci* to Italy and to the new friends we've made, and transfer to the Florence Airport.

Included meals: Breakfast

Note: Travel involves a degree of unpredictability and at times we may have to adjust the tour itinerary.

Getting there

International airfare is not included in the tour price, but One Street Over Travel can assist in booking your flights. We will be flying into Florence Peretola Airport, departing the U.S. on September 15 and arriving in Florence on September 16, 2026, the day the tour begins.

Some guests choose to arrive a day before the tour starts to counter jet lag. If you wish to do so, let us know and we will arrange an extra night at our Florence hotel.

Payments

A \$350 deposit is required to secure your place on the tour. This deposit is fully refundable for 7 days after receipt. Payment for the balance of the tour is divided into two equal payments, the first due 6 months prior to departure, and the balance 60 days before departure. Tour payments are non-refundable as of June 16, 2027 and, with the exception of the deposit, are refundable in the amount of 50% prior to that date. Cancellation charges reflect the unrecoverable expenses incurred by One Street Over Travel and are not intended to be punitive.

If you would like One Street Over Travel to book your airfare, a credit card must be provided at the time of booking.

The Fine Print

Travel Insurance: One Street Over Travel does not sell or provide travel insurance, but we recommend that guests purchase a travel protection plan. We are happy to direct you to websites that offer insurance policy comparisons and pricing information.

Activity Level: guests on the tour must be able to walk two miles at a leisurely pace, climb stairs, and carry their own luggage. Although the tour is not strenuous, there will be periods of standing, and walking on cobblestones, hilly streets, and uneven terrain.

We look forward to traveling with you!

