

Villa Wine Package

In either Piedmont or Tuscany

4 days / 3 nights

Available April - October



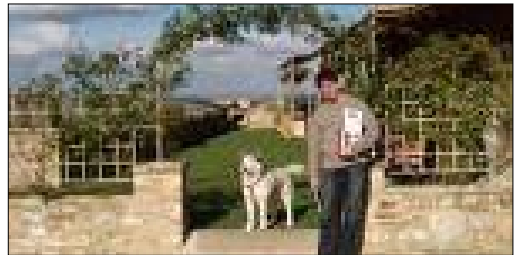
Italy produces some of the world's finest wines in a wide variety of locations and styles. Avanti's villa wine packages allow you to select the region and type of wine to experience in more depth. With your Avanti Destinations Italy Villa Wine package, you'll have accommodations at a wine-producing property where you get a real sense of how wine is grown and produced, plus you can enjoy the amenities and local ambience with your free time.

Your 4-day wine program includes

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| • 3 nights accommodation | • 2 three-course dinners |
| • Wine tasting at your villa | • Wine tasting at a nearby winery |
| • 4 days car rental | • Daily breakfast |
| • Detailed driving directions to your Villa | • Hotel taxes and service charges |
| | • Guidebooks & maps with sample itineraries |

~ Additional pre and post nights available upon request ~

Day 1 ~ Arrive at villa: Pick up your rental car in Florence or other conveniently located Hertz office. Detailed driving instructions to your choice of villa are included in your Avanti documents. Upon arrival you will be greeted by the proprietors of the villa who will provide you with your wine-tasting schedule. After free time to freshen up and explore the property, your dinner with beverage is served. *(Dinner & accommodation, villa.)*



NOTE: From long experience, we recommend you spend at least one night in your arrival city before picking up your car and driving to your Villa, especially if this is your arrival day in Europe.

Days 2 & 3: After breakfast at the villa, you have time at leisure to explore the grounds before your wine tasting either at your host villa, or at a nearby wine producing property. *(Breakfast, dinner & accommodation, villa.)*



- If visiting a nearby winery, dinner is on your own. You will be provided detailed a map and driving directions to this property.
- If your tasting is at your host villa, your evening meal is included.

Day 4: After breakfast at the Villa, you're off to your next destination, relaxed and with hands-on knowledge of some very fine Italian vintages. *(Breakfast, villa)*

Your choice of deluxe Italian Farmhouse or Villa ~

Piedmont: This region produces some of Italy's best wines, including Barbera, Barolo, Dolcetto, Gavi and Brachetto. Located between the Alps and the Ligurian Sea, the Piedmont provides a good base for visits to the Cinque Terre and the Italian Lake District.



3* Villa Cascina Barac in Alba
Producers of Dolcetto d'Alba & Barbaresco wines



4* L'Ostelliere in Monerotondo di Gavi
Producers of Gavi, Dolcetto and Barbera wines

Tuscany: The most famous of wines are produced here – Chianti Classico, Brunello and Rosso di Montalcino, Vernaccia di San Gimignano, Vino Nobile di Montepulciano – not to mention the wonderful regional cuisine and beautiful scenery.



3* Villa Corte di Valle in Greve
Producers of Chianti



4* Villa Dievole in Vagliagli
Producers of Chianti Classicos



3* Paradiso di Frassina in Montalcino
Producers of Brunello



4* Villa Cicolina in Montepulciano
Producers of Vino Nobile
(From vines softly serenaded by classical music)

For information and reservations, please see your professional travel agent.

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