

Wine Tours



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Pinnacle Wine Tours, based in Palm Springs, offers several unique and exquisite Wine & Culinary Tours. It can be a day trip to Temecula or a 2-3 day getaway to the Wineries in Santa Barbara area or Napa/Sonoma, Baja in Mexico, etc.. They also offer their very popular International Wine Tours to Chile & Argentina, South Africa, Croatia, Spain, France, Italy, Australia & New Zealand, etc.. Even Forbes has written about their International Wine Tours.

Temecula Valley - Is a veritable paradise of rolling hills and vineyards with about 40 wineries to visit. Many have dramatic tasting rooms. It is within an hours drive from Palm Springs area. The day trip there includes visiting several Wineries, a Gourmet Lunch and an optional spectacular Balloon ride over the lush valley.

Santa Barbara - Nestled in the heart of breathtaking Santa Ynez Valley, the legendary vineyards bask in the beauty of the region. Tour some of the 14 enchanting wineries and take in the magnificent countryside & ocean vistas of Santa Barbara. The perfect destination for a getaway, the area boasts exquisite hotels, wonderful restaurants and unique shopping opportunities and the Danish village of Solvang.

Napa Valley - One of the premier travel Winery destinations in the world, where

picturesque rolling hills and vineyards of every stature dot the landscape. The Valley (including Sonoma & surrounding areas) features more than 450 wineries that grow many grape varieties. Whether you are wine tasting, dining at renowned restaurants, pampering yourself or just enjoying your stay at quaint bed & breakfasts or, or treating yourself to a hot air balloon experience, Napa Valley is your spot for a unique experience. Combine it with a side trip to San Francisco and it becomes an exhilarating getaway.

Chile & Argentina - Visit the World Renowned Vineyards around Santiago, Chile and Mendoza, Argentina. Included in the Tour is Buenos Aires, where you will enjoy great Tango Dancing & a unique Shopping experience.

South Africa - The latest hotspot of great wines, are the Winelands of South Africa. Close to Capetown, visiting the Vineyards of Constantia or the Wine Estates of Stellenbosch, Franschhoek or Paarl, is a must for Wine lovers. Combine it with a Safari Experience and it becomes an unforgettable sojourn.

Australia & New Zealand - Experience the Unique Wineries of beautiful Hunters Valley & Barossa Valley in Australia and Waiheke Island, Wellington & Marlborough regions of New Zealand.

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