

# ITALIA IN FERRARI

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## 3-Day Val d'Orcia & Tuscany Ferrari Tour

### *A New Travel Concept*

Red Travel offers a new travel concept; an innovative approach to the self-drive tour offering absolute luxury combined with the ultimate Gran Turismo experience.

Red Travel Tours are unique journeys, individually created for you to fully experience the Italian Way of Life. Each journey is a sublime blend of art, fashion, architecture, gastronomy and spectacular scenery.

Our guests will feel part of a real Ferrari team, enjoying the opportunity to personally drive the very latest models. Travelling for kilometres, accelerating through the steep, winding roads of Tuscany, along the route of the legendary Mille Miglia race, putting their driving skills to the ultimate test.

Behind the scenes, Red Travel staff take complete care of the Ferraris. Every morning, our guests will find their car at the entrance of the hotel, clean and polished, refuelled and fully checked, ready to begin another day of exciting driving through further dazzling landscapes.





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### DAY 1: WELCOME TO VAL D'ORCIA, TUSCANY

- You will be met at *Rome – Fiumicino International Airport* and transferred by Mercedes S-Class to five-star luxury *Fonteverde Tuscan Resort & Spa* in southern Tuscany.
- Arrival at *Castello di Velona Resort* and check-in.

Castello di Velona Resort, Thermal Spa & Winery is a National Monument, a renovated fortress dating back from the XI century, on the top of a hill overlooking the entire Val d'Orcia. Located in Montalcino County only 9 km away from the town center, Castello di Velona is known for its thermal OLI SPA and for producing one of the best 10 Brunello di Montalcino wine, as well as Extravirgin Olive Oil.

Afternoon dedicated to relaxation at the spa. The OLISPA at Castello di Velona offers a complete fusion between the well-being of the treatments, the natural elements, the landscape, the products of nature, the silence and the stunning scenery of the Val d'Orcia.

### Evening



Dinner in Castelnuovo dell'Abate - Restaurant suggestions: **Settimo Senso**, for an elegant emotional dinner, or **Brunello**, for a Tuscan-like retreat.



Overnight at **Castello di Velona Resort, Thermal Spa & Winery 5\*** (Montalcino, Siena).





## DAY 2: VAL D'ORCIA TOUR BY FERRARI

*Route:* Castelnuovo dell'Abate ▶ Montepulciano ▶ Pienza ▶ Montalcino ▶ Castelnuovo dell'Abate

### **Morning**

- After breakfast, meeting with your Red Travel Tour Director.

Our private Tour Director, an expert Ferrari driver, will introduce our guests to the world of Ferrari; clarify the finer details of the controls, explain the differences between the various models (Ferrari 488 Spider, Ferrari Portofino) and the engines (new 8-cylinder turbo) and most importantly, give guidance on how to handle the F1 paddle-gear shifting behind the steering wheel.



### Departure by Ferrari for a tour of Val d'Orcia

- After a short Ferrari practice-drive, you will leave by Ferrari heading towards splendid Val d'Orcia. Our Tour Director leads the way at the wheel of his powerful Alfa Romeo Giulia, guiding the Ferrari along the most exciting hilly and curving roads of southern Tuscany. During the whole journey, the Ferrari and the Tour Director's car will be constantly in touch by mobile radio system.

Pleasant drive along the panoramic and enchanting roads of Val d'Orcia. The roads carefully selected by Red Travel ensure maximum driving pleasure while enjoying the beautiful landscape of southern Tuscany.

The itinerary for this full Ferrari driving day includes the visits of the most beautiful places in Val d'Orcia, as Montepulciano, Pienza, and Montalcino. Whilst driving, our guests will be able to enjoy outstanding views of the famous Tuscan vineyards on either side of the road. Mediaeval villages and the beautiful natural landscape offer an overwhelming feast for the eyes.

- First stop is Montepulciano, archetypical Tuscan mediaeval town built at the summit of a hill as well and surrounded by walls and fortifications. The place is famous for its *Vino Nobile*, one of Italy's major red wines.
- The tour heads towards Pienza, Pope Pius' II birthplace, located high on a hillside. Meant to be the ideal Renaissance town, Pienza comprises such beauties as a white stone cathedral, Palazzo Piccolomini with its fine courtyard, Palazzo Borgia, a graceful Piazza...



Lunch in Pienza - Restaurant suggestion: **La Terrazza del Chiostro**.



## **Afternoon**

### **15.00: Departure to Montalcino by Ferrari along the magnificent Mille Miglia route**

- The next stage is Montalcino, reached by meandering through the vineyards that provide grapes for the production of the famous Brunello. You will taste this top-class red wine at the estate of Biondi Santi (subject to availability) after visiting the cellar of this masterful wine producer.

A visit to the historical centre of Montalcino with its fort and the churches of Sant'Agostino and Sant'Egidio is also a must.

The famous Mille Miglia route offers a breathtakingly picturesque panorama, the enjoyment of which is enhanced by the pure pleasure of driving over an amazing succession of rolling hills and round never-ending curves!

At the wheel of his car, our Red Travel Tour Director guides you through this vivid land of enchanting towns and villages. The charm of southern Tuscany is encapsulated in the stunning Val d'Orcia, a picture-postcard valley, designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site due to its colourful landscape, dotted with green cypress trees under an amazing blue sky. This truly unique experience offers a wealth of memories to treasure.

- Arrival at [Castello di Velona](#) and time at disposal.

## **Evening**



Dinner in Seggiano - Restaurant suggestion: **Silene** (1 Michelin star).

Located in a quiet spot, this is an old inn which has been renovated over the years. Elegant dining hall with nice furniture. Traditional cuisine and innovative dishes.

- Return to the hotel after dinner.



Overnight at **Castello di Velona Resort, Thermal Spa & Winery 5\*** (Montalcino, Siena).

**Guests can drive the Ferrari for up to 200 km during the day** 





## DAY 3: ARRIVEDERCI ITALIA!

### *Morning*

- A private transfer by Mercedes S-Class will lead you to the discovery of the magnificent landscape of Umbria.
- Halt at Orvieto, a perfect example of integration between nature and man's work.

Perched on a plateau of tufa rock, with the outline of its world famous Duomo visible for miles around, the city of Orvieto has adapted to the needs of the modern-day tourist by transforming itself into a car-free haven. Access to the city in fact is either via the funicular that runs from the railway station below up to the old town centre, passing directly by the Alborno fortress, or up the system of escalators dug into the cliff-side from a large parking lot located further down.



13.00: Lunch in the centre of Orvieto - Restaurant suggestion: **Il Giglio d'Oro**.

A great view of the Duomo is coupled with superb food. Eggplant is transformed into elegant custard with black truffles, lamb roasted in a crust of bread is delicately seasoned with a tomato cream sauce. The wine cellar includes some rare vintages.

- After lunch, private transfer by Mercedes S-Class to *Rome – Fiumicino International Airport* for your return flight and the end of the activities.





## Highlights & Included Services

- 3 days Italy by Ferrari tour on the most exciting roads of Tuscany
- Val d'Orcia tour by Ferrari
- Opportunity to drive the latest models of Ferrari
- Full Ferrari briefing
- Full-kasko car insurance for all cars and up to 200 km of Ferrari driving
- Welcome coffee
- 2 nights' accommodation in Junior Suite with breakfast at five-star luxury hotel Castello di Velona Resort, Thermal Spa & Winery (Montalcino)
- Spa treatments at Castello di Velona Resort (indoor and outdoor swimming pools, jacuzzi with volcanic naturally-warmed water, solarium, relax area, steam bath, sauna and multi-sensory showers)
- Red Travel staff (1/2 persons), including your private Tour Director with his Alfa Romeo Giulia
- Mobile radio system (guests and Red Travel staff while driving are always connected through radio)
- Service of parking, cleaning and refuelling of the car
- Visits, Private transfers by Mercedes S-Class as per programme and from/to Rome Fiumicino International Airport
- Photographic service; our guests will be offered a souvenir DVD with high-resolution pictures
- For any pre- or post-tour extensions, please contact Red Travel

### *Red Travel's full Ferrari service*

You enjoy the Ferrari driving while your private Tour Director and his staff take care of everything else: refuelling, cleaning, parking, technical assistance...

### *Not included*

Airfare, fuel for the Ferrari, meals and drinks, everything not shown as "included services".

### *Red Travel car portfolio (upon availability)*

- **Ferrari 488 Spider**
- **Ferrari Portofino**



### *Deposit for the car:*

**10,000.00 euro for each Ferrari**

The programmes are indicative and subject to modifications, on a day-to-day basis and with the assent of Red Travel Tour Director. On request: tailor-made programmes including alternative itineraries and activities (golf, yachting, hot air ballooning, shopping tour, cooking lesson, wine tasting tour, private guided tour...)

*Note: Final price will be communicated after hotel selection.*