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## TASTING THE CULTURE & HISTORY OF WINE & MORE

LIMITED EDITION TOUR



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# LIMITED EDITION TOUR

# GENERAL INFORMATION

## PRICING:

- \$13,700 Per person based on two sharing. Single supplement cost applies.
- Single supplement: \$2,400.00
- Please note that all accommodations provided during your stay will be of 5-star rating, ensuring that you experience the highest level of luxury and comfort throughout your trip.

## SERVICES INCLUDED:

- Breakfast at the hotels daily and other meals as per the itinerary. All independent meals are to be covered by each family/person.
- Hotel accommodations: based on level as stated in the tour proposal according to double occupancy.
- 1 \* professionally licensed guide educator with group on 24/7 basis (all accommodation and tour expenses included) per bus.
- 1 \* Driver and deluxe motor coach with air conditioning daily and a refrigerator with cold water for the group on the house (all accommodation and tour expenses included) per 50 people.
- Entrance fees and activity costs according to itinerary.
- Portage at each hotel (in and out) where applicable.

## SERVICES NOT INCLUDED:

- Gratuities (Recommended at \$8 USD a day per person for the guide and \$6 USD a day per person for the driver).
- International flights (connection to travel agent for flight arrangement available).
- Hotel incidentals.
- Evening Transportation when evenings are on your own (can be added as an overtime fee for the driver you will have).
- Personal extras: alcohol, room service, passport/visa fees, etc.
- Any surcharge levied on payment by Credit Cards.
- Any changes you may choose to make during your holiday.
- Value Added Tax (VAT) is not included and is currently not applicable to tourists visiting Israel. Should this change, VAT will be added to your final invoice.



# LIMITED EDITION TOUR

# TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Payment: A \$500 USD deposit is required to secure a booking for each participant upon registration. The balance will be paid 45 days before the start of the tour.
- Cancellation Policy: You may cancel your trip free of charge up to 90 days before departure. In this case, the deposit will not be refunded but kept as credit for an unlimited time. For cancellations made between 0 and 60 days before departure, a penalty of \$500 USD will be applied, in addition to any penalties requested by suppliers.
- Itinerary changes: We reserve the right to make changes to the itinerary if circumstances beyond our control make it necessary. We will make every effort to notify you of any changes as soon as possible. We will make every endeavor to make any changes to suit the level of activity/hotel already given on the itinerary.
- Travel insurance: We strongly recommend that you purchase comprehensive travel insurance before departing on your trip.
- Health and safety: You are responsible for ensuring that you are physically and mentally fit to travel. We reserve the right to exclude you from the tour if we believe that your health or safety is at risk.
- Code of conduct: We expect all tour participants to behave in a responsible and respectful manner towards other members of the group, the tour leaders, and local communities.
- Personal belongings: We are not responsible for any loss or damage to your personal belongings during the tour.
- Photography and media: We reserve the right to use any photographs or videos taken during the tour for promotional purposes.
- Liability: We are not liable for any loss, damage, injury, or death that occurs during the tour unless it is caused by our negligence.
- Force majeure: We are not liable for any failure or delay in the performance of our obligations due to circumstances beyond our control, such as natural disasters, political unrest, or strikes.
- Jurisdiction: These terms and conditions are governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the jurisdiction in which the tour is taking place, and any disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that jurisdiction.

# TASTING THE CULTURE & HISTORY OF WINE & MORE

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- **Day 3: Judea: Israel's First Wine Region and Local Encounters**
  - Visit Domaine du Castel winery in the Judean Hills. Lunch and cheese-tasting experience at Offaim Farm. Tzora Winery exploration. Dinner at Talbiye with insights on Jerusalem cuisine and local wine pairing from Chef Nir Levi. Overnight in Jerusalem.
- **Day 4: Wine, Vines, and Grape-Inspired Cuisine**
  - Visit Sorek Winery Wine School for a winemaking lesson and guided wine tasting with Roni Saslove. Relax with a movie on the wine industry during travel to the North. Old City of Acre tour. Dinner at Uri Buri. Overnight in Acre.
- **Day 5: Sustainability, Wine, and Life**
  - Visit Harashim Winery for discussion on sustainability and values, wine tasting, and mountain air. Tour Kishor Winery at Kfar Kishorit village. Lecture from Dr. Uri Mayer-Chissick. Julius Artisan Distillery tasting and conversation with founder Yuval Hargil. Overnight in Acre.
- **Day 6: The Science and Nostalgia Behind Wine and Spirits**
  - Lunch with food guru Yaniv Gur Arie, exploring the connection between food, science, soul, and philosophy. Visit Somek Winery in Zichron Yaakov. Explore the ancient wine cellar with wine tasting and stories about Baron Rothschild. Overnight in Tel Aviv.
- **Day 7: Take Me Home to Remember**
  - Visit famous food markets with wine pairing at a local shop. Unique Shabbat dinner with a twist, cooked by a local chef in a secret Jaffa location, and wine expertise from Roni Saslove. Optional bar tour for extra excitement. Overnight in Tel Aviv.
- **Day 8: Tasting the Future**
  - Visit The Kitchen food tech lab, exploring innovation and tasting the future of food and wine. Engage in open conversation with the experts. Dinner at hotel, enjoying a thought-provoking dining experience with fellow travelers. Overnight in Tel Aviv.



# READY FOR YOUR TOUR?

## IN THIS EXCITING WINE TOUR...

We will savor the essence of the land and immerse ourselves in the rich culture of local wines with ancient roots and renewed passion.

## WE WILL MEET:

**Roni Saslove**, an esteemed Israeli expert, winemaker, and conductor of sensory-enhancing wine tastings and courses. As the co-author of 'Wine Journey' and co-host of the Israeli wine podcast 'Wine is Basic', Roni is a staunch advocate for local wines, providing guidance and raising awareness both locally and globally. Discover her journey as an Israeli winemaker [here](#).



## WE WILL BE CAPTIVATED BY:

Wine; our muse. "Each drop tells a tale of time and place, of the winemaker's craft and the hidden memories of those who partake. It presents a mesmerizing lens through which to view life." - Roni Saslove

# DAY 1

## ARRIVAL IN JERUSALEM – WELCOME TO ISRAEL



- A representative will meet you at the plane exit upon landing. From there you will be escorted in a private vehicle straight to passport control. You will be assisted with collecting your luggage and will be met by your driver in the Arrival's Hall that will transfer you to your hotel in Jerusalem.
- Settling In – Take some time to relax and adjust at your leisure.
- Dinner – Enjoy a special dinner in Jerusalem.
- Overnight: Jerusalem



# DAY 2

## IGNITE YOUR SENSES



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Old City Tour – Immerse yourself in the rich history and vibrant atmosphere of the Old City.
- Wine Workshop with Roni Saslov – Enhance your senses and learn about local wine culture with an expert winemaker and co-author of 'Wine Journey.'
- Lunch with Wine Pairing – Savor a delicious meal perfectly paired with a selection of wines.
- Hotel Relaxation – Unwind and enjoy some leisure time at your hotel.
- Cooking Workshop with Tali Friedman – Experience the excitement of Mahane Yehuda Market and its seasonal ingredients, followed by a hands-on cooking session.
- Rooftop Dinner – Indulge in a candlelit dinner on the rooftop, surrounded by the lively market atmosphere.
- Overnight: Jerusalem

# DAY 3

## JUDEA: ISRAEL'S FIRST WINE REGION AND LOCAL ENCOUNTERS



- Have breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit Domaine du Castel – Delve into the history of wine and learn from the owner of the pioneering winery in the Judean Hills.
- Lunch at Offaim Farm – Savor a farm-to-table meal and enjoy a cheese-tasting experience.
- Tzora Winery Exploration – Discover the importance of terroir and the influence of soil and climate on wine production.
- Hotel Relaxation – Unwind and prepare for dinner at your hotel.
- Dinner at Talbiye – Dine at this unique restaurant under the Jerusalem Theater, where Chef Nir Levi shares insights on Jerusalem cuisine and local wine pairing.
- Overnight: Jerusalem



# DAY 4

## WINE, VINES, AND GRAPE-INSPIRED CUISINE



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit Sorek Winery Wine School – Learn about winemaking and participate in a guided wine tasting, creating your own bottle with guidance from Roni Saslove.
- Forest Lunch and Hidden History – Discover the grape-based dishes of the Muslim period and cook a Palestinian-style meal featuring grapes and local herbs, accompanied by regional wine.
- Relax with a Movie – Enjoy popcorn and beer while watching a film about the wine industry as you travel to the North.
- Hotel Relaxation.
- The Old City of Acre Tour.
- Dinner at Uri Buri – Indulge in a memorable meal at one of Israel's best restaurants, and meet the iconic owner and chef.
- Overnight: Acre

# DAY 5

## SUSTAINABILITY, WINE, AND LIFE



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit Harashim Winery – Discuss sustainability and values, taste wine, and enjoy the mountain air at this biodynamic winery.
- Tour Kishor Winery – Explore Kfar Kishorit, a village for people with special needs, and learn about its history and local bakery.
- Lunch and Wine Tasting – Engage in a lecture and discussion on science, philosophy, and sustainability with Dr. Uri Mayer-Chissick while sampling wine and pickles.
- Julius Artisan Distillery – Experience a tasting and open conversation with Yuval Hargil, the founder and distiller, at Israel's first artisan distillery.
- Dinner with a View – Savor a meal prepared by an Arab Christian chef, using local ingredients from the old market and innovative culinary techniques, accompanied by chilled wine.
- Overnight: Acre



# DAY 6

## THE SCIENCE AND NOSTALGIA BEHIND WINE AND SPIRITS



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Lunch with Food Guru Yaniv Gur Arie – Explore the connection between food, science, soul, and philosophy.
- Visit Somek Winery – Taste wine and meet the family behind this five-generation winery in Zichron Yaakov, learning about their fascinating history.
- Explore the Ancient Wine Cellar – Enjoy wine tasting and stories about Baron Rothschild in Zichron Yaakov's historic agricultural colony.
- Overnight: Tel Aviv

# DAY 7

## TAKE ME HOME TO REMEMBER



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit famous food markets – Explore two renowned markets and pick up exciting goodies to take home, while enjoying a wine pairing with Roni at a local shop.
- Lunch at a popular fish restaurant – Savor a delicious meal paired with wine.
- Relaxation before Shabbat dinner.
- Experience a unique Shabbat dinner – Enjoy a traditional meal with a twist, cooked by a local chef in a secret Jaffa location, enhanced by Roni Saslove's wine expertise.
- Optional bar tour – For those seeking extra excitement, join us on a bar tour to enjoy drinks and fun.
- Overnight: Tel Aviv



# DAY 8

## TASTING THE FUTURE



- Breakfast at your hotel.
- Visit The Kitchen food tech lab – Explore the innovative world of food technology at The Kitchen, founded by Strauss-Group, a leading Israeli company in the global food market. Engage in an open conversation and taste the future of food and wine.
- Dinner – Enjoy a thought-provoking dining experience at the hotel with fellow travelers.
- Overnight: Tel Aviv
- Transfer to the airport for departure.



## Farewell, Israel

Our team has been honored to guide you through the diverse landscapes, rich history, and vibrant cultures that make this land unique. We hope that the memories you've created and the connections you've made will last a lifetime.

As you return home, we encourage you to share your stories and experiences with friends and family, and to continue exploring the world with the same passion and curiosity that brought you to Israel. Safe travels!

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THANK YOU!