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Tuscany & the Italian Riviera

April 12 – 19, 2019

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- Journey to Florence for a tour of the "Cradle of the Italian Renaissance."
- Explore the medieval city of Siena.
- Stop in the medieval city of Lucca, encircled by 16th-century walls.

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- Experience a guided tour including a visit to the beautiful Cathedral of San Martino.
- Marvel at the magnificent architecture of the Piazza Dei Miracoli.
- Spend 3 nights in a beautiful Tuscan Estate.

Highlights: Tuscan Estate, Florence, Choice on Tour, Siena, Tuscan Winery, Lucca, Pisa, Italian Riviera, Cinque Terre, Portofino

Day 1: Friday, April 12, 2019

Overnight Flight Experience the romance of travel among the rolling hills of Tuscany and along the colorful coast of the Italian Riviera.

Day 2: Saturday, April 13, 2019

Tuscany, Italy - Tuscan Estate - Tour Begins Welcome to Tuscany. Settle in for a relaxing 3-night stay at a traditional Tuscan estate.* Your journey begins with an interactive pasta-making demonstration with the winery's on-site chef. Then **take your seat for an authentic Tuscan dinner** expertly paired with their wines. (D)

Day 3: Sunday, April 14, 2019

Tuscan Estate - Florence - Tuscan Estate How will you experience the "Cradle of the Italian Renaissance?" **The choice is yours!** Perhaps you'll join a local Florentine guide to see the city's iconic sites: view the remarkable Piazza del Duomo, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, the impressive gilded bronze doors of the Baptistry dedicated to St. John, the Piazza della Signoria and Piazza Santa Croce. Or, you may join your local guide and see Florence's lesser-known treasures – the Piazza Santa Maria Novella, the bustling San Lorenzo Market, and visit the Orsanmichele Church; see



San Lorenzo Church and admire historic Ponte Vecchio, the oldest bridge in Florence. Later, delight in leisure time to relax or discover this dynamic city on your own. (B)

**Day 4: Monday, April 15, 2019
Tuscan Estate - Siena - Tuscan Winery**

- Tuscan Estate A scenic journey through Tuscany's graceful low-lying hills brings you to the lovely medieval city of Siena. Delight in its narrow Gothic streets, magnificent palaces and historic Piazza del Campo. After a walking tour with a local expert, take some time to explore the medieval corners of Siena with its small specialty shops and outdoor cafés.

Then it's on to one of the oldest wine estates in the Siena region. Sit down with a family member to hear about their wine and taste their creations along with other local products. Return to your countryside estate. Perhaps you'll explore its Medici Villa. Tonight, a local musician will serenade you at dinner. (B, D)

**Day 5: Tuesday, April 16, 2019
Tuscan Estate - Lucca - Pisa - Italian Riviera** As you head towards Italy's

picturesque Riviera, make a stop in the medieval city of Lucca, encircled by 16th-century Renaissance walls. **Join a local guide for a tour** showcasing the Cathedral of San Martino and the Piazza Napoleone. Next, **spend time in the ancient maritime Republic of Pisa.** Discover the Piazza Dei Miracoli, view the Duomo (Cathedral) and, of course, stand before its famous Leaning Tower. Continue on to the spectacular Italian Riviera and check in for your 3-night stay. (B, D)

**Day 6: Wednesday, April 17, 2019
Italian Riviera - Cinque Terre - Italian Riviera** Spend the day exploring the colorful cliff-side villages of the Cinque Terre** with a local guide. Take in the picturesque, rugged coastline dotted with terraced vineyards as you travel by rail. We make our way through this seemingly inaccessible string of fishing villages, nestled between the mountains and the Mediterranean Sea. (B)

**Day 7: Thursday, April 18, 2019
Italian Riviera-Santa Margherita
Ligure-Portofino-Italian Riviera** Travel to the seaside resort of Santa



Margherita Ligure. Board a boat*** to glamorous Portofino. Soak in the view of the town's colorful harbor, dotted by fishing boats and yachts, set against a backdrop of pastel-colored buildings. Return to Santa Margherita Ligure for free time to peruse its charming streets and boutiques. Tonight, cap off an unforgettable journey at a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers. (B, D)

Day 8: Friday, April 19, 2019 Italian Riviera - Tour Ends Today your journey comes to a close. (B)

Itinerary at a glance

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2 – 4	Hotel Paggeria Medicea/Borgo di Artimino, Tuscany
Days 5 – 7	Grande Albergo Sestri Levante, Italian Riviera

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Experience It! Lucca

Fall in love with charming Lucca, an ancient city frozen in time. Surrounded by perfectly preserved Renaissance-era walls, Lucca is one of the most enchanting cities you will encounter in Italy. The amazingly intact 16th-century walls are uniquely lined with green grass and trees, the perfect spot for a stroll. Lucca's maze of medieval streets is sure to bring you back in time...most of them are pedestrian only. Among the many historic buildings, you'll find the magnificent Romanesque Cathedral of San Martino. Be sure to spend some time exploring the popular Piazza Napoleone for a true taste of Italian culture.

For important reservation information visit gateway.memberchoicevacations.com/link/877082.
You can also find this information on your tour documents.

Please Note:

Days of features are interchangeable.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Included breakfasts are buffet breakfasts.

Most shops and businesses in Italy are closed on Sundays and on national/religious holidays.

Most national museums in Florence, including the Uffizi Gallery and the Academy Gallery, are closed on Mondays.

When reserving single accommodations, be advised that single rooms in Italy are often smaller in size.

In order to fully experience the destination, some of our hotels on these programs are located in smaller towns or on country roads where access is limited to large coaches. In these cases, you will be dropped off as close as possible and there will be a short walk to access the hotel from the drop-off area.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers.

Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Hotel check-in on your day of arrival is 3:00 p.m. Rooms may not be available prior to that time.

*Note that villas and country estates in Tuscany are dotted throughout the region and we use different properties on this program. Some may be located in the countryside, removed from a city center. Still others may be closer to the hustle and bustle of the region.

Each one is unique, full of history, with many amenities, and brimming with true Tuscan flavor. This is part of the fun!

**Travel to Cinque Terre is by rail and boat.

Boat trip is seasonal and operates on a weather permitting basis. When a boat is not available, travel will be by rail only.

***The boat ride to Portofino operates on a weather permitting basis. When the weather is uncooperative, you will still visit Portofino, but you will travel there by local bus.

To truly experience the program and destination, you need to be able to participate in physical activities such as longer walking tours, walking over uneven terrain, climbing stairs and periods of standing. Some of the touring days may be longer, with select included activities occurring later in the evening.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

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TRAVEL DATE: 4/12/2019 TERRITORY: A9
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Tuscany & the Italian Riviera

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() Florence Classical Tour () Walking Tour of Florence

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