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# FINAL ITINERARY TUSCANY COUNTRYSIDE SIENA - Mrs. Beverly Langsford Willing - Effie Stavridis

Sep 6, 2022 - Sep 12, 2022

Period: 6th - 12st September 2022

Total days: 7 days/ 6 nights

Destinations: Tuscany Countryside

Guests: Mrs. Beverly Langsford Willing

Booking confirmation: 1435/ 2022

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# Trip Summary

	September 6 - Day 1 Siena - Arrival
9:00	Private transfer - Mercedes class E
	Guide service
	Lucca - Private guided tour - Province of Lucca
	Pisa - private guided tour - Pisa
	Check in at Hotel Athena Siena - Hotel Athena Siena
	September 7 - Day 2 Siena
	Free day - Province of Siena
	September 8 - Day 3 San Gimignano - Siena
9:00	Full day - Mercedes class E
	Guide service
	San Gimignano - Private guided tour - San Gimignano
	Volterra - Private guided tour - Volterra
	September 9 - Day 4 Siena
	Free day - Province of Siena
	September 10 - Day 5 Siena
	Free day - Province of Siena
	September 11 - Day 6 Pienza - Montepulciano - Montalcino
9:00	Full day - Mercedes class E
	Guide service
	Tuscany Countryside - Private guided tour of Pienza, Montalcino and Montepulciano - Montalcino, Pienza, Montepulciano
	September 12 - Day 7
6:30	Private transfer - Mercedes class E
8:14	Train from Florence to Bari

## September 6 - Day 1 Siena - Arrival



### 9:00 - Central European Summer Time

Private transfer - Mercedes class E

Transfer from Manarola to Siena with a stop in Pisa and Lucca. Pick up in Manarola at 9:00 am.

Pick up in Manarola: Discovolo 204, Explore trekking shop.

(2 GUESTS)

#### **Guide service**

Ms. Irene, from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm in Lucca and from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm in Pisa.

#### Lucca - Private guided tour

Before reachin Siena you will visit Lucca, which is the only old town in Italy entirely surrounded by walls which are still very well preserved. Visit the **San Frediano church**, with its magnificent thirteenth-century mosaic representing Christ in Majesty. Then, explore the **Piazza del Anfiteatro**, the most beautiful square of Lucca passing by elegant shops of **Via Filungo** through small medieval streets. End in the **Duomo** which houses the famous Volto Santo and the splendid Ilaria del Caretto sarcophagus, a masterpiece of Jacopo della Quercia. Passing **Piazza Napoleone**, we finally arrive at **Piazza San Michele**, the central civic square of Lucca since Roman times.





**Province of Lucca** Tuscany, IT

#### Pisa - private guided tour

Your personal driver will take you to Pisa where you will meet your personal guide and you will start your tour with a walk alongside the Medieval walls up to the entrance gate: Porta Santa Maria. From here you will see a unique panorama of **Piazza dei Miracoli** with its marble architecture and neat grass lawns. You will visit the interiors of the Cathedral a masterpiece of Romanesque art. Besides the Tower, Piazza dei Miracoli houses other buildings of historic artistic value such as the Baptistery and the Monumental Graveyard. At the end you will climb one of the most celebrated monuments in the world: **The Leaning Tower**.





**Pisa** Pisa, Tuscany, IT

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# HOTEL ON YOUR OWN ARRANGEMENT.

Check in at Hotel Athena Siena



Hotel Athena Siena Via P.Mascagni, 55 +39 0577 286313

# September 7 - Day 2 Siena



**Free day** Free time at your leisure in Siena



Province of Siena

Tuscany, IT



9:00 - Central European Summer Time Full day - Mercedes class E

Pick up at 9:00 am at the hotel lobby.

(2 GUESTS)

#### **Guide service**

Ms. Maria Irene, from 10:00 am to 11:45 am in San Gimignano and from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm. in Volterra.



#### San Gimignano - Private guided tour

This morning you will enjoy a guided visit of **San Gimignano** known as the City of Beautiful Towers. It is a classic medieval walled hill town in Tuscany. You can admire its 14 surviving medieval towers that create a beautiful skyline visible from the surrounding countryside. The historic center is an UNESCO world heritage site for its architecture. You will see the landmark Great Tower - Torre Grossa.





San Gimignano San Gimignano, Tuscany, IT, 53037

#### Volterra - Private guided tour

You will reach Volterra to ejoy a private guide tour.

**Volterra** is a village built on a hill between the Era and Cecina valleys. With its double walls, both Etruscan and from the thirteenth-century, it's a medieval-looking city, where you can still enjoy the atmosphere of a historic village.

Volterra (in Etruscan Veláthri), was one of the main city-states of ancient Etruria and during the Middle Ages it was the seat of an important episcopal lordship. The village has been known for centuries for the manufacture of alabaster whose artifacts are some of the most important products of Italian craftsmanship.





**Volterra** Volterra, Tuscany, IT, 56048

# September 9 - Day 4 Siena



**Free day** Free time at your leisure in Siena



Province of Siena

Tuscany, IT

# September 10 - Day 5 Siena



**Free day** Free time at your leisure in Siena



Province of Siena

Tuscany, IT

## September 11 - Day 6 Pienza - Montepulciano - Montalcino

9:00 - Central European Summer Time

Full day - Mercedes class E

Full day from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. Pick up at 9:00 am at the hotel lobby.

(1 GUEST)

#### **Guide service**

Ms. Maria Irene, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. Meeting point at 10:00 am in Montepulciano.



#### Tuscany Countryside - Private guided tour of Pienza, Montalcino and Montepulciano

This morning private transfer to **Montepulciano**, one of the most characteristic and intact medieval cities in Italy which, from a height of 605 meters above sea level, offers amazing views over the surrounding hillsides. You will explore the wonderful town center of Montepulciano. Continue the drive to a vineyard for a wine taste and lunch.

Enjoy a day of culture, wine, and food as you visit some of the most impressive towns and villages in Tuscany. Go to the picturesque town of **Pienza**, and taste world-famous wines produced in **Montalcino** and **Montepulciano**.

Cross gently rolling hills full of vineyards, and then sample local wines served with a delicious snack of the local produce. Explore the streets of **Montalcino** to experience a typical Tuscan village and its fortress. Continue to **Pienza** to discover the "Touchstone of Renaissance Urbanism." Considered an artistic jewel of the landscape of **Val d'Orcia**, Pienza is a perfect combination of architectural beauty and harmony. Most of the lanes bearing impressive names overlook the breathtaking landscape of the Val d'Orcia. Unique smells and flavors are entwined with this natural and artistic heritage. Pienza's most renowned tradition is pecorino cheese.





**Montalcino** Montalcino, Toscana, IT, 53024



**Pienza** Pienza, Toscana, IT, 53026



Montepulciano Montepulciano, Tuscany, IT, 53045



#### 6:30 Private transfer - Mercedes class E

Transfer from Siena to Florence train station. Pick up at 6:30 am.

(1 GUEST)

### 8:14

**Train from Florence to Bari** (On your own arrangement)

Services included in the itinerary: <ul> <li>Private Mercedes, NCC Professional English speaking driver, free wifi.</li> </ul>
Day 1) Transfer from Manarola to Siena with a stop in Pisa and Lucca
Day 2) No service
Day 3) Full day
Day 4) No service
Day 5) No service
Day 6) Full day
Day 7) Transfer from Siena to Florence airport
Professional guides and escorts, English speaking
Day 1) Full day
Day 2) No service
Day 3) Full day
Day 4) No service
Day 5) No service
Day 6) Full day
Day 7) No service



### Other services included in the itinerary:

- Entry tickets for the museums and other attractions and services as in the itinerary. No queue, VIP access when available, all tax.
- All tax, VAT
- 24 hours phone assistance in English