

Finding France

TAILOR-MADE PRIVATE TOURS
OFF THE BEATEN TRACK



STAY SAFE WITH FINDING FRANCE

You'll travel in a private minibus that is exclusively reserved for you during the entire trip.

We pick you up at your doorstep and drop you off at the location of your choice.

Your guide will be with you for the duration of the trip; he or she is also your private chauffeur.

Physical contact is limited to the strict minimum.

Workshops and meet-ups are organized exclusively for you and your group.

We follow all necessary procedures to ensure your protection and comply with all local and national sanitary regulations currently recommended: vehicle disinfected daily, masks, hydro-alcoholic gel, disinfectant wipes and gloves are provided by us as well.

Any bookings cancelled due to Covid-19 will be refunded.

Champagne

France and Champagne, you can't have one without the other... Vineyards, vintage years, and the amazing historical and culinary heritage! Become one with the Champagne region through a unique and authentic collection of experiences. Taste the best of France while supporting local producers. Unforgettable memories, all the while contributing to the safeguard of France's living heritage. That's what it means to travel with Finding France. Together, with and for you, we'll plot a 1 to 6-day loop for you to travel your way.

Here is what 3 days starting from Paris could feel like:

- [DAY 1: Reims and Champagne cellars](#)
- [DAY 2: French Cuisine discovery day in the Champagne region](#)
- [DAY 3: Épernay and Verzenay](#)





3 DAY TOUR

Discover Champagne

Suggested itinerary for 3 days in Champagne. Departures depend on the availability of producers and artisans

DAY 1: REIMS AND CHAMPAGNE CELLARS

MORNING

- Visit a prestigious cellar in Reims or Épernay, for instance: Moët & Chandon and Dom Pérignon or Pommery or Mercier) and sample their champagne.
- Tour the vineyards and have the production process explained to you in full.
- Local specialty cuisine awaits you for lunch in a nearby restaurant.

AFTERNOON

- Meet Florence and her family, 3rd generation independent vintners, pioneering organic champagne.
- Visit their homely cellar and taste their exceptional champagne.
- Meander the streets of Hautvillers village, and visit the VIIIth century Saint Peter's Abbey where Dom Pérignon, the monk who invented champagne, is buried.
- Dine and spend the night in a charming and traditional guesthouse.



AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Extend the stay in the area for one day

- Marvel at the intricate details of the Notre-Dame cathedral in Reims, where 33 Kings of France were crowned.
- All your senses will be tested during the Mumm cellar visit. A guided tour for our small group only sets the pitch for the tasting of their exceptional Grand Cru vintage wines, Blanc de Blancs and Blanc de Noirs.
- An in-house oenologist in the Moët & Chandon cellars will tour you around and guide you in the intricacies of wine-tasting with Vintage years of white and rosé wines.



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DAY 2: FRENCH CUISINE DISCOVERY DAY IN THE CHAMPAGNE REGION

MORNING

- Friendly jostle in the Epernay farmer's market where you can meet and talk with local producers (vegetable growers, cheese makers, bakers...).
- Meet Catherine and Pascal, a couple raising cows and chickens out in the open.
- Visit their farm and sample their home-made products: pâté flavored with either cognac or champagne grape marc, meat pies, coq-au-vin..
- Lunch on such farmer's produce.

AFTERNOON

- Get to know a small, independant champagne producer who earned the "Environment-friendly production" label thanks to his struggle to protect biodiversity.
- Taste and sample his extraordinary champagne, truly an excellent value for the price.
- Dine and savor the night in a charming and traditional guesthouse.



AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Extend the stay in the area for one day

- Meet a chocolate-maker in his workshop and learn to cook and prepare your own.
- Nature walk in a family farm where you can pick all sorts of fruits and vegetables (strawberries, apples, tomatoes...) without any doubts as to quality since they respect the environment in all their practices.
- Share with local apple orchard managers and taste their very own apple juice. They'll happily share both passion and know-how.
- Meet Anthony in his vegetable patch and discover his home-made jellies and jams.
- Learn French Cuisine in Reims.



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DAY 3: ÉPERNAY AND VERZENAY

MORNING

- Visit a prestigious cellar in Épernay or Reims (for instance: Veuve Clicquot, Mumm, Perrier, Ruinart, Heidsieck...) and sample their vintage champagne wines.
- Stroll along the luxurious Avenue de Champagne, with XVIIIth century townhouses and learn about how champagne wine is produced.
- Lunch in Verzenay, with the option to taste local produce.

AFTERNOON

- Breathtaking view from the top of Verzenay lighthouse with vineyards stretching to the horizon.
- Key knowledge about what makes a wine great can be sought at the Vineyard Museum, which even has a tasting session for various champagnes.



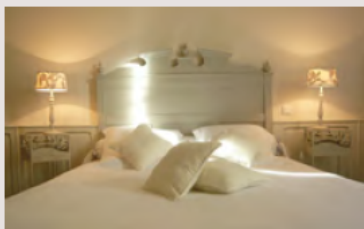
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- Hot-air balloon: incredible view of the vineyards in the rolling hills of the Champagne region.
- Bike ride along trails that serpent through famous vineyards.
- Create your own champagne: with a talented sommelier, create your own champagne mix.

Experience the French "art de vivre"

At Finding France we offer a unique selection of elegant, family friendly B&B's.



Example of French-style accommodation. Non-contractual photo.



RATES FOR A DAY TRIP DEPARTING FROM PARIS (8 AM TO 8 PM):

Starting at **\$250 USD** (VAT included) per person for a 4-person reservation.
What's included:

- Private bilingual chauffeur-guide (English French).
- Transportation in a top-notch air-conditioned vehicle, Wifi included.
- Travel to and from your place of residence in Paris + pick-up and transfer from Roissy CDG, Orly, or Le Bourget airports.
- Lunch.
- Tasting and samples when visiting local producers (wine, cheese, pastries...)
- Unlimited bottled water.
- All entrance fees and VIP access to all events and activities described in the itinerary.
- Fees for a local guide when visiting certain historical sites.
- Finding France 24/7 emergency assistance.



RATES FOR AN ALL- INCLUSIVE TRIP DEPARTING FROM PARIS:

Starting at **\$500 USD** (VAT included) per person per day for a 4-person reservation. Lower rates for larger groups. Add-on for single room lodging: starting at \$150 USD (VAT included) per person per day.

What's included:

Night stays in quality, labeled guest houses or typical hotels.

All meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner).

All wines from our excellent selection (excluding vintage years and Grand Crus) at meal time.

All non-alcohol beverages, including unlimited bottled water (replenished daily).

All tasting and samples when visiting local producers (wine, cheese, pastries...)

All entrance fees and VIP access to all events and activities described in the itinerary.
Private driver-guide.

Transportation in a top-notch air-conditioned vehicle, Wifi included.

Fees for a local guide when visiting certain historical sites.

Private vehicle for pick-up and transfer to or from Roissy CDG, Orly, or Le Bourget airports.

Travel to and from your place of residence in Paris.

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A WORD ABOUT YOUR GUIDE...

Bonjour ! My name is Clement, I look forward to introducing you to the wonderful sights, skilled artisans and places I love throughout our journey. During the trip I will share with you the rich history of the places that we visit, introduce you to the local cuisine and, if you are interested, some of our most beloved French songs too! Every step of the way, I will do my best to meet all your needs and expectations.

◆
All-inclusive private tours from anywhere in France

◆
*Accommodation in privately-owned châteaux
or charming boutique hotels*

◆
Exceptional local culinary experiences

◆
Reservations at Michelin-starred restaurants

◆
Private bilingual chauffeur-guide (English/French)

◆
Comfortable air-conditioned vehicle with WIFI



DREAMING OF DISCOVERING FRANCE?

Each region bequeaths us with a unique cultural heritage, unparalleled talent and craftsmanship, and gourmet specialty cuisine that cannot be found anywhere else.

*Traveling in France is, above all, striving to meet the soul of a land.
Cared for by passionate men and women.*

We offer an unforgettable and prestigious trip customized to match your dreams.

Get in touch with us right now!

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