

# MENDOZA - Gourmet & Wine

## Unforgetable Torrontés - 3 days/2 nights

Treat yourself to a trip to a unique environment. Relaxation, nature, gastronomy and wine in the Andes. Enjoy an intense Unforgettable Torrontes experience; discover one of the emblematic Argentinean grapes that doesn't exist in other wine regions of the world, tasting the torrontes in the wine land.

### Day 1 Cultural Mendoza

Arrival in Mendoza and transfer to the selected accommodation. Check in

Later we will be delighted with a Cultural Tour that will start at the Foundational Area Museum, place of the 1<sup>st</sup> foundation of Mendoza City, then we will continue with the tour moving downtown to visit the main squares. From Plaza Independencia we will go walking through the pedestrian way to Plaza San Martin, there we will appreciate the main buildings of the area like Tourism Secretary and San Martin passage. We will finish the walking in Plaza España and then by car we will go to General San Martin's Park and the Glory Hill.

Return to the hotel. Dinner on your own account.

#### Day 2 Uco Valley

Our Unforgettable Torrontes experience begins when the wine expert guide pick us up from our accommodation to take us to the Uco Valley, 110 km from Mendoza City, where the most emblematic grapes from Argentina are born.

Our first visit is Ata Mizque winery, 1250 meters above sea level. Its exceptional location, the first in the entrance of Uco Valley, gives it a privileged place. There you will have the opportunity to know and taste the Picaflor Torrontes, wine with perfumed aromas and fruity taste. The winery is noted for its ancient architecture and traditional building and its original stone roof.

Then we will get into the heart of Uco Valley to visit O Fournier winery, located in La Consulta. There they will be waiting us to take a horseback ride through the vineyards, where we will learn about the varieties, different techniques for the care of the vineyard, and the latest innovations. Gourmet late lunch in the winery's restaurant, Urban.

In the afternoon we will return to Mendoza City.

Dinner tonight, with wines included, will be at the 1884 Restaurant of Francis Mallmann.



#### Day 3 Torrontes on the table

Accompanied by the wine expert guide we will continue with the Torrontes Glam in Alta Vista Wines, a family winery that belongs to the French family D`Aulan. We will taste a torrontes made with grapes from a vineyard in Cafayate, Salta that produce this excellent wine.

The visit to the winery to learn the secrets of the wine is a journey that ends in the tasting room where we will taste the wines from "Los Escasos" brand.

To continue we will go to Vistandes winery located in Maipú. One of the most technologically advanced wineries of Argentina, which combines the best vineyards in the country with an extensive experience in winemaking.

We will taste the torrontes from the Famatina Valley, La Rioja that grows at 1000 meters above sea level. This is a wine with the typical characteristics of torrontes: plenty of tropical fruit in the mouth and a floral touch. Has a fresh finish in mouth.

Lunch at La Encantada – Regional cooking - an old house next to a winery where they use the old and traditional recipes that retain the flavors of Mendoza's cuisine, tasting dishes that were and remain traditional at our table. Wines are the perfect complement to this pairing.

Afternoon at leisure.

At the appropriate time, transfer to the airport for departure.

#### Tour includes:

- > 02 nights accommodationa at selected hotel
- Cultural Tour through Mendoza City
- > 01 dinner in restaurant with wine included
- > 02 lunches at the wineries paired with their wines
- Visit to 03 wineries and wine tasting
- Horseback riding through the vineyards
- Bilingual wine expert guide
- Airport transfers
- Tasting glass

\*Note

Specific winieries to be visted and lunches are subject to change