

WINE & DINE IN CROATIA

6 Days FROM \$3,007

NEW



CULINARY HOSTED PROGRAM

(2) Split • (3) Dubrovnik



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience this six-day Croatia vacation package with cooking classes and tastings plus deluxe private touring galore
- Revel in Croatian wine tasting experiences in the hills of Skradin and in Kaštel Kambelovac
- Discover Split on a guided walking tour of the historic city built around the Roman Emperor Diocletian's palace
- Take a guided walking tour of Dubrovnik's "Old Town" to admire the Rector's Palace, Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, Dominican Monastery, and the Franciscan Monastery, home to one of the oldest pharmacies in the world
- Join a hands-on cooking class and meal accompanied by wine tasting in Dubrovnik
- Enjoy a private guided excursion to Ston and Korcula, including oyster and wine tasting sessions

- No. of overnight stays

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DAY 1 | SPLIT Upon arrival in Split, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure. Overnight in Split.

DAY 2 | SPLIT Today you will get acquainted with the wines of Croatia. The first stop will be at Bibich winery. Located in the hills of Skradin, along Croatia's coast and across the Adriatic from Italy, it is roughly in line with the wine hills of Tuscany. Here you will have the opportunity to learn how their wine is produced, and to enjoy a wine tasting session. Continue to Bedalov's winery. Located in Kaštel Kambelovac, Jakša Bedalov is continuing the tradition of hospitality and winemaking that has been present in his family for over 400 years. Enjoy a wine tasting session, accompanied by lunch on a terrace overlooking the Mediterranean Sea. Overnight in Split. (B,L)

DAY 3 | SPLIT | DUBROVNIK This morning, enjoy a city tour featuring the historic inner city, built around the Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. See the remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle and the Cathedral. Transfer to Dubrovnik for overnight. (B)

DAY 4 | DUBROVNIK Morning walking tour of "Old Dubrovnik". See the Rector's Palace, Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, the Dominican Monastery and the Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy, one of the oldest in the world. In the afternoon, you will be introduced to the cuisine of Croatia. Under the guidance of your gracious host, you will first make some bread. As the bread rises, you will walk through the garden to pick the rest of the ingredients needed to prepare a delicious meal that you will enjoy while tasting some of the best locally produced wines. (B,D)

DAY 5 | DUBROVNIK | STON | KORČULA | DUBROVNIK Today's excursion will take you first to Ston, a charming town known for its delicious oysters and salt production still harvested by hand and then loaded onto wagons for distribution. After tasting some oysters accompanied by wine, you will drive to Orebic, where a ferry will take you to Korčula. Surrounded by walls and towers, this small little town attracts visitors from all over the world. Thanks to the centuries-old tradition of stone processing, the Old Town was built in the 14th, 15th and 16th centuries to what it is now, by the most renowned masters of Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque styles. Korčula has a legendary past, deemed by many as Marco Polo's birthplace, and before that, as home to one of the Homeric heroes. Return to Dubrovnik for overnight at hotel. (B)

DAY 6 | DUBROVNIK TO USA (OR EXTEND YOUR STAY) Enjoy a delicious buffet breakfast before your transfer to Dubrovnik Airport for your flight home. (B)

(B) Breakfast - (L) Lunch - (D) Dinner



INCLUDED FEATURES

- Hotel accommodation for 5 nights
- 7 included meals consisting of:
 - 5 buffet breakfasts
 - 1 lunch
 - 1 dinner after cooking class in Dubrovnik
- Private guided excursion to local wineries outside of Split, including wine & local food specialties tasting at Bibich winery, and lunch and wine tasting at Bedalov's winery
- Private guided tour of Split, including entrance fee for Diocletian's Palace
- Private guided tour of Dubrovnik, including entrance fee for Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy
- Cooking class in Dubrovnik, including welcome drink, chef guidance and meal accompanied by wine tasting
- Private guided excursion to Ston and Korčula, including oysters and wine tasting sessions
- Private transfer from Split airport to hotel
- Private transfer from Split Hotel to Dubrovnik hotel
- Private transfer from Dubrovnik hotel to airport
- Document holder and luggage tags
- Hotel taxes and service charges

PRICED FROM

First class hotel:

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From price is per person, double occupancy, and based on the following hotel:

Split: Jupiter Luxury Hotel

Dubrovnik: Royal Blue

A selection of different hotels, room category, additional nights, transfers and optional tours are available. Program's validity and/or some included features may vary.



Split