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**Vineyards and Vistas**  
*Chile and Argentina*  
**A Wine Adventure**  
*April 16-24, 2026*



Prepare for an unforgettable South American adventure that will tantalize your taste buds and awaken your senses. This journey invites you to explore the vibrant cultures of three iconic cities: Buenos Aires, Argentina, Mendoza, Argentina, and Santiago Chile.

Below is the detailed itinerary for this wonderful trip. This itinerary may change based on availability. In the event of necessary changes to the itinerary, comparable substitutions will be made.

Please see the **Vineyards and Vistas trip flyer** for costs, inclusions, and policy information.

### **Day 1 – Thursday, April 16: Arrival in Santiago & City Highlights**

Upon arrival at Santiago International Airport, you will be met by your private driver and transferred to your hotel in the city (approximately 40 minutes away). Look for a sign with your name in the arrivals area.

In the afternoon, set out on a privately guided half-day tour of Santiago. Begin at Santa Lucía Hill, where the city was founded, and take in panoramic views of the capital. Continue to Plaza de Armas, the historical center surrounded by colonial-era architecture, and then to La Moneda Palace, the seat of the Chilean government.

You'll also visit Plaza de la Constitución and explore the Mercado Central, a lively and traditional food market full of local flavors. Your final stop will be Barrio Lastarria, a bohemian neighborhood known for its charming streets, art galleries, and inviting cafés.

In the evening, enjoy a welcome dinner with wine tasting at La Bodeguita, a cozy local restaurant offering a flavorful introduction to Chilean cuisine and hospitality.

**Hotel:** Hotel Bidasoa – Superior Room

**Meals Included:** Dinner

### **Day 2 – Friday, April 17: Santiago Wine Adventure**

After breakfast, embark on a private full-day wine excursion to the renowned Concha y Toro and Almaviva Vineyards.

At Concha y Toro, enjoy the Cellar Collection Experience, including a guided walk through the park, a sensory tasting at the Casillero del Diablo, a visit to the underground cellar and the Alto Aging Cellar, and a panoramic viewpoint. Sample five glasses of ultra-premium wine paired with a premium cheese board.

Continue to Almaviva Vineyard for a half-day tasting, featuring the celebrated Almaviva 2020 and EPU 2019 wines. Private transfers and English-speaking guide assistance are included throughout the day.

**Hotel:** Hotel Bidasoa – Superior Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast

### **Day 3 – Saturday, April 18: Culinary Experience in Santiago**

This morning, enjoy a relaxed start before being picked up from your hotel for a unique and interactive culinary adventure in Santiago. Private roundtrip transportation is provided, with up to 6 hours on site for your group experience.

Today's activity takes place at the Kitchen Club, a stylish culinary space that blends cooking, learning, and fun. You'll participate in a private hands-on cooking experience, where you can choose from two exciting formats:

- **Cooking Party:** A lighthearted, collaborative cooking session with the chef, followed by a meal prepared by the Kitchen Club team. Great for laughs and shared memories.
- **Master Chef Team Building:** A creative group challenge where teams prepare dishes using either a market-style selection or a mystery box of ingredients. The chef will judge each dish and select a winner before everyone enjoys a full meal prepared by Kitchen Club's professionals.

Return to your hotel in the evening with full bellies, new skills, and great group memories.

**Hotel:** Hotel Bidasoa – Superior Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast, Lunch (as part of the culinary experience)

### **Day 4 – Sunday, April 19: Transfer to Mendoza, Argentina**

After enjoying breakfast at your hotel, transfer at the appropriate time to **Arturo Merino Benítez International Airport** for your flight to Mendoza. The airport is approximately 20 km from Santiago's city center, and the drive takes around 40 minutes, depending on traffic conditions. **Flight:** Santiago – Mendoza

Upon arrival in **Mendoza**, you'll be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. After checking in, enjoy free time to relax or begin exploring the city at your leisure.

**Accommodation:** NH Cordillera – Standard Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast

### **Day 5 – Monday, April 20: Mendoza Wineries Tour**

Spend the day exploring Mendoza's famous Luján de Cuyo wine region. Visit Richitelli, Kaiken, and Durigutti wineries, learning about the grape varieties, winemaking process, and regional traditions from your knowledgeable guide. Savor lunch paired with local wines at one of the estates, enjoying stunning vineyard views and the warm hospitality of the winemakers.

This private day tour allows for personalized attention and plenty of opportunities for photos amidst the backdrop of the Andes.

**Hotel:** NH Cordillera – Standard Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast, Lunch

### **Day 6 – Tuesday, April 21: Catena Zapata Winery Experience**

Today's highlight is Catena Zapata, one of Argentina's most iconic wineries. Enjoy a private guided tour of the vineyards, cellars, and tasting rooms, learning about the winery's innovative techniques and rich history. Sample some of their finest wines while taking in panoramic views of the vineyard and the majestic Andes mountains. This experience offers an authentic glimpse into Mendoza's wine culture and heritage.

Lunch is included during the day, giving you a chance to relax and enjoy a meal at your own pace.

**Hotel:** NH Cordillera – Standard Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast, Lunch

### **Day 7 – Wednesday, April 22: Mendoza to Buenos Aires**

After breakfast, you'll be transferred to Mendoza Airport by private vehicle with English-speaking assistance for your flight to Buenos Aires. Upon arrival, a private transfer will take you to your hotel.

In the afternoon, enjoy a privately guided City Tour of Buenos Aires, the vibrant capital of Argentina. This 4-hour tour showcases the city's most iconic neighborhoods and landmarks. Visit Plaza de Mayo, home to the historic Casa Rosada (Presidential Palace) and Metropolitan Cathedral, then drive down Avenida 9 de Julio, the widest avenue in South America, passing by the famous Obelisk.

Explore La Boca, a lively district known for its colorful houses and tango dancers on the streets, and then continue to Recoleta, one of the city's most elegant neighborhoods, known for its stunning European-style architecture and famous cemetery.

Conclude the day with The Argentine Experience, a culinary adventure featuring a 16-course tasting menu of Argentina's essential dishes, each paired with fine wines. Learn about the country's food traditions while savoring each dish in a festive, interactive setting.

**Hotel:** CasaSur Palermo Hotel – Standard Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast, Dinner

### **Day 8 – Thursday, April 23: San Telmo Food & Tango**

Today is all about experiencing the vibrant culinary and cultural soul of Buenos Aires. Begin with a Private Premium Sherpa Food Tour through the heart of Palermo, one of the city's most iconic neighborhoods. This immersive experience includes visits to four top culinary stops, offering over 10 Argentine dishes and drinks, along with expert-led wine tastings. As you stroll the streets, you'll also learn about Palermo's history, street art, and rich local culture.

Food Tour Highlights:

- Stop #1: Picsa – A nostalgic local favorite serving pizza and empanadas, paired with sparkling Pinot Noir.

- Stop #2: Lo de Jesús – A classic parrilla offering perfectly grilled meats, provoleta, fresh salad, and Malbec wine.
- Stop #3: El Preferido de Palermo – A celebrated eatery ranked among LATAM's 50 Best, featuring bodegón classics like milanesa, tortilla, blood sausage, and damajuana wine.
- Stop #4: Gelato Stop – Wrap up your tasting journey with artisanal gelato crafted by a second-generation Italian-Argentine family.

In the evening, experience the passion and rhythm of Argentina with a Tango show at La Ventana, including dinner and private transfers. Witness the dramatic performances of skilled dancers while enjoying traditional Argentine cuisine.

**Hotel:** CasaSur Palermo Hotel – Standard Room

**Meals Included:** Breakfast, Lunch (Sherpa Food Tour), Dinner (La Ventana Tango Show)

### Day 9: Departure from Buenos Aires

After breakfast, you'll be transferred from your hotel to Buenos Aires International Airport for your onward flight.

Take with your unforgettable memories of Argentina and Chile—rich in wine, culture, cuisine, and connection.

**Meals Included:** Breakfast



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