



TOUR ITINERARY

Europe / France / Burgundy

Burgundy 4-Day Bike Tour

Côte de Beaune and Grands Crus in Brief

RIDING
LEVEL

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Cycle la Route des Grands Crus, lined with the most esteemed vineyards of the region
- Taste sparkling Crémant, Chardonnay, and Pinot Noir from the Côte de Nuits and Côte de Beaune with local winemakers
- Sample Burgundy's classic cuisine and wine pairings at bustling *brasseries* in Beaune and the home of our friend Adeline
- Visit Clos de Vougeot, birthplace of Burgundian wines, and the Hospices de Beaune, a UNESCO-listed example of Burgundian architecture and home of the world's most famous wine auction



ARRIVAL + DEPARTURE

Arrival Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**
Lyons or Paris, France
- 📍 **Pick-Up Location:**
Beaune
- 🕒 **Pick-Up Time:**
11:00 am

Departure Details

- ✈ **Airport City:**
Lyons or Paris, France
- 📍 **Drop-Off Location:**
Beaune
- 🕒 **Drop-Off Time:**
12:00 pm

NOTE: DuVine provides group transfers to and from the tour from the pick-up and drop-off locations stated on the itinerary. In the event your train, flight, or other travel falls outside the arrival or departure times or locations, you may be responsible for extra costs incurred in arranging a separate transfer.

Emergency Assistance

For urgent assistance on your way to tour or while on tour, please always contact your guides first. You may also contact the Boston office during business hours at +1 617 776 4441 or emergency@duvine.com.



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Tour By Day

DAY
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Welcome to Burgundy

Your guides will greet you at the train station in Beaune where the adventure begins. Nestled inside massive 14th-century ramparts, this medieval town is the wine capital of Burgundy, and our first lunch of the week is right in Beaune's lively town square. Have your first taste of classic *brasserie*-style Burgundian dishes and crisp Chardonnays from the wine villages that surround us. Our first scenic spin through the Côte de Beaune takes us through classic Burgundian villages like Pommard, Nantoux, and Savigny-lès-Beaune. Tonight, your guides will stroll with you to the home of our friend, chef Adeline, for an intimate evening of food and wine.

Meals: Lunch / Dinner

Destinations: Pommard, Volnay, Nantoux, Savigny-lès-Beaune, Beaune

Accomplished: 20 miles / 32 km, elevation gain: 1,417 feet / 435 meters

Accommodations: [Le Cep](#) or [L'Hôtel de Beaune](#)

DAY
2

The Vineyards of the Côte de Nuits

Enjoy a breakfast of fresh croissants and other French specialties in the hotel's 16th-century courtyard. Today's tranquil ride will take us alongside Charlemagne's favorite vineyard—Corton-Charlemagne—and to the world-famous vineyards of the Côte de Nuits region. Cycle through Aloxé-Corton and Comblanchien, each displaying exquisite examples of Burgundian tiled roofs and villages that barely survived WWII. Then spin past the exclusive vineyards of Romanée-Conti, stopping to visit the famous Clos de Vougeot estate, birthplace of Burgundian wines. Lunch in Gevrey-Chambertin consists of classic Burgundian dishes perfectly paired with local Pinots. After, hop in the van or keep riding back to Savigny-lès-Beaune for another wine tasting with the best Crémant producer in Burgundy, Parigot et Richard. It's only a few more miles back to our hotel, where the rest of the day is yours to explore Beaune and dine at a restaurant of your choosing.

Meals: Breakfast / Lunch

Destinations: Savigny-lès-Beaune, Aloxé-Corton, Nuits-Saint-Georges, Vosne-Romanée, Vougeot, Beaune

Accomplished: 21 miles / 34 km, elevation gain: 761 feet / 232 meters

Longer Option: 42 miles / 67 km, elevation gain: 2,398 feet / 731 meters

Accommodations: [Le Cep](#) or [L'Hôtel de Beaune](#)

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Explore the Hautes-Côtes and Côte de Beaune

Fuel up with a lovely breakfast at the hotel in Beaune before cycling through the picturesque villages of the French countryside. Pedal through the charming hamlet of Orches and admire the Château de La Rochepot. Once in Nolay, take a quiet bike path to Santenay, the most southerly wine-producing village of the Côte de Beaune. Here we will stop and taste Premier Crus in the 15th century vaulted cellar of a biodynamic wine estate. From there we will ride to our lunch spot where your guides will invite you to indulge in a gourmet picnic. An afternoon spin through iconic wine towns including Chassagne-Montrachet, Puligny-Montrachet, and Meursault will lead us back to Beaune. For our final dinner together, your guides will take you out for a quaint Burgundian affair at our favorite spot in Beaune. *Bon Appétit!*

Meals: Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner

Destinations: Beaune, Saint-Romain, Orches, La Rochepot, Saint-Aubin, Santenay, Chassagne-Montrachet, Puligny-Montrachet, Meursault, Volnay, Pommard

Accomplished: 33 miles / 54 km, elevation gain: 2,277 feet / 694 meters

Accommodations: [Le Cep](#) or [L'Hôtel de Beaune](#)

DAY
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Au Revoir

After breakfast, join the guides for one last stroll in Beaune. We'll visit the Hôtel-Dieu, a community hospital built in 1443 by the chancellor of Burgundy which stands as one of the finest examples of 15th-century French architecture. Say *au revoir* to Burgundy as your guides see you off at the Beaune train station.

Meals: Breakfast

Destinations: Beaune
