

# NORTH ROUTE AUTHENTIC BASQUE COUNTRY

*Join us for pintxos and tapas in the Basque Country and its popular culture*

## DESCRIPTION

Live the best of the north and the Basque Country on this itinerary that will take you from Madrid to Bilbao, stopping at the Rioja Alavesa where you can taste some of their signature wines in their small wineries. In Bilbao, in addition to visiting the most well-known icons such as the Guggenheim Museum, you will learn to prepare some of their traditional dishes in an authentic Txoco or gastronomic society. Our getaway to Donosti will allow us to enjoy the Playa de la Concha and its old town full of life.

We will also visit some wine cellars of family tradition, where it will be a real experience to be able to taste them strolling among their vineyards.

## ITINERARY

**Day 1**, tour of Madrid and free time to enjoy the Austrias neighborhood. **Day 2**, we will go to Toledo, city of the three cultures, where you will learn its history and monuments. The sunset with the walls illuminated well requires your time. **Day 3**, transfer to Bilbao to visit its old town and eat in some of its popular taverns full of atmosphere. **Day 4**, visit the iconic Guggenheim Museum before eating in a gastronomic society where we will learn to cook some typical dishes. **Day 5**, a trip to Donosti to enjoy La Concha Beach and Monte Igueldo. **Day 6**, we will approach the fish market of the fishing port of Fuenterrabia to live the intense moments of the auction of the catch of the day. In the afternoon we will visit a cider house to practice the art of spreading. **Day 7**, transfer to La Rioja to visit two of its best wine cellars and enjoy its local cuisine. **Day 8**, return to Madrid with a last stop in Segovia where we will visit the Cathedral its famous aqueduct.



I am Christina, together we will tour the north of Spain

**Price 1.650€ (\*)**

**Stay:** 8 days & 7 nights

**Accommodation:** 4\* hotels in HP

**Arrival Point:** Airport of Madrid or Bilbao

**Authentic: enjoy a round of tapas together**

**SERVICES INCLUDED:** local host for the group. Vehicle and transfers indicated. Accommodation in half board with breakfast and dinner (water and wine in the service). Meals mentioned. Tickets to monuments and visits indicated. Basic travel assistance insurance and local taxes.

**(\*) SERVICES NOT INCLUDED:** flights and taxes. Meals not indicated. Tips Any service not indicated in the section of services included, will be considered as a service NOT included.



Host



Meals



Accommodation



Transport