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Gastronomic Jeep Tour: Madeira Wine Country & Northern Coast



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Full Day
(Duration:
8hrs
approx.)

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Funchal

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Price
from:
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Highlights

- **Jeep 4x4 tour** in nature to see the north coast
- **Vineyard walks and wine tasting** of the 6 wines!
- Seixal's **black volcanic sand beach**
- Espetada beef skewers, potatoes, and other dishes of **Madeira's cuisine**.

General Overview

Country: Portugal
Region: Madeira Islands
City: Funchal
Duration: Full Day (Duration: 8hrs approx.)

Type: Private Full Day Tours
Theme: Food & Wine Tours
Group Size: 2 - 8 People
Price from: 219 €

Introduction

The Young wine Region of Madeirense DOP: the future of wines from Madeira

Not only fortified wines are made on Madeira Island, in fact for generations families have been making table wines for family consumption, as they play an important role on the table of [Madeiran cuisine](#). Just as of 2008, the wine region of **Madeirense DOP** started commercializing small-batch table wines of Madeira. A wide range of grape varieties are permitted in the region, the most popular being the **white grape Verdelho**, making an excellent 100% mono-varietal wine. We will taste these young wines at Quinta do Barbusano, Antonio the owner has worked hard to create the best wines in Madeira in a very special setting of the Sao Vicente Valley.



Madeira in a Land Rover along off-road trails

Still wondering what to see in [Madeira](#)? The best way to discover the nature of the island is in a Land Rover along off-road trails to see the lungs of this sub-tropical paradise. Stop at amazing lookout vantage points to admire the views along the way. A must when you come to Madeira is to take a Jeep ride with a local expert who knows the back roads!



Discover north-western Madeira, a Hidden wine country on the dramatic cliffsides

Day by day itinerary

DAY 1:

FUNCHAL - ESTREITO CÂMARA DE LOBOS - ROSARIO - SÃO VICENTE - SEIXAL - CÂMARA DE LOBOS - FUNCHAL

- **09:00 AM:** Pick up from your hotel in Funchal or the cruise ship port by our local Jeep 4X4 guide.
- Starting off with a Jeep 4x4 tour in nature to see the north coast making our way up through the Estreito Câmara de Lobos passing through Rosario to the Sao Vicente wine country.
- **12:30 PM:** Stop for a **vineyard walk and wine tasting** of the 6 wines at **Quinta do Barbusano** with views of the vineyard valley.
- Lunch at the winery with some amazing views and enjoy the Espetada beef skewers, potatoes, etc. traditional cuisine of Madeira.
- The next stop will be in Seixal, we will go down to Seixal's black volcanic sand beach and see how the vines are grown on the terraces of the cliffs hanging over the sea, **a unique wine country destination!** You will even have a chance to dip your toes in the water and take a

walk along the black sand beach.

- Then returning to the southern coast we will stop in Camara de Lobos for a Madeira wine tasting at **Henriques & Henriques**.
- Return to Funchal.
- **05:00 PM:** Drop off back at your hotel or cruise ship in Funchal and final goodbye from our jeep guide.

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END OF PRIVATE JEEP WINE TOUR SERVICES

Included

- English-speaking Jeep driver/guide
- **1 Jeep 4x4 Tour in Nature** to see the north coast of Madeira Island.
- **1 Wine Tasting & Visits in unique settings (6 Wines tasted)**, making the table wines in the **Madeirense DOP**, walking through the **Vineyard**, and tasting various red and white wine grape varieties being the most popular the Verdelho white grapes.
- 1 (**L**): Lunch based on traditional cuisine... **QUINTA BARBUSANO LUNCH MENU**
 - >> Lunch: Skewer cooked on a laurel stick, paired with boiled potatoes, a fresh salad, and the traditional bolo do caco (Madeira flatbread) with garlic butter.
 - >> For dessert, homemade passion fruit pudding, along with a glass of Madeira wine and coffee.
 - >> During lunch, water and the wines are served.
- **1 Madeira Wine Tasting** in Camara de Lobos
- Local Taxes

Excluded

- Transportation not specified in the itinerary.
- Meals not specified in the itinerary.
- Guided Tours not specified in the itinerary.
- Any other expenses not mentioned in the itinerary.
- Gratuities to Drivers & Guides (Not mandatory but given if you have enjoyed the service).

Pick up

- Funchal city centre hotels.
- Funchal cruise ship port.
- Other locations on request.

Drop off

- Funchal city centre hotels.
- Funchal cruise ship port.

- Other locations on request.

Cancellation policy

- Up to 72 hrs before: **Fully Refundable**
- Under 72 hrs: **100% Non-Refundable**

Transport

- **Land Rover 4X4 Jeep, or similar jeep (4x4 Jeep Tour)**

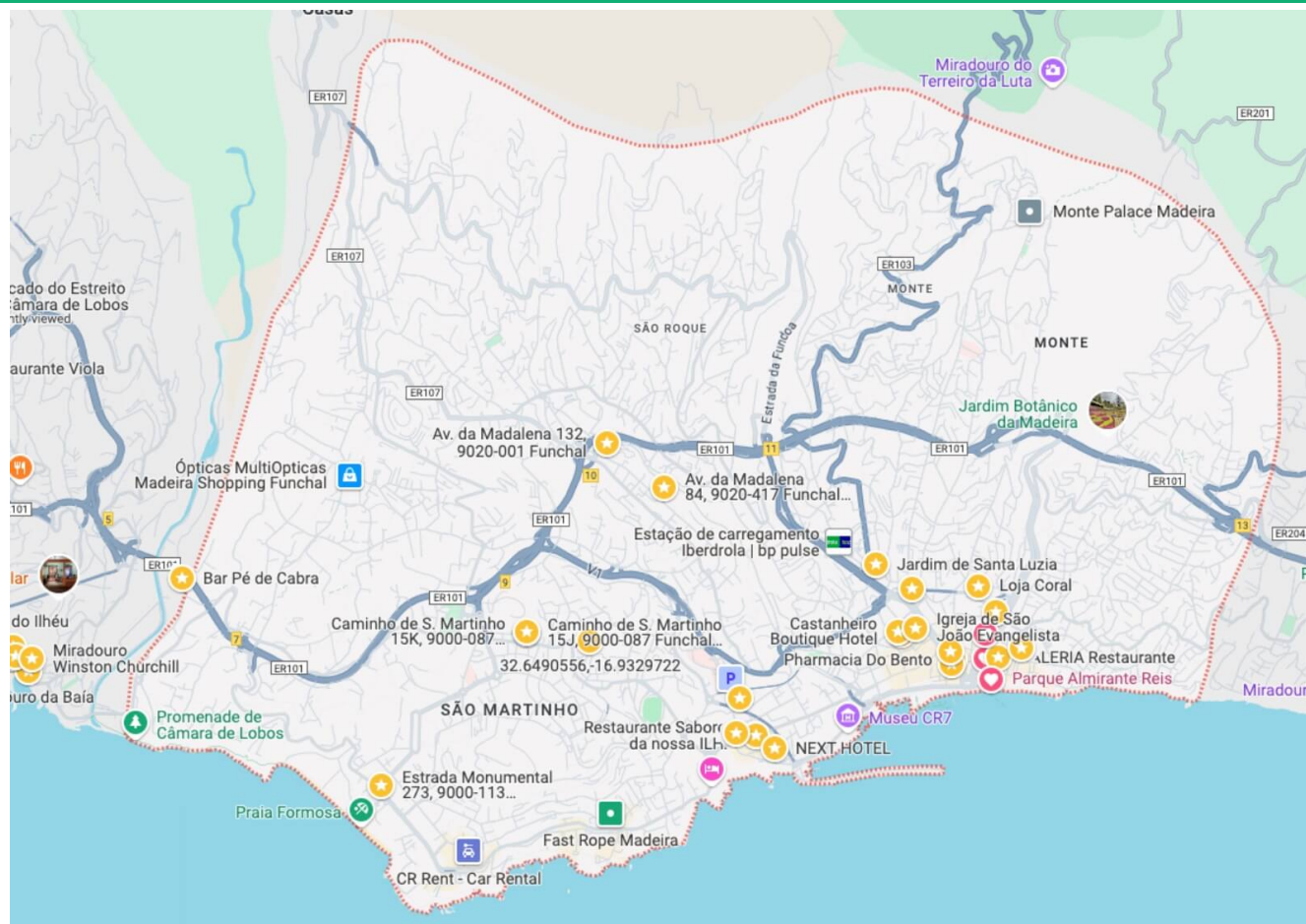


Add-ons

Tours

Join the Gourmet Table: A 7-Day Culinary Journey on Madeira Island

Map



Reviews

★★★★★ Shari Pflueger (12 March 2025)

Family of 7 had a terrific experience with Eat & Walkabout in Madeira. A fun jeep tour on the backroads, Ivan was terrific! The booking process was easy, guide was terrific. Highly recommend booking with E&W.