EXCURSION N° 3: CôTE DE BEOuNE

Minimum of participants: 35
Maximum of participants: 45

Possible Dates: April 23th and 24th 2006

9h00 – 9h30: Departure from the hotel with our guide. Destination to Beaune, will take approx. 30 minutes.

Stroll in the vineyard

Passage by the famous villages, which are Pommard, Volnay and Monthelie to arrive in the famous village of Meursault. The comments of your guide will reveal you all the secrets of these small villages.

Visit of Meursault castle

Duration: 1h30 to 2h00

The origin of Meursault castle goes back to the 11th century. The Field of the Castle of Meursault has 60 hectares of vines, all located in Coast of Beaune. Elegant white stone masonry, this castle is one of the properties most visited in the Côte d’Or. This visit will be followed by a tasting of 6 vintages of Burgundy in the cellars of the castle who remain the largest cellar of Burgundy!

Lunch at the « Relais de la Diligence »

12h30: This old station relay entirely renovated gives you the option of two rooms and a veranda with panoramic view of the surrounding vineyards: Meursault, Volnay and Pommard. The chef will be able to make you taste the regional specialties and all the homemade desserts

14h00: Your stroll through the vineyards continues this time with the High Coast of Beaune, and with the picturesque villages of Auxey Duresse, Saint Romain, finishing at the village of Rochepot

Visit of La Rochepot castle

Duration: 1h

The visit of this fortress-castle with multicolored roofs will offer an attractive journey for you through the history of the Middle Ages. The Castle of Rochepot is standing on its rocky peak since 13th century, near the primitive castle of Alexandre de Bourgogne (11th century) which one sees the ruins while walking around.

Return by bus approx. 17h00 to Dijon

Price per person: 100.00 €
Penalties in case of cancellation from April the 10th 2006: 10.00 €

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