



# One-off Special

## PORTES OUVERTES - Right & left banks



- Duration:** 4 nights / 5 days  
**Dates:** Thursday 14th May to Monday 18th May 2009  
**Car:** Economy-sized car hire included  
**Accomm:** Château Richelieu, Fronsac  
**Price:** 850€ per person (based on two sharing)

Visiting vineyards in the Médoc & St Emilion appellations typically requires a lot of advance planning. Having the opportunity to experience their wonderful wines under one roof is even more rare. This special weekend offers you the chance to do both.

The Friday is set aside for you to visit a number of the Premieres Grand Cru Classé vineyards in St Emilion, whilst also having the opportunity to explore its famous cobbled streets. On Saturday you will head to Bordeaux city where over 100 of Bordeaux's Grand Cru châteaux will offer you the opportunity to sample two of their vintages (their 2006 as well as one older vintage, between 1998 and 2005). On Sunday the final piece of the jigsaw fits in to place when you will drive up to the Médoc wine region where visits and tastings at a number of its Grand Cru Classé vineyards will be organised. On your first and last days Gourmet Touring will suggest other places of interest in the region that you can visit.

Accommodation, with breakfast, is organised at a comfortable château in the Fronsac appellation. You will be met at Bordeaux airport or train station and supplied with an economy-sized hire car. Chauffeured transport can be organised to and from the Bordeaux tasting, at a small supplementary cost, should you not wish to drive.

The four night itinerary includes two lunches and two evening meals at good restaurants.

Throughout the holiday Gourmet Touring is on hand to provide local knowledge and 24 hour assistance of any kind. A bespoke touring guidebook to the region is supplied, together with a GPS system, linked to your guidebook which helps you find every venue with ease and speed.

All bookings must be made by 15th April 2009.

Contact Gourmet Touring on Tel 0033-632800474 or at [info@gourmet-touring.com](mailto:info@gourmet-touring.com) for more information.