

# Wine Tour to Kakheti

## Food, Wine & Culinary Tours in Georgia

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### Overview

#### Wine Tour to [Kakheti](#)

Starts from: Tbilisi

Available: All year

Type: Private Full Day Wine Tour

Total Driving Distance: 4 hr 37 min (252 km)

Duration: 8 hours

Private day trip to Kakheti is dedicated to explore the major wineries of East Georgia . During a day we visit three types of wine callers: Chubini Wine Cellar small family winery, producing natural and authentic Qvevri wines, Tsinandali Estate (19th c nobleman's historical palace) and Shumi wine yard (industrial).

Ancient Georgian traditional Qvevri wine-making method inscribed on the Representative List of the Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity (UNESCO).

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### Tour details

- Code: GH-83
- Starts from: Tbilisi
- Max. Group Size: 15 Adults
- Duration: Full Day

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### Prices

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### Sights to Visit

- [Tsinandali Museum](#)
  - [Shumi Winery](#)
  - [Chubini Wine Cellar](#)
  - [Telavi](#)
  - [Kakheti](#)
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## Itinerary

### **Tbilisi-Tsinandali-Shumi-Shilda-Telavi-Tbilisi**

9:00 -Morning pick-up from the hotel. Drive to [Kakheti](#), which borders the Greater Caucasus mountain range to the North.

First stop at Chubini wine cellar in the village Shilda, Chubini's production is quite limited, paying more attention to quality rather than quantity. Endemic Georgian grape varieties, unique method of Qvevri winemaking, natural and organic approach – these are the characteristics that make our wines special.

From Chubini wine cellar drive to village **Tsinandali**, the residence of notable [Kakheti](#) nobleman Alexandre Chavchavadze, the poet and person, who delivered the classical European technology of wine making and bottled the wine in Georgia in 19th c. Walk in the unique English-French garden, prominent for its varieties of blooming plants brought from different parts of the world, and have a glass of **Tsinandali white** wine at the historical winery.

From Tsinandali estate we continue to **Shumi Winery** located nearby the house-museum. Shumi offers guided tour of the collection vineyard, museum and cellar. Have wine tasting of three variety of wines - dry red and dry white, one semisweet.

After lunch visit [Telavi](#) town. Relaxing sightseeing of main square and drive back to Tbilisi.

In the evening return back to **Tbilisi**.

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## **Inclusions**

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### **Transportation:**

- Private Transportation

### **Staff:**

- Professional private guide/driver

### **Meals:**

- 1 x lunch in wine cellar

### **Wine tasting:**

- Tsinandali Estate
- Shumi winery
- Chubini Winery

### **Other:**

- 2 x bottles Water per person daily
- All local taxes

## **Excluded**

- Personal expenses and more Beverages not mentioned in itinerary
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## More Info

## Additional Info

To arrange airport transfers and hotel overnights, contact us at **info[at]georgianholidays.com**

**NOTE:** Legal drinking age in Georgia is **18 years**.

1 person from the group will be FREE of charge if 10 and more adults are traveling together

## Cancellation Policy

Cancellation is free of charge prior 2 days of the starting day.

- The booking deposit 15 USD is non-refundable.

If Tourist cancels the booked tour for some reasons not depending on Tour Operator, the following sums are kept back as a fine:

- 50% of the total cost of tourist product in case of tour cancellation 2 days or less prior to the tour;
- 100% of the total cost of the tourist product due to the Tourist's failure to appear.

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## Gallery

