



ESSENZA

Andrea Bocelli – Teatro del Silenzio

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Andrea Bocelli, *Teatro del Silenzio*

“To sing opera one needs two things: the voice and the passion – and above all, the passion.”

ANDREA BOCELLI

Probably the most popular living tenor and a best-selling polyhedric artist, Andrea Bocelli is one of the finest artists of our generation. Every summer, a small number of lucky guests admire the Maestro’s legendary event held in his very own open-air amphitheatre, *Teatro del Silenzio*.

Thus, at the height of summer 2023, the magic of a unique performance will take place for the 18th year under the artistic direction of Alberto Bartalini (co-creator of the event itself) and starring Andrea Bocelli supported by many famous artist friends and by the Teatro del Silenzio Orchestra.

PACKAGES INCLUDE

- Accommodation in selected private villas or hotels
- Private return transfer to the Teatro del Silenzio
- Reserved tickets for the Bocelli performance (tiered options available)
- Dinner in a local restaurant after the concert
- Assistance of an Essenza Representative to tailor your stay with bespoke experiences

Teatro del Silenzio

Suggestive, surreal, almost mystical, the *Teatro del Silenzio* rises in the splendid setting of the Tuscan countryside, between yellow wheat fields and gentle green hillsides, just outside the village of Lajatico in Valdera – a short drive from the leaning tower of Pisa and the Etruscan town of Volterra.

The *Teatro* consist of a natural, open-air amphitheatre created in 2006 by the will of Maestro Andrea Bocelli that is a native of this part of Tuscany. Every July, Andrea Bocelli performs on the stage of his theatre together with international stars of the music – so far the stage has seen music singers, tenors and friends of the artist including Laura Pausini, Roberto Bolle, Placido Domingo, Jose Carreras, Gianna Nannini, Zubin Mehta and Carla Fracci to name just a few. The upcoming concert will take place on **Thursday, 27 July 2023 at 8.30pm**, with the gate opening two hours before the show.

There are different kinds of tickets available:

Executive – the best seat, access to Executive area and VIP Hospitality, a welcome drink before the concert, an exclusive gift, a show booklet, one parking space.

Poltronissima, 1st Poltrona, 2nd Poltrona and Poltroncina – a reserved seat in the parterre on the ground, closer to the stage.

Unreserved Grandstand A and B: a general admission ticket with no reserved seat

The stage for the show is open air. In case of cancellation due to bad weather, no refund is provided but the event is rescheduled for the day after, July 28th.

Dress code is smart casual, no black tie needed. Comfortable shoes are recommended as you will have to walk some way from the parking area on unpaved grounds.

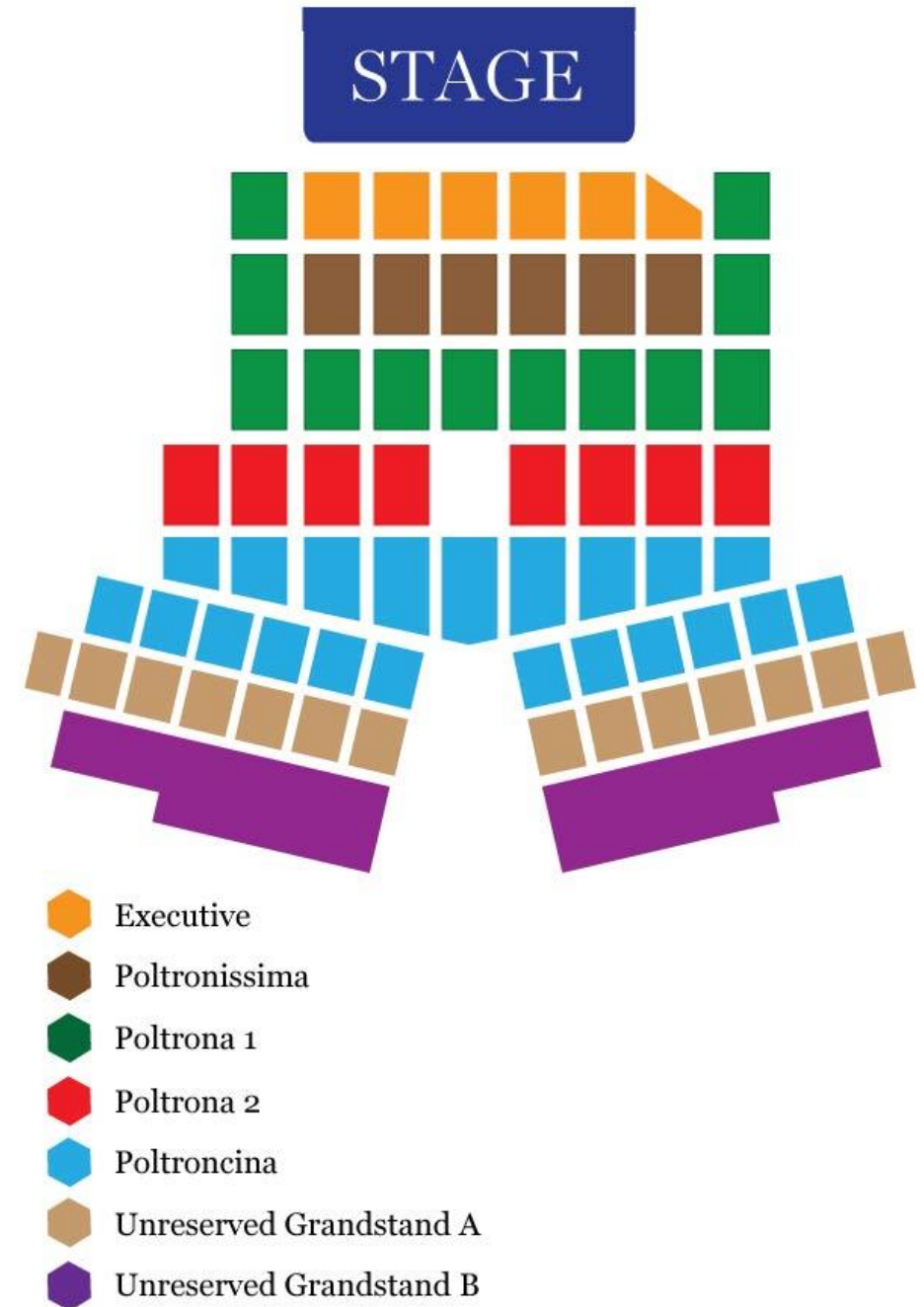
DISTANCES

Castelfalfi - Montaione: 30min / 28Km - Volterra: 30min / 24Km

Montespertoli: 50min / 46Km - Casole d'Elsa: 1hr / 54Km

Campiglia Marittima & Lucca: 1hr 15min / 65Km

Castellina in Chianti: 1hr 20min / 63Km - Florence : 1hr 25min / 83Km





Villa Mercurio

“Classic luxury and timeless nobility in the verdant countryside of Tuscany’s Maremma, a short drive from the coast and its sandy beaches”

Set in the charming Mediaeval village of Campiglia Marittima, overlooking the area south of Livorno, this luxury villa rental near in Tuscany is perfect to explore the most famous town and beaches on Italy’s Etruscan Coast.

Recently renovated to the highest standard with all the comfort of modern living, the villa offers its guests a place to unwind surrounded by elegant décor perfectly paired with the historic architecture and atmosphere of the past. The interiors offer a mix of elegant living rooms, a study with billiard table, and several common spaces for guests to enjoy including a professional kitchen perfect for cooking classes. Outside, the private swimming pool and vast garden are an oasis of relaxation and a space to reconnect with family and friends at the end of a day exploring the region.

The eight individually decorated bedrooms offer all modern luxury amenities and can accommodate up to 16 guests. All bedrooms have en suite bathrooms, refined décor, and contemporary elegant furnishings.

LOCATION

Campiglia Marittima, Tuscany

Close to San Vincenzo,
Bolgheri and Punta Ala

SLEEPS

8 bedrooms, 10 bathrooms

Sleeps 16

Villa Lenka

“Majestic frescoes and modern convenience in this elegant villa on the outskirts of Medieval Lucca”

Immersed in a vast parkland with private pool and a pond inhabited by graceful swans, Villa Lenka is a wonderful villa for rent in Lucca, perfect for large family gatherings, special celebration or even a business retreat. Originally built in 1624, the villa played a key role in the administration of the Republic of Lucca.

Wonderful antiques, frescoed ceilings and elegant interiors add to the exclusive atmosphere of the villa rental in Tuscany. The jasmine furnished gazebo is the perfect spot to enjoying a refreshing aperitif while your private chef adds the finishing touches to a delightful Tuscan meal served to be enjoyed under the stars.

Villa Lenka can accommodate up to 14 guests in seven individually styled bedrooms, all en suite. Three of the bedrooms are located in the first floor - the villa's Piano Nobile - while the remaining rooms, two twins, one with double bed and one with a French bed, are located on the second floor.

LOCATION

Capannori, Tuscany

Close to Lucca, Forte dei
Marmi and Pisa

SLEEPS

7 bedrooms, 7 bathrooms

Sleeps 14





Villa Castellina

“All of Chianti is at your fingertips when staying at Villa Castellina; from winery tours to cooking classes, from horseback riding to truffle hunting, you are in the perfect spot to savour the essence of Tuscany”

A charming Tuscan farmhouse dating back to the Middle Ages, Villa Castellina represents the luxurious simplicity of country living. Immersed in the forested hill of Cambolli, guests can enjoy life as relaxing or adventurous as they desire. There’s always something to do at this luxury Tuscan villa; take in an afternoon soaking up the sun around the swimming pool or engage in a friendly match of ping-pong. Finally, relax on the wisteria-covered pergola for an evening of fine dining, star gazing and cherished memories.

Located within one of Italy’s most celebrated wine region, there’s no shortage of wineries in the surroundings. The historic hamlet of Fonterutoli is just down the road, where visitors can indulge in a tasting at the Mazzei family winery and visit the ancient barriccaia. In the opposite direction lies Castellina in Chianti, a charming little town perfect for some shopping in the little botteghe and an ice cream our local favourite gelateria.

Homely and cozy, the interiors of this private villa in Tuscany invite to relax and enjoy some family time. The main house, recently renovated with unique care, sleeps up to ten people in five en suite bedrooms. The small granary, located just a few steps from the main house, offers a second kitchen, living and dining room, and sleeps four adults in two bedrooms with spacious en suites.

LOCATION

Castellina in Chianti,
Tuscany

Close to Florence, Siena
and San Gimignano

SLEEPS

5+2 bedrooms, 5+2
bathrooms

Sleeps 10 or 14 guests based
on configuration

Casale Falcine

“A typical Tuscan farmhouse surrounded by an impressive landscape, just one hour from Pisa, Florence and Siena, some of Tuscany’s most celebrated towns”

Perfectly located in the centre of the golden triangle between Pisa, Siena and Florence, Casale Falcine is a luxury villa for rent in Tuscany which has been superbly renovated to bring you all the comfort of modern living combined with the charm of Tuscan’s architecture, from the terracotta floors and wooden beam ceilings to the stone fireplace and handmade furniture.

The airy living room offers a conversation corner around the cosy fireplace, as well as a game room with pool table and flat TV to entertain all the family. There is also a wine cellar where you can taste the delicious wines produced locally and learn about the history of Tuscan wines. As in ancient houses, the kitchen develops around the original heart and is a paradise for food lovers willing to learn some Italian recipes. Outside, the spectacular countryside is the backdrop for the manicured grounds that surround the private swimming pool – a place to relax and rejuvenate both mind and body.

This luxury villa near Castelfalfi can accommodate up to 10 guests. There is one bedroom with en suite bathroom on the ground floor, one bedroom with adjacent bathroom on the first floor, and 3 bedrooms on the second floor, one of which is a king/twin bedroom with private bathroom and two are queen bedrooms sharing a bathroom.

LOCATION

Montaione, Tuscany

Close to Volterra, San Gimignano and Pisa

SLEEPS

5 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms

Sleeps 10





Villa Altoviti

“Contemporary classic-chic interiors and a spectacular Tuscan landscape for a luxurious retreat in the heart of the Florentine hills of Chianti”

Set amongst a quintessential Tuscan landscape, surrounded by vineyards, olive groves and rolling hills, Villa Altoviti is a luxury villa for rent in Chianti ideally positioned to explore the region, its cultural highlights, medieval villages and unique wine and food scene.

Recently renovated to the highest standards, the interiors of this elegant villa have been designed to offer spacious communal areas, from the double lounge with fireplace to the formal dining room and wonderful gourmet kitchen, perfect to entertain guests and enjoy a delicious Tuscan meal. The paved patio is the ideal spot for an evening aperitivo with views of the infinity pool and the surrounding spectacular landscape.

This spacious villa rental in Tuscany can accommodate up to 10 guests in five completely private double bedrooms, all with ensuite marble bathrooms and built-in wardrobes, perfect to accommodate a large family or a group of friends travelling together.

LOCATION

Montespertoli, Tuscany

Close to Certaldo,
Castelfiorentino and San
Gimignano

SLEEPS

5 bedrooms, 6 bathrooms

Sleeps 10

Casale Mensano

“A rejuvenating retreat surrounded by nature, close to a charming Tuscan village in the magnificent countryside south of Siena”

Perched on a hilltop offering one-of-a-kind-views of the medieval town of San Gimignano in the distance, Casale Mensano is a beautiful villa for rent near Siena, immersed in pristine nature.

Ideal for intimate family gathering, the open plan living and dining room with fireplace opens onto a panoramic outdoor terrace offering several lounge areas, a firepit to enjoy a glass of wine on a balmy summer evening, and a loggia for al fresco dining located just outside the fully equipped kitchen. A few steps down from the terrace is a private heated swimming pool and hot tub overlooking the garden and the magnificent countryside.

The perfect size for a family or three couples, this comfortable villa rental in Tuscany can accommodate up to six guests is three spacious double bedrooms, each with en suite bathrooms.

LOCATION

Casole d'Elsa, Tuscany

Close to Siena,
Monteriggioni and San
Gimignano

SLEEPS

3 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms

Sleeps 6





Villa Volterra

“A contemporary retreat suspended between woodlands and olive trees, within a short drive of Volterra and San Gimignano”

Set on a hilly terrain, the rocky outcrops of this small farm have inspired the design of this modern villa for rent near Volterra, perfect to accommodate a family or three couples wishing to explore the Val d’Elsa region of Tuscany.

Two newly-constructed monoliths stone buildings have been added to the original farmhouse to create a contemporary retreat with spectacular views over the infinity swimming pool on one side, and the olive groves on the other. Inside, the interiors have been designed with comfort and relaxation in mind, with natural colours that perfectly complements the surrounding nature. The open plan living and dining area is perfect to entertain and relax after a long day exploring the region.

Perfectly nestled in a well-manicured garden, this family villa rental in Tuscany can accommodate up to six guests in three spacious double bedrooms, each with air conditioning and private bathroom. Access to the villa is via an unpaved road about 3km which guarantees the maximum privacy.

LOCATION

Volterra, Tuscany
Close to San Gimignano,
Casole d’Elsa and
Castelfalfi

SLEEPS

3 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms
Sleeps 6

Toscana Resort Castelfalfi

“An ancient borgo brought back to life with a luxurious hotel, artisan boutiques, a medieval castle, delightful restaurants and plenty of indoor and outdoor activities to enjoy”

Set in the heart of the Tuscan countryside, Toscana Resort Castelfalfi is the perfect place to immerse yourself in the sights and sounds of Tuscany. Step back in time in the medieval castle while contemplating the striking views. Sample traditional ingredients and flavours with a cooking class at Rosso Toscano Cooking school, and visit the local vineyards to discover your new favourite wines. Once set in a medieval village, the grounds now surrounding the resort are filled with charming shops and restaurants sure to transport you to a different era.

Warm, earthy tones welcome you into the contemporary main building of the Hotel at Toscana Resort Castelfalfi, which is home to the reception desk, the breakfast lounge and the bright 1,000-m2 spa, with heated indoor and outdoor swimming pools. But the hotel's real wow factor is its impressive natural setting: the view from the terrace at the modern La Via del Sale restaurant turns even a quick coffee break into a memorable experience; the spa overlooks the Tuscan hills, which appear to melt into the horizon, offering guests a true oasis of calm.

The estate also offers a selection of private villas and apartments that can be rented on a self-catering basis and benefit from the services and facilities of the resort.

LOCATION

Montaione, Florence

Close to Pisa, San Gimignano, Siena and Florence

SLEEPS

Classic, Superior, Premium, Deluxe, Prestige, Executive and Suite. Private villas and apartments





Portrait Firenze

“A masterpiece of the art of hospitality. This all-suite hotel is a new concept of bespoke tourism in the heart of Florence”

With a discreetly luxurious atmosphere and sophisticated design, the Portrait Firenze, an all-suite hotel in Florence city centre, is an attractive choice for couples and families visiting the cradle of the Renaissance. Owned by the Ferragamo family, you can easily spot a young Salvatore Ferragamo in the framed portraits on the walls, and you can admire its archive of sketches and shiny shoes in the homonym museum, just steps from the hotel.

Guests have access to a range of unique facilities including the White Iris Beauty Spa, the panoramic rooftop terrace and the many restaurants of the Lungarno Collection, most facing the little square of Vicolo dell’Oro where most hotels of the group are located. The lifestyle team takes care of every guest’s whim, from reserving restaurants to organising private tours and sightseeing.

Among its luxurious suites, most of which are facing the river and the Ponte Vecchio, there’s a spectacular rooftop suite and a 273sqm Penthouse Floor. All suites have a small but perfectly formed kitchenette hidden in a lacquered cabinet complete with Nespresso machine, mini dishwasher and everything you would need to prepare a simple meal if you prefer not to go out.

LOCATION

Florence, Tuscany
Close to Ponte Vecchio,
the Uffizi Gallery and
Pitti Palace

SLEEPS

Studio, Studio Deluxe,
Family Suite and Penthouse
Floor
Timeless, Superior,
Prestige, Portrait and Ponte
Vecchio Suite

Hotel Lungarno

“Flagship hotel of the Florentine fashion brand Ferragamo’s Lungarno Collection, the hotel offers an unbeatable location just steps from the Ponte Vecchio, five-star service, magnificent views and gourmet dining”

A beautifully renovated mansion beside the Arno River, Hotel Lungarno brings together classic Florentine style and contemporary design. The blue, white and leather found in its lobby reflect the style of an elegant boat swaying on the Arno with the Ponte Vecchio as its backdrop. Suspended over the river, its fascination perseveres throughout the lounges and corridors, full of stories to tell. The recently improved hotel art collection includes more than 450 works, offered to guests in a variety of themed itineraries.

With luxury rooms and suites, many with beautiful terraces overlooking Renaissance masterpieces, the hotel is within walking distance of the city’s most renowned boutiques, granting you the possibility to breath in the magic of Florence.

Part of a collection of luxury hotels, guests staying at Hotel Lungarno can enjoy the many guests’ facilities including indulging in a massage at the White Iris beauty spa, enjoy an aperitif on the rooftop terrace bar of the Continental or dine in one of the many restaurants, from the casual Caffè dell’Oro, to Michelin-star Borgo San Jacopo and the international cuisine of the The Fusion Bar & Restaurant.

LOCATION

Florence, Tuscany

Close to Ponte Vecchio,
Pitti Palace and Piazza
della Signoria

SLEEPS

Relaxing, Prestige, Deluxe
and Executive

Suite, River View Suite and
Executive Floor





Hotel Continentale

“Vibrant and dynamic yet romantic and relaxing, the Hotel Continentale is the place to see and be seen, a catwalk for fashion and design in the heart of Florence”

Attracting fans of contemporary design, fashionistas and young couples, the Continentale is the most playfully chic of the Ferragamo’s hotels. Located just steps from the Ponte Vecchio, and offering a small spa and a panoramic roof top terrace, it has all you need for a wonderful vacation in Florence city centre.

Rooms and suites at Hotel Continentale are designed with pure lines and light colours, taking inspiration from the fashion and design of the 50’s. Pictures by great Florentine fashion photographers and creations from famous international designers enrich this luxury hotel in Florence and its modern 43 rooms and luxury suites.

Part of the Lungarno Hotels collection, guests staying at Hotel Continentale can enjoy a massage or wellness treatment at the White Iris beauty spa, admire the sunset from the rooftop terrace bar or dine in one of the many restaurants, from the casual Caffè dell’Oro, to the Michelin-star Borgo San Jacopo and the international cuisine of the The Fusion Bar & Restaurant.

LOCATION

Florence, Tuscany
Close to Ponte Vecchio,
Uffizi Gallery and the
Duomo

SLEEPS

Single, Double, Superior
and Family
Prestige, Deluxe, Junior
Suite and Consorti Suite

Gallery Hotel Art

“The first design hotel in Florence attracting international art hounds, fashionistas and travellers looking for stylish accommodation”

A contemporary boutique hotel in the heart of Florence, Gallery Hotel Art was dreamed up by Michele Bonan, a refined Florentine architect, who created modern lines and a minimalist-inclined decor in contrast with the flagstone streets and centuries-old architecture outside.

Set in a quiet courtyard near the Ponte Vecchio and the Arno River, you may experience art and photography vernissages, enjoy a few quiet moments in the inviting lounge-library, or indulge in culinary Eastern delights at the Fusion Bar & Restaurant, a fixture on the Florentine cocktail circuit.

Part of the luxurious and stylish Lungarno Hotel collection, guests staying at Gallery Hotel Art can enjoy the many guests' facilities including enjoying the views from the rooftop terrace bar of the Continental, indulging in a massage at the White Iris beauty spa, or dine around in one of the many restaurants of the group, from the casual Caffè dell'Oro, to Michelin-star Borgo San Jacopo.

LOCATION

Florence, Tuscany

Close to Piazza della Signoria, Ponte Vecchio and Boboli Gardens

SLEEPS

Double, Prestige, Deluxe and Studio

Suite Gallery, Penthouses San Miniato, Pitti and Palazzo Vecchio





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