

Pro Rome TOURS

RESTAURANT GUIDE



In Rome and Italy in general there is an entire culture built around the eating of food. It goes without saying that in order to experience the real Rome one must sit down and experience a real Roman meal.

Unfortunately many restaurants in Rome have turned into businesses that rush as many tourists in and out as possible, compromising the quality of the food as well as the significance of sharing a meal together.

We are committed to providing just the opposite. We've put together this guide in order to send you to the best restaurants in Rome. Not necessarily the most costly, but rather those that embrace a culture and culinary tradition that understands the meal as something *sacred*. Time is not accounted for at the Roman table. Expect to linger late into the evening, enjoying the finer things in life.

Our dining suggestions have been organized by *rione*, or district of the city in which they are situated. That way you can plan your meals dependent on where you find yourself each day.

BORGO PIO

Borgo Pio, characterized by its charming alleyways and fountains, sits neatly between the Vatican and Leonine walls. Perhaps more than any other district of Rome, Borgo Pio's many restaurants are known for their authentic Roman cuisine. We've listed its five best.

Taverna Angelica

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 6:00 PM – 12:00 AM
Address: Piazza Amerigo Caponi, 7
Reservations: 39 06 687 4514
Website: <http://www.tavernaangelica.com>

Ristorante Arlù

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM
Address: Via Borgo Pio, 135
Reservations: 39 06 686 8963
Website: <http://www.ristorantearlu.com>

Ristorante Velandò

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:30 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via Borgo Vittori 26
Reservations: 39 06 6880 9955
Website: <http://www.ristorantevelando.it>

Osteria Nuvolari

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:00 PM – 3:30 PM, 6:00 PM – 11:30 PM
Address: Via degli Ombrellari, 10
Reservations: 39 06 6880 3018

I Tre Pupazzi

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via Borgo Pio, 183
Reservations: 06 68 803 220
Website: <http://ristorantetrepupazzi.weebly.com/>

SAN PIETRO

Whereas Borgo Pio sits on the north side of St. Peter's Square, San Pietro is situated just across the great piazza on the south side. Bordering the Vatican's southwestern extremity, the restaurants in this guide, though not technically within San Pietro, will be classified as such for practical purposes. Often frequented by high members of the Roman curia the following *ristoranti* are some of Rome's best. Enjoy.

La Vittoria

Hours: Open every day with the exception of Wednesday, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via delle Fornaci, 15
Reservations: 06 63 18 58
Website: <http://www.ristorantelavittoria.com>

Ristorante La Veranda

Hours: Open every day with the exception of Monday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:30 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Borgo Santo Spirito, 73
Reservations: 39 06 687 2973
Website: <http://www.laveranda.net/>

La Pilotta da Mario

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:30 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via di Porta Cavalleggeri, 35
Reservations: 39 06 632 643

I Quattro Mori

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 10:30 PM
Address: Via di Santa Maria alle Fornaci, 8
Reservations: 06 639 0195

Goose

Hours: Lunch, Monday – Friday, 12:30 PM, 3:00 PM. Dinner every day, 7:00 PM – 11:30 PM
Address: Piazzale Gregorio VII, 32/33/34
Reservations: 39 06 3936 6269
Website: <http://www.gooseristorante.it/it/>

TRASTEVERE

Trastevere, an ancient word deriving from the Latin *trans Tiberim*, or “across the Tiber,” is, without a doubt, the most charming district of Rome. Wandering its streets is in and of itself an overwhelming experience of the real Rome. These restaurants will surely add to an already *romantic* evening out, no pun intended.

Osteria Numero 6

Hours: Tuesday – Sunday, 12:00 PM – 3:30 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:30 PM.
Address: Via Garibaldi, 60
Reservations: 39 331 507 0039

Carlo Menta

Hours: Every day, 12:00 PM – 12:00 AM
Address: Via della Lungarina, 101
Reservations: 39 06 580 3733

Aroma di Mare

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 7:00 PM – 11:30 PM (open later on weekends)
Address: Via Natale del Grande, 41
Reservations: 39 06 588 1670
Website: <http://aromadimare.com/>

La Taverna dei Mercanti

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Piazza dei Mercanti, 3
Reservations: 06 588 1693
Website: <http://www.tavernademercanti.com/>

Antica Trattoria da Carlone

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via della Luce, 5
Reservations: 06 580 0039

NAVONA

Piazza Navona may very well be called the center of Rome. It is the largest and greatest piazza of the city, the meeting place of Romans, the stage of artists and musicians, and home to Bernini's marvelous *Fountain of the Four Rivers*. The entire city seems to whirl around it in some great buzz. Navona, though not technically the district's name, suits this guide well as it makes sense to associate the following restaurants with Piazza Navona.

Costanza Hostaria

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:30 PM – 11:30 PM
Address: Piazza del Paradiso, 65
Reservations: 06 686 1717
Website: <http://www.hostariacostanza.it/>

Trattoria Moderna

Hours: Monday – Sunday, 12:00 PM – 12:00 AM
Address: Vicolo dei Chiodaroli, 16
Reservations: 39 06 6880 3423

Pizzeria Baffetto

Hours: Wednesday – Monday, Dinner 6:30 – 11:30 PM. Saturday/Sunday – Lunch 12:30 PM – 2:30 PM
Address: Via del Governo Vecchio, 114
Reservations: 39 06 686 1617
Website: <http://www.pizzeriabaffetto.it>

La Focaccia

Hours: Open Daily, 11:00 AM – 11:30 PM
Address: Via della Pace, 11
Reservations: 39 06 6880 3312
Website: <http://1stmuse.com/focaccia/>

Ristorante Da Francesco

Hours: Open Daily, 12:00 PM – 3:30 PM, 7:00 PM – 12:AM
Address: Piazza del Fico, 29
Reservations: 39 06 686 4009
Website: <http://www.dafrancesco.it/>

TREVI

The Trevi fountain is the most famous fountain in the world. The section of the city surrounding it is naturally jam-packed with touristy shops and eateries. The following restaurants are each in their own way a great escape from the chaos of the Trevi Fountain's appeal. Don't forget to drop a few coins in the waters before strolling on home.

Ristorante Le Cave di S. Ignazio, 'Da Sabatino'

Hours: Open Daily 12:30 PM – 4:00PM, 7:30 PM – 1:30 AM.
Address: Piazza di Sant'Ignazio, 169
Reservations: 39 06 679 7821
Website: <http://www.dasabatino.it>

Abruzzi Ai SS. Apostoli

Hours: Open every day with the exception of Saturday, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via del Vaccaro, 1
Reservations: 39 06 679 3897

Vineria Il Chianti

Hours: Open Daily, 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM – 12:00 AM.
Address: Via del Lavatore, 81
Reservations: 39 06 678 7550
Website: <http://www.vinerailchianti.com/>

Pizza Ciro

Hours: Open Daily, 12:00 PM – 12:00 AM
Address: Via delle Mercede, 43
Reservations: 39 06 678 6015
Website: <http://www.pizzaciro.it/>

Ciampini al Café du Jardin

Hours: Open Daily, 8:00 AM – 11:00 PM
Address: Piazza Trinita dei Monti
Reservations: 39 06 678 5678
Website: www.caffeciampini.com

MONTI

Monti has become one of the most happening neighborhoods in all of Rome. The Eternal City's first district, Monti climbs up the Viminal and Esquiline hills, above the Roman Forum and Colosseum all the way to the great basilica of St. Mary Major atop the city. You'll feel right at home in Monti. Here are some of her best restaurants.

Hotel Forum

Hours: Open Daily, 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM, 7:30 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via Tor de' Conti, 25-30
Reservations: 39 06 679 2447
Website: <http://www.ristoranteroofgardenforum.it/>

La Carbonara dal 1906

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:30 PM – 2:30 PM, 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
Address: Via Panisperna, 214
Reservations: 39 06 482 5176
Website: <http://www.lacarbonara.it/>

Ai Tre Scalini

Hours: Monday – Saturday, 12:30 PM – 1:00 AM
Address: Via Panisperna, 251
Reservations: 39 06 4890 7495
Website: <http://colosseoorg.wix.com/aitrescalini>

Le Terme del Colosseo

Hours: Open Daily, 11:30 PM – 11:30 AM
Address: Via del Cardello, 13
Reservations: 06 483616
Website: <http://www.letermedelcolosseo.it/>

Li Rioni Ai Santiquattro

Hours: Open Daily, 7:00 PM – 12:00 AM
Address: Via S. Quattro, 24
Reservations: 39 06 7045 0605
Website: <http://www.lirioni.it>