



Delectable Destinations

Your dream trip delivered.

Ravello, Italy

Delectable Destinations is dedicated to planning, co-ordinating and curating customized tours to hand-picked destinations. Each trip is arranged and led by experienced travel planner, and specialist in European culture and culinary arts, Carol Ketelson. She guides small groups of travel enthusiasts on memorable journeys into the world of flavourful local cuisine and culturally rich locations, while capturing the true essence of each region. Carol has spent over 10 years sharing exceptional experiences with her guests to the Amalfi Coast, Tuscany, Puglia, India, Spain and Ireland.

Culinary travel is the hottest trend for discerning vacationers dreaming of a memorable and delicious experience. Delectable Destinations specializes in beyond-your-wildest-dreams tours, creating food and travel memories that will last a lifetime, and has clients coming back year after year to explore new destinations or revisit the old.

With Carol Ketelson, founder of Delectable Destinations, there are no cookie-cutter itineraries or whirlwind tours through tourist-worn cities on big buses.



Mamma Agata and Chiara



Carol Ketelson
in Tuscany

She has made Delectable Destinations all about luxury, slow food and slow travel, taking the time with just 6-8 travellers per trip to savour authentic local tastes with skilled artisans, home cooks, 5-star chefs, and off-the-beaten-path explorations. These small groups allow Carol to get to know her guests, and guests get to know each other and the locals over great food, wine and conversation. Memories and friendships are made that last a lifetime.

Imagine yourself on a Delectable Destination trip: Spending a day cooking and feasting with a family of chefs whose Amalfi Coast villa has been in the family for generations or harvesting olives in a thousand-year old grove and tasting olive oils like they were wines, walking a small organic vineyard and lemon orchard overlooking a dazzling town on the sea dating back to the 9th century, then having the vineyard owner prepare you a wine-pairing meal that will have you tasting history and love in every bite. Your experience will bring more delights as you wake up in your exquisite private villa or gem hotel with breathtaking vistas at every turn with delicious discoveries daily! "This just keeps getting better" could be Delectable Destinations tag line because it's the phrase Carol hears most from her clients during their time with her.



Carol Ketelson worked for many years as a corporate travel coordinator and conference planner, primarily in the medical industry. This experience honed her skills as an impeccable planner with the attention to detail required to excel in the field. While planning a conference in 2000, she visited the small cliffside town of Ravello and fell deeply in love with the region. She forged relationships with artisans, guides, and culinary legends in the area who urged her to follow her off-the-beaten-path dreams and start her own travel company.



Casual lunch at Badia a Coltibuono in Tuscany



Perfect Girls Getaway in Tuscany

Since then, Carol has expanded Delectable Destinations from her beloved Amalfi Coast region to doing exquisite culinary tours in Tuscany, Puglia, Andalusia, Spain and India. A limited number of trips are also enhanced with extra-value themes such as her professional chef-guided experience, Recipe for Reinvention women's empowerment retreats, and food photography.



Delectable Destinations trips take place primarily in the spring and fall.

For more information about available trips and booking, please visit www.delectabledestinations.com or call Carol Ketelson at 1-866-826-2534

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