

DAILY TOUR

TARQUINIA & THE ETRUSCAN CIVILIZATION



The Tomb of the Lionesses, TARQUINIA

DESCRIPTION

Spend a day in the world of the Etruscan civilization!

Enjoy a guided visit of the marvelous hill of **Monterozzi** -one of the most extraordinary archaeological sites of the whole Mediterranean area. *The necropolis of Tarquinia, also known as Monterozzi, contains 6,000 graves cut in the rock. It is famous for its 200 painted tombs, the earliest of which dates back to the 7th century BC.*

After the visit of the necropolis enjoy some free time to have **lunch**.

In the afternoon, after having visited the Medieval city of **Tarquinia**, we join "the last Etruscan": Mr. Omero! He is for sure one of the most interesting and talented artist; he describes himself as an artist who creates "contemporary Etruscan" pieces. Having being a self-professed tombarolo, or tomb robber, today he is the founder of a private museum where it shows his replicas of the artistic handiwork of the antique Italian folk. Mr. Omero, is a colorful local character, smart and with a great knowledge of antique arts. Visiting his private museum will be very interesting and amusing.

THE TOUR INCLUDES

- » Half day local guide
- » Entrance fee and visit of Monterozzi archeological site
- » Visit of Tarquinia
- » Visit of Omero's museum
- » Taxes

UPON REQUEST

- » Transfer
- » Entrance fee to museums or other

INFORMATION

- » The villas are closed on Monday
- » Distances: from Rome approx. 1 hour, from Civitavecchia 30 minutes