

Previous J&H Tours to the Basque Country have always received outstanding reviews and we are excited to offer this tour again in 2010 co-hosted by well-known Australian author Mary Moody and J&H Tours' owner John Ross:

J&H TOURS
CLASSIC BASQUE COUNTRY
with Mary Moody
18 to 28 September 2010
11 days/10 nights



Journalist, author and television presenter Mary Moody has owned a village house in the southwest region of France for nine years. She is passionate about the region and has written several books about the area and produced and directed a film about a village restaurant for SBS. Mary Moody is delighted to be hosting this special tour to this beautiful part of France and has asked us to pass on a message to you on her behalf:

"Australian's are more attracted to France than to any other foreign destination. The joy of this wonderful country is that each region has its own captivating and quite distinctive culture and atmosphere. The Basque country is unique and offers an insight into a way of life that is very different from other parts of France that you may have visited.

I first ventured into the Basque region several years ago and I was immediately entranced by the culture, scenery, architecture and cuisine. The people were warm and welcoming and I found their history quite fascinating.

I am thrilled to be starting the tour in one of my favourite cities in the world - Toulouse - with its muted pink stone buildings and elegant streets. The entire tour is studded with highlights - Bayonne, St Jean de Luz and the glorious coastal town of Biarritz to name a few. We will enjoy the best of Basque country, not just in where we go and what we see, but also in the enjoyment of our prestigious hotels and the high standard of regional food and wines we will experience.

I cannot tell you how much I am looking forward to this journey into the Basque region, and I congratulate John Ross for putting together such a splendid itinerary".

Mary Moody