The Wandering Gourmand
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48-Hour Santa Barbara Wineries Guide

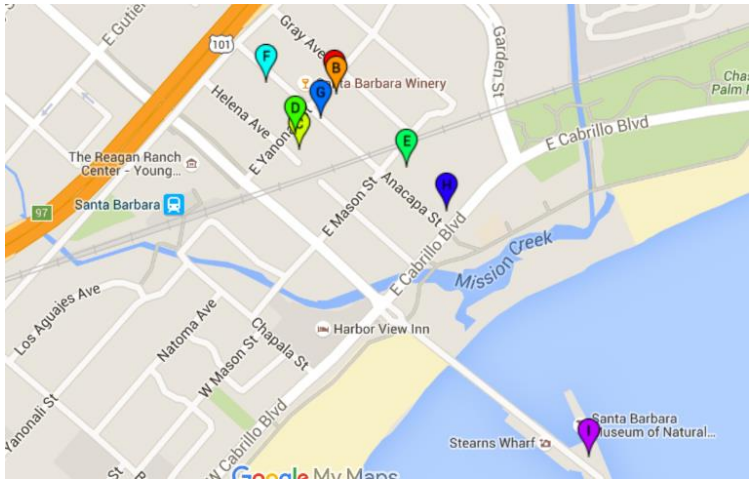
Day 1 – The Funk Zone

Begin your wine tour of Santa Barbara in the Funk Zone – an eclectic neighborhood for wine and art near the beach. Sip from 20 tasting rooms!

Some recommended tasting rooms include:

A. **The Valley Project** provides a good lay of the land
B. **Pali Winery** is great for Pinot Noir
C. **SB Wine Collective** offers several wineries in one tasting room
D. **Figueroa Mountain Brewery** is perfect for a break from wine
E. **Corks & Crowns** has very creatives flights

Finish the evening with dinner at either **Monty's Tacos (F)**, **The Lark (G)**, or **SB Fishouse (H)** After, head to **Deep Sea Winery (I)** on Stearn's Wharf for a sunset view.

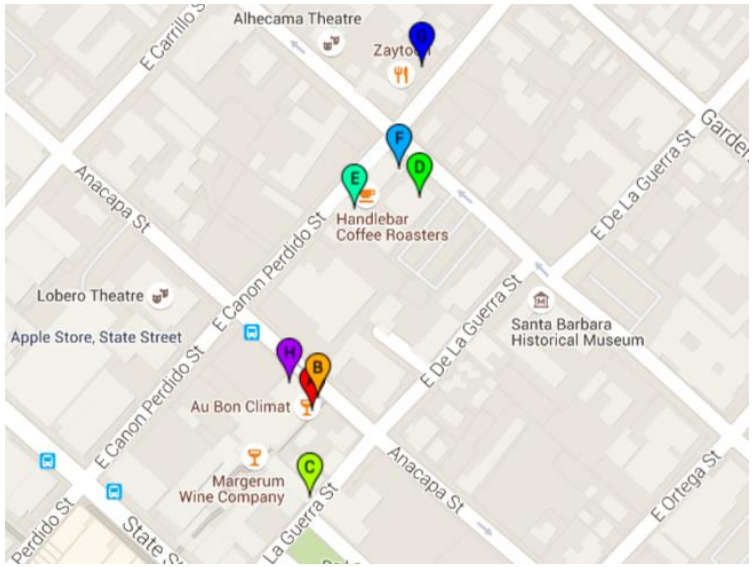


Day 2 – Wine Collection of El Paseo

Meander through the complex of historic buildings, courtyards and side streets of the Wine Collection of El Paseo while stopping to sample wine. Here are some highlights

A. **Grassini Vineyards** is known for their Cabernets and red blends
B. **Au Bon Climat** makes prized Chardonnay and Pinot Noir
C. **Jamie Slone Wines** is loved for their Grenache Blanc and a Super Tuscan

There are plenty of great food options in the Wine Collection like **C'est Cheese (D)** and **Three Pickles (E)** for soups salads and sandwiches. **Julienne (F)** has great house-made charcuterie, **Zaytoon (G)** is a stop for Lebanese food, and **Intermezzo (H)** is a relaxing spot for apps.



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