





## **LUCCIANO • MONTORIO • BURIANO**

Starting from the Lucciano village parking lot, go along Via della Gorga towards the hills, always following the main road that initially goes downhill, passing by the **Fattoria Spalletti**. After 600 m. continue going up a short, shady climb lined by tall oaks as far as the church of Santo Stefano a Lucciano (190 m.). Past the church, near a roadside shrine, continue downhill on **Via Rio della Trave** where the spontaneous vegetation is very dense, leaving room further ahead, for stretches of relatively level ground with olive groves. Shortly, the road climbs until it reaches the **village of Montorio**. At the stop sign, go straight ahead on **Via Carraia** (185 m.) where there is a spring, a little further on, near the small square. A short detour to the right among the houses (at no. 127) is interesting to see the oratory of San Martino with its delightful bell gable. Next, return to Via Carraia and continue downhill towards Fattoria **di Montorio** on a stretch lined by tall cypresses, and then right at the intersection across flat ground on **Via Baldi Papini** (155 m.). Bypass Via Poggetto further ahead and proceed on **Via delle Molina**, where there are some country houses, until coming to the end of the paved road. Continue along a dirt road, first on relatively flat ground and then going uphill until again coming to a paved road near a roadside shrine. From here, go straight forward, downhill on Via della Chiesa di Buriano as far as the Church of San Michele Arcangelo (183 m.), a particularly panoramic spot in an area full of peace and tranquility where it is interesting to notice the various stations of **the Cross**. The itinerary ends here at 3.5 km; at this point, follow the route in reverse to return to the starting point.

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Lucciano is a hamlet in the municipality of Quarrata; it is located on the slopes of Montalbano, surrounded by breath-taking countryside cultivated above all with olive groves. The current church, dedicated to Saint Stephen, rises near the perimeter of what was once the ancient fort. Near Lucciano is the Villa Fattoria dei Conti Spalletti, which is famous for its wine and oil production. Lucciano is also famous for Filet, a type of cotton or silk lacework, done by embroidering a design on a background made up of a mesh formed by small but solid knots.





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