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OSIRIS is a DMC specializing in inbound tourism in Portugal and Spain, with a high level of experience and constituted by professionals concerned in designing new itineraries with creative and original programs in order to offer differentiating and authentic experiences.

The OSIRIS circuits´ suggest a deep immersion into Iberian culture, get to know their secular history, the flavours, traditions and beauties. With OSIRIS these will be unforgettable trips!

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GROUP: We consider a group of more than 15 people

SMALL GROUP: In some tours, due to their characteristics, we do not advise that groups exceed 25 people.

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PORTUGAL A COUNTRY OF CONTRASTS

With its superb climate and an average of 3000 hours of sunshine per year, 850 kms of splendid beaches bathed by the Atlantic Ocean, Portugal is the ideal holiday destination throughout the year. To contribute to this diversity, we also have the unique islands of the Azores and Madeira, real paradises waiting to be discovered just 2 hours away from Lisbon, in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean.

This is the country with the oldest borders of Europe, with an exceptional variety of landscapes, many leisure activities and a unique cultural heritage, where tradition and modernity blend in perfect harmony. Its excellent gastronomy, fine wines and hospitable people make this a tourist paradise of the highest quality.

Situated in the extreme southwest corner of Europe, just 1-2 hours flight from most European capitals, Portugal attracts visitors from around the world and is winning consecutive awards as one of the best tourist destinations in the world.

SPAIN A COUNTRY OF PASSIONS

Spain is a destination with a combination of history, religion, culture and a large multiculturalism. The beautiful coastal regions and mountainous areas of the Pyrenees and Asturias make this, a country of natural contrasts as never seen before.

You can enjoy numerous world-famous cities such as Madrid, Barcelona, Bilbao, Seville and Granada; of its museums of great artists such as Salvador Dali, Pablo Picasso or Antoni Gaudi and let yourself be carried away by its gastronomy. From the famous tapas to wines of high quality, Spain is synonymous with flavours.

More and more Awards

Tourism in Portugal is up a little throughout the world, with distinctions attributed to hotels, restaurants, cities ...

In recent years, Portugal has been one of the countries that received the most international awards, which can be explained by the beaches, gastronomy, beautiful scenery, inviting prices and above all by its welcoming people.

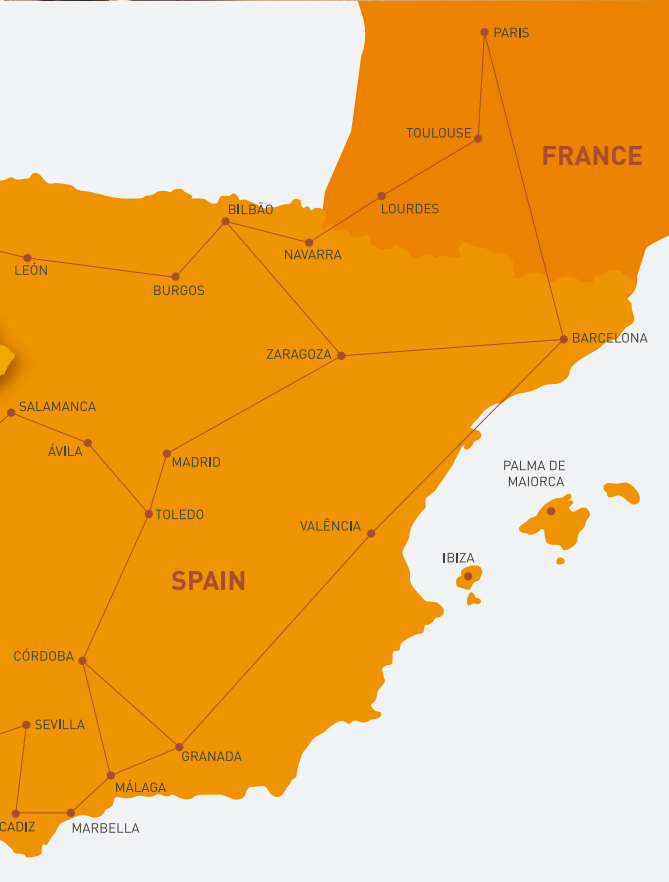




PORTUGAL

UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE PLACES IN PORTUGAL

- Angra do Heroísmo (Azores) city center
- Jerónimos Monastery and Belém Tower in Lisbon
- Batalha's Monastery
- Christ's Convent of in Tomar
- Évora Historic City Center
- Alcobaça's Monastery
- Sintra Cultural Landscape
- Porto Historic City Center
- Côa Valley Prehistoric Cave Art Sites
- Madeira Island's Forest
- Guimarães Historic City Center
- Pico Island wine landscape
- Frontier and garrison town of Elvas and its fortifications
- Coimbra University



AZORES

- CORVO
- FLORES
- FAIAL
- PICO
- GRACIOSA
- S. JORGE
- S. MIGUEL
- TERCEIRA
- ST. MARIA

MADEIRA ISLAND

- FUNCHAL
- ILHAS DESERTAS
- PORTO SANTO

NORTH OF PORTUGAL



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Portugal was born in the North. It was in the Porto and North regions that the Portuguese began as a people and nation. Here we learn the value of difference, but also the complementarity of cultures.

Oporto, a World Heritage city, is the great gateway and can be the starting point for a trip for the region's natural and cultural diversity. It is known for the wine that goes from here to around the world, but also by the School of Architecture, where the names of Álvaro Siza Vieira and Souto de Moura, both Pritzker Prizes, came out. And also for a heritage that knows how to combine the antiquity of churches and monuments, such as the Cathedral or the Church of S. Francisco, with the contemporaneity of striking buildings such as the Casa da Música (House of Music), the Serralves Museum and others.

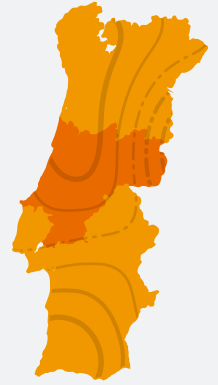
The Douro river crosses the region. It enters Portugal tight between ravines and mountains of the interior to cross the whole landscape of the World Heritage where the wines of Porto and the Douro are cultivated. There you cross the wine that follows to the Caves of Gaia and the cruises that visit the region.

In this region of mountains and natural parks, the patrimony is spread by castles, such as Guimarães, or by sanctuaries and churches that in summer are the stage of pilgrimages. Next to rural hermitages we find the baroque of the North of Portugal made of granite and gilded carving. In cities that knew how to preserve the human scale, such as Viana do Castelo, Braga, Lamego, Chaves or Vila Real, or in manors and manors, we find the most authentic Portuguese, the one who genuinely likes to receive, to share his table and traditions. In Oporto and North of Portugal one lives in a natural way the joy and gratitude for all that we have and are.



CENTER OF PORTUGAL

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In the interior of the country, there are mountains and villages of granite and schist. By the sea, fishing villages and cosmopolitan beaches with water sports set the pace of the day. And everywhere centuries old heritage proudly displays the history of the region. At last, the highlight: Fatima, where we find the Sanctuary of Fatima, a place of Catholic pilgrimage and annually visited by millions of people

Some of these places are so important for humanity that they have been included in the UNESCO list of world heritage. This is the case of the Monasteries of Alcobaça and Batalha, the Convent of Christ in Tomar and Coimbra University. But there are other unique features that are well worth discovering. For example, the historic villages and castles that defended the nation's borders. The Schist Villages and the towns of whitewashed houses, like Óbidos, a treasure within walls. The cities, where modernity is combined with tradition – Coimbra, the university city, Aveiro between the Ria and the sea, and Viseu, Guarda and Castelo Branco, in which the stone architecture retains traces of an immemorial past.

Serra da Estrela, the highest peak in mainland Portugal, is the star of the mountains, with its endless landscapes and glacial lagoons. But there are also the Lousã, Açor and Caramulo ranges, where you can discover nature by hiking or by bike. Here you can also try rock climbing, abseiling, rafting or canoeing, for example in the Naturtejo Geopark, a preserved area where several species of birds and animals live.

The crystal clear waters that rise from the thermal springs balance the body and soul. And the beaches! River beaches surrounded by forests and coastal beaches open to the Atlantic ocean, provide certain freshness on hot summer days. They are also well known spots for surfers from around the world, who come for the perfect waves in Peniche, and even the giant waves in Nazaré.



There are flavours for every palate to comfort the stomach: cheese and sausages, bouillabaisse and roast suckling pig, honey and convent sweets; and for raising the spirits, you can rely on the excellent wines from the demarcated regions. They are all the product of the know-how of the people, who are genuinely welcoming in receiving their visitors with the best they have to offer.



REGION OF LISBON



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Lisbon is Portugal's capital and the hub of a multifaceted area that appeals to different tastes and senses.

In a city that has been influenced by many different far-off cultures over time, there is still a village feel in each historic neighbourhood. Stroll through the Pombaline grid of streets in the Baixa district that opens on to the Tagus in Praça do Comércio, then follow the river to discover some of the city's most beautiful parts: the monumental area of Belém with its World Heritage monuments, the mediaeval quarters and the latest contemporary leisure spaces, such as the Parque das Nações.

If you continue to the mouth of the river, you'll understand why we say that Lisbon is the centre of a vast resort. Along the coastal road you'll find beaches and beach resorts that combine villas and hotels from the beginning of the 20th century with marinas, terraces and excellent golf courses. Further along the coast you'll come across world-renowned surfing beaches, but also the palaces scattered across the cultural landscape of Sintra, a World Heritage Site.

The wide variety of landscapes and heritage is always close by, whether to the north or south of the capital. With beaches, natural parks, cultural routes and accommodation for all tastes, it is hard to escape the Lisbon region on a visit to Portugal.

Fado is another expression of what it is to be Portuguese that has also been awarded World Heritage status. You can hear it at night in a fado house or in a traditional neighbourhood. But go, as well, to the lively bars and nightclubs, to find other types of music. From reggae to African music, new wave, indie or electronic, there's a great diversity of sounds and environments, but all are good excuses to have a drink and dance the night away.



REGION OF ALENTEJO

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The plains that extend as far as the eye can see start close to the Tagus. While to the north, the pace is set by the green of the flatlands, further south the landscape combines with the sun, the heat and a slower pace of life. This is the Alentejo.

To the north, the pastures of the marshlands; in the vast interior, unending flatness, and fields of wheat waving in the wind; at the coast, wild, beautiful beaches waiting to be discovered.

The vastness of the landscape is dotted with cork oaks and olive trees that withstand time. Santarém is a natural viewpoint over the immensity of the Tagus. Here and there, you find a walled town, such as Marvão or Monsaraz, or an ancient dolmen to recall the magic of the place. Around the hills, low, whitewashed houses stand on small knolls, castles evoke battles and conquests and the yards and gardens are witness to the Arab influences which shaped the people and nature.

In the Alentejo the power of the land marks the time and cities like Elvas and Évora, listed as World Heritage by UNESCO, show the tenacity of the people. Perhaps this is the reason that culture and spirituality take on a singular character here. These memories of the past are also shared by other cities, such as Santarém, Portalegre and Beja, and in the former Jewish quarters, particularly in Castelo de Vide.

The flat land makes hiking and cycling easy, though horses are also part of the landscape.



You can combine these rides with birdwatching and, in dams such as Alqueva, with the tranquillity of the waters or stargazing.

But you must also explore the coast. The landscape here is hilly and rugged, with small sheltered coves between the cliffs, many of which are ideal for surfing.

You will also breathe the scents of the countryside here, the aromatic herbs that season the fish, seafood and other regional fare to be accompanied by the region's excellent wines. Indeed, the entire Alentejo lives according to the rhythm of the earth.



REGION OF ALGARVE

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It was here that, in the 15th century, the Portuguese set off on the epic journey that led them to discover other peoples and cultures... and it is in the Algarve that we cheerfully welcome many of our visitors. Even the climate is mild and sunny all year round!

There's no shortage of high quality beaches either. Sandy stretches as far as the eye can see, framed by golden cliffs, virtually deserted islands marking the boundary between Ria Formosa and the sea, and small coves sheltered by the rocks. The ocean, in every shade of blue and mostly calm and warm, invites you for long swims and to indulge in water sports.

And there are also the mountains, where people live in harmony with nature and maintain traditions that they love to share. And the cities. Silves preserves traces of its Arab past and Lagos from the time of the Discoveries. More cosmopolitan Portimão and Albufeira are bustling towns by night and day. Tavira is a showcase for traditional architecture and Faro, the gateway to the region, deserves a long stop to discover its beautiful historic centre.

To relax, you can have various treatments in the spas and thalassotherapy centres and in the Monchique Thermal Baths. There are also many internationally acclaimed golf courses where you can enjoy a spot of exercise. And hotels, tourist villages, resorts, from the simplest to the most sophisticated. In short, a varied array sharing a genuine love for hospitality.

You can use footpaths and cycle trails to get to know the region, such as the Algarve Way inland or the Vicentine Route along one of the best preserved coastal stretches. And boat rides are another ecological way to observe the flora and fauna.



At the table, you will be delighted with the fresh fish and seafood, either grilled or in a casserole. These are divine flavours which you can enjoy on a simple beach terrace or in the most refined Michelin-starred restaurants, where chefs turn out new versions of traditional cuisine. They are further experiences not to be missed on a visit to the region.

MADEIRA ISLAND

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Right in the middle of the Atlantic, the islands of Madeira and Porto Santo are a haven of natural beauty. The exotic colours of the flowers stand out from among the blue sea and the emerald green vegetation; this is an archipelago where two thirds are a protected area and where the largest Laurisilva forest in the world is located.

The springtime temperature, felt all year round, cries out for open air activities. You can go for a walk along the network of levadas (irrigation channels), visit the city of Funchal and discover the heritage associated with the Discoveries or roam freely around the island. Boat rides are an excellent way of admiring the coastline from a different perspective.



In such a naturally welcoming environment, balance and well-being are taken for granted. Madeira offers various tourist complexes and accesses to the sea with prime conditions for leisure boating and scuba diving. The island of Porto Santo, in particular, is the ideal place to escape from stress and undertake a thalassotherapy programme, or a beach holiday combined with a spot of golf.

Popular feasts, which take place all year round, are opportunities to appreciate traditional gastronomic flavours and see Madeira partying, especially for the Carnival parades, the Flower Festival, the Atlantic Festival and, above all, the end-of-year fireworks display.



AZORES ISLANDS

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Mother Nature has created a land full of natural beauty, ready to be explored, in the blue immensity of the Atlantic Ocean: the Azores.

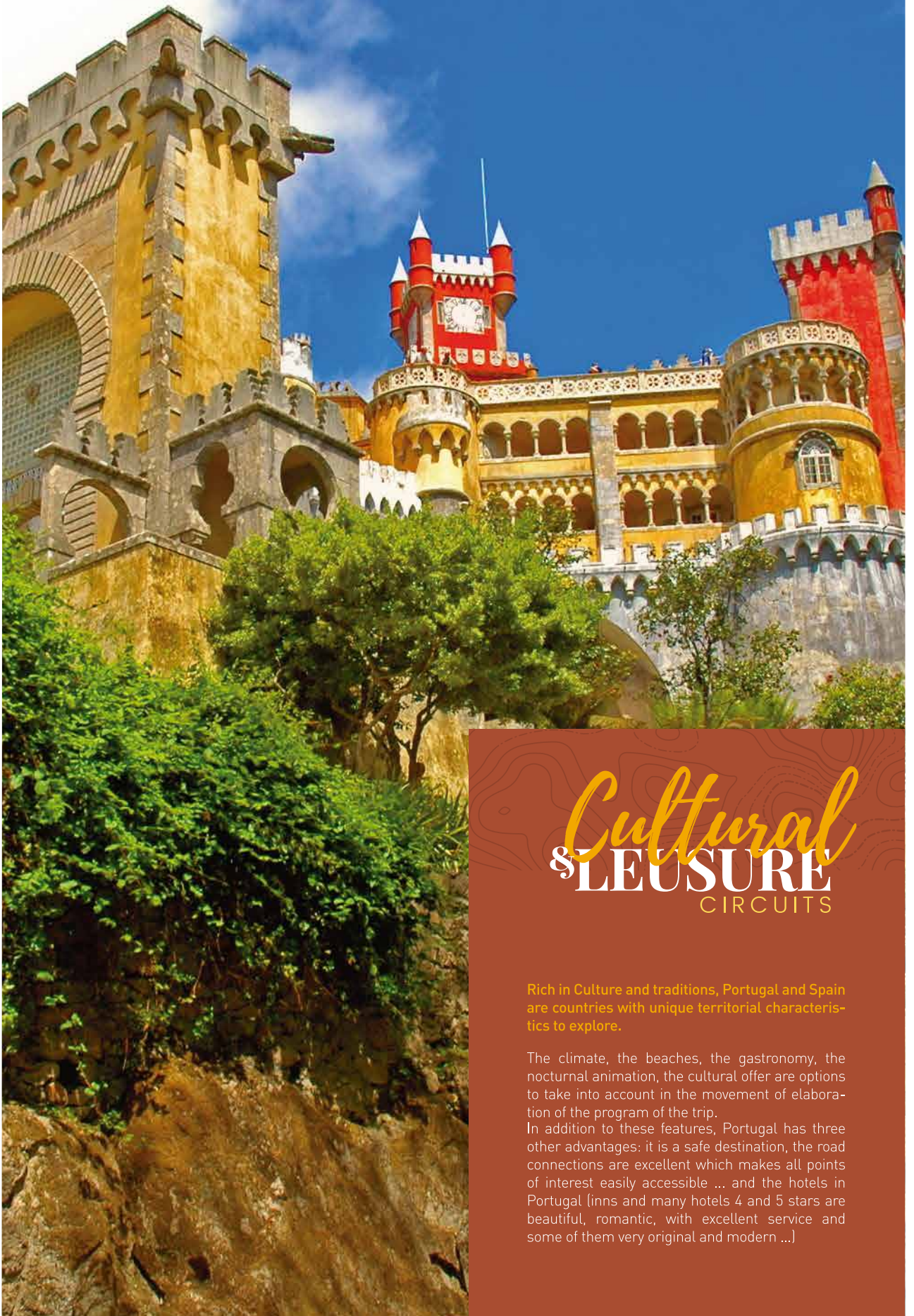
To the East, on the island of Santa Maria, the beaches of warm white sand are inviting, and the vineyards covering the slopes like an amphitheatre resemble giant staircases. São Miguel, the largest island, is seductive with its Sete Cidades and Fogo Lagoons. The power that emanates from the earth is felt in the geysers, hot thermal waters and volcanic lakes, as well as in the tasty "Cozido das Furnas" slowly cooked inside the earth

In the Central Group, the islands of Terceira, São Jorge, Pico, Faial and Graciosa are set harmoniously in the deep blue sea, where whales and dolphins can be spotted, to the delight of visitors. On Terceira, the World Heritage town of Angra do Heroísmo, as well as its festivals, is steeped in history. Faial is the cool blue of the hydrangeas, the marina painted colourfully by yachtsmen from all over the world and the extinct Capelinhos volcano, which resembles a lunar landscape. In front is Pico, a mountain that emerges from the sea, with vineyards planted in black lava fields, a unique culture that also has World Heritage status. On São Jorge, the highlights are the Fajãs and the cheese, a unique specialty with an unmistakable flavour. Graciosa, graceful in both name and appearance, is an island of green fields covered with vineyards that contrast with its peculiar windmills.

In the Western group, on the island of Flores, the beauty of the natural waterfalls and lakes carved out by volcanoes is dazzling. The tiny island of Corvo has a broad, beautiful crater at its centre, and attracts many species of birds coming from both Europe and America.

These are the Azores. Nine islands, nine small worlds that have as many similarities as differences, but where the friendliness of their inhabitants is shared by all.





Cultural & LEISURE CIRCUITS

Rich in Culture and traditions, Portugal and Spain are countries with unique territorial characteristics to explore.

The climate, the beaches, the gastronomy, the nocturnal animation, the cultural offer are options to take into account in the movement of elaboration of the program of the trip.

In addition to these features, Portugal has three other advantages: it is a safe destination, the road connections are excellent which makes all points of interest easily accessible ... and the hotels in Portugal (inns and many hotels 4 and 5 stars are beautiful, romantic, with excellent service and some of them very original and modern ...)



LISBON GETAWAY (3 NIGHTS)
REGULAR | SHARED TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 3. LISBON | SINTRA | CASCAIS | ESTORIL | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure from the hotel towards Sintra, a magnificent UNESCO World Heritage site. Discover the charms and history of the town that enchanted kings and poets. Visit to the romantic Pena Palace or Sintra's Royal Palace (Subject to availability). If the weather allows, we will stop at the western point of mainland Europe, Cabo da Roca. On the way to Cascais along the coast, be dazzled by the seascape. In Estoril, the place where Ian Fleming got inspiration for the James Bond movies, we highlight the gardens of the Casino. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 4. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Transfer to the airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES

DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport. Meet and greet, transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day free.

Overnight in Lisbon.

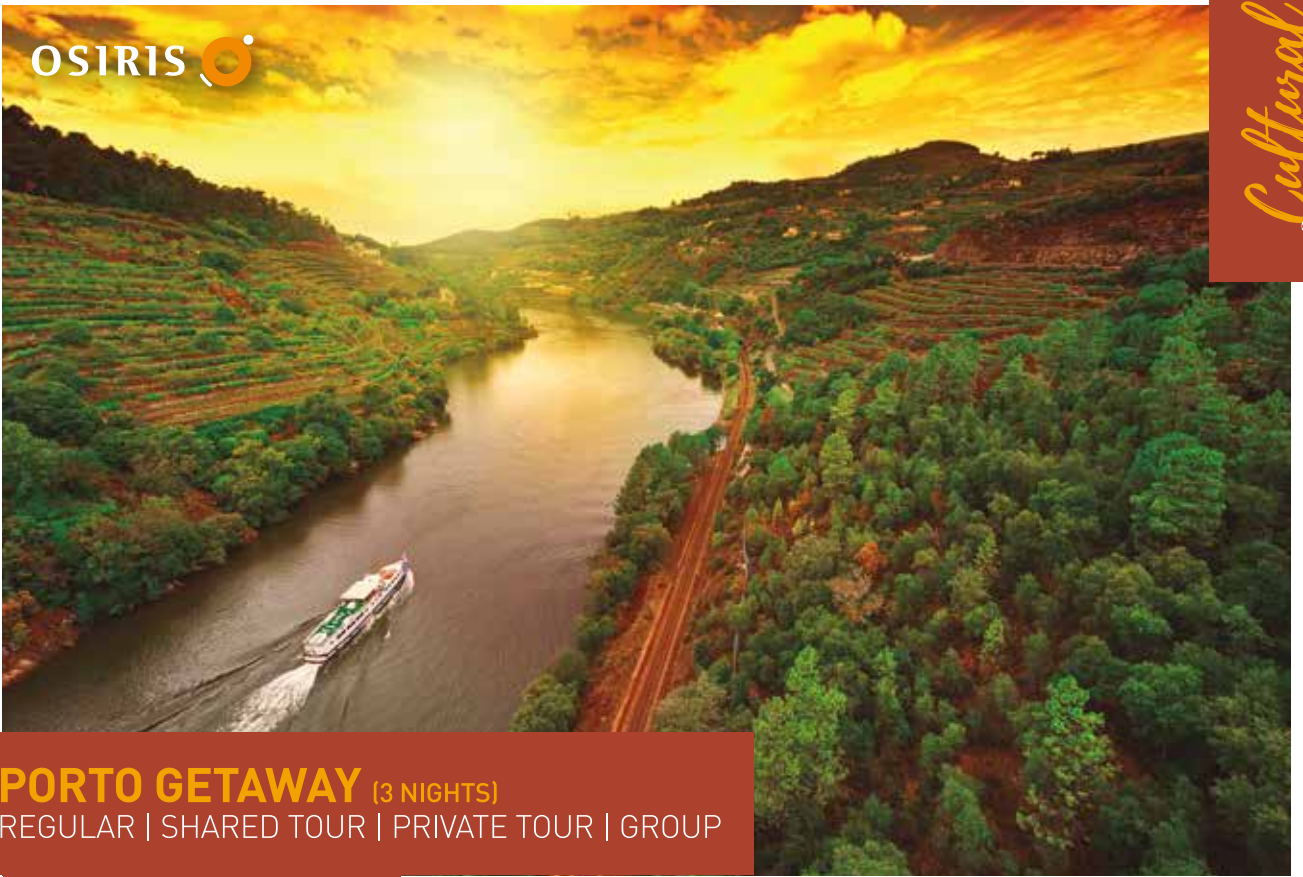
DAY 2. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to Belém district to see the monuments that pay tribute to the Portuguese golden era of the Discoveries:

Belém Tower (glimpse), Monument to the Discoveries (glimpse), Monastery of Jerónimos (visit to the church). Visit to the National Coaches Museum, containing one of the most important and richest collections of coaches in the world. We will then immerse into the old Lisbon, Alfama, known by its white houses, labyrinthine streets, inner courtyards and dead ends. Return to the hotel. Afternoon free.

Overnight in Lisbon.





PORTO GETAWAY (3 NIGHTS)
REGULAR | SHARED TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 3. PORTO | VALE DO DOURO | PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. We travel to the unique Douro region, the first demarcated wine region of the World (1756) and where the famous Port Wine is produced. The tour will take you to Lamego to visit the sanctuary of Nossa Senhora dos Remédios and to Pinhão to take a 50 minutes cruise on the Douro river. Lunch is included. Return to the hotel. Overnight in Porto.

DAY 4. PORTO

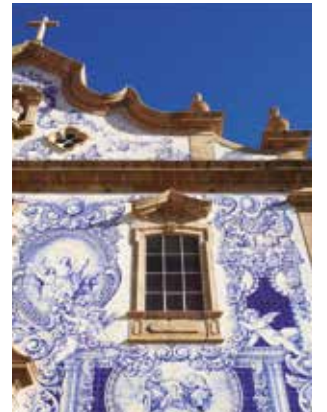
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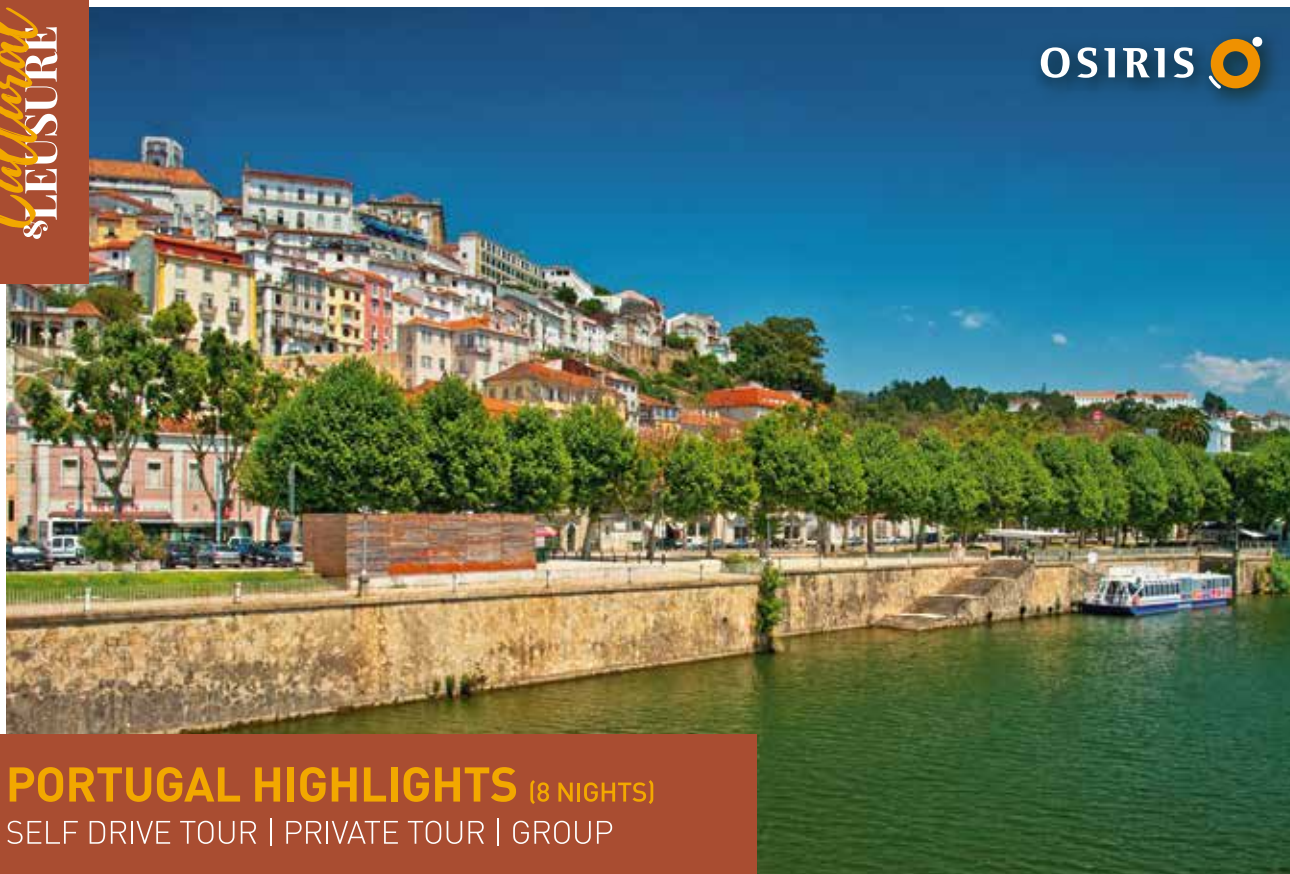
DAY 1. PORTO

Arrival at Porto airport. Meet and greet, transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day free. Overnight in Porto.

DAY 2. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. The city of Porto is rich in well-preserved treasures, as the Cathedral, the Tower of Clérigos and the Ribeira (UNESCO world heritage site). Despite a stark preservation of ancient monuments, Porto also stands out for having ultra-modern buildings, much admired by international architects: Casa da Música, Serralves Foundation, among many others. Visit to a Wine Cellar of Port with a superb view over the old Ribeira (wine tasting). Afternoon free. Overnight in Porto.





PORTUGAL HIGHLIGHTS (8 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



the House of Serralves on 18 hectares including gardens, forests, a rose garden and a romantic lake which are a real refuge for those who want to a short escape from the city. The day ends with a visit to a Port Wine Cellar to taste this fortified wine and with a 50minutes boat trip on the Douro river. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Porto.

**Entrance fees in the mentioned monuments are not included on the self-drive tour version.*

DAY 3. PORTO | VIANA DO CASTELO | BRAGA | GUIMARÃES | PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to Viana do Castelo, a seaside town at the mouth of the Lima river, famous for its craftsmanship and for the colors of its traditional costumes. At the top overlooking the city stands the shrine of Santa Luzia. Then we follow to Braga, one of the oldest Christian cities in the world with a vast religious heritage like the sanctuaries that make up the triangle of faith: the Cathedral and the Sanctuaries of Bom Jesus and Sameiro. After leaving Braga we head to Guimarães, considered as the cradle of Portugal since Alphonse Henriques who will become the first king was born there. Considered the birth place of Portugal, the historic center of Guimarães located within the walls has been declared World Heritage by UNESCO, based on the values of originality and authenticity that have guided its renovation. Return to Porto.

Overnight in Porto.

DAY 1. PORTO

Arrival at Porto airport and pick-up of the rental car. Rest of the day free.

Overnight in Porto.

DAY 2. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. With a magnificent location near the mouth of the Douro and an architectonic ensemble of exceptional value, the historic center of Porto is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. We will visit the 12th century Cathedral (visit* to the cloisters is not included), the Church of São Francisco (whose interior is covered with gold) is one of the most remarkable examples of Portuguese Baroque. Also discover other important places, such as the Lello Bookstore, the Majestic Café and the magnificent São Bento Station. Free time for lunch. We then continue heading for the Serralves Park which extends from



DAY 4. PORTO | COIMBRA | FÁTIMA | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. We descend to Coimbra, the city of students, so called to host one of the first universities in Europe and the largest in the country. Stroll in the oldest part of Coimbra, made of narrow and steep streets that lead to the top of the hill. Later we continue to Fátima, place of faith and a pilgrimage world center.

Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 5. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to the district of Castelo on a convenient TukTuk ride towards the Castle of São Jorge, located on the highest hill of Lisbon, one of the most emblematic monuments of the capital. Then we will descend the old district of Alfama, known by its white houses, labyrinthine streets, inner courtyards and dead ends. Free time for lunch. We leave for Belém, where monuments referring to the Maritime Discovery era in the 15th and 16th centuries were built, such as the Belém Tower, the Monument to the Discoveries and the Jerónimos Monastery. Visit to the National Coach Museum, containing one of the most important and rich collections of coaches in the world. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 6. LISBON | SINTRA | CASCAIS | ESTORIL | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure towards Sintra, a magnificent UNESCO World Heritage site. Discover the charms and history of the town that enchanted kings and poets. Visit to the romantic Pena Palace or Sintra's Royal Palace (Subject to availability). If the weather allows, we will stop at the western point of mainland Europe, Cabo da Roca. On the way to Cascais along the coast, be dazzled by the seascape. In Estoril, place where Ian Fleming got the idea for the James Bond movies, we highlight the gardens of the Casino. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon

DAY 7. LISBON | ÓBIDOS | ALCobaÇA | NAZARÉ | Batalha | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to the charming village of Óbidos. Travel back in time to this walled medieval town and admire its Gothic churches and narrow winding streets. We continue to Alcobaca, to visit the church of the monastery of Santa Maria, the largest in the country, known for its medieval architecture. The lunch break will be at the picturesque fishing village of Nazaré, where we can enjoy the beautiful bay. Nazaré is also known for having a sea with big waves, which is the joy of surfers. We will resume our visit with a trip to Batalha to explore the church of the Dominican monastery of Santa Maria da Vitória. This monastery, like the one in Alcobaca, has received the attention of UNESCO. Return to Lisbon.-

Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 8. LISBON | Évora | ESTREMOZ | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to Évora, a World Heritage Site: bright, surrounded by ramparts, it houses a superb monumental complex including the Roman Temple of Diana, the imposing Cathedral, the Church of São Francisco and its mysterious Chapel of Bones. Visit to a wine estate with wine tasting. Departure to Estremoz, known as "the white city" due to its block of houses of this color, but also to be one of the largest exporters of white marble in the world. Return to Lisbon.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 9. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Rental car drop off at Lisbon airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES



CHARMING PORTUGAL (7 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | SMALL GROUP



DAY 3. QUELUZ | ÉVORA | ESTREMOZ | CASTELO DE VIDE | MARVÃO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Drive to Évora, standing in the middle of the beautiful plains of the Alentejo. This walled city was declared World Heritage by UNESCO. We highlight the Roman Temple and the curious Chapel of Bones. In the afternoon, visit Estremoz, a town dominated by its Medieval Castle. Then, Castelo de Vide and its winding streets with old white houses.

Overnight in Marvão.

DAY 4. MARVÃO | TOMAR | COIMBRA | VISEU

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Trip to Tomar, city of the Templar Knights, with its Convent of Christ, a city ex-libris. Continue to Coimbra, the city of students, so called to host one of the first universities in Europe and the most important of the country. Stroll in the oldest part of Coimbra, made of narrow streets that lead to the top of the hill. Departure to Viseu, an ancient city, built of grey stone but at the same time green, lively and welcoming. Overnight in Viseu.

DAY 1. LISBON | QUELUZ

Arrival at Lisbon airport and pick-up of the rental car. Drive to Queluz.

Overnight in Queluz.

DAY 2. QUELUZ | SINTRA | ESTORIL | QUELUZ

Breakfast at the hotel. Set off to the magnificent UNESCO World Heritage town of Sintra. Discover its charms and history, exploring the historic center, and taste the local sweet delicacies: travesseiros and queijadas. Then, drive to the westernmost point of mainland Europe, Cabo da Roca. On the way to Cascais along the coast, appreciate the seascape. In Estoril, place where Ian Fleming got the idea for the James Bond movies, we highlight the gardens of the Casino.

Overnight in Queluz.



DAY 5. VISEU | LAMEGO | PESO DA RÉGUA | AMARANTE | AMARES

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Lamego, an episcopal city known by the Baroque Sanctuary of Nossa Senhora dos Milagres. To the north, located on the banks of the Douro River, Peso da Régua played an important role in the production and marketing of Port Wine, since it was from this village that the wine barrels were transported by special boats equipped with a long rudder to Vila Nova de Gaia, where the wine was aging in the cellars. Departure to the charming town of Amarante, stands on both sides of the Tâmega River.

Overnight in Amares.

DAY 6. AMARES | BRAGA | VIANA DO CASTELO | PONTE DE LIMA | AMARES

Breakfast at the hotel. Direction Braga, one of the oldest Christian cities in the world with a vast religious heritage, as the sanctuaries that make up the triangle of faith: the Cathedral and the Sanctuaries of Bom Jesus and Sameiro. Continue to Viana do Castelo, a seaside town at the mouth of the Lima River, famous for its craftsmanship and the colors of its traditional costumes. Above, overlooking the city, stands the shrine of Santa Luzia. Before heading back to the hotel, drive to Ponte de Lima, sitting in the region, where is produced the famous vinho verde (green wine).

Overnight in Amares.

DAY 7. AMARES | GUIMARÃES | PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Set off to Guimarães, considered as the cradle of Portugal, because it was born Alphonse Henriques who will become the first king of this country.

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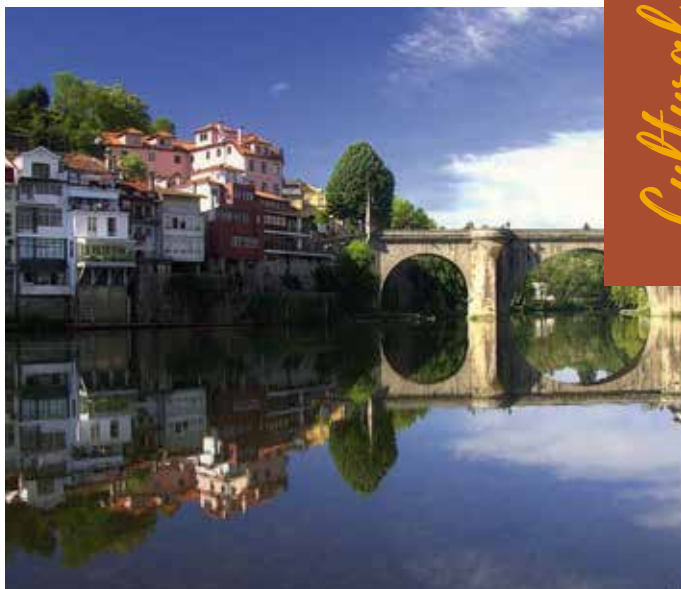
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Overnight in Porto.

DAY 8. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Rental car drop off at Porto airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES





TASTING PORTUGAL (7 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 3. PORTO | DOURO VALLEY

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Set to the phenomenal Douro region, the first demarcated wine region of the World (1756) and where the famous Port Wine is produced. You'll be able to learn more about the production of the wines, while enjoying the beautiful landscape, World Heritage by UNESCO since 2001. The tour through the Douro Valley is ideal for getting to know the culture of wine in the region of the Douro Valley, the culture of the people and the great natural beauty of the River and the Valley of the Douro River, without doubt one of the most beautiful in Europe. Lunch in a local vineyard, with visit and wine tasting.

Overnight in Douro Valley.

DAY 4. DOURO VALLEY | SANGALHOS | BUÇACO | COIMBRA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Head to the Bairrada region, with abundant rainfall and mild temperatures that helps to produce grapes with high acidity and low alcohol content, ideal for making sparkling wines. Visit to a wine cellar and wine tasting. Then proceed to the large and majestic forest of Serra do Buçaco, a genuine botanical garden with 700 species, protected by a Papal Bull issued in the 17th century. Departure to Coimbra.

Overnight in Coimbra.

DAY 1. PORTO

Arrival at Porto airport and pick-up of the rental car. Overnight in Porto.

DAY 2. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. The city of PORTO is rich in well-preserved treasures, including Gothic, Baroque and Neoclassical monuments, as the Cathedral, the Tower of Clérigos and the area of Ribeira (UNESCO world heritage site). Despite a stark preservation of ancient monuments and being a traditional city, PORTO also stands out for having ultra-modern buildings, much admired by international architects: Casa da Música, Serralves Foundation, among many others. Visit to a Wine Cellar of Port with a superb view over the old Ribeira.

Overnight in Porto.



DAY 5. COIMBRA | ÓBIDOS | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Coimbra, the city of students, so called to host one of the first universities in Europe and the most important of the country. Stroll in the oldest part of Coimbra, made of narrow streets that lead to the top of the hill. Departure to the charming village of Óbidos. Travel back in time in this walled medieval town and admire its Gothic churches and the narrow winding streets in stone. Proceed to Lisbon.

Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 6. LISBON | SINTRA | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. In a city that has been influenced by many different far-off cultures over time, there is still a village feel in each historic neighborhood. Stroll through the Pombaline grid of streets in the Baixa district that opens on to the Tagus in Praça do Comércio, then follow the river to discover some of the city's most beautiful parts: the monumental area of Belém with its World Heritage monuments, the mediaeval district of Alfama and the latest contemporary leisure spaces, such as the Parque das Nações. Departure to Sintra, a beautiful village declared world heritage by UNESCO. Discover the charms and history of Sintra, explore the historic center and taste the local delights: travesseiros and queijadas. In the evening, dinner at a traditional restaurant while enjoying a Fado show. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 7. LISBON | ÉVORA | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Set off to Évora, standing in the middle of the beautiful plains of the Alentejo. This walled city was declared World Heritage by UNESCO. We will visit the Roman Temple, dating back to the 3rd century AD and recovered in the 19th century and the strange Chapel of Bones with its pillars and walls covered by bones, from the 17th century. Visit to a winery with wine, cheese and olive tasting. Return to Lisbon.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 8. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Rental car drop off at Lisbon airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES





PORTUGAL OFF THE BEATEN TRACK (9 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR



DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport and pick-up of the rental car.
Overnight in Lisbon

DAY 2. LISBON | SESIMBRA | ARRÁBIDA | SETÚBAL | ÉVORA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to the south, crossing the Tagus by the suspension bridge: Ponte 25 April. Arriving at the fishing town of Sesimbra, you will find a sheltered hill near a bay, at the top of which is the castle, offering a wonderful view of the sea. Continuing to Setúbal, you will cross the dazzling Natural Park Arrábida, encircled in the West by numerous small beaches of fine sand and transparent waters. In Setúbal, have a lunch break and revel in fresh fish or the local specialty: the fried cuttlefish. Continue to Évora, a city set amid the beautiful plains of the Alentejo. Overnight in Évora.

DAY 3. ÉVORA | ARRAIOLOS | ESTREMOZ | MARVÃO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. The city is classified World Heritage: bright, surrounded by ramparts, it houses a beautiful monumental complex including the Roman temple of Diana, the imposing Romanesque-Gothic cathedral, the church of São Francisco and its mysterious Chapel of Bones. Heading north to Arraiolos, a

small very typical town in Alentejo and well known for its famous tapestries. Departure to Estremoz, nicknamed "the white city" due to its block of houses of this color, but also to be one of the largest exporters of white marble in the world. Finish the day at the medieval and walled village of Marvão.

Overnight in Marvão.

DAY 4. MARVÃO | CASTELO DE VIDE | CASTELO BRANCO | LINHARES DA BEIRA | VISEU

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Castelo de Vide, a typical village of Alentejo, with small white houses, winding streets and flowers. Head towards the region of Beira Baixa, on Castelo Branco, where you can see the Episcopal Palace Garden, emblem of the city and example of Portuguese Baroque. Then continue to one of the historic villages of Portugal: Linhares da Beira. Medieval village of the 12th century, it possesses a unique architectural diversity, inherited from different eras, and also known as the paragliding capital of Portugal. Finally, in the center of the country, standing on a plateau surrounded by chains of mountains and rivers, the city of Viseu, crowned by its imposing cathedral.

Overnight in Viseu.

DAY 5. VISEU | VILA REAL | AMARANTE | GUIMARÃES

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure in the region of the Douro Valley, the first wine region in the world to be demarcated, having its landscape classified as World Heritage of UNESCO. In Vila Real you can visit one of the most beautiful Baroque palaces in Portugal, the House of Mateus, and its gardens. The charming town of Amarante stands on either side of the Tâmega River. The bridge of Amarante perpetuates the memory of the heroic resistance of the population against the Napoleonic forces who, at the beginning of the nineteenth century invaded Portugal.



Continuation to Guimarães, considered as the cradle of Portugal, because it was born Alphonse Henriques who will become the first king of this country. Associated with the formation and identity of Portugal, the historic center of Guimarães within the walls has been declared World Heritage by Unesco, on the basis of originality and authenticity, guided its renovation.

Overnight in Guimarães.

DAY 6. GUIMARÃES | BRAGA | PONTE DE LIMA | GUIMARÃES

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Direction Braga, one of the oldest Christian cities in the world with a vast religious heritage, as are the sanctuaries that make up the triangle of faith: the Cathedral and Sanctuaries of Bom Jesus and Sameiro. Continue to Ponte de Lima. The Roman bridge that crosses the Lima River at this point has given rise to the name of this ancient city, rich agricultural region, where is produced the famous green wine (vinho verde). Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Guimarães.

DAY 7. GUIMARÃES | PORTO | AVEIRO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Porto, capital and gateway to the northern region, Porto is an ancient city that gave its name to Portugal and wine known around the world: the port wine. With a magnificent location near the mouth of the Douro and an architectonic complex of exceptional value, the historic center of Porto is Heritage of Humanity since 1996. Continue to Aveiro, the "Portuguese Venice", crossed by the Ria de Aveiro, lagoon basin where the fresh waters of the Vouga river mix with the waters of the sea, navigable by the moliceiros, small colored boats.

Overnight in Aveiro

DAY 8. AVEIRO | COIMBRA | TOMAR | ÓBIDOS

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Coimbra, the city of students, so called to host one of the first universities in Europe and the largest in the country. Stroll through the oldest part of Coimbra, made of narrow and steep streets that lead to the top of the col-line. Set off to Tomar, former seat of the Templars, a city that has a lot of charm, because of its artistic and cultural richness. The best proof is the convent of Christ, one of the most important works of the Renaissance in Portugal. End the day in the walled medieval town of Óbidos, admire its Gothic churches and narrow, winding streets, and the small shops where you can taste the famous ginjinha (sour cherry liqueur). Overnight in Óbidos.

DAY 9. ÓBIDOS | MAFRA | CABO DA ROCA | CASCAIS | ESTORIL | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Mafra, known for its imposing palace palace, the largest Portuguese building, built in the eighteenth century. Cross the Sintra-Cascais Natural Park to arrive at the most westerly point of continental Europe, Cabo da Roca. On the way to Cascais by the coast, enjoy the seascape. In Estoril, we highlight the gardens of the biggest Casino in Europe.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 10. LISBON

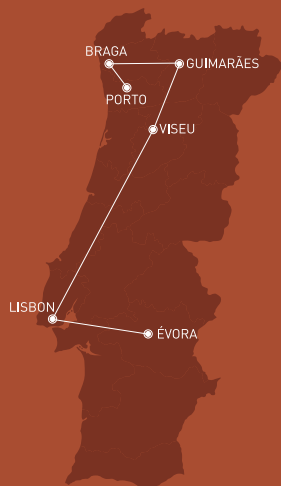
Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Rental car drop off at Lisbon airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES





AUTHENTIC PORTUGAL (7 NIGHTS) GROUP



Monsaraz, it is the capital of Alentejo. Évora has many monuments, evidence of its rich and eventful past: Roman temple, monastery, palace, churches ... Outside the walls of the city, you will come across impressive menhirs and cromlechs, the opportunity for beautiful walks.

Not to be missed: Évora Cathedral, Igreja de São Francisco, Chapel of Bones, Monastery of Loios, Praça do Giraldo, and Temple of Diana. At the end of the day visit a wine production farm in the Alentejo region, visit the winery and wine tasting included.

Dinner and overnight in Évora.

DAY 4. ÉVORA | MARVÃO | CASTELO DE VÍDEO | CASTELO BRANCO

Breakfast at the hotel and visit the medieval and walled village of Marvão. Departure to Castelo de Vide, a typical village of Alentejo, with small white houses, winding streets and flowers. Continue towards the region of Beira Baixa, on Castelo Branco, where you can see the Jardim du Palais Episcopal, emblem of the city and example of Portuguese baroque.

Dinner and overnight in Castelo Branco.

DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport, assistance by an OSIRIS representative and transfer with panoramic view of the city to the hotel.

Dinner and overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 2. LISBON

Full day tour of Lisbon: the old quarter of Alfama with the Cathedral, the lower city - Baixa, the Place du Commerce, the district of Belém with the Jerónimos Monastery (visit of the church), the Monument of the Discoveries (overview) and the Belém Tower (preview). Lunch (cod) in a restaurant in town.

In the afternoon visit the Parc des Nations (Expo 98), visit the neighborhood and free time for shopping.

Return to the hotel at the end of the day.

Dinner and overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 3. LISBON | ARRAIÓLOS | ÉVORA

Departure towards the South in the direction of Arraiolos known for its carpet (carpet wool embroidered in cross-stitch on a linen or hemp canvas) visit of a factory of the famous carpets.

Continuation to Évora, classified as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Évora is one of the most beautiful cities in Portugal. Located west of



DAY 5. CASTELO BRANCO | TRANCOSO | LINHARES DA BEIRA | VISEU

Morning departure towards Trancoso with its millennial castle slice with the jolts and fears lived by the people of yesteryear. It was a frontier land, the scene of various wars and important battles for formation and independence. City tour and continuation to Linhares da Beira. Medieval village of the 12th century, it has a unique architectural diversity, inherited from different times, and also known as the capital of paragliding in Portugal. Finally, in the center of the country, standing on a plateau surrounded by chains of mountains and rivers, the city of Viseu, crowned by its imposing cathedral. Dinner and overnight in Viseu.

DAY 6. VISEU | VILA REAL | AMARANTE | GUIMARÃES

Breakfast and departure to know the region of the Douro Valley, the first wine region in the world to be delimited, having its pays-wise classified as World Heritage of UNESCO. In Vila Real you can visit one of the most beautiful baroque palaces in Portugal, the House of Mateus, and its gardens. The charming town of Amarante stands on either side of the Tâmega River. The bridge of Amarante perpetuates the memory of the heroic resistance of the population against the Napoleonic forces who, at the beginning of the 19th century invaded Portugal. Continuation to Guimarães, considered as the cradle of Portugal, because it was born Alphonse Henriques who will become the first king of this country. Associated with the formation and identity of Portugal, the historic center of Guimarães located within the walls has been declared World Heritage by UNESCO, based on the values of originality and authenticity that have guided its renovation. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 7. GUIMARÃES | BRAGA | PORTO | GUIMARÃES

Breakfast and departure towards Braga, one of the oldest Christian cities in the world with a vast religious heritage, as are the sanctuaries that make up the triangle of faith: the Sanctuaries of Bom Jesus and Sameiro.

Lunch in the course of the visit and in the afternoon visit of Porto Second city of the country, it is staged in a picturesque way on the escarpate bank of the Douro, undoubtedly, a destination in itself. European Capital of Culture in 2001. Its center has been classified World Heritage by Unesco.

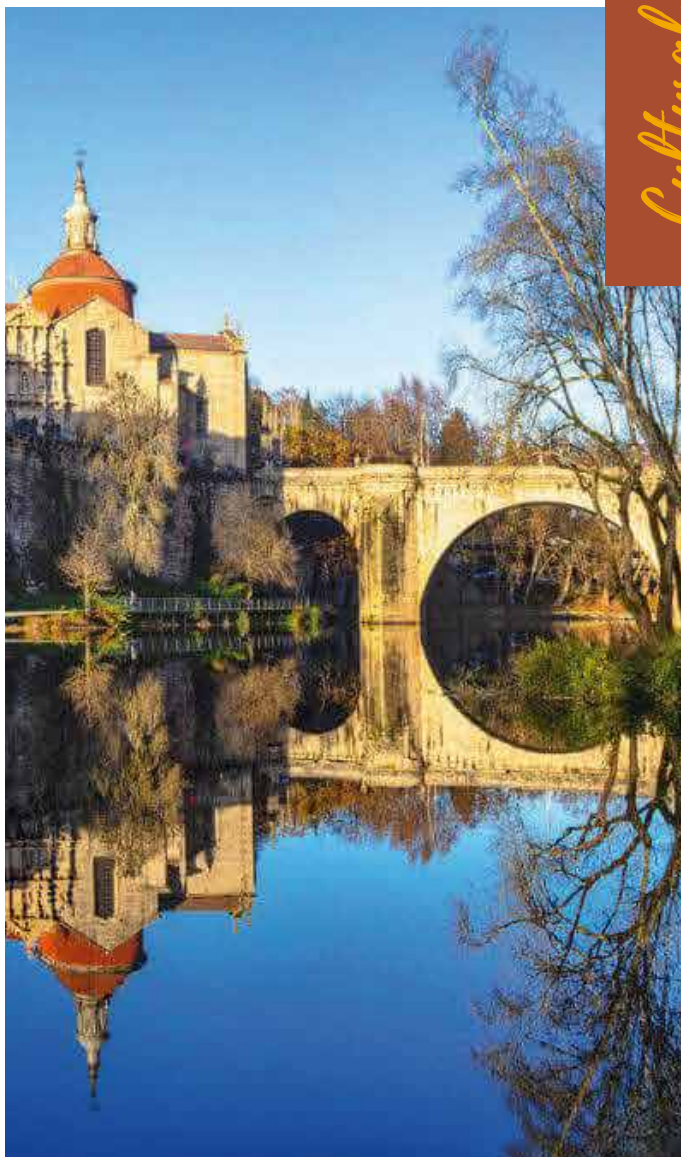
Visit and tasting in a cellar of Port wine.

Back to Guimarães for dinner and accommodation.

DAY 8. GUIMARÃES | PORTO

Transfer from the hotel to Porto airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES





LISBON, ALENTEJO & ALGARVE (7 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport, assistance by an OSIRIS representative and transfer with panoramic view of the city to the hotel.
Dinner and overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 2. LISBON

Full day tour of Lisbon: the old quarter of Alfama with the Cathedral, the lower town - "Baixa", the Place du Commerce, the Belém district with the Jerónimos Monastery (visit of the church), the Monument of Discoveries (overview) and Belém Tower (preview).
Lunch (cod) in a restaurant in town.
In the afternoon visit the Parc des Nations (Expo 98), visit the neighborhood and free time for shopping.
Return to the hotel at the end of the day.
Dinner and overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 3. LISBON | ARRAIOLOS | ÉVORA | VILA VIÇOSA

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Arraiolos - Perched on a hill, in the great plain of Alentejo, Arraiolos is a village with white houses where we stop especially to admire the famous wool carpets on linen or hemp, made entirely by hand, at least from the 17th century. This art is still transmitted today from mother to daughter.

Visit of the Interpretative Center of the Carpet of Arraiolos.

Continuation to Évora, classified World Heritage of UNESCO since 1986 is the capital of the region of Alentejo. Due to its historical richness and the impressive number of monuments of different styles and eras, it has been dubbed City-Museum. To have :

Roman Temple, one of the symbols of the Roman presence in Portugal and one of the most important monuments of the city

Cathedral, the largest in Portugal, dedicated to Our Lady of the Assumption and completed in 1250. Romano-Gothic. (Entrance included)

Giraldo Square, lively center of Évora, square lined with Gothic arches. Church of St. Francis, Gothic, she was part of an old Franciscan monastery.

Chapel of the Bones, walls entirely covered with skulls and bones of more than 5,000 people (entry included).

Visit of a production of cork.

Departure towards Vila Viçosa for dinner and accommodation in a Pousada.

DAY 4. VILA VIÇOSA | REDONDO | ALANDROAL | BORBA | VILA VIÇOSA

Breakfast and departure for the discovery of Vila Viçosa, nicknamed "The Princess of Alentejo", capital of Portuguese marble.

Visit the city and its Ducal Palace, former residence of the Dukes of Braganza. Facade 110 meters long, completely covered with marble of the region, this unique example of Portuguese civil architecture is the most emblematic building of the city. Road to Redondo, walk in the city and continue to Alandroal for lunch.

In the afternoon continue to Borba, center of a region where one produces one of the most famous wines of Alentejo. Visit and tasting in a Cooperative Winery Wine Cellar. If time permits, visit a marble exploration.

Return to the hotel for dinner and accommodation.



DAY 5. VILA VIÇOSA | MONSARAZ | AMIEIRA | BEJA | ALGARVE

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure towards Monsaraz, city surrounded by ramparts that has maintained its medieval character. Streets in schist and pretty warm-bleached houses. Beautiful panorama of Lake Alqueva (the largest artificial lake in Europe)

Continuation to Beja, capital of the region of Lower Alentejo, known by its former convent of Our Lady of Conception where lived Mariana Alcoforado, nun who wrote the "Lettres Portugaises" to Noel Chamilly, Count of Saint -Light when he returned to France, after his campaign as a soldier in Alentejo. Arrive in Algarve at the end of the day for dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 6. PORTIMÃO | LAGOS | SAGRES

Full day discovery of the western Algarve region: Portimão located on the bank of the Arade with its narrow streets where you can enjoy typical houses with facades and friezes of azulejos, iron balconies and faience balustrades. | Lagos where Henry the Navigator had built the first ships for his maritime expeditions. Lagos was the city where the caravels loaded with gold, ivory and slaves arrived. In 1578, starting point of the Portuguese fleet, commanded by Dom Sebastião, for the conquest of Alcazarquibir, it became a famous seaside resort. Sagres promontory known for its fortress (overview). Dinner and accommodation in the Algarve.

DAY 7. CRUZEIRO NO RIO GUADIANA

Morning departure to Vila Real de Santo Antonio, Cruise on the Guadiana River, natural border between Spain and Portugal.

Stop at the village of Foz de Odeleite.

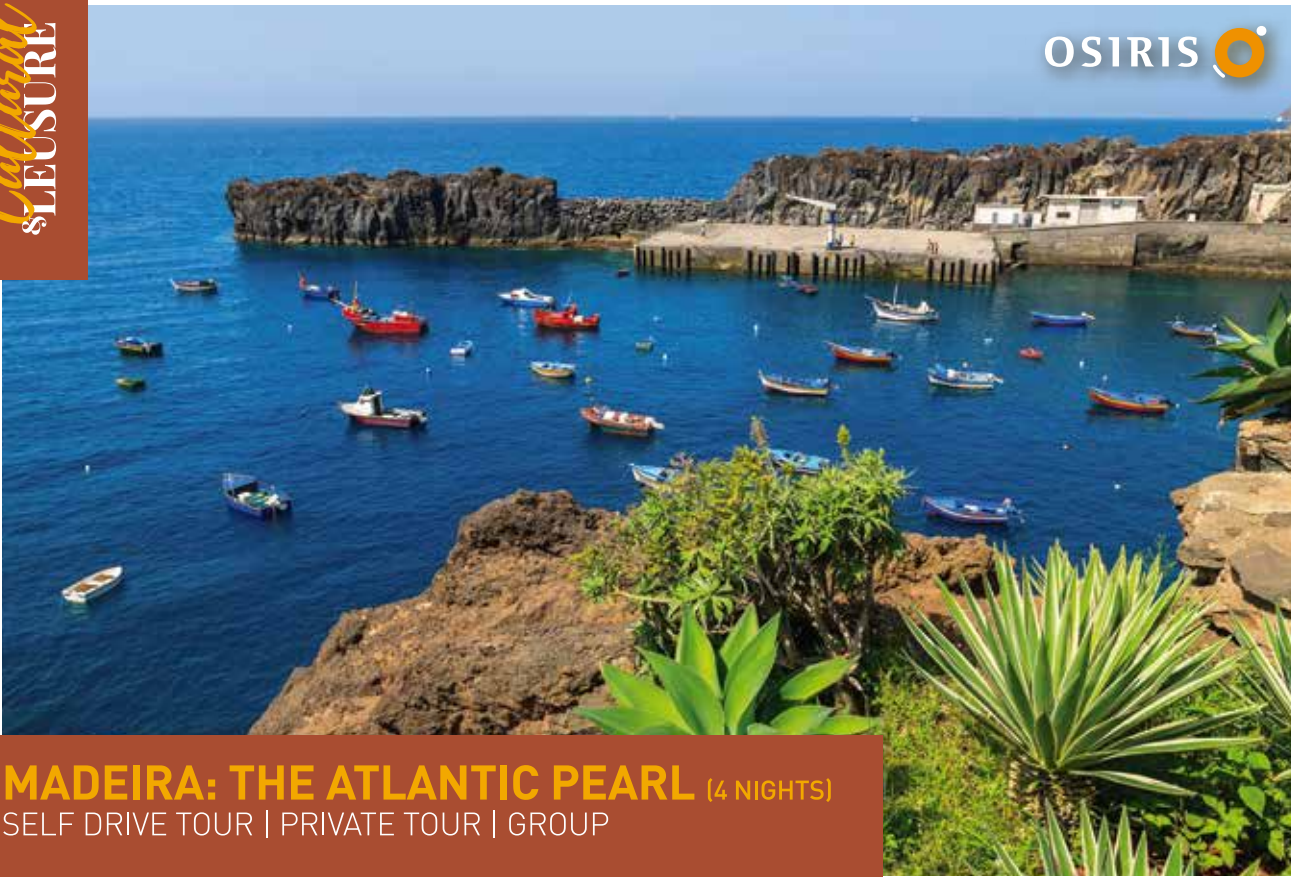
Traditional lunch on a farm.

Return to the hotel. Dinner and Check in

DAY 8. FARO

Transfer to Faro airport. END OF OUR SERVICES





MADEIRA: THE ATLANTIC PEARL (4 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. FUNCHAL

Arrival at Funchal airport and pick-up of the rental car.
Overnight in Funchal.

DAY 2. FUNCHAL | CÂMARA DE LOBOS | CURRAL DAS FREIRAS | FUNCHAL

Breakfast at the hotel. Leaving Funchal towards the west, you will discover the small fishing town typical of Câmara de Lobos and the Cap Girão, the highest promontory in Europe and the second highest in the world with 580 meters. The former English first minister, Winston Churchill, painted this exceptional portrait when he visited the island in 1950. It is in this commune that the singular parish of Curral das Freiras is located. Situated in a deep valley, Curral das Freiras offers one of the most impressive landscapes of the island, attracting the admiration of all visitors with its breathtaking panoramas (over 500 meters above sea level at the Eira do Serrado viewpoint). Return to Funchal.
Overnight in Funchal.

DAY 3. FUNCHAL | CALHETA | SÃO VICENTE | FUNCHAL

Breakfast at the hotel. Take the direction of the sunny coasts of Ponta do Sol and Calheta, very rich in bathing areas that invite you to swim. You can also visit the Casa das Mudanças Arts Center, which offers an extensive cultural program throughout the year.

The beaches of the picturesque villages of Jardim and Paul do Mar offer sports lovers excellent surfing. Then take the direction of Porto Moniz and regain strength, during an invigorating bath in the famous natural swimming pools dug into the rock. The journey continues in the direction of São Vicente, on a road dotted with waterfalls and where the contrast between the majestic green and the crystalline blue of the waters of the sea is obvious. Here you can visit the caves and the center of Volcanism, the exhibition center - Lime Road or simply walk through the narrow streets of this charming little town. Return to Funchal.

Overnight in Funchal.

DAY 4. FUNCHAL | SANTANA | FUNCHAL

Breakfast at the hotel. Head towards the town of Santana, declared Reserve of the Biosphere in 2011 by UNESCO. This reserve incorporates a terrestrial element, corresponding to the whole surface of the municipality, but also a marine element, which presents a great diversity of natural, human, landscape, environmental and cultural values of local, regional, national and international interest. The municipality was for a very long time inaccessible by sea and by land, its inhabitants have preserved characteristics that have not undergone external influences. One of the examples of this isolation is the architectural style of its typical houses with thatched roof more commonly known as "Santana's small houses". Return to Funchal.

Overnight in Funchal.

DAY 5. FUNCHAL

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Rental car drop off at Funchal airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES





BEST OF AZORES (5 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | SMALL GROUPS

AZORES ISLAND



DAY 1. PONTA DELGADA | FURNAS

Arrival at Ponta Delgada airport and pick-up of the rental. Overnight in Furnas.

DAY 2. FURNAS | LAGOA DAS SETE CIDADES | PONTA DELGADA | FURNAS

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to the western part of the island, where the mountains and the Lagoa das Sete Cidades (Lake of the Seven Cities) are located. From Vista do Rei look-out you will enjoy a panoramic view of the lake, asleep inside a huge volcanic crater. Descent to the village of Sete Cidades, a faithful image of the rural life of the Azores. Overlooking a natural bay, the city of Ponta Delgada has a rich history and architectural heritage. The Portas da Cidade (City Gates) are the perfect starting point for exploring the city. They are quickly identified by their three arches that link the sea front area and the Praça da República. Note the typical architecture that emphasizes the contrast between the white walls and the details in basalt, embellished with lacy iron balconies. While in São Miguel island, we suggest you enjoy a whale watching experience. Overnight in Furnas.

DAY 3. FURNAS | LAGOA DO FOGO | LAGOA DAS FURNAS | FURNAS

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to Lagoa do Fogo. On the way, we will be able to appreciate the beauty of the lagoon, with its crystalline waters that reflect the surrounding landscape. We continue the visit, but this time on the north coast to Ribeira Grande where the baroque architecture of the 17th and 18th centuries characterizes this city. From the viewpoint of Pico do Ferro we will see the breath-taking landscapes of the oldest and

largest volcanic crater on the island, in which lies the Lagoa das Furnas. Overnight in Furnas.

DAY 4. FURNAS | PONTA DELGADA | ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Delivery of the rental car at Ponta Delgada airport. Embark on the flight to Angra do Heroísmo (not included). Arrival at Terceira airport and pick-up of the rental car. Overnight in Angra do Heroísmo.

DAY 5. ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO | PRAIA DA VITÓRIA | BISCOITOS | ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO

Breakfast at the hotel. What makes the island of Terceira so special is the magnificent contrast between the natural beauty of this volcanic island and the admirable work that man has done in the historical center of Angra do Heroísmo, his capital city founded in 1534, the first town in the Azores to enjoy the status of city and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Angra is an ideal starting point for exploring the coastal area of the island. Take a drive to Praia da Vitória, with the Ilhéus das Cabras (islets) in the background, through the bay of Salga and the black sand beaches surrounded by cliffs such as Porto Novo. Continue to Biscoitos, home of the famous Verdelho wine, where you can visit the Wine Museum and the seaside area with natural pools, such as Ponta do Queimado. Overnight in Angra do Heroísmo.

DAY 6. ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO | PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Delivery of the rental car at Terceira airport. END OF OUR SERVICES





DISCOVER AZORES (6 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP

AZORES ISLAND



DAY 3. RIBEIRA GRANDE | LAGOA DO FOGO | CALDEIRA VELHA

Breakfast and departure to discover one of the 7 Wonders of Portugal, the Lagoa do Fogo (visit subject to weather conditions). In the view-point we will have the opportunity to observe the magnificent view. We descend toward the Caldeira Velha which is formed by waterfalls, pools of thermal waters with an average temperature of 34 degrees, where it is possible to bath. Free lunch. In the afternoon we will have a small tour in the city of Ribeira Grande, of baroque architecture, where we can find the building in which the Theater is located that has been functioning since 1922, the Manueline window and the Nossa Senhora da Estrela Church. Before returning to the hotel we will have time to toast our first day of discovery. We will visit the Mulher of the Capote factory where we will taste some regional liquors. Return to the hotel at the end of the day for dinner and overnight stay.

DAY 1. PONTA DELGADA

Arrival at the airport of Ponta Delgada and transfer to the hotel located in the capital of the Island.

Ponta Delgada is a modern city that preserves its original character with its narrow streets full of traditional trade, markets and delicacy shops. Dinner and overnight stay at the hotel.

DAY 2. PONTA DELGADA | VILA FRANCA DO CAMPO

Breakfast and departure to visit the heart of Ponta Delgada, from the Square of Gonçalo Velho Cabral, to the Graça market, the Fort of São Brás, to the Church of Senhor Santo Cristo/ Church of Nossa Senhora da Esperança, stopping at the Campo of São Francisco, where the second most important religious event of the country is held, and the Church of the Jesuit College of Ponta Delgada. Free Lunch in Ponta Delgada. - Following lunch, we go to Vila Franca do Campo - the first capital of the island, where the Islet of Vila Franca is located which was made a natural reserve in 1983 and which can only be visited between June and September. We should not leave without tasting the traditional queijadas of Vila Franca do Campo, we are able to visit the factory where we can learn the method of preparation of these traditional island cake and of course to taste it! Our day ends at the Sanctuary of Nossa Senhora da Paz, a small shrine with a staircase of 100 steps. The current temple dates back to the 18th century and has been built on a previous one probably dating from the 16th century, it was built by the population to honour the Virgin, because on that location a shepherd, miraculously found, a picture of her. Return to the hotel at the end of the day for dinner and overnight stay.



DAY 4. FURNAS

Breakfast at the hotel and departure towards the Furnas Valley (one of the main reasons for visiting the Azores) which is part of one of the three central active volcanoes of São Miguel Island. Here the smell of sulfur and the bubbling fumaroles, are characteristic. A stop at Lagoa das Furnas, where the famous Furnas Stew is cooked inside the earth, which we will have the opportunity to taste at lunch in one of the local restaurants. In the west bank of the Lagoa das Furnas we will find the Nossa Senhora das Vitórias Chapel, an impressive example of the neo-gothic style, unique in the archipelago. During the afternoon, a visit to the calderas and the village, our next stop is at the Terra Nostra Park, a bicentennial garden, with unique species and a superb thermal pool (possibility of bathing). The park is a unique repository of tree, plants and other plant species from all over the world. Return to the hotel at the end of the day for dinner and overnight stay.

DAY 5. SETE CIDADES

Breakfast and departure from the Hotel towards Sete Cidades. We are setting off on an adventure and discover the Wetland Lakes, then the Lagoa de Canário, visit the viewpoint of grota do inferno, stop at the viewing point of King's View and then to the Cumeeiras of Sete Cidades, Here, we descend to the village where we shall have lunch at the Lagoa Azul restaurant. After lunch we will have the opportunity to choose one of the following activities: Canoeing in the lagoon or stand up paddle, a better scenario is impossible! Return to the hotel at the end of the day for dinner and overnight stay.

DAY 6. O ANANÁS E O CHÁ

Breakfast and departure from the hotel to visit a pineapple greenhouse with over 100 years of history. The Portuguese discovered the fruit at the time of the colonization of Brazil and brought it to the archipelago.

Here, the Pineapple is produced in glass greenhouses, with the use of traditional cultivation techniques such as applying "smoke" and using the "hot bed", based on plant matter.

Then, continue to the tea plantations, to visit the oldest tea plantation in Europe since 1883. The art of cultivating tea was introduced in the Azores by two Chinese experts in September 1874. A visit of the factory to get to know the production process, tea tasting. Return to Ponta Delgada. Free afternoon to enjoy the city.

Dinner and overnight stay at the Hotel

DAY 7. DEPARTURE

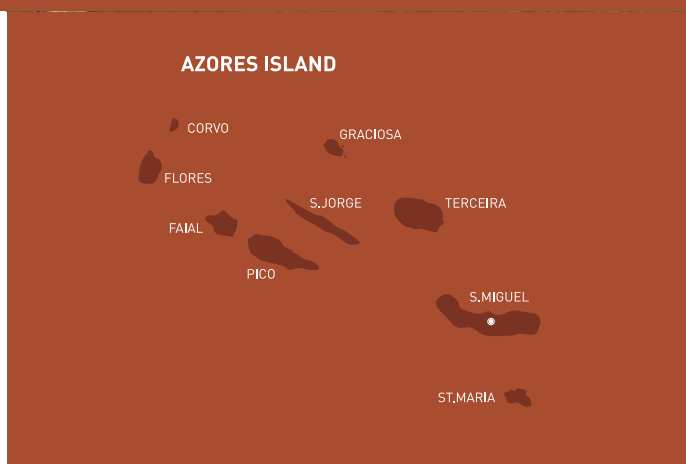
Breakfast and transfer to the airport.





AZORES - SÃO MIGUEL ISLAND (6 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



and where you can get one of the best views of the island by having an amazing panoramic view to the caldera and all of its lakes. Then, we'll go for a drive along the rime side of the caldera which will lead us to the interior of the volcano where we will have a traditional lunch. In the afternoon there will be some time for paddling on the twin lakes. We end our tour in one of the most famous viewpoints of the island: Vista do Rei. Overnight in Ponta Delgada.

DAY 1. PONTA DELGADA – SÃO MIGUEL ISLAND

Arrival at Ponta Delgada airport and transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Ponta Delgada.

DAY 2. PONTA DELGADA | FURNAS | PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel. This day will be dedicated to the area of Furnas where we can see most of the secondary volcanic activity. You will experience direct contact with the volcano. We start by heading to Nossa Senhora da Paz Chapel, located where once was the first capital of the island, which will provide you a high view over the old town of Vila Franca do Campo and its small crater island that lives close to the coast. Next, we will go by the lake of Furnas on our way to Terra Nostra Park where you will get the chance to bath in the hot thermal waters and explore one of the most beautiful botanical gardens in Europe. After that, we will go the restaurant where we can try the traditional meal called Cozido (cooked underground in a fumarole for about 6 to 8 hours). The afternoon starts with a small walk in the center of Furnas where you can visit the most active part of the island. We will head up to the panoramic lookout of Pico do Ferro that stays above Furnas. To finish the day, we will visit one of the only tea plantations in Europe where you will have a chance to understand the process of producing tea and have a cup of local tea. Overnight in Ponta Delgada.

DAY 3. PONTA DELGADA | SETE CIDADES | PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel. In this first tour we will discover the western side of the island, starting by the Wetland Lakes, which is an area of many secondary volcanoes that form beautiful smaller crater lakes. After that we'll continue to Pico da Cruz that is the highest point of the caldera of Sete Cidades



DAY 4. PONTA DELGADA | LAGOA DO FOGO | PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel. Lagoa do Fogo is inside the youngest caldera of the island that is situated in the central part of the São Miguel. We will initially observe this lake and then go and visit Salto do Cabrito waterfall located on the north part of the mountain. We will take you through some exciting roads on the way to Ponta do Cintrão to enjoy the amazing view of the north coast. To finish the morning, you will have a yoga session at Santa Bárbara's beach. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Ponta Delgada.

DAY 5. PONTA DELGADA | POVOAÇÃO | NORDESTE | PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel. On this day we will visit the eastern part of the island. We will start the day by heading to the Salto do Cavalo, which provides breathtaking views over the city of Furnas and Povoação and the chance to be on top of two volcanoes, one extinct and the other inactive. Following that a quick stroll along one of the most beautiful roads on the island called Alameda dos Plátanos taking the chance to go through some outstanding streams. Then we are ready to start the hike in the forest to the beautiful waterfall. This will take approximately 1:30 hours for the full walk. Lunch on this path, will take place at the Ponta do Sossego belvedere, where you can enjoy a pleasant picnic while appreciating the amazing gardens and coast of the Nordeste. After lunch we will explore the small village of Nordeste and continue to Ribeira dos Caldeirões, a beautiful waterfall park where we will have some time to explore the area before returning to Ponta Delgada. Overnight stay in Ponta Delgada.

DAY 6. PONTA DELGADA

Breakfast at the hotel. Whale and dolphin watching in the morning. This activity takes you out along the coast of our island and with the help of the whale spotters on land. We will try to give you the best experience and seeing the most variety of sea creatures that we can. Sightings are guaranteed as there are great chances of seeing dolphins. As for the whales, it isn't always guaranteed but it's a wor-ty experience. The Azores are known to be one of the best places in the world for whale watching because it's possible to see up to 28 different species throughout the year. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Ponta Delgada

DAY 7. DEPARTURE

Breakfast at the hotel and check out. Transfer to Ponta Delgada airport.





AZORES - SÃO MIGUEL & TERCEIRA (6 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | SMALL GROUPS

AZORES ISLAND



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DAY 5. PONTA DELGADA | ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO – TERCEIRA ISLAND

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Whale and dolphin watching in the morning. This activity takes you out along the coast of our is-land and with the help of the whale spotters on land. We will try to give you the best experience and seeing the most variety of sea creatures that we can. Sightings are guaranteed as there are great chances of seeing dolphins. As for the whales, it isn't always guaran-teeed but it's a worthy experience. The Azores are known to be one of the best places in the world for whale watching because it's pos-sible to see up to 28 different species throughout the year. Transfer to the airport to take the flight to Angra do Heroísmo. Arrival at Terceira airport and transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Angra do Heroísmo.

DAY 6. ANGRA DO HEROÍSMO

Breakfast at the hotel. Walking tour of Angra do Heroísmo. The title "Very Noble, Loyal and Always Present" assigned to city of Angra do Heroísmo emphasizes the importance of this metropolis had throughout the Portuguese History. The relevance of the Angra bay, espe-cially in the 15th and 16th centuries, and the importance of the city in political economic and religious chess of the Azores are portrayed in the urban fabric of this city. The historical center is a laced picture of streets, alleys, churches, palaces, manor houses, monuments, squares and gardens, which selfless generations knew how to preserve and maintain up to today, even against the forces of the earth-quakes. The historic center of Angra do Heroísmo is included in UNESCO's World Heritage List. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Ponta Delgada

DAY 7. DEPARTURE

Breakfast at the hotel and check out. Transfer to Ponta Delgada airport.





AZORES - SÃO MIGUEL, FAIAL & PICO (6 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | SMALL GROUPS

AZORES ISLAND



D'Alto beach, one of the most beautiful and biggest sandy beaches of the island. Our next stop is in Vila Franco do Campo, in the viewpoint of the Nossa Senhora da Paz Church. At 12h30 we arrive at Furnas to view the removal of the stew cooked in the hot springs of the Lagoa das Furnas, at 13h00 lunch in the Caldeiras e Vulcões restaurant. After lunch it is time to spend some energy, and there is nothing better than a stroll across the Furnas calderas to the magnificent botanical garden of the Terra Nostra Park, which has one of the world's largest collections of camellias and a source of thermal water that feeds the pools of the park, and finally to the José do Canto Garden, which has as its backdrop the beautiful Lagoa das Furnas. Return to Ponta Delgada.

DAY 1. SÃO MIGUEL

Transfer from the airport to the hotel (hotel in Ponta Delgada), followed by a walking tour through the city along these locations, Mother of God Chapel which has a superb view over the city; Market of Graça, where the pineapples are the highlights, one of the most iconic exports from the island, and a way to understand the staple diet of the Micaelenses. Then we go to the Portas do Mar, inaugurated in 2008, it is a national and international tourism landmark of the Azores, a new leisure area, with shops, restaurants, etc, and then to the City Gates an ex-libris of the city of Ponta Delgada, built in the 18th century, they function as a visiting card. Continuing our visit it is time to make a stop at the Campo de São Francisco, which is a large square where we can find the Nossa Senhora da Esperança Convent that is connected to the worship of the Senhor Santo Cristo dos Milagres, founded in the 16th century but still in operation today, and the São José Church. After lunch we will visit one of the most beautiful and iconic gardens of the city, the Antonio Borges Garden, a public park with tree species from all over the world. Then we will visit the Igreja do Colégio, where we can find the Centre of Sacred Art of the Carlos Machado Museum, before passing through the Antero de Quental Garden, named in honor of the Azorean writer. It is time to rest and return to the hotel.

DAY 2. SÃO MIGUEL

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Furnas through the south coast, with a stop in Caloura, a bathing area, which delights those who go there for the baths, by the fisheries harbour, whose name originates from the fact that it feels very hot around there! After which we pass by the Agua



DAY 3. SÃO MIGUEL

Breakfast at the hotel and then departure for a Jeep tour and to visit the Lagoa do Fogo, which is one of the largest lagoons in the Azores and the second largest of São Miguel Island, classified since 1974 as a natural reserve, to Caldeira Velha, a natural monument which is a biosphere reserve, it boasts breathtaking waterfalls and a natural thermal water pool. One of the most visited sites on the island nowadays. Then we go to the plantation of the Gorreana Tea (the oldest tea factory in Europe and currently the only one) where you will be able to visit the factory, plantations and also taste the tea. Departure to Sete Cidades, with a stop at the Grota do Inferno viewpoint, which has one of the most beautiful landscapes of the island due to being at 1000m of altitude. Stop at the Vista do Rei viewpoint, known due to the fact that on the 6th July 1901, the King D. Carlos and Queen D. Amelia were there, a visit to the Lagoa das Sete Cidades, one of the 7 Wonders of Portugal a place of excellence for lovers of sport in nature, and then to the village of Mosteiros, a picturesque parish where the sunset is unmatched. Finally visit the Thermal baths of Ferraria, a thermal complex, where there are many outdoor activities, Spa or thermal baths. Return to the hotel

DAY 4. FAIAL ISLAND

Transfer to the airport and flight to the island of Faial. Transfer to the Hotel and then a walking tour through the city of Horta with stops at the following locations, Monte da Guia, classified as a Special Protection Area, which has a magnificent view over Horta. Visit to the Casa dos Dabney, the Aquarium of Porto Pim, a live fish station, the Horta Marina and the Whale Factory, where it is possible to see the various areas where the different phases of full processing of sperm whales were made. After lunch, a visit to the Scrimshaw Museum which displays a magnificent collection of carved and engraved whale and sperm whale teeth. Return to the hotel.

DAY 5. FAIAL ISLAND

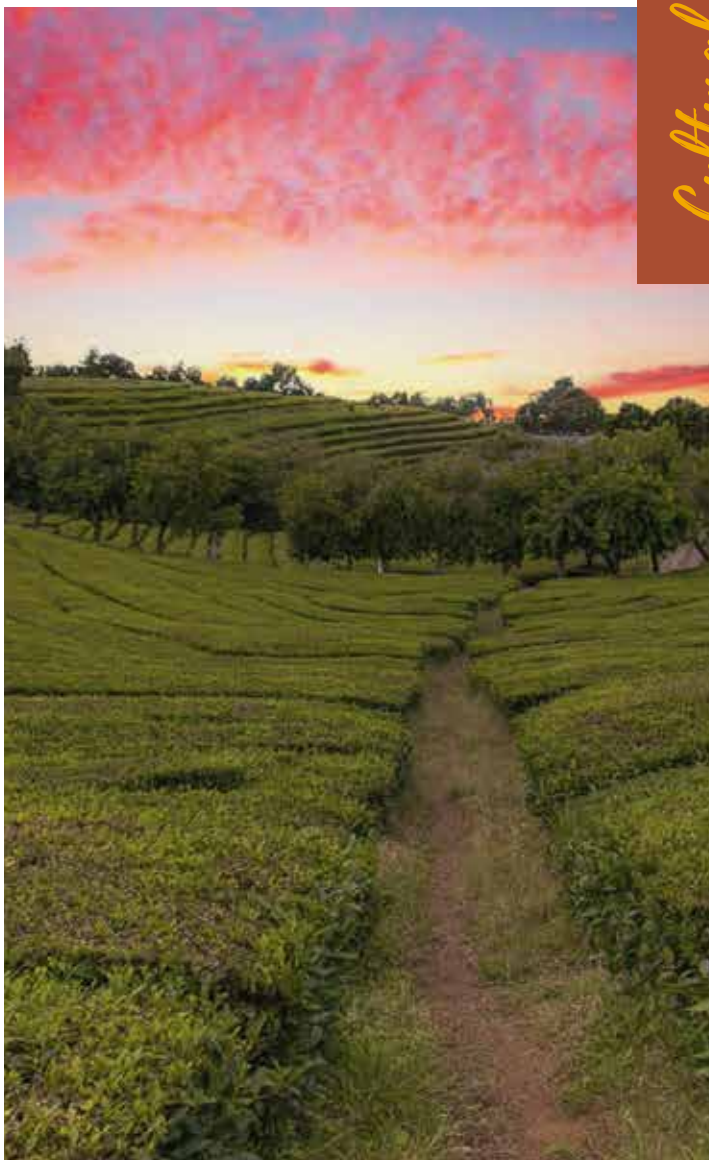
Breakfast at the hotel and departure to observe cetaceans, one of the most sought-after activities by those who visit this island. After Lunch, visit the Capelinhos Volcano and the respective interpretation center (best museum in Europe in 2012). Return to the hotel.

DAY 6. PICO ISLAND

Breakfast at the hotel and boat trip to the island of Pico. Visit to Madalena, where the vineyard represents a true masterpiece of human creativity! Then visit the Wine Museum, located in the former Convent of the Carmelites, inaugurated in 1999, it is one of the most important elements of the history and the economy of the island of Pico. Stop for lunch at the Ancoradouro restaurant and then a visit to Gruta das Torres, a geological formation of volcanic origin, to the forestry reserve of the Mistérios de São João, to the Lajes do Pico and the Whaling Museum. Dinner in the Whale Come restaurant at Pico.

DAY 7. PICO ISLAND

Breakfast at the hotel and visit to Calheta do Nesquim, the lighthouse at the Ponta da Ilha, the largest and most iconic lighthouse on the Island of Pico, Santo Amaro, Prainha and São Roque do Pico (Whaling industry museum). After lunch, visit to Santa Luzia, to Lajido and Cachorro, with wine tasting in the cellar a Buraca. Transfer to the airport, return..





IBERIAN TREASURES (13 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. PORTO

Arrival at Porto airport and pick-up of the rental car. Overnight in Porto..

DAY 2. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure for a full day tour in Porto. São Bento Station, with its atrium lined with tiles, is an ideal starting point. Just ahead is the Cathedral, whose precinct offers the first view of the river, the cascading houses and the opposite bank. From there you descend by steps and mediaeval streets to Ribeira, with its café terraces and picturesque corners. It's worth staying a little to get a flavor of the atmosphere. Before lunch, you will take a 50-minutes cruise through the Douro. Free time for lunch. In the afternoon, we will visit the Serralves Museum of Contemporary Art. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Porto..

DAY 3. PORTO | GUIMARÃES | PESO DA RÉGUA | PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. We leave to Guimaraes, a city designated as the "Cradle of Portugal", because it's the place where the first king of Portugal was born there. A city full of history and beauty, classified as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. We continue to Peso da Régua. Located along the Douro River, this city had a preponderant role in the production and marketing of Port Wine, since it was from here that

the wine barrels were transported in rabelos boats to Vila Nova de Gaia, where the wine aged in the cellars. Then we will visit a winery to visit the wineries and wine tasting. Return to Porto.

Overnight in Porto.

DAY 4. PORTO | AVEIRO | COIMBRA | FÁTIMA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Aveiro, the "Venice of Portugal", known for the beauty of its water channels, one of the most interesting natural formations along the coast of Portugal. We head towards the city of Coimbra, whose historical area of the university is a World Heritage Site. We continue to Fátima, place of faith and center of world pilgrimage.

Overnight in Fátima.



DAY 5. FÁTIMA | ÓBIDOS | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to the charming village of Óbidos. Travel back in time in this walled medieval town and admire its Gothic churches and the narrow winding streets in stone. Proceed to Lisbon. Check-in at the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 6. LISBON | SINTRA | LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure from the hotel towards Sintra, a magnificent UNESCO World Heritage site. Discover the charms and history of the town that enchanted kings and poets. Visit to the romantic National Pena Palace. Free time to lunch. We leave for Belém, where monuments referring to the Maritime Discovery era in the 15th and 16th centuries were erected, such as the Belém Tower, the Monument to the Discoveries and the Jerónimos Monastery. Visit to the National Coaches Museum, containing one of the most important and rich collections of coaches in the world. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 7. LISBON | ÉVORA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. We set out to discover the charming and medieval walled town of Évora rising in the middle of the beautiful Alentejo plains. Take the opportunity to visit the ex-libris of the UNESCO World Heritage City: the Roman Temple dating from the third century AD, the Roman-Gothic Cathedral (Sé de Évora), and the Church of St. Francis whose main attraction is Chapel of Bones. Check-in at the hotel.

Overnight in Évora.

DAY 8. ÉVORA | SEVILLE

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Seville. On the banks of the Guadalquivir River, Seville has a rich Arab heritage. The capital of Andalusia exudes joy and excitement in the streets and squares that make up its historic center, housing an interesting collection of UNESCO World Heritage buildings and popular neighborhoods such as Triana and La Macarena. Check-in at the hotel.

Overnight in Seville.

DAY 9. SEVILLE | RONDA | CORDOBA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Ronda. The old town, with its Arabic reminiscences and its medieval layout, extends to the south of Guadalevín. Continuation to Cordoba. This ancient city, declared a World Heritage Site, is a living legacy of the many cultures that have settled on it throughout history. Walking through the old quarter of Cordoba is discovering a beautiful network of whitewashed streets, squares and courtyards arranged around the Mosque-Cathedral, reflecting the importance of the city during the medieval era and true symbol of the capital.

Overnight in Cordoba.

DAY 10. CORDOBA | MADRID

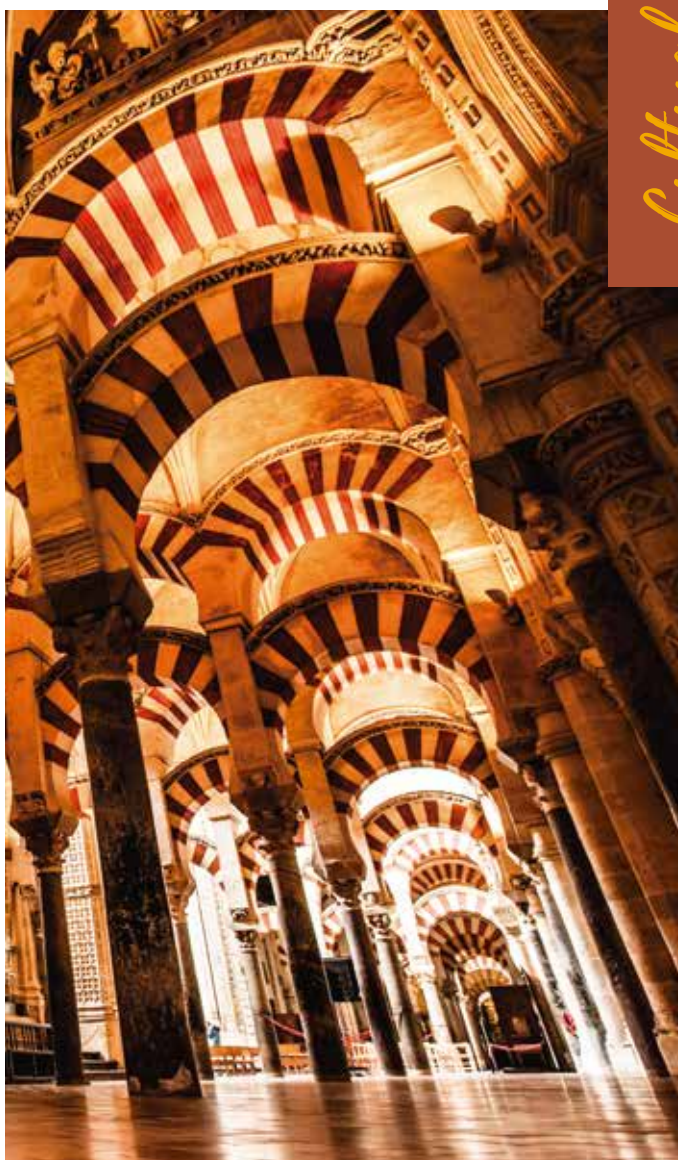
Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to the train station. Departure by train from Cordoba to Madrid. Arrival in Madrid and private transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight in Madrid.

DAY 11. MADRID | TOLEDO | MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel. In the morning, sightseeing in Madrid. Let yourself be surprised by the historical and contemporary sites and the dynamic and vibrant lifestyle of the madrileños. In the afternoon, we set off to the beautiful city-museum of Toledo, declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. It is one of the oldest cities in Europe, with artistic beauty and buildings from almost every period of history (Arab, Gothic, Mudejar, Renaissance and Baroque styles). Toledo is named the "City of Three Cultures" because it served as home to the Christians, Muslims and Jews. In the 16th century, it was also the residence of the great painter El Greco. In Toledo, do not miss the Mosque of El Cristo de la Luz, the Cathedral, the Church of São Tomé and the Synagogue of Santa María la Blanca. Return to Madrid.

Overnight in Madrid.



DAY 12. MADRID | BARCELONA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Journey to Barcelona. Arrival in Barcelona. Rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 13. BARCELONA | MONTSERRAT | BARCELONA

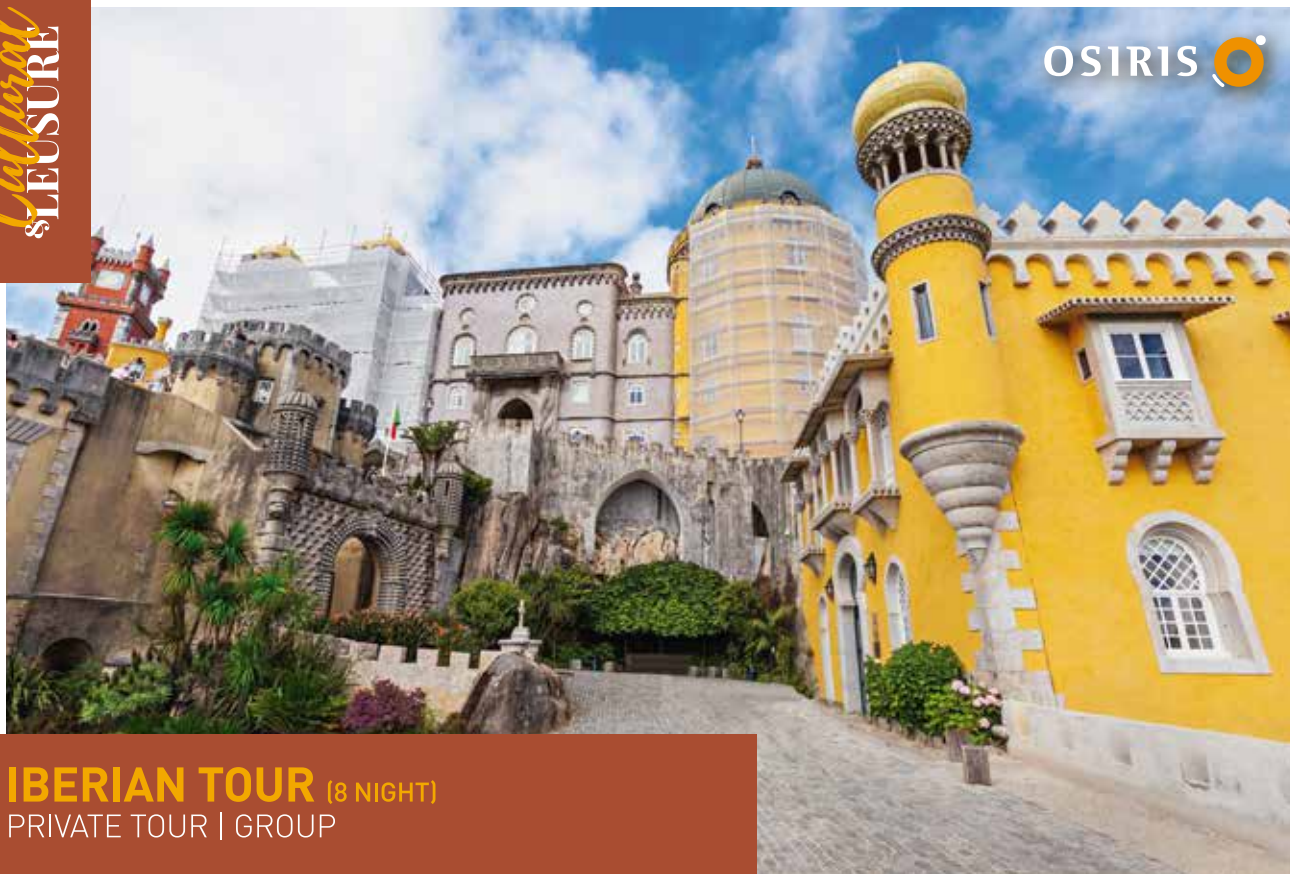
Breakfast at the hotel. Sightseeing of Barcelona, capital of Catalonia, a cosmopolitan Mediterranean city that incorporates in its urban traces Roman remains, medieval districts and the most beautiful examples of modernism and avant-garde buildings of the 20th. Visit to the imposing Sagrada Família Cathedral. In the afternoon, we continue to Montserrat, a mountain of unique shapes and mole of gray stones. Return to the hotel.

Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 14. BARCELONA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to Barcelona airport.

END OF OUR SERVICES



IBERIAN TOUR (8 NIGHT)

PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport. Meet and greet your guide at the airport. Visit of the capital: the Belém district with its monuments, the Belém Tower, the Jerónimos Monastery (entrance in the church), the Monument of Henry the Navigator. Then, the center of the city, with a visit to the cathedral from the 12th century, a symbol of the Christian reconquest of the territory, and the church of Santo Antonio, built in 1767, in the same place where the saint was born. Passage through the Alfama neighbourhood. Check-in at the hotel.

DAY 2. LISBON | SANTARÉM | FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Departure to Fatima. In Santarem, stop to visit the Church of the Most Holy Miracle, where they keep the consecrated host that originated the miracle. Arrival in Fatima. Visit Fatima, where the Virgin appeared to three children, on May 13, 1917. Visit the sanctuary and the new Church of the Holy Trinity. Accommodation at the hotel. Dinner. Possibility to participate in the candlelight procession.

DAY 3. FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Visit of Aljustrel, where some of the apparitions (1917) took place. Follow the Stations of the Cross along the Via Sacra, ending at the Calvary Chapel. Ability to participate in activities of the Sanctuary, watching a Mass or participating in a candlelit procession during the night. Overnight in Fátima

DAY 4. FÁTIMA | COIMBRA | AVEIRO | OPORTO

Breakfast. Visit of the University of Coimbra, the place where Sister Lucia lived and the church of Santa Clara-a-Nova. Continuing to Aveiro, called "the Venice of Portugal" with its Moliceiros boats in the channel. Departure to Porto. Visit to the winery and wine tasting of Porto. Panoramic tour of Porto, capital of the north. Installed on a steep site, on the left bank of the Douro River, the city has a picturesque setting with their boats Rabelos (traditional boats that transported wine), their bridges and the hull old with houses covered in tiles. Accommodation at a hotel in the Porto region.



DAY 5. OPORTO | BRAGA | SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Departure to Braga to visit Bom Jesus do Monte: stroll through the Sanctuary with a monumental staircase flanked by chapels of the Via Sacra. Visit the Sanctuary Mariano in Sameiro and visit the Cathedral of Braga, the oldest in Portugal, is now the capital of Minho region. Under the arcades, cafes and restaurants give life to the Republic Square, where you can see the Tower, a vestige of the old medieval city Continue towards Santiago de Compostela. Visit to the city of Santiago, known for its 46 churches or chapels and 114 towers. We found streets full of history, where time stops. Discovery of the Obradoiro Square, Portico de la Gloria, Plaza Quintana, Puerta de los Plateros, the Cathedral and its museum. Overnight in Santiago.

DAY 6. SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA | BURGOS

Breakfast and departure to Burgos. The old capital of the united kingdom of Castile and Leon during five centuries, counts on one of the masterpieces of the Spanish Gothic style, its Cathedral, Patrimony of the Humanity. Guided tour of the city and cathedral. Overnight in Burgos.

DAY 7. BURGOS | MADRID

Breakfast and departure to Madrid. At the arrival, sightseeing in Madrid. Let yourself be surprised by the historical and contemporary sites and the dynamic and vibrant lifestyle of the madrileños. Overnight at Madrid.

DIA 8. MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel. Free day in Madrid. The Spanish capital, cosmopolitan, modern and big, includes large monuments and impressive art treasures in its many museums. Panoramic visit: the famous Gran Vía, Paseo de la Castellana, Cibeles and Neptuno, Plaza de España, Plaza Puertas del Sol, Park of Buen Retiro, Royal Palace, Paseo del Prado. Overnight in Madrid.

DAY 9. MADRID | DEPARTURE

Breakfast. Free time until your airport transfer for your departure flight.

EXTENSION A BARCELONA

DAY 9. MADRID | ZARAGOZA | BARCELONA

Breakfast at the hotel. Depart to Barcelona en route stopping in Zaragoza.

Dinner and overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 10 . BARCELONA

After breakfast, visit of Barcelona, known as the capital of modernism, where the famous architect Antonio Gaudi lived and worked. Contemplate his most emblematic works such as Casa Mila, also known as "La Pedrera" and Batlló House in the Paseo de Gracia tour. Then, we will see the expiatory church of the Sagrada Familia, Gaudí's unfinished masterpiece. A walk through the Gothic Quarter will follow, passing by the Plaza Nova where you'll be able to visit the Cathedral (entrance not included).

In the afternoon, free time for shopping. Dinner and overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 11 . DEPARTURE

Breakfast. Free time until your airport transfer for your departure flight. End of our services





MADRID GATEWAY (3 NIGHTS)

REGULAR | SHARED TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. MADRID

Arrival at Madrid airport, reception and private transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Madrid

DAY 2. MADRID

Breakfast. Full-day tour of Madrid, covering the principle monuments: Calle Mayor, Plaza Mayor, Plaza de la Villa, the Royal Palace, the Cibeles Fountain, Neptune Fountain and the Puerta de Alcalá, Gran Vía, Paseo de la Castellana, Barrio Salamanca, Plaza de Castilla as well as the commercial and financial areas of Modern Madrid. Time to visit the Cathedral, also known as the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Almudena, patroness of Madrid. Free time to visit of the world-famous Prado Museum, which contains an impressive collection of classical paintings, not only from Spanish masters as Velasquez, Goya or El Greco, but as well from Rafael, Rubens, Rembrandt or Bosch, just to point some names. Overnight in Madrid

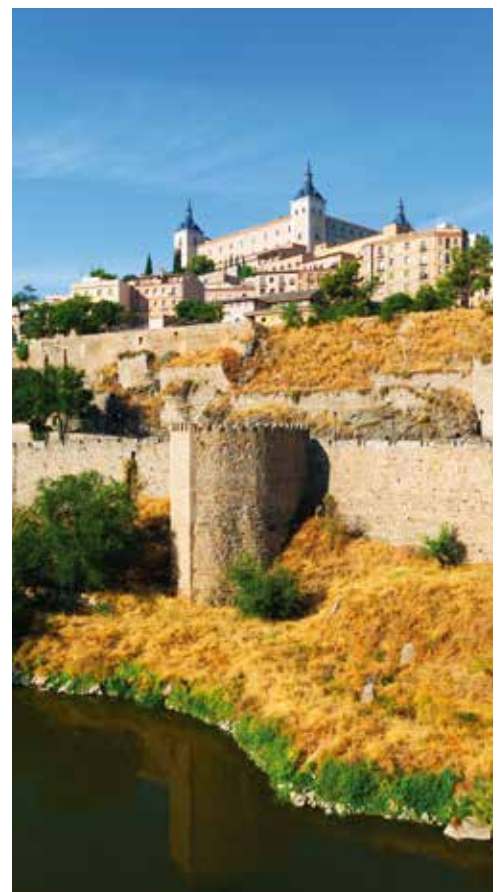
DAY 3. MADRID | TOLEDO | MADRID

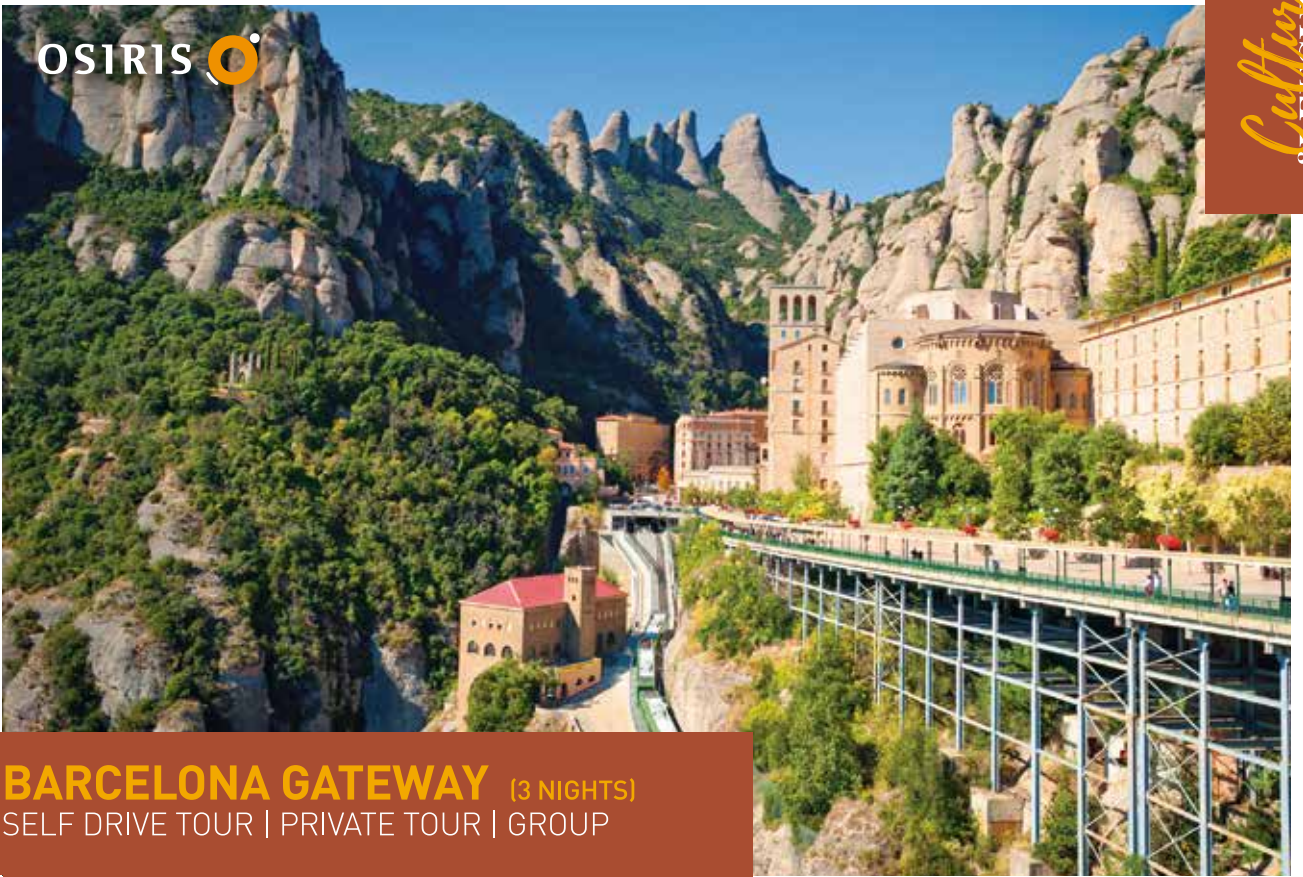
Breakfast. Depart to Toledo, one of the oldest towns in Europe and a beautiful city-museum declared as UNESCO's World Heritage site. Toledo is also known as the "City of the Three Cultures", since Christians, Muslims and Jews lived there together. It has a great artistic beauty and buildings from almost all periods in history (Arabian, Gothic, Mudejar, Renaissance and Baroque style).

Includes entrance at the Cathedral and Church of St. Tomé (where lies the masterpiece of El Greco – El Entierro del Conde de Orgaz). Return to Madrid. Overnight in Madrid

DAY 4. MADRID DEPARTURE

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to Madrid airport.





BARCELONA GATEWAY (3 NIGHTS)

SELF DRIVE TOUR | PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. BARCELONA

Arrival at Barcelona airport, reception and private transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 2. BARCELONA

Breakfast at hotel. Visit of Barcelona, well known worldwide for the Olympic Games during 1992. Drive along the main avenues with impressive modernist buildings by Gaudí such as La Pedrera and Casa Milá, declared World Heritage buildings (entrance not included), the Montjuic Park with spectacular views of the city and harbour, Olympic Ring, monument to Columbus and the emblematic Gothic Quarter, heart of the old city and its historical centre. Visit of Sagrada Familia, the unfinished masterpiece of Gaudí. Free time in Barcelona. We suggest you visit the fantastic Park Guell, which was declared an artistic monument and world heritage by UNESCO. It is very easy to get lost in this whimsical design, a great integration of architectural elements in nature. Overnight in Barcelona.

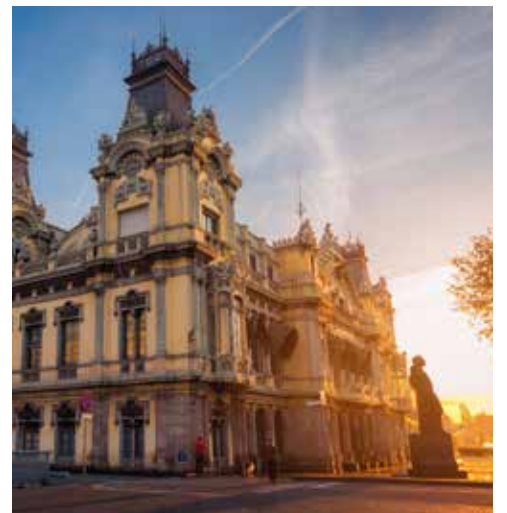
DAY 3. BARCELONA | MONSERRAT | BARCELONA

Breakfast at hotel. Departure to Montserrat. The rocks of Montserrat were formed by natural cement of sand during the centuries. The wind and rain shaped the mountain

with strange and varied forms. Go up with the Cog-Wheel Train, a 15-minute trip with a privileged and spectacular view of the mountain. Visit of the Royal Basilica of Montserrat, which holds the famous 12th century Romanesque carving of Verge Moreneta (the Black Virgin). Return to Barcelona. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 4. BARCELONA DEPARTURE

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to Barcelona airport.





SEVILLE GATEWAY (3 NIGHTS)

PRIVATE TOUR | GROUP



DAY 1. SEVILLA

Arrival at Sevilla. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Sevilla.

DAY 2. SEVILLA

Breakfast and guided city tour of Sevilla. On the banks of the Guadalquivir River, Sevilla has a rich Arab heritage. The capital of Andalusia exudes joy and excitement in the streets and squares that make up its historic center, housing an interesting collection of UNESCO World Heritage buildings and popular neighborhoods such as Triana and La Macarena. Free afternoon. Overnight in Sevilla.

DAY 3. SEVILLA

Breakfast at the hotel and depart to Cordoba. This ancient city, declared a World Heritage Site, is a living legacy of the many cultures that have settled on it throughout history. Walking guided tour through the old quarter of Cordoba to discover a beautiful network of white-washed streets, squares and courtyards arranged around the Mosque-cathedral, reflecting the importance of the city during the medieval era and true symbol of the capital. Return and Overnight in Sevilla

DAY 4. SEVILLA | DEPARTURED

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to Sevilla airport.





THE SOUTH OF SPAIN (7 NIGHTS)

TOUR PRIVADO | GRUPO



DAY 1. MADRID | TOLEDO

Arrival in Madrid and private transfer to the beautiful city-museum of Toledo, declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. It is one of the oldest cities in Europe, with artistic beauty and buildings from almost every period of history (Arab, Gothic, Mudéjar, Renaissance and Baroque styles). Toledo is named the "City of Three Cultures" because it served as home to the Christians, Muslims and Jews. In the 16th century, it was also the residence of the great painter El Greco. In Toledo, we will visit the Cathedral. Overnight in Toledo.

DAY 2. TOLEDO | SEVILLA

Breakfast and continuation to Seville. On the banks of the Guadalquivir River, Seville has a rich Arab heritage. The capital of Andalusia exudes joy and excitement in the streets and squares that make up its historic center, housing an interesting collection of UNESCO World Heritage buildings and popular neighbourhoods such as Triana and La Macarena. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight in Seville.

DAY 3. SEVILLA | CÓRDOBA

Breakfast at the hotel and guided city tour of Sevilla. Continue to Cordoba. This ancient city, declared a World Heritage Site, is a living legacy of the many culture that have settled on it throughout history. Walking visit through the old quarter of Cordoba to

discover a beautiful network of whitewashed streets, squares and courtyards arranged around the Mosque-cathedral, reflecting the importance of the city during the medieval era and true symbol of the capital. Overnight in Cordoba

DAY 4. SEVILLA | MÁLAGA | GRANADA

Breakfast and departure to Malaga, the second biggest city of Andalusia and the birthplace of Pablo Picasso, is a busiest cruise port, with beautiful beaches. Free time to shop and lunch. Continuation to Granada, a beautiful city that was the kingdom of the Almoravids. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight.

DAY 5. GRANADA

Breakfast at the hotel and visit the complex of Allambra as well as the city of Granada. Free afternoon. Overnight in Granada.

DAY 6. GRANADA | ALICANTE | VALÈNCIA

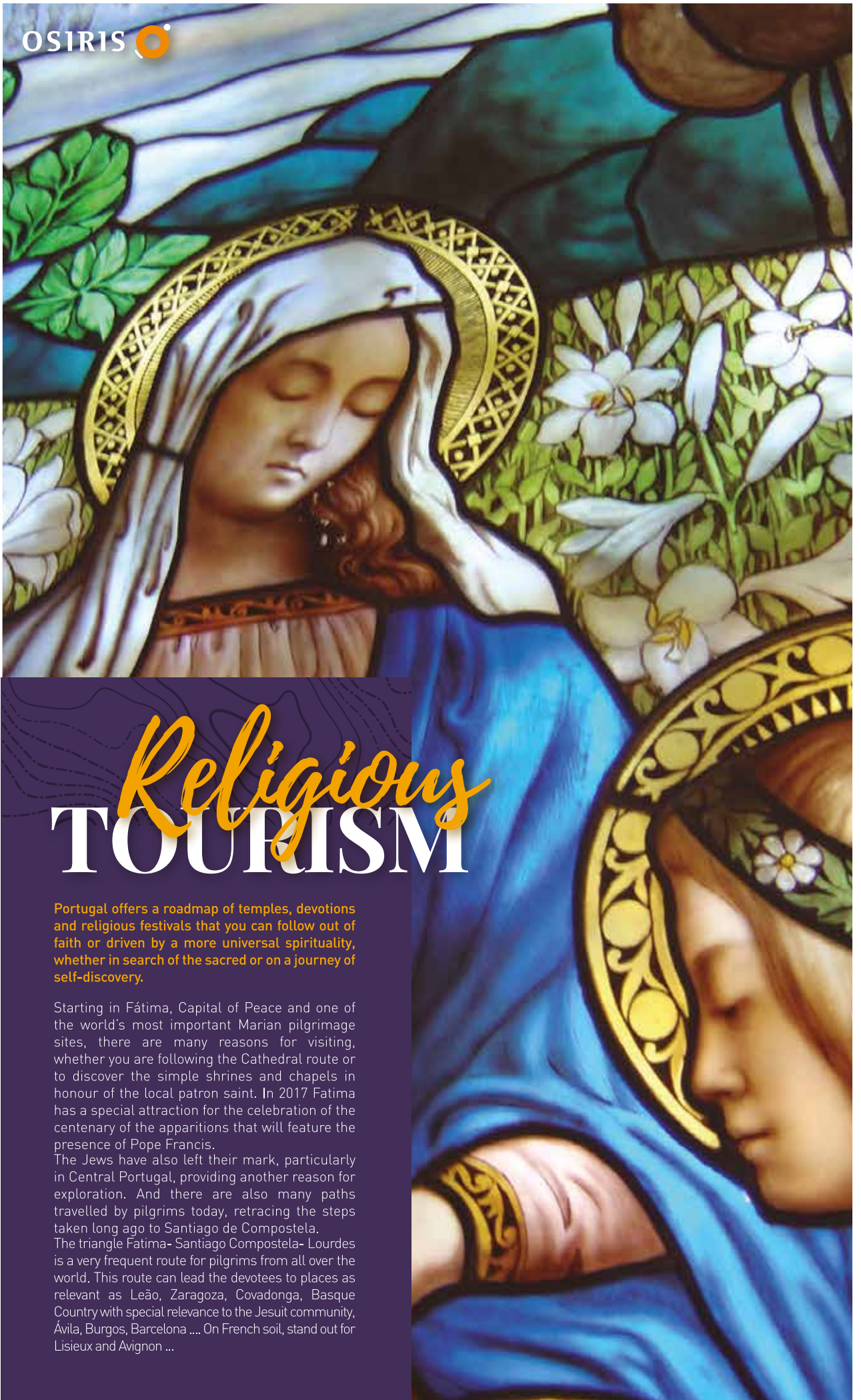
Breakfast and departure to the modern city of Alicante. Free time to lunch and continue to Valencia. The port city of Valencia lies on Spain's southeastern coast, where the Turia River meets the Mediterranean Sea. Overnight at the hotel.

DAY 7. VALÈNCIA | MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Madrid. At arrival panoramic visit of Madrid, the capital and largest city in Spain. It is also the residence of the Spanish Royal family. Among the city's main points of interest are the Museum del Prado, known worldwide for its painting collection, the 18th-century Royal Palace, the Plaza Mayor-notable example of 17th-century urban architecture-the famous gardens of the retreat and numerous museums. Overnight in Madrid.

DAY 8. MADRID

Breakfast and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to Madrid airport.



Religious TOURISM

Portugal offers a roadmap of temples, devotions and religious festivals that you can follow out of faith or driven by a more universal spirituality, whether in search of the sacred or on a journey of self-discovery.

Starting in Fátima, Capital of Peace and one of the world's most important Marian pilgrimage sites, there are many reasons for visiting, whether you are following the Cathedral route or to discover the simple shrines and chapels in honour of the local patron saint. In 2017 Fatima has a special attraction for the celebration of the centenary of the apparitions that will feature the presence of Pope Francis.

The Jews have also left their mark, particularly in Central Portugal, providing another reason for exploration. And there are also many paths travelled by pilgrims today, retracing the steps taken long ago to Santiago de Compostela.

The triangle Fatima- Santiago Compostela- Lourdes is a very frequent route for pilgrims from all over the world. This route can lead the devotees to places as relevant as Leão, Zaragoza, Covadonga, Basque Country with special relevance to the Jesuit community, Ávila, Burgos, Barcelona On French soil, stand out for Lisieux and Avignon ...

FÁTIMA, LOURDES & PARIS (13 NIGHTS) (GROUPS)

FÁTIMA.SANTIAGO.MADRID.ZARAGOZA.LOURDES.NERVERS.LISIEUX.PARIS



DAY 4. FÁTIMA | SANTIAGO COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Departure to PORTO with a brief stop to visit the capital of the North of Portugal before reaching the border with Spain. Through Galicia and arrival at Santiago de Compostela the Shrine of Pilgrimage. It is considered the oldest in Europe. Dinner and accommodation at Hotel.

DAY 1. LISBON

Departure from your hometown to Lisbon. Arrival and transfer to Hotel. Free time. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 2. LISBON | Batalha | FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Route through the city. Spotlight on the Portuguese capital, Marques de Pombal Square, Parque Eduardo VII, the Belém Tower, the Monument to the Navigators, the Jeronimos Monastery, Alfama, etc. In the afternoon we depart for Batalha, where you will see a monastery that is better known as being a European Gothic jewel. We continue to Fatima. Participation in prayers, Rosary and candlelit processions. Dinner and accommodation at Hotel.

DAY 3. FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Visit the Sanctuary, including the Chapel of the Apparitions and the village of ALJUSTREL, where some of the apparitions (1917) took place. Follow the Stations of the Cross along the Via Sacra, ending at the Calvary Chapel. Ability to participate in activities of the Sanctuary, watching a Mass or participating in a candlelit procession during the night. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.





DAY 5. SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Panoramic visit of the city, our guide will show you the historic centre in a city considered an important goal for pilgrims from all over the world. We will walk through several narrow lanes, squares and buildings of granite with centuries of history, many of them from medieval times and as a main feature visit the Cathedral, whose majestic facade rises over the Plaza del Obradoiro. Free Afternoon where (optionally), you can take a daytrip to Cambados considered the capital of the Alvarinho grape, one of the best white wines in the world. Its historic quarter is declared to be a very important Cultural asset and hosts one of the most relevant groups of Pazos nobiliários (typical houses of Galicia) in Galicia, if there is spare time, in addition to strolling through the centre of the city, we will take a boat ride, on a boat with a transparent-bottom where it will be explained how oysters and mussels are grown. Return to Santiago. Dinner and Accommodation.

DAY 6.SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA | MADRID

Breakfast. Depart following along the pilgrims Santiago Route until you reach Leon the capital of an ancient kingdom, with one of the purest and most beautiful gothic cathedrals of Spain. Free time to experience them and also learn about other important monuments of the historical centre and the Temple of San Isidoro, the walls of the roman city, the Palace of Guzman, etc. We continue our trip to Madrid. Dinner and accommodation.



DAY 7. MADRID

Breakfast. Explore Madrid. Marvel at the historic sites of Madrid and the dynamic and vibrant lifestyle of the city. Learn about the history of the city through the buildings and the streets that reflect different periods of history, especially the palaces and squares (in particular the Plaza Mayor and Puerta del Sol). Learn about the Arabic roots of Madrid in old buildings in the Barrio de la Moreria. Then let yourself be overwhelmed by buildings of the Renaissance and the baroque era of Halsburg on Calle Mayor, Plaza Mayor and Plaza de la Vida. Do not forget to visit the famous Prado Museum
Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 8. MADRID | ZARAGOZA | LOURDES

Breakfast. Depart to Zaragoza, a city where an apparition of the Virgin to the Apostle Santiago took place in a stone pillar. Arrival to the Basilica del Pilar, considered the first Marian sanctuary in Europe. Free Time and departure to the Pyrenees, crossing the Paso of Samport, travel to France and from there you continue to Lourdes, where the most visited Marian shrine in Europe is located. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 9. LOURDES

Breakfast. In the morning city visit and the opportunity to learn aspects of the Apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary in 1858 to the Saint Bernadette Soubirous. Above the grotto of the apparitions of the Virgin three superimposed churches were built: the Crypt, the Basilica of the Rosary and the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, providing an impressive vision. Full day to visit the basilicas, Grotto of the Apparitions and participate in liturgies, candle lit procession. Dinner and accommodation.



DAY 10. LOURDES | NEVERS

Breakfast. We will travel in the French countryside enjoying the panorama offered by the vineyards in the region. Arrival at Nevers, a city located on the Loire river. Visit the monastery of Saint Gildart, where the incorrupt body of Saint Bernadette is found. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 11. NEVERS | LISIEUX

Breakfast. Visit the Loire Valley region, travel to the Normandy region and arrival in Lisieux, an important pilgrimage centre and one of the loveliest places in the north of France. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 12. LISIEUX

Breakfast. City tour in the city that was discovered to the world in 1898, through the autobiography \“Story of a soul\”, the short life of Santa Teresa, who died a young Carmelite at the age of twenty-four years. Visit the Basilica, Carmelo Chapel, etc. Then travel to Paris. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 13. PARIS

Breakfast. Sightseeing Tour of Paris to visit places such as the Place Vendome, the Plaza de la Opera, the Louvre, Place de Bastille and the Marais, Notre Dame and the Pantheon, the Jardin du Luxembourg, St Germain des Pres, the Orsay Museum, Place de la Concorde, Invalides, Arc de Triomphe, Champs Elysees and the Eiffel Tower. Free afternoon. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 14. PARIS

Breakfast, transfer to airport. End of our service.

FÁTIMA & ST. COMPOSTELA (9 NIGHTS) (SELF DRIVE TOUR | GROUP)

LISBON.FÁTIMA.PORTO.ST. COMPOSTELA.FÁTIMA



DAY 3. LISBON | TOMAR | FÁTIMA

Breakfast. In the morning, departure to Tomar, a historical village (visit of the Templars Castle and the Synagogue...). Departure to FÁTIMA (for two nights), famous pilgrimage world centre. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 4. FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Free morning in FÁTIMA, to assist religious ceremonies. After lunch, departure to ALCOBAÇA, (UNESCO World Heritage) and Óbidos (amazing medieval village). Return to FÁTIMA. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at LISBON airport and meeting with the OSIRIS representative. Sightseeing to explore the city: the old quarter of Alfama, with the Cathedral, downtown and its beautiful squares - Praça do Comercio, Rossio, St. António Church...the historical quarter of Belém, with the Monastery of Jerónimos, the Monument of the Discoveries and the Tower of Belem (good examples of the 16th century's gothic style). After lunch break, visit of Parque das Nações (former Expo 98) where you can visit the largest Aquarium of Europe (not included). Accommodation and dinner at hotel.

DAY 2. LISBON | SINTRA | CASCAIS | ESTORIL

Breakfast. In the morning continuation of the exploration of LISBON, namely: the Madre de Deus Church, S. Roque Church and the Sacred Art Museum. Lunch in a local restaurant. After lunch, tour to SINTRA, which is a medieval village and has been named "World Heritage". Return to Lisbon passing by CASCAIS and ESTORIL. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.



DAY 5. FÁTIMA | Batalha | Coimbra | Porto

Breakfast. Proceed to BATALHA (UNESCO World Heritage) to visit the masterpiece of the Portuguese gothic style: the Santa Maria Vitória Monastery. Lunch in COIMBRA and then time to visit the Cathedral and the Santa Cruz Monastery (16th century). Arrival at PORTO. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 6. PORTO

Breakfast. Entire journey to discover PORTO: walk by Ribeira, old quarter near the Douro River, visit of the splendid S. Francisco Church, the Cathedral...A visit and a wine tasting in a famous Porto wine cellar will be foreseen too. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 7. PORTO | Guimarães | Braga | St. Compostela

Breakfast. Departure to visit GUIMARÃES and BRAGA (monumental religious city), where we will visit the famous Cathedral, the S. Frutuoso Chapel, the Sanctuary and the Sameiro, (a pilgrimage site). Depart to Spain to Santiago Compostela, the third most important city of pilgrimage after Jerusalem and Rome. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 8. ST. COMPOSTELA

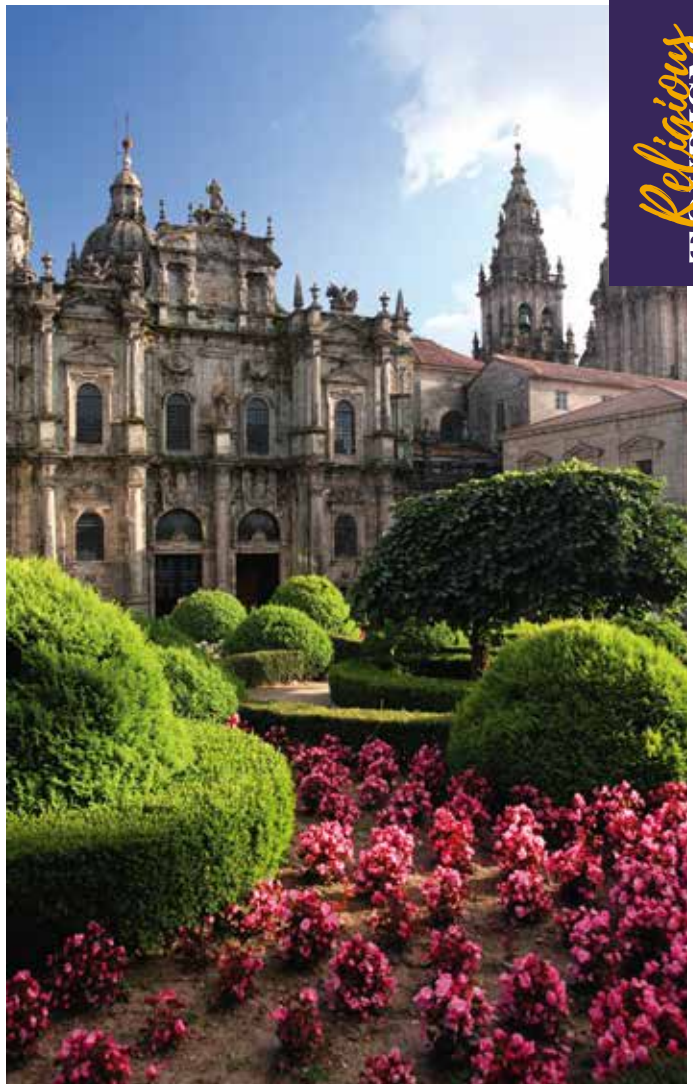
Breakfast. Full day to visit Santiago de Compostela, including the Cathedral. The Compostela city has its origin in the shrine of Saint James the Great, now the city's cathedral, as destination of the Way of St. James, a leading Catholic pilgrimage route originated in the 9th century. In 1985 the city's Old Town was designated an UNESCO World heritage site. After lunch free time. Dinner and accommodation at Santiago de Compostela. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

DAY 9. ST. COMPOSTELA | Fátima

Breakfast. Departure to Portugal. Dinner and overnight at hotel.

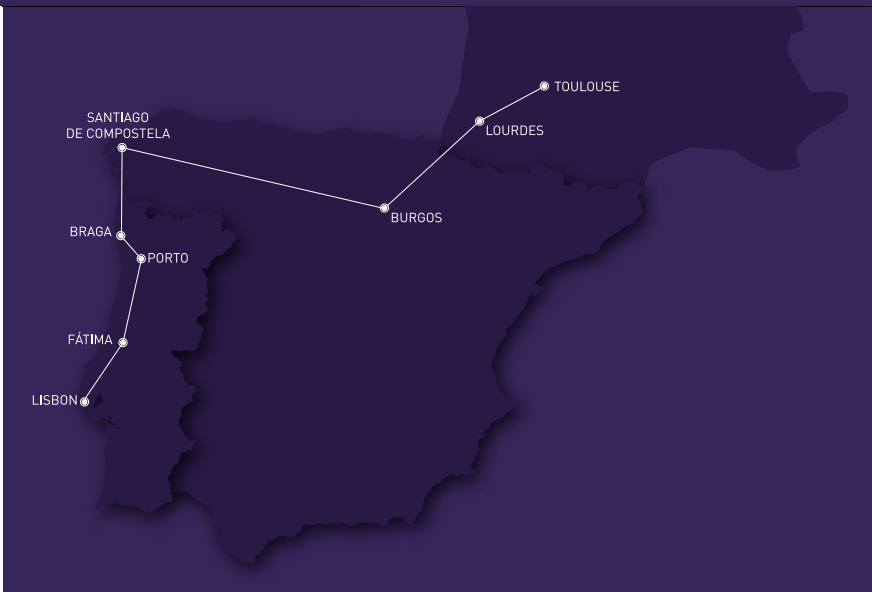
DAY 10. Fátima | Lisboa

Breakfast. Transfer to Lisbon airport



FÁTIMA, ST. COMPOSTELA & LOURDES [8 NIGHTS] (GROUP)

FATIMA . COIMBRA . PORTO . BRAGA . ST. COMPOSTELA . BURGOS . AZEPEITIA . LOURDES



DAY 3. FÁTIMA | COIMBRA | PORTO

Breakfast. Departure toward COIMBRA to visit the Convent of Santa Teresa where Sister Lucy (a witness of Fatima) lived for more than 5 decades. Continue to PORTO: walk along Ribeira, a historic district with great charisma. Visit the magnificent Church of St. Francis, the Cathedral ... On the other side of the river in Vila Nova de Gaia, visit and do some wine tasting in a cellar of the famous Port Wine. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

DAY 1. LISBOA | SANTARÉM | FÁTIMA

Arrival at Lisbon airport and meeting with an OSIRIS representative. Panoramic visit to discover the city: the old Alfama district with the Cathedral in the centre and its beautiful squares – Praça do Comércio, Rossio to the Sé of Lisbon and Church of Santo António ... the historic district of Belém, the Jeronimos Monastery, the Monument of the Discoveries and the Belém Tower (good examples of gothic style of the 16th century). Continue to FATIMA with a stop in Santarem to visit the Church of the Holy Miracle. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel in Fatima.

DAY 2. FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Visit the Sanctuary, including the Chapel of the Apparitions and the village of ALJUSTREL, where some of the apparitions (1917) took place. Follow the Stations of the Cross along the Via Sacra, ending at the Calvary Chapel. Ability to participate in activities of the Sanctuary, watching a Mass or participating in a candlelit procession during the night. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.



DAY 4. PORTO | BRAGA | ST. COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Departure to visit the city of BRAGA, an important religious centre, where we will visit the famous Cathedral, the Chapel of São Frutuoso, the Sameiro Sanctuary (pilgrimage site). Departure for Spain to SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA, the third most important city of pilgrimage after Jerusalem and Rome. Possibility of doing a small section of a few kilometers walk on the Portuguese road to Santiago de Compostela.



DAY 5. SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Full day to visit the city, including its magnificent Cathedral. Dinner and accommodation in SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA.

DAY 6. ST. COMPOSTELA | BURGOS

Breakfast. Departure toward BURGOS: with its magnificent cathedral (UNESCO World Heritage site). Possibility of watching or celebrating a Mass. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel

DAY 7. BURGOS | AZPEITIA | LOURDES

Breakfast. Departure for AZPEITIA to visit the sanctuary of Loyola, where Saint Ignacio de Loyola, the founder of the Jesuit order was born. Continue to LOURDES one of the largest centres of pilgrimage in the Catholic world. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

DAY 8. LOURDES

Breakfast. Devotion for Our Lady of LOURDES. Visit the Grotto, the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, the Basilica of the Rosary and Via Sacra. In the evening, you can join the candlelit procession . Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.



DIA 9. TOULOUSE

Breakfast, transfer to airport or to the train station to Paris. END OF OUR SERVICES





FROM FÁTIMA TO LOURDES (12 NIGHTS) (GROUP)

FÁTIMA . SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA . SAN SEBASTIAN . LOURDES



DAY 3. LISBON | SANTARÉM | FÁTIMA

Breakfast. Travel to Santarem, a city located at the top of the hill in the valley of the river Tagus, from where you can enjoy a wonderful view over the river and the "Leziria". Visit the Seminar church of Santarem an important Jesuit temple from the 17th century. Departure to FATIMA, a pilgrimage centre, religiously called the "Altar of the World". Visit the most important monuments: Chapel of the Apparitions and Sanctuary. It was the first building constructed in COVA DE IRIA, the place of the Apparitions of Our Lady. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon airport. Pick-up by an Osiris representative at the airport and private transfer to the Hotel. Lisbon is a brightly lit city and the sun is a constant presence which together with the River Tagus transform this Portuguese city into a mirror of colours—highlighting the architecture and unique beauty of the city. There are so many things to see and do in Lisbon that visitors always have a wide range of choices to make and experiences to enjoy. While you stroll through the streets of Lisbon, centuries of history are visible in every corner. We would like to draw attention to the historical neighbourhoods where the city began to develop (Alfama, Mouraria, Bairro Alto...) ...Despite all these centuries the city remains very authentic. Overnight stay in Hotel.

DAY 2. LISBON | ÉVORA

Breakfast and departure to EVORA, known as the "Museum city" and considered by UNESCO as a world heritage site - visit to the Temple of Diana (first century), the Cathedral (year: 1186) and the Church of St. Francis (year: 1480) with its Chapel of Bones. Visit the University, founded in 1559 and managed by the Jesuits for two centuries. Return to Lisbon at the end of the day. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.



DAY 4. FÁTIMA | COIMBRA | PORTO

Breakfast. Departure to COIMBRA, visit the famous University, one of the oldest in the world, the New Cathedral (an important Jesuit Church (17th century) and the OCUMN (University Centre Manuel da Nóbrega), it was the first Jesuit university in Portugal. Since 1975, it offers its services to the University of Coimbra. There is time to also visit the seminar which is very important to new Jesuits. Departure to PORTO the second largest city in Portugal, Visit a Port wine cellar and wine tasting. Arrival, dinner and accommodation at the Hotel.



DAY 5. PORTO | BRAGA

After breakfast visit PORTO, whose name originated the name of the country. PORTO is an ancient city that remains true to its charisma and is well known through the world famous Port wine. Stroll through Praça da Liberdade with the statue of king Pedro IV of Portugal (Pedro I of Brazil), the Clérigos Church a curious tower that was used to guide fishermen back home, the Palacio da Bolsa (neoclassical 19th century), the Ribeira (old town), the Castelo do Queijo (Cheese castle). We must not forget the Church and College of São Lourenço, popularly known as the Church of the crickets, built by Jesuits in 1577 in a Baroque Jesuit mannerist style. Departure to BRAGA, capital of the Minho region. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

DAY 6. BRAGA | GUIMARÃES | BRAGA

Breakfast. Visit of the city of BRAGA: the cathedral, the Church of St. Paul built by the Jesuits in 1589 and the Sanctuary of Sameiro (year 1863) and Bom Jesus (14th century) the possibility of arranging a meeting with the Jesuit community of Braga. In the afternoon, visit the city of GUIMARAES - the cradle of the Portuguese nation, stroll through the city. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.



DAY 7. BRAGA | LAGUARDIA | STA. MARIA DE OIA | ST.COMPOSTELA

Breakfast. Departure for SPAIN the first stop being at LA GUARDIA, where we find the Apostolic school of S. Martin. Continuing northwards, stop at SANTA MARIA OF OIA to enjoy the medieval monastery. Continue to SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA, world-famous for its baroque cathedral (1075). We can also visit the tomb of St. James, one of the apostles of Jesus Christ, the historic tourist and religious centre, pay special attention to the Cathedral and the Square of Obradório, where countless pilgrims arrive daily from the famous Camino de Santiago. Arrival, dinner and accommodation at the Hotel.





DAY 8. SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA | OVIEDO

Breakfast. Travel to OVIEDO, the economic and cultural capital of Asturias, arrival and free time to discover the city. Check-in, dinner and accommodation at Hotel in OVIEDO.

DAY 9. OVIEDO | AZPEITIA | SAN SEBASTIAN

Breakfast. Visit the sanctuary of Loyola built on the birthplace of St Ignatius of Loyola, founder of the Jesuit Order. Free time in the Sanctuary. Dinner and accommodation at the Hotel IN San Sebastian.

DAY 10. SAN SEBASTIAN | JAVIER

After breakfast, departure to the birthplace of St Francis Xavier - JAVIER, a Christian missionary and apostle of Portuguese Navarre patronage. A pioneer and co-founder of the Jesuits, the Roman Catholic Church believes that he converted more people to Christianity than any other missionary in São Paulo, earning the title \"Apostle of the East\". Continue to LEIRE, to visit the \"Monastery of San Salvador of Leire\". Departure for SANGÜESA (5 Km of Javier) to visit the church of \"Santa Maria la Real\", built on the site of a roman temple. Continue to SAN SEBASTIAN, Donastia in Basque, known as the Pearl of the Cantabria, panoramic tour. Check-in, dinner and accommodation in Hotel at SAN SEBASTIAN.

DAY 11. SAN SEBASTIAN | LOURDES

Breakfast, and departure to Lourdes, where the most visited Marian shrine in Europe is located. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 12. LOURDES

Breakfast. In the morning city visit and the opportunity to learn aspects of the Apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary in 1858 to the Saint Bernadette Soubirous. Above the grotto of the apparitions of the Virgin three superimposed churches were built: the Crypt, the Basilica of the Rosary and the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, providing an impressive vision. Full day to visit the basilicas, Grotto of the Apparitions and participate in liturgies, candle lit procession. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 13. TOULOUSE

Breakfast and transfer to the airport of TOULOUSE. ASSISTANCE AND END OF OUR SERVICES





JEWISH HERITAGE TOUR PORTUGAL & SPAIN (15 NIGHTS) (GROUP)

LISBOA . PORTO . CASTELO BRANCO . MADRID . CÓRDOBA . GRANADA . BARCELONA



DAY 1. LISBON

Arrival in Lisbon and private transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Lisbon.

DAY 2. LISBON

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure for a full day tour of Lisbon, finding all about the Jewish legacy in the Portuguese capital. It is known that until 1496 there were three Jewish Quarters in Lisbon. Besides strolling through Alfama, we will visit the church of São Domingos, in Rossio, in Largo de S. Domingos, where the Jewish Massacre of Lisbon took place in 1506. In the afternoon, we leave towards the district of Belém, where were built the monuments alluding to the time of the Maritime Discoveries in the 15th and 16th centuries. Free time to lunch. We will stop at the Belém Tower (classified as World Heritage by UNESCO), the 15th century fortress and departure point of caravels, and at the Discoveries Monument to mark the 500th anniversary of the death of Henry the Navigator. We will then visit the Monastery of Jeronimos (classified as World Heritage by UNESCO), a masterpiece of Manueline architecture. Return to the hotel. Overnight in Lisbon.



DAY 3. LISBON | TOMAR | PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. We set off to Tomar to visit the Synagogue and Luso-Hebrew Museum of Abraham Zacuto. A very rare example of a medieval Jewish temple and of pre-Renaissance Portuguese art, the Tomar Synagogue is the only one of its kind from this period to have been fully preserved in Portugal. Before leaving, it is mandatory to visit the Templar Castle and the Convent of Christ in Tomar, a unique monument in the history of the western world, awarded the classification of world heritage by UNESCO. Built on a site that was originally used for Roman worship, this vast monumental complex illustrates seven centuries of Portugal's history and contains several important mementoes of decisive moments in the history of the western world. Free time to lunch. Departure to Porto at the hotel. Overnight in Porto.



DAY 4. PORTO

Breakfast at the hotel. Discover the Jewish Porto and walk along the streets where a community was born and developed, a community that is supposed to have appeared just before the foundation of Portugal. The Jewish quarter of the city was situated deep in the heart of the village, which, in the 12th century, was located near the Cathedral, in the area that is today defined by the ruins of the Convent of Monchique, by the Torre dos Clérigos, Sé, Alfândega do Porto and the square and tunnel of Ribeira – and where some Jewish altars still survive in private estates. Walk towards the area of Palácio da Bolsa and the old Mercado Ferreira Borges. This is where another Jewish quarter once stood, with a synagogue in its center, in what is today known as Rua do Comércio do Porto. In the Boavista area, the hub of Jewish life in the 17th and 18th centuries, visitors can see the Kadoorie synagogue, the largest synagogue in the Iberian Peninsula Jewish temple built between 1929 and 1937. In the afternoon, you will take a 50-minute cruise through the Douro before heading back to the hotel. Overnight in Porto.

DAY 5. PORTO | TRANCOSO | BELMONTE | CASTELO BRANCO

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure from Porto towards the medieval town of Trancoso, strongly marked by an ancestral Jewish presence. The town's historic center, surrounded by walls, allows us to discover the façades of old houses, where regular granite stones follow the sinuous outline of the streets, kept since the middle ages. We will visit to the Isaac Cardoso Jewish Culture Interpretation Centre. Founded in 2012, the goal of this space, where the modern Beit Mayim (the Well of Living Water) synagogue stands out, is to be a place for culture and debate by teaching about the ancient legacy Beira Jewish communities have left behind. We leave to Belmonte, which is, perhaps, the Portuguese town with the strongest Jewish presence and it stands out because it was a unique case, within the Iberian Peninsula, where Hebrew culture and tradition have lasted since the early 16th century until today. We will visit the Jewish Museum, the first museum that portrays the History of Jewish people in Portugal, as well as its integration in the society and the decisive role it played in Portuguese culture, art, literature and trade. We will end the day in Castelo Branco, city that became a refuge to a large community of New Christians when the Jews were expelled or forced to convert by the Inquisition. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight in Castelo Branco.

DAY 6. CASTELO BRANCO | MADRID

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Departure to Madrid. Sightseeing tour of Madrid. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight in Madrid.

DAY 7. MADRID | TOLEDO | MADRID

After Breakfast. This day is devoted to Toledo, perched high on a hill by the Tagus River. With its naturally fortified location, Toledo was once the true center of Spain, and is widely considered a "pearl" in terms of its subtle beauty. This city was also the center for Jewish Spain, with a rich, creative heritage. You will feel this atmosphere as you stroll the narrow alleys in its historic section. Your tour will include El Greco's house, formerly the palace of the prominent Samuel Halevy (treasurer of King Pedro I, and architect of the El Transito Synagogue). Continue to Sinagoga de Santa Maria La Blanca, later converted to a church, and to the Sinagoga del Transito, which today houses the Sephardic Museum. Return to Madrid in the afternoon and enjoy time at leisure. Overnight in Madrid.



DAY 8. MADRID | AVILA | SEGOVIA | MADRID

After breakfast, take a full day excursion to Avila and Segovia. Tour of Avila to include the imposing city walls and the former Jewish areas (Juderias). In Segovia, you will sense history as you tour the historic part of the town including the Aqueduct, and the Jewish Quarter. Though only few traces tell the story of a glorious past, Segovia still stands as a remarkable monument to its past. Return to Madrid in the afternoon. Overnight in Madrid.

DAY 9. MADRID | CÓRDOBA

After breakfast. This morning, check out from the hotel and transfer by coach to Cordoba, the former home of many Jewish scholars and poets. Once the biggest city in all of Europe, Cordoba thrived and expanded with its unique blend of cultures. These are beautifully expressed with a visit to Mezquita, the most significant Muslim architectural achievement in the Western world. Walk the street leading up to the Juderia, with its whitewashed houses and colorful courtyards and shops. Though not Jewish in its current expression, a few signs hint of the Golden Age. Note, for example, the tiny, gem-like Synagogue, as well as the statue of the great court doctor and Torah sage, Maimonides (Rabbi Moshe Ben Maimon). Overnight in Cordoba.

DAY 10. CÓRDOBA | SEVILHA | CÓRDOBA

After breakfast, a short drive will take you to Seville. Upon arrival begin a tour of this classic city. The tour will include the imposing Cathedral, said to be one of the largest in the world. Here, find the resting place of Spanish Kings and Queens, as well as the impressive sepulcher of Christopher Columbus – but are his remains there? Continue past the Alcazar Palace, still used as a residence for the Spanish Royal Family, to the grand Plaza Espana, site of the pavilion of the great 1992 exhibition. Finally, visit the Barrio de Santa Cruz – the former Jewish Quarter. Today, it is one of Seville's most charming areas. Return to Cordoba in the afternoon. Overnight in Cordoba.

DAY 11. CORDOBA | BAENA | LUCENA | CÓRDOBA

After breakfast, enjoy a day to rest and explore Cordoba on your own or join a tour into the Andalusian countryside. In Baena, visit the Olive Oil museum and pay respect to Jose Luis Santaella, recognized as Righteous among the Nations for helping the Jewish people in Berlin. Later visit Lucena, formerly known as the Pearl of Sefarad. Enjoy a walking tour of the picturesque town. Later return to Cordoba in the late afternoon. Overnight in Cordoba.

DAY 12. CÓRDOBA | GRANADA | BARCELONA

Breakfast. This morning, leave for Granada. Upon arrival, visit one of the Wonders of the World, the Moorish Palace of Alhambra and the Generalife. Located on a hilltop with the Sierra Nevada as background, Alhambra's exquisite design and layout have few rivals. Be filled with a sense of mystique as you are guided past graceful courtyards, splashing fountains and lavish rooms. In the afternoon, check in for the flight to Barcelona. Transfer to the hotel in Barcelona. Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 13. BARCELONA

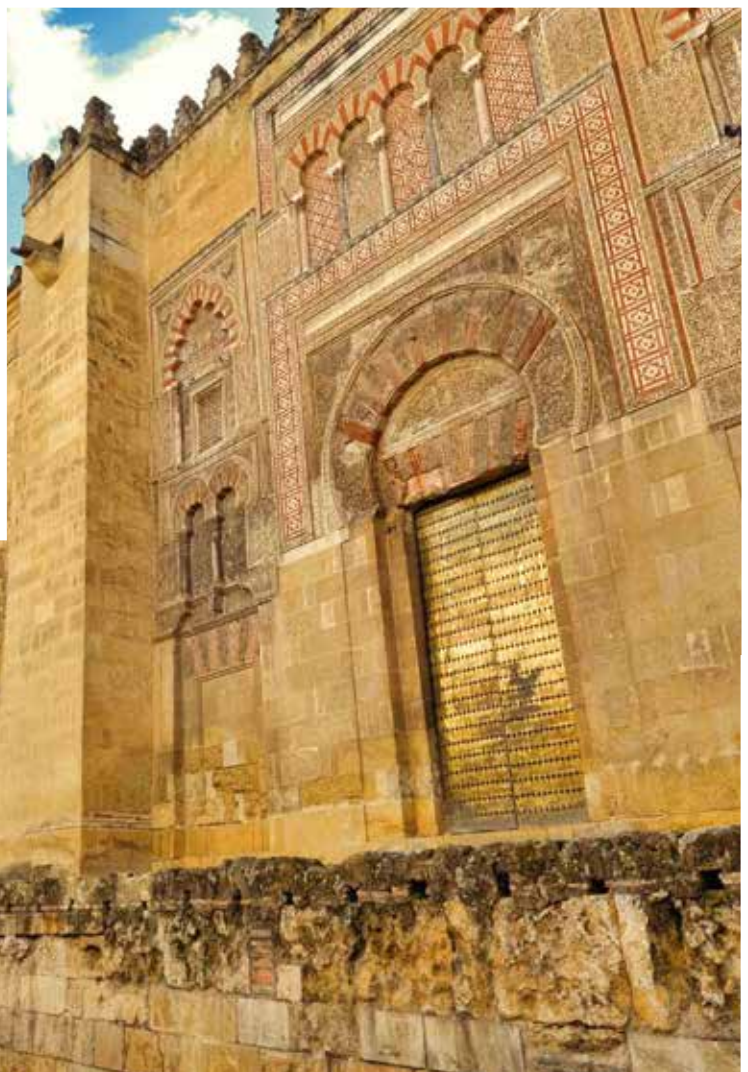
After breakfast sightseeing in the most exciting city Spain can offer – Barcelona, capital of the Catalanian province. Begin with a visit to one of Spain's landmarks: the incomplete architectural masterpiece of Antonio Gaudi, known as the Sagrada Familia (Sacred Family). Next, continue on a walking tour through the centuries-old streets and alleys of the Gothic Quarter of Barcelona. Your tour will include an introduction to this former Jewish area in Barcelona. Visit the oldest Synagogue in Barcelona, which has recently been restored. Remainder of the day at leisure. Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 14. BARCELONA | GIRONA | BESALU | BARCELONA

Breakfast. Today, drive northward to visit Girona, which stands today not only as a charming example of Spain's quaint early-Medieval ambience, but also as a reminder of the days when Jewish traditions bloomed. Girona was once a link between the first Kabbalists of Provence and the poets and writers of Cordoba and Toledo — also major Kabbalah Centers. Jewish settlers came to Girona at the end of the 9th century, growing and prospering until the Spanish Inquisition forced them into exile in 1492 – a span of 600 years! Walking through the "Call" (Jewish Quarter) still evokes this precious Jewish culture, an important part of the Golden Age of Spain. The spirit of our ancestors, you will sense, has never vanished. Visit the Archeological and Jewish Museums during your tour. Lunch. Later, continue to Besalu, to see the remains of the pre-Inquisition Mikveh. Return to Barcelona in the afternoon. Overnight in Barcelona.

DAY 15. BARCELONA

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer to Barcelona airport.
END OF OUR SERVICES.





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DAY 5. RUBIAES | TUI - 19 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Tui. Picnic lunch along the way. Possibility to visit Tui and its Cathedral. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.



DAY 1. LISBON

Pick up at Lisbon International Airport. Start of the panoramic tour of the city and transfer to Sao Antonio Church. Proceed to the hotel, check-in formalities. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2. LISBON | SANTAREM | VALINHO | FÁTIMA

After breakfast, check out and departure towards Santarem. Visit the church of the seminary of Santarem an important Jesuit temple from the XVII century.

Continuation to Valinho and see the sculptures of the Angel of Portugal, in honour to this village where the three little pastors saw the apparitions.

Proceed to Fátima. Check-in formalities and free time for devotion. Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Fátima.

DAY 3. FÁTIMA | PORTO

After breakfast, check out and time for shopping. Lunch in Fátima and continuation to Porto. Half day visit of this wonderful city and transfer to the hotel. Check-in formalities. Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Fátima.

DAY 4. PORTO | PONTE DE LIMA | RUBIÁS - 17 km

After breakfast, pick up at the hotel and transfer to Ponte de Lima where we will start the St James Way.

Beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Rubiaes. Return to Ponte de Lima and visit the city. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 6. TUI | REDONDELA - 30 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Redondela. Possibility to stop the Pilgrimage before, in Porriño. Picnic lunch along the way. Possibility to visit Redondela. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 7. REDONDELA | PONTEVEDRA - 18 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Pontevedra. Picnic lunch along the way. Possibility to visit Pontevedra. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 8. PONTEVEDRA | CALDAS DE REIS - 23 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Caldas de Reis. Picnic lunch along the way. In the afternoon: optional excursion 1 (at the end of the program) or access to the Spa of the hotel.

Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 09. CALDAS DE REIS | PADRÓN - 18 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Padrón. Picnic lunch along the way. Visit of Padrón. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 10. PADRÓN | ST. COMPOSTELA - 22 km

After breakfast, beginning of the Pilgrimage on foot until Santiago de Compostela. Picnic lunch along the way. Visit of Santiago de Compostela. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 11. EXCURSÃO OPCIONAL

After breakfast, departure for the full day tour of Costa da Morte|Fisterra or Rias Baixas|Salnés. Lunch at leisure. Return to Santiago de Compostela. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 12. PARTIDAS

After breakfast, departure to Santiago de Compostela Airport and flight back to USA.
END OF OUR SERVICES.

OPTIONAL TOUR:

1)FULL DAY COSTA DA MORTE | FISTERRA:

Price on request

Included: Bus up to 35 people for the full day tour, English speaking guide and VAT

2)FULL DAY RIAS BAIXAS | SALNÉS:

Price on request

Included: Bus up to 35 people for the full day tour, English speaking guide and VAT. Possibility to add a tour on catamaran or the visit of a wine cellar.





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