

**Iberian Treasures****14 days – 13 nights****Oporto, Guimaraes, Peso da Régua, Aveiro, Coimbra, Fatima, Obidos, Lisbon, Sintra, Evora, Seville,  
Cordoba, Madrid, Toledo, Montserrat, Barcelona  
Discovery, History, Culture, Fun****Day 1: Oporto**

Arrival to Porto airport. Meet and greet by our representative and private transfer to the hotel. Check-in at hotel. Rest of the afternoon at leisure. Overnight in Porto.

**Day 2: Oporto**

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-minute 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. [B]

**Day 3: Oporto (Guimaraes, Peso da Régua)**

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 the hotel. Overnight in Porto. [B]

**Day 4: Oporto, Aveiro, Coimbra, Fatima**

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 pilgrim-age. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight in Fátima. [B]

**Day 5: Fatima, Obidos, 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. [B]

**Day 6: Lisbon (Sintra)**

Departure from the hotel towards Sintra, a magnificent UNESCO World Heritage village. Discover the charms and history of Sintra, starting with the visit to the romantic National Pena Palace, the town's emblem. Enjoy exploring the historic center and taste the local sweet delicacies: travesseiros and queijadas. Free time to lunch. We set off to the district of Belém, where were built the monuments alluding to the time of the Maritime Discoveries in the 15th and 16th centuries. We will make our first stop at the Belém Tower (classified as World Heritage by UNESCO), the 15th century fortress and starting point of caravels and sailors who gave new worlds to the world, and then visit the Monastery of Jerónimos (classified as World Heritage by UNESCO), a masterpiece of Manueline architecture. From the Monumental Lisbon we pass onto the Old Lisbon, strolling through the old and traditional district of Alfama. Return to the hotel. Overnight in Lisbon. [B]

**Day 7: Lisbon, Evora**

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 gem 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. Afternoon at leisure. Check-in at the hotel. Overnight in Évora. [B]

#### **Day 8: Evora, 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. [B]

#### **Day 9: Seville (Cordoba)**

Breakfast at hotel. Departure for a full day tour in 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. Return to Seville. Overnight in Seville. [B]

#### **Day 10: Seville, Madrid**

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to the train station. Departure by train from Seville to Madrid. Arrival in Madrid and private transfer to the hotel. Check in. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Madrid. [B]

#### **Day 11: Madrid (Toledo)**

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 hotel. Overnight in Madrid. [B]

#### **Day 12: Madrid, Barcelona**

Breakfast at the hotel and check-out. Private transfer from the hotel to the train station. Departure by train from Madrid to Barcelona. Arrival in Barcelona and private transfer to the hotel. Check-in. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Barcelona. [B]

#### **Day 13: Barcelona (Montserrat)**

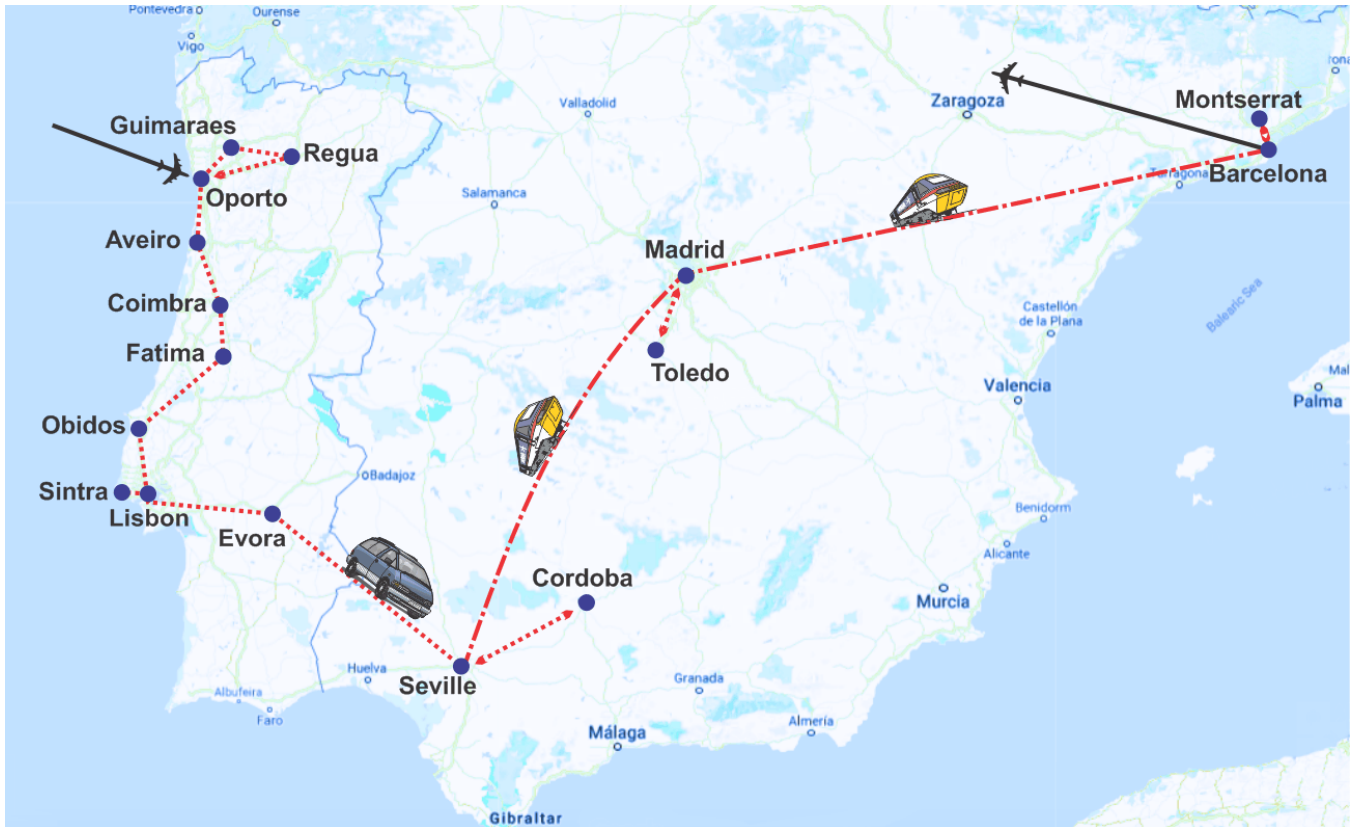
Breakfast at the hotel. Sightseeing of Barcelona, capital of Catalonia, a cosmopolitan Mediterranean city that incorporates in its urban traces Roman remains, medieval districts and the most beautiful examples of modernism and avant-garde buildings of the 20th. Visit to the imposing Sagrada Familia Cathedral.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

#### **Day 14: Barcelona, USA**

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

[B] – Breakfast

**Note:** *Most monuments are closed on Mondays and on national holidays.*



**Your Tour Includes:**

- Airfare USA-Oporto//Barcelona-USA
- Arrival and departure transfers
- 13 nights' accommodation:
  - Oporto – 3 nights
  - Fatima – 1 night
  - Lisbon – 2 nights
  - Evora – 1 night
  - Seville – 2 nights
  - Madrid - 2 nights
  - Barcelona – 2 nights
- Breakfast daily
- Car, minivan or minibus with A/C
- 1st class train ticket from Seville to Madrid
- 1st class train ticket from Madrid to Barcelona
- English-speaking tourist driver;
- 50-minutes cruise in the Douro river
- Visit to a winery with wine tasting;
- Entrance fees in the following monuments:
  - Serralves Museum of Contemporary Art, Porto
  - National Pena Palace, Sintra
  - Monastery of Jerónimos, Lisbon
  - Chapel of Bones, Évora
  - Sagrada Familia, Barcelona

- Local sightseeing with local guides in:
  - Full day in Porto
  - Full day in Guimarães and Peso da Régua
  - Full day in Sintra and Lisbon
  - Half day in Evora
  - Half day in Seville
  - Full day in Cordoba
  - Full day in Madrid and Toledo
  - Full day in Barcelona and Montserrat
- Taxes and tolls

**Tour does not include:**

- Any taxes & fees related to airfares
- Meals not mentioned under inclusions
- Travel insurance
- Tips to guides or drivers
- Porterage service
- Expenses of a personal nature
- Any item not mentioned as “Included”
- City Tax at Lisbon of 1 Euro per person/night
- City tax in Porto of € 2,00 per person/night
- City tax in Barcelona of € 1,10 per person/night
- Other services not mentioned

**Hotels in your Tour:**

City	Hotel Name	Tripadvisor
<b>Tourist Class</b>		
Porto	HF Porto Tuela	4
Fátima	Coração de Fátima	4.5
Lisbon	Roma	4
Évora	Stay Hotel Évora Centro	4
Seville	H10 Corregidor Boutique	4
Madrid	Petit Palace Clíper Gran Vía	3.5
Barcelona	NH Barcelona Centro	4
<b>First Class</b>		
Porto	Vila Galé Porto	4
Fátima	Estrela de Fátima	4.5
Lisbon	Mundial	4
Évora	M'Ar de Ar Muralhas	4
Seville	Bécquer	4.5
Madrid	Catalonia Gran Vía	4
Barcelona	Petit Palace Boquería Garden	4
<b>Deluxe</b>		
Porto	Pestana Vintage Porto	4.5
Fátima	Estrela de Fátima	4.5
Lisbon	Tivoli Avenida Liberdade	4
Évora	Convento do Espinheiro	4.5
Seville	Hospes Las Casas del Rey de Baeza	4
Madrid	Hospes Puerta de Alcalá	4.5
Barcelona	Ohla Barcelona Hotel	4.5

Hotels will be confirmed at time of booking

**Tour Prices:**

**From: \$2,315 including airfare**

Add-ons available from all US gateways.

Prices are per person and may change without notice

This program can be customized for individuals and groups.

Changes to this program may be requested by phone (1855-55-TOURS) or using the web FIT Quote Request

• **Airfare**

We also be glad to adjust the airfare from your gateway so you take advantage of our special discounted leisure fares

• **Program**

You may add or remove;

- Trip days
- Cities and sites
- Meals

• **Other options**

- The program was designed with private services, however, we may substitute shared sightseeing where available
- If you prefer deluxe services we may operate this program including private driver, private guide and concierge service.

• **Quotation**

Once we have designed the program the way you want we'll give you a quote within 2 business days.

**Tour Code:** PT02LIS200T

**Options:**

- Lunches and dinners can be arranged for individuals, families and groups at top restaurants or any restaurant requested by you.
- We can revise the itinerary to spend more time and provide more depth in those areas that you are interested on.
- Any other changes to the itinerary will be accommodated depending on the facilities available in the area.
- Private arrival and/or departure transfer

**Group Quotations**

- The options suggested in the itinerary will be quoted at time of booking
- If you wish to use these programs for your group or as the basis for a customized journey please either call us (1-855-55-TOURS or use the web Group Quote Request.
- In either case our specialists will work with to refine all the details and they will get you a quote with 2 business days. Quotes may be obtained for the air and land portions of just for the land journey.
- Booking both air and land with us will represent savings for you because of our buying power and longtime relationship with the airlines.
- We will also may have the choice between regular fares and special leisure fares not available to the public.