

CHARMS OF THE NORTH

> 9 DAYS • 8 NIGHTS NORTHERN SPAIN AND **GALICIA**

Possibility to start from Barcelona with pre-tour add on package including train from Barcelona to Madrid, please ask for more information at the time of booking.

DAY 1 • ARRIVAL FROM BARCELONA OR MADRID

Bienvenidos! Once arrive in Madrid transfer to hotel and check-in. For those arriving from Barcelona, transportation via 1st Class Reserve train ticket, will be provided (complimentary). (Whether you are arriving in Barcelona OR Madrid be sure to request our discounted pre-tour add-on packages should you require them).

DAY 2 • MADRID/ZARAGOZA/SAN SEBASTIAN

Depart from our established hotels in Madrid. Please refer to your documentation for detailed departure information. Towards Zaragoza. Free time to visit the Basilica of Our Lady of The Pilar, patroness of Hispanity and stroll through the old streets of Zaragoza. In the afternoon we will continue to San Sebastian, it's one of the most famous tourist destinations where they hold the International Film Festival. Panoramic city tour of this marvel style bourgeois city, seeing the extraordinary landscape dominated by the bay and the magnificent La Concha beach. Accommodation. (B)

DAY 3 • SAN SEBASTIAN/BILBAO/CASTRO **URDIALES/SANTANDER**

Breakfast at hotel. We will approach Mount Igueldo, to contemplate the marvelous views of the city and then proceed towards Bilbao. Panoramic driver in Bilbao and free time on the esplanade where The Guggenheim Museum is located in order to admire this modern architectural building. Proceed to the old fishing village "Castro Urdiales". Free time. Departure to Santander, a port city located between the sea and the mountains, well known for its Sardinero Beach, one of the best known beaches in Spain. Free time to stroll through this elegant city. Accommodation. (B)

DAY 4 • SANTANDER/SANTILLANA/COVADONGA/ OVIEDO

Breakfast at hotel. Departure to Santillana, it's one of the most important historical artistic towns in Spain. It contains architectural treasures such as the Collegiate of Santa Juliana, a Jewel of the Romanesque Arquitecture in Cantabria. Continue to Covadonga, where you will have free time to see the Sanctuary and the Grotto where you will see the patroness of Asturias our Lady of Covadonga. In the afternoon, departure to Oviedo, where you will see on a series of hills the beauty of Saint Maria de Naranco Church, Jewel of the pre Romanic Asturian architecture. Free time to explore Oviedo, many of their streets are pedestrian, where you will be able to see World Heritage sites like The Cathedral, a splendid example of gothic asturian architecture. Accommodation. (B)

DAY 5 • OVIEDO/LUGO/A CORUÑA

Breakfast at the hotel. Drive to the Galician region. Arrive to Lugo. Free time to be able to contemplate the Roman remains that still retains like its walls, declared World Heritage. Continuation to La Coruña. Brief panoramic driver through the main avenues of this fabulous town

driving by the Marine Avenue to admire the elegance of this city with the typical Galician architecture of glass house galleries. Brief stop in one of the wonders of the world the oldest working lighthouse the "Tower of Hercules" dating back from the roman period. Afternoon at leisure where you can assist an optional tour to the Rias Altas. Accommodation. (B)

DAY 6 • LA CORUÑA/SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA

Breakfast at hotel. Departure to Santiago de Compostela declared World Heritage as it is one of the most important center of Christian Pilgrimages in Spain as the end of the Camino de Santiago route built during the Roman Empire. City tour where we will see the main square called Obradoiro and also the Cathedral (entrance included) dedicated to the Apostle Santiago. Balance of the day at leisure to explore the narrow cobblestone streets and get the feel of the student atmosphere. Accommodation. (B)

DAY 7 • SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA/RIAS BAJAS/ LA TOJA/VIGO

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure towards one of the most marvelous areas of Galicia, the Rias Bajas (Spanish Fjords). Driving through this magnificent landscape we will arrive to La Toja Island, universally known for its spa. Free time and continue to the Ria de Arosa, passing through Pontevedra to arrive to Vigo, situated in the middle of the Rias Baixas, Accommodation, (B)

DAY 8 • VIGO/VIANA DO CASTELO/BRAGA

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to the Portuguese border. Arrive to Viana do Castelo, city located between the mouth of the river Miño and Porto. Afterwards, continue to Porto. Short stop and continue to Braga. Accommodation.

DAY 9 • BRAGA/SALAMANCA/MADRID

Breakfast. Departure to the Spanish border to arrive to Salamanca. Short stop and free time in this University City (World Heritage) of great architectural and artistic wealth. Continue to Madrid. END OF OUR SERVICE. (B)

*Would you like to extend your stay? At the time of booking, be sure to request additional nights to your visit. Transfers and/or high speed rail ticket(s) to an other Spain destination also available.

PACKAGE INCLUDES

- · Panoramic sightseeing tours of San Sebastian, Bilbao and La Coruña
- · Guided city tours of Santiago de Compostela
- · Tour escort during the tour
- · Air conditioned deluxe motor-coach · Accommodation and daily breakfast
- Vat tax

NOT INCLUDED:

- Tips, Drinks, Portage, City/Tourist Tax
- · Everything that is not mentioned under package includes
- · Meals with exception of breakfast





RATE PER PERSON

REGULAR 2021 DATES	4* PLUS	
DOUBLE	\$2,025	
SINGLE	\$2,819	
JUL 6 – OCT 26, 2021	4* PLUS	
DOUBLE	\$2,159	
SINGLE	\$2,950	

	TUESDAY DEPARTURES
R	6, 13, 20, 27

2021 APR	6, 13, 20, 27
2021 MAY	4, 11, 18, 25
2021 JUN	1, 8, 15, 22
2021 JUL	6, 13, 20, 27
2021 AUG	3, 10, 17, 24, 31
2021 SEP	7, 14, 21, 28
2021 OCT	5, 12, 19, 26

	SIMILAR

OUR HOTELS OR SIMILAR				
MADRID	Hotel Mayorazgo			
SAN SEBASTIAN	Palacio de Aiete			
SANTANDER	Santemar			
OVIEDO	Ayre Hotel Ramiro I / Oca Santo Domingo Plaza			
LA CORUÑA	Tryp Coruña			
SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA	Tryp Santiago			
VIGO	Tryp Los Galeones			
BRAGA	Melia Braga			
ALI-LUA-CHTN				