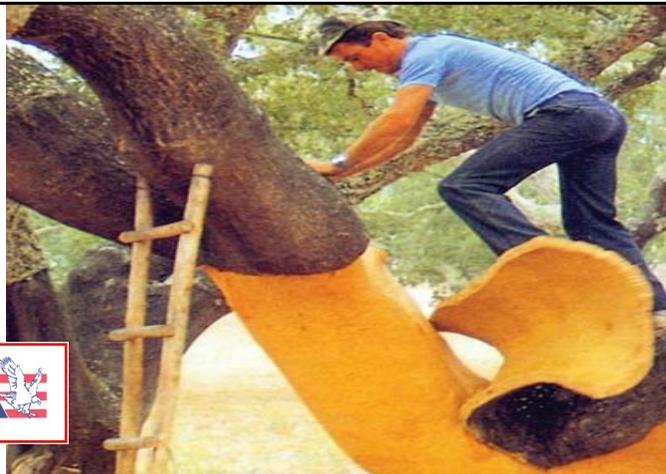


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# PORTUGAL & SPAIN ADVENTURE

June 11-24, 2014



Harvesting cork - Portugal

## Please Join Us:

*Two of the most pleasantly surprising countries we have ever had the privilege of visiting are Portugal and Spain. They exceed all expectations. Both led the way in "opening the new world" with explorers like Vasco da Gama and Christopher Columbus. Incomparable seaside vistas abound and contrast with majestic mountains landscapes. Natural and unique events, like harvesting cork from trees, are everywhere providing truly unusual and satisfying experiences. We are delighted to once again offer these exciting destinations as part of our 2014 series of "Premier" personally escorted travel experiences. You won't find this exact same program anywhere else.*

*Compare - Please Go Away™ Vacations are different. Each such special tour provides exceptional values and quality. You are never "dollared to death" once you are on tour by hidden and/or unexpected charges. Nor is there any need to buy all your additional sightseeing to make your travels complete.*

## Important Special Note:

This is an outstanding itinerary to begin with, but to make it an even better and more complete experience we have "added" special events, sightseeing and meals at the appropriate times of the itinerary for travelers that reserve with Please Go Away™ Vacations. It "will not" be necessary for you to purchase a lot of extra options once you are on tour. Your experience is going to be complete. You can readily see what we have "value added" for you. In the "day by day" itinerary **BOLD/CAPITALIZED/UNDERLINED** events are bonuses that have been especially included for Please Go Away™ Vacations tour members. And, as always, the price shown on the brochure "includes" roundtrip airfare, transfers, taxes and everything you see described in this brochure. Even travel protection insurance is included in the prices shown. Always compare.

## Your Day by Day Itinerary:

**DAY 1: OVERNIGHT FLIGHT** Depart from your home and enjoy included flight with early morning arrival in Lisbon.

**DAY 2: LISBON, PORTUGAL** You will be met by our foreign host and together our group will be transported to our waiting hotel where we can relax and begin to prepare for our adventure. Portugal is one of the most historic and beautiful countries in the world. Quaint farming villages, cork and olive tree plantations and other fertile fields dot the undulating landscape. Together, we will begin to enjoy Lisbon, Portugal's vibrant capital city. This evening we will enjoy an included "Welcome Dinner." **D**

**DAY 3: LISBON** An included personally escorted tour of Lisbon features the Moorish Alfama Quarter, Jeronimo's Monastery (UNESCO World Heritage site), Monument to the Discoveries (be sure to have your camera) and the Tower of Belem (UNESCO). Tonight, we will enjoy an included dinner complete with local cuisine, wines, folkloric dances and Fado music (UNESCO). **B/D**

## **DAY 4: LISBON / FATIMA / NAZARE / OBIDOS / LISBON**

Today is sure to be one of the most memorable days of your adventure. Your journey along Portugal's "Silver Coast" begins in the pilgrimage town of Fatima, where we will view the Batalha Monastery (UNESCO), an example of Manueline architecture, and then we will travel to the quaint seaside towns of Nazare and Obidos (watch for the racks of fish drying in the sun and the colorful fishing boats.) **Today, enjoy a special included Please Go Away™ Vacations bonus: PORTUGAL'S RIVIERA THE ESTORIL COAST** – Known as the "playground of kings," many historical and world leaders have chosen this resort for residence, fun and relaxation. You will visit the charming village of Sintra (UNESCO) with its fairytale palaces. Later, you will drive through Sintra's mountain range to Cabo da Roca, the westernmost point in continental Europe. You will continue your travels along the rugged coastline, passing Guincho beach, a favorite spot for wind surfers. You will also enjoy cosmopolitan Cascais and its captivating bay, beautifully situated overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. There's more – as you return to Lisbon, you will travel along the coastline dotted with Moorish style forts and castles to beautiful Estoril, known for its luxurious homes and its famous casino and gardens. **B**

**DAY 5: LISBON / MADRID, SPAIN** Depart Lisbon and cross the border into Spain. You will enjoy a special day of viewing the beautiful countryside of both Portugal and Spain before arriving in the capital city of Spain – Madrid. **B/D**

**DAY 6: MADRID / ROYAL PALACE / TOLEDO / MADRID** You will be personally guided on a tour of Madrid's historic center, see the Puerta del Sol and Plaza Mayor, where events have been held since the 17th century. A guided tour of the monumental 18th century Royal Palace\* reveals lavish halls, banquet rooms, the throne room, royal armory and the impressive courtyard. This afternoon travel to Toledo, a UNESCO site and the capital of medieval Spain until 1560. A comprehensive tour highlights the magnificent Gothic cathedral and the 13th century synagogue, a testament to Toledo's Jewish heritage. Also stop in the Church of Santo Tome to view El Greco's masterpiece painting, this is a *The Burial of Count Orgaz*. **This evening, enjoy a special included Please Go Away™ Vacations bonus: MADRID BY NIGHT WITH INCLUDED "TAPAS DINNER"** – Madrid is a city that never sleeps and not experiencing a Tapas dinner in the heart of this bustling city would be a mistake. Our Group will enjoy old world ambiance and traditional castillian "tapas" including croquetes of Iberian ham, Spanish tortilla, mushrooms with garlic, and fried chorizo sausage, along with unlimited Rioja wine. Later, enjoy a special illumination tour of Madrid's major sights and avenues. Take a stroll through nearby San Miguel Market, Plaza Mayor and Puerta Del Sol. Next, enjoy special illuminated views of Plaza d'Espana, known for its statue dedicated to Cervantes, author of *Don Quijote de la Mancha* (also look for the olive

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trees.) **Adding to your experiences will be the beautiful Poseidon and Cibeles Fountains and Plaza Colon. B/D**

**Day 7: MADRID / CORDOBA / SEVILLE** Ease your way into the local culture as your tour manager teaches you a few key phrases of the native language. Then, travel to the extraordinary Moorish city of Cordoba. Embark on a walking tour of the Mezquita. This UNESCO site, an architectural marvel built by the Moors in the 8th century as a magnificent mosque, was converted into the city's cathedral in the 16th century. Continue your exploration of Cordoba in the city's well-preserved and historical old Jewish Quarter. Later, transfer to Seville, considered Spain's "cultural capital." **B**

**DAY 8: SEVILLE** Today you will see Columbus' tomb, the ornate cathedral, a UNESCO site, and Giralda Bell Tower. Enjoy a walking tour of the quaint old Santa Cruz Quarter with its bright flowers, white-washed buildings and winding streets; then continue to Plaza d'España and the beautiful Maria Luisa Park, one of the loveliest in all of Europe. This evening, enjoy authentic regional cuisine followed by reserved seats for an authentic flamenco show (UNESCO) featuring Seville's top performers. **B/D**

**DAY 9: SEVILLE / GRANADA** Travel along the peaceful Sierra Nevada to Granada, the last great capital of the Moors in Spain before it fell to the Catholic monarchs in 1492. Join a local expert for a tour of the world-famous Alhambra, the immense hilltop palace that is a UNESCO site. Also tour the Generalife, meaning "garden of the architect," where the grounds are beautifully designed with waterfalls, courtyards and smaller secret gardens. **B/D**

**DAY 10: GRANADA / VALENCIA** Today you travel through Spain's amazing landscape viewing rolling hills dotted with picturesque olive groves while en route to the Mediterranean coast. Arrive in the city of Valencia, a treasure trove of Roman and Arabic architecture, surrounded by citrus groves. **B**

**DAY 11: VALENCIA / LLADRO / VALENCIA** Begin your day with a panoramic tour of Valencia's port area followed by the impressive City of Arts & Sciences. Next, visit Lladro-City of Porcelain and learn about the history and creative process of the world-famous, handmade Lladro figurines\*\*. Travel to the area where paella cuisine originated. A "paella experience" features a boat ride on the canals surrounding rice field plantations; a visit to a traditional fisherman's home known as a "barraca;" a paella making demonstration and an authentic paella lunch. The remainder of the day is at leisure. **B/L**

**DAY 12: VALENCIA / MUSEUM OF LAS FALLAS / BARCELONA** A walking tour of historic Valencia features the ornate 14th century Serranos Tower and imposing 15th century Quart Tower. You'll also see the bustling central market, one of the largest in Europe, and view the Gothic Cathedral, where construction began in 1262 on the site of an ancient mosque. Your trip to Valencia would not be complete without a stop at Lonja, the old Silk Exchange, recognized by UNESCO as one of the most beautiful buildings of European civil Gothic architecture. Visit the Museum of Las Fallas where you will see figurines from the last 80 years of the Las Fallas festival. Learn about this unique, spectacular festival from assembly and costumes to fireworks and the night of burning. Later, travel to Barcelona, one of Europe's most beautiful and exciting cities. **This evening, enjoy a special included Please Go Away™ Vacations bonus: BARCELONA BY NIGHT WITH INCLUDED DINNER AT THE PICTURESQUE SEAPORT - While in Barcelona, you will enjoy specially prepared Mediterranean cuisine at one of the famous waterfront restaurants. Enjoy a 3-course meal of typical local dishes while enjoying a glass of regional wine. After dinner, enjoy a panoramic evening tour of Antonio Gaudi's La Sagrada Familia, Casa Batllo and Casa Mila followed by a drive around the famous Las Ramblas and see the city's historic Columbus Monument, Plaza d' Espana and the fashionable Diagonal Avenue. B/D**

**DAY 13: BARCELONA** Today, get an in-depth look at vibrant and lively Barcelona. Your locally-guided tour showcases Las Ramblas Boulevard, the most famous in Barcelona, dotted with bird and flower stalls. Also see Columbus Monument; Parc Montjuic; Antonio

Gaudi's UNESCO World Heritage sites including "La Sagrada Familia," Parc Guell, Bartlo House and the unconventional Casa Mila building. This afternoon continue to explore colorful Barcelona on your own. Gather this evening for a farewell dinner celebrating the end of an unforgettable trip to Spain! **Today, enjoy a special included Please Go Away™ Vacations bonus: MAJESTIC MONTSERRAT - A leisurely drive through picturesque villages will bring our special group of travelers to majestic Montserrat Mountain, soaring 4,320 feet above sea level. While in Montserrat you will stroll the grounds of the 8th century monastery and see its famous Romanesque sculpture of the "Black Virgin," patron saint of Catalonia. This is the site of many pilgrimages and is also where Columbus brought natives to pay homage. B/D**

**DAY 14: BARCELONA / TOUR ENDS / RETURN FLIGHTS** You return home with vivid memories of a spectacularly beautiful land with an old, rich and diverse cultural heritage. **B**

## **More Bonuses & Important Info**

- ✓ "Memory Photo CD" of your PORTUGAL & SPAIN ADVENTURE filled with candid photos of members and sights taken while on tour.
- ✓ Included Travel Guard group travel insurance protection.
- ✓ Reservation deposit of \$1,200 holds space - applies to total.
- ✓ Camaraderie, safety, and security of traveling throughout the entire journey with a group of travelers from the Midwest who share your same travel interests.
- ✓ 100% Reservation Deposit Refund Guarantee - see below.
- ✓ Travel Protection Insurance - see below.
- ✓ Pre-departure briefing to distribute tour documentation, meet fellow travelers, answer all questions, provide information and actual examples of what to wear and buy .
- ✓ Special "Portugal and Spain Adventure" Party just for Please Go Away™ Vacations tour members, while on tour.
- ✓ A personal Please Go Away™ hostess will be with you throughout the entire travel experience with 15 passengers.
- ✓ Operation of this exceptional Please Go Away™ Vacations travel experience only requires 16 fellow travelers.
- ✓ SPECIAL PLEASE GO AWAY™ VACATIONS' BONUS - It is absolutely not necessary, but if you choose to pay in full at the time you reserve, your price is "locked in" and you are fully protected against any future price increase. Although we cannot guarantee this fact, we are not contemplating any price increase.

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**Very Important** - Price reflects "included" roundtrip air transportation from Wichita, KS. If another departure city is better for you, we'll calculate and arrange flights if you prefer. Price also includes all sightseeing, meals, travel protection insurances, etc. as described in this brochure. Fuel surcharges are not anticipated, but may apply. Departure/arrival taxes, if any, will be advised at time of reserving. **Tour members will be invoiced to pay final balance due on or before full payment due date of December 10, 2013. "Full payment due date" (which is also 100% RESERVATION DEPOSIT REFUND GUARANTEE DATE) will also be shown on reservation confirming invoice or any subsequent invoices.** Passports will be required. Although we will assist in obtaining, the responsibility and costs of doing so are those of the traveler. **Cancellation assessments for "non covered reasons:** From date of reservation through "full payment due date - zero; day following full payment date through 150 days before departure - \$1,000, 149 days through 90 days before departure - 75% of total tour cost, 89 days through tour's duration - 100% of total tour cost.