

Spain's Secret Cities: Winter Stories Untold

07 Nights & 08 Days

INCLUSIONS:

- Travel by bus with English speaking guide, basic travel insurance, hotel and breakfast buffet.
 - Includes arrival transfer
 - City tour in: Oviedo, Santander, Bilbao, Zaragoza, Barcelona
 - Evening transfer: Maremagnum in Barcelona
 - Experiences: Tasting of a typical menu in a cider house in Oviedo
- Ticket admission: National Museum of Altamira caves in Santillana, Wime museum in Briones , Poblet Monastery
 - Train: Wime museum in Briones
 - 1 Dinner Included in: Oviedo

COST DETAILS

- **QAR 6199.00** per person on Double / twin sharing basis.

TENTATIVE ITINERARY

Day 1: MADRID

We'll transfer you to the hotel and you'll have some free time. In the afternoon, you'll find information about the start of your tour on board located at the hotel reception.

Day 2: MADRID - LEÓN - OVIEDO

We'll leave early in the morning and cross Castile and León, making a stop in Tordesillas to learn about the town's history and enjoy a coffee at its main square. We'll then continue to León, where we'll have time for lunch and to visit the stunning Gothic cathedral in this historic city on the Camino de

Santiago. Afterward, we'll cross the Cantabrian Range on our way to Asturias, arriving in Oviedo in the evening. In Oviedo, we'll include a one-and-a-half-hour city tour with a local guide, either in the

evening or the next morning. During the tour, we'll visit the 9th-century cathedral, the Congress Palace of Oviedo, Campoamor Theatre, and Calle Rúa. A traditional Asturian

dinner will be included in typical cider house.

Note: If the number of travelers from Madrid to León is very limited, the trip might be carried out by train or regular transportation, missing the stop in Tordesillas.



Day 3: OVIEDO – COVADONGA – SANTILLANA DEL MAR – SANTANDER

We'll travel to the Picos de Europa (Peaks of Europe). Our journey will begin with a visit to the Basilica of Covadonga. From there, we'll follow the coastline to Santillana, one of Spain's most beautiful towns

with an intact medieval quarter. We'll also visit the Altamira Cave Museum (tickets included), located nearby. Later, we'll head to Santander, the capital of the region, a coastal city offering stunning views of both mountains and beaches. A panoramic tour with a local guide is included, allowing us to explore this elegant coastal city and its beautiful bay.

Day 4: SANTANDER – BILBAO – FORONDA SERVICE AREA – LA RIOJA – ZARAGOZA

We'll follow the motorway along the Cantabrian coast, passing through stunning landscapes where mountains meet the sea. Our journey will lead us to Bilbao, the largest city in the Basque Country. There, we'll embark on a brief city tour with a local guide, exploring highlights such as the Guggenheim area, the old quarter, and the Cathedral. Following the tour, you'll have free time to savor authentic

"pintxos". Later, we'll continue our travels to La Rioja, renowned for its exceptional wines. We'll visit the Wine Culture Museum in Briones to delve into the ancient art of winemaking. We'll arrive in Zaragoza in the evening.

Day 5: ZARAGOZA – POBLET – BARCELONA

We'll start the day with a morning panoramic tour of Zaragoza guided by a local expert. Our first stop will be the Cathedral-Basilica of Our Lady of the Pillar. We'll also delve into the works of the famous

painter Goya and discover some of his masterpieces. The tour will move on to the Roman theatre and a Renaissance palace, and then we'll take a stroll by the Aljafería Palace. After lunch, we'll head to

Catalonia to visit the Poblet Abbey, a stunning walled monastery set amidst beautiful scenery. It is one of the best-preserved medieval monasteries in the world (tickets included). Our journey will then take us to Barcelona, where we'll arrive in the evening.

Day 6: BARCELONA

In the morning, we'll embark on a panoramic tour of Barcelona, renowned as one of the most fascinating European capitals. This vibrant city, nestled along the Mediterranean Sea, is famous for Gaudi's modernist architecture, the bustling Ramblas, and its rich history, highlighted by the Universal Exposition and the Olympics hosted here. You'll have free time in the afternoon. In the evening, we'll

provide a transfer to Maremagnum, a contemporary entertainment and dining complex by the sea, located near Plaza de Colón. Here, you can enjoy a leisurely stroll through the lively area and choose from a variety of dining options.



Day 7: BARCELONA - PENISCOLA - VALENCIA - MADRID

We'll travel south along the Mediterranean, making a special stop in Peniscola, a charming walled town by the sea surrounded by picturesque landscapes, where we'll have time for a stroll. We'll then continue to Valencia, a vibrant port city on the Levantine coast, arriving around lunchtime. Will you try the famous paella? At approximately 04:30 p.m., we'll continue our journey to Madrid, but not before making a brief stop at the avant-garde City of Arts and Sciences of Valencia. We'll arrive in Madrid between 08:30 and 09:00 p.m.

Note: Depending on the number of passengers, the journey from Valencia to Madrid might be carried out by high-speed train.

Day 8: MADRID

After breakfast, our journey will come to an end, leaving you with wonderful lasting memories.

PACKAGE EXCLUSIONS

- Travel Insurance
- Visa
- Flight Tickets
- Early check in or late check out charges
- Tips for the guide and for the driver
- Entrance fees not mentioned
- Meals not specified in the itinerary above
- Anything else which is not mentioned in the "Inclusion" section.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

- The cancellation policy varies according to the dates of your reservation.

Terms & Conditions

- Rates are subject to availability.
- Above is just a quote, no booking has been made yet.
- Peak season surcharges may apply on some dates.
- Itinerary is subject to change / swap without any prior notice
- The third person sharing the room is provided with an additional mattress or a roll away
- There will not be any refund for any unutilized service or sightseeing
- In case of unavailability of the hotels mentioned, alternate accommodation will be arranged in a similar category of hotel.



- You are fully responsible for verifying and obtaining the documents required for your trip and visa

Notes:

- Passports should be valid at least 06 months beyond the period of stay • It is the duty of the client to check passport requirements for travel • Missed or delayed flights can lead to changes in itinerary and will be at the client's expense should the case arise
- Check In to the hotel is always 14:00/15:00 hours & Check Out is always 11:00/12:00 Hours. Early Check in and late checkout is subject to availability

We wish you a pleasant holiday!

Best Regards, Team Musafir

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