



VIRGINIA MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

ACROSS NORTHERN SPAIN AND PORTUGAL With Paradores & Pousadas

September 15-October 1, 2019

17 days for \$5,378 tentative total price from Washington, DC
(\$4,695 air & land inclusive plus \$683 airline taxes and fees)



Fortified cities and tiny fishing villages, rugged Atlantic coastline and commanding Pyrenees peaks, iconic shrines to both religion and fine art, and intimate lodgings in historic *paradores* and *pousadas* – it all awaits on this singular small group journey from Lisbon across the north of Spain, ending in vibrant Barcelona.

ITINERARY IN BRIEF

- Day 1: September 15, 2019**
Depart U.S./Lisbon
- Days 2-3: September 16-17, 2019**
Lisbon
- Days 4-5: September 18-19, 2019**
Oporto
- Days 6-7: September 20-21, 2019**
Santiago de Compostela
- Day 8: September 22, 2019**
León
- Days 9-11: September 23-25, 2019**
Bilbao
- Days 12-13: September 26-27, 2019**
Bielsa
- Day 14-16: September 28-30, 2019**
Barcelona
- Day 17: October 1, 2019**
Depart Barcelona for U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Lisbon touring
- Douro River cruise and port wine tasting
- Pilgrimage site of Santiago de Compostela
- Stops along religious route of Way of St. James
- Bilbao’s Guggenheim and Fine Arts museums
- Excursions along beautiful, rugged Basque coastline, with visits to Pamplona and the town of Guernica
- Two nights in Pyrenees Mountains region
- Three-night stay in vibrant Barcelona, with visits to Antoni Gaudí’s Sagrada Familia and the Picasso Museum
- Barcelona touring
- Unique itinerary through Northern Spain
- Stays in distinguished historic lodgings

Across Spain and Portugal, *Continued:*

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from listed city
- 15 nights' accommodations: 9 nights in Deluxe, Superior First Class, and First Class hotels; 6 nights in First Class *paradores* and *posadas*
- 28 meals: 15 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 10 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing, as described, including all entrance fees
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout your trip
- Luggage handling for one bag per person
- Gratuities for local guides, dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers



*Tentative Pricing:

\$5,378 air & land inclusive from Washington, DC. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of \$683, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land only price is \$4,195; airport arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$1,495. A 3-day/2-night post-tour "Barcelona – On Your Own" extension is available for \$395 total price (single travelers please add \$255). Business Class and Premium Economy upgrades on round-trip Trans-Atlantic flight are available on a request basis. *Please note: This trip involves considerable walking up hills or stairs, and on uneven or cobblestone streets. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to its fullest.*

***PLEASE NOTE:** At this time, elements of the tour are still being finalized. Your deposit will be fully refundable until all details, including pricing, are complete. Our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., will be in touch with you in January 2019 when the final tour details and tour brochure are available. At that time, you will have two weeks to decide whether you would like to convert your preliminary registration to a confirmed booking, or to cancel and receive a full refund. Once your booking is confirmed, the cancellation penalties as outlined in the brochure will apply. You will then receive a complete confirmation packet.

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Please FAX, mail, or e-mail your pre-registration form and deposit information to our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc.:
One Newton Place, 275 Washington Street, Suite 300 Newton, MA 02458 Secure FAX: 617-454-9199
E-mail: customerservice@odysseys-unlimited.com

For questions about the tour, please contact VMFA Member Travel:
Phone: (804) 340-1519 Email: hutch.livingston@vmfa.museum

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$_____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person(s). This secures my/our space on the following tour:
Across Spain and Portugal, September 15-October 1, 2019. Make check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., or please charge my/our deposit to:

AMEX VISA MasterCard Discover

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Name(s) _____ Signature _____

I/We understand that I/we will be contacted in January 2019, once the final brochure for the tour is available, and will be given the opportunity to cancel at that time, without penalty. I/We also understand that billing and a complete confirmation packet will follow once I/we convert this preliminary registration into a confirmed booking.

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home () _____ Cell () _____ E-mail _____

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