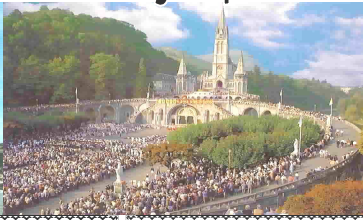




European Pilgrimage

12 Day Tour of Portugal, Spain, France & Italy November 04, 2007

US\$2800



Day 01 / Nov 04 MANILA / LISBON

Depart Manila on board a prestigious airlines for an overnight flight to Lisbon, Portugal. Enjoy in - flight services and entertainment. Welcome to Lisbon! After immigration formalities, meet and greet then board your motor coach on your way to Fatima, one of Europe's most famous pilgrimage site. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is free for rest.

Day 02 / Nov 05 FATIMA (B,D)

After breakfast, drive to *Aljustrel* where *Our Lady* appeared on August 19, 1917, because the children had been kidnapped by the Mayor of Ourem; the *Cabeço* where the Angel appeared and gave the children the Holy Eucharist. The rest of the day is free for private devotion. You may visit the *Great White Basilica* and offer a prayer to the *Tombs of Francisco and Jacinta*. After dinner, you may join in the *Candlelight Procession*.

Day 03 / Nov 06 FATIMA - SALAMANCA - AVILA - MADRID (B,D)

This morning, continue to Salamanca for an orientation tour of the city and see the *Plaza Mayor* before proceeding to Avila for a religious activity. Afterwards, continue to Madrid for dinner and overnight.

Day 04 / Nov 07 MADRID (B,D)

This morning, go on a sightseeing tour which includes the *Puerta del Sol*, the *Gran Via*, the elegant *Paseo de Castellana*, *Cibeles Fountain*, the *Plaza de Espagna* with its *Monument to Cervantes* highlighted by a visit to the *Royal Palace*. Afternoon excursion to Toledo for a visit to the *Church of St. Tome* to see the masterpieces of *El Greco*.

Day 05 / Nov 08 MADRID - ZARAGOSA - LOURDES (B,D)

From Madrid, proceed to Zaragoza to visit the *Cathedral of the Our Lady of the Pillar* before crossing the French border on your way to Lourdes, another major pilgrimage site in Europe. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is free. If time permits, visit the *Grotto of Massabielle* and drink its miraculous spring water.

Day 06 / Nov 09 LOURDES (B,D)

The whole day is free for private devotion. You may wish to go to the *Sanctuary* to visit the *Underground Basilica*, walk the *Station of the Cross*, take the *Holy Bath*, or participate in the *Veneration of the Sick Pilgrims*. In the evening, buy a candle and join the *Procession*

Day 07 / Nov 10 LOURDES - NICE (B,D)

Depart Lourdes and travel to Nice, the playground of the rich and famous.

Day 08 / Nov 11 NICE - MONTE CARLO - PISA - FLORENCE (B,D)

After breakfast, drive to the nearby towns of Monaco and Monte Carlo to see the *Royal Palace* and *Cathedral* where *Princess Grace* was buried. Then cross the Italian border on your way to Pisa to see the famous *Leaning Tower* and *Cathedral* before continuing to renaissance Florence. Upon arrival, go on a city tour with a visit to the *Cathedral of Florence*, "*Gates of Paradise*" adorning the *Baptistry* and the *Santa Croce Church* to see the tombs of *Michaelangelo* and *Galileo* and for a Panoramic View of the city of Florence at *Piazalle Michelangelo*. Afterwards, check in to your hotel.

Day 09 / Nov 12

FLORENCE - ASSISI - ROME (B,D)

From Florence, ascend to Assisi, the beloved town of St. Francis to see the *Upper and Lower Basilica* where the tomb of St. Francis lies, visit also the *Church of Porziuncula* where St. Francis prayed. Afterwards, onward to the "Eternal City" of Rome.

Day 10 / Nov 13

ROME (B,D)

Visit the *Four Major Basilicas* of Rome: *Santa Maria Maggiore Basilica*, *Basilica of St. John in Lateran*, *Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls* and *St. Peter's Basilica*. Afterwards, see the *Scala Santa*, *Colosseum*, the *Fountain of Trevi* and the *Arc of Constantine*.

Day 11 / Nov 14 ROME / MANILA (B)

The time is yours until your departure transfer to the airport for your flight back to Manila.

Day 12 / Nov 15 MANILA

Arrival in Manila. Home sweet home!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- ▶ **FATIMA**
The Aljustrel and the Great White Basilica
- ▶ **SALAMANCA**
Plaza Mayor
- ▶ **MADRID**
Puerta de Sol, Gran Via, Plaza Espagna and the Royal Palace
- ▶ **LOURDES**
The Sanctuary
- ▶ **MONTE CARLO**
The Royal Palace and the Cathedral
- ▶ **PISA**
The Leaning Tower
- ▶ **FLORENCE**
The Gates of Paradise, Church of Sta. Croce, and the Piazzale Michelangelo
- ▶ **ASSISI**
Upper and Lower Basilica and the Church of Porziuncula
- ▶ **ROME**
The 4 Major Basilicas, the Colosseum, Fountain of Trevi and Arc of Constantine

INCLUSIONS:

- ▶ Roundtrip AIRFARE
- ▶ First Class Hotel
- ▶ Daily Cold Buffet Breakfast
- ▶ Standard Dinner or Chinese Dinner
- ▶ Luxury Private Coach
- ▶ Tour Escort
- ▶ Pre-merienda briefing
- ▶ PROFIL Traveling Bag

NOT INCLUDED

- × Visa Fees: Schengen: PHP 5204.00 + Courier Fee PHP 700.00
- × Travel Tax, Terminal Fee & Airline Taxes
- × Drinks and Beverage
- × AssistCard Travel Insurance PHP 2500.00
- × Tipping: US\$ 7.00 / person / day
- × Airport / Hotel Portage

VISA REQUIREMENTS

- ★ Bank Certificate and Bank Statement (within 3 Months)
- ★ Passport valid for 6 months
- ★ Marriage Contract
- ★ Affidavit of Consent (traveling w/o Spouse)
- ★ Income Tax Return
- ★ Certificate of Employment with Leave of Absence
- ★ Business or SEC Registration

DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS

- ◀ US\$ 200 upon booking (NON-REFUNDABLE)
- ◀ Full payment upon confirmation