



Fall In Love With Portugal

11 days, Lisbon to Lisbon

May 9 - 20, 2025



Portugal's unique charm stems from its rich cultural heritage, breathtaking oceanside landscapes, and warm, welcoming people.

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***music, Port wine, and amazing fresh seafood!** Explore coastal villages, rolling olive farms, scenic cork groves, golden sand beaches, and their northern gem, the Porto Wine region!*

Tour is fully escorted and carefully planned including choice hotels, deluxe transportation, daily breakfast, and 5 dinners. Hosted by Bergan Travel, based on minimum participation.



Price: \$2349 per person, double occupancy
\$2919 single occupancy
\$2299 per person, triple occupancy

***Optional travel protection: Only \$289 per person.**

***Non-refundable deposit: \$250 per person**

***Final payment: March 11, 2025**

***Airfare from your preferred city is additional.**



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DAY 1: ARRIVE IN LISBON, PORTUGAL: Welcome to Lisbon! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travel companions for a welcome dinner at your hotel. **Dinner**

DAY 2: LISBON: Lovely Lisbon-Guided sightseeing includes Jeronimos Monastery and cloister and a photo stop at Belem Tower and the Monument to the Discoveries. **Breakfast.**

TOUR HIGHLIGHT:*The stunning capital city of Portugal is a treasure trove of historic and architectural masterpieces. Lisbon is home to the 16th-century Monastery of Jerónimos, with its 100-foot façade featuring images of St. Michael the Archangel and Our Lady of Belém. See the 16th-century Belém Tower, which served as a fortress but also as an embarkation point for sailors and was their last sight of land before the start of their journey. Lisbon's Monument to the Discoveries pays homage to great Portuguese explorers with a spectacular carved prow of an ancient ship.*

DAY 3: LISBON–OBIDOS–NAZARÉ–ALCOBAÇA–FÁTIMA–TOMAR Sea, Surf & Sanctuaries **OBIDOS** Take an orientation walk of the medieval town. **NAZARÉ** Free time to browse. **ALCOBAÇA** Visit the Church of Santa Maria Monastery. **FÁTIMA** Visit the Sanctuary of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary en route to Tomar. **Breakfast-Dinner.**

DAY 4: TOMAR–COIMBRA–PORTO Academic Honors **TOMAR** Visit the Convent of Christ. **COIMBRA** Visit the University. Scenic drive en route to **Porto**. **Breakfast.**

TOUR HIGHLIGHT:*The University of Coimbra is distinguished as the oldest university in Portugal & one of the oldest in the world, with a history of more than seven centuries, the students at Coimbra University dress in the traditional black capes with ribbons in varying hues as was the tradition when the school was founded in 1290.*

DAY 5: PORTO Panoramas & Port Wine: Guided sightseeing includes a panoramic drive to the mouth of the Douro River and the cathedral. Visit the Church of São Francisco. Enjoy a Port wine tasting at the famous Sandeman & Co Port Wine Cellar. Free time this afternoon. **Breakfast.**

LOCAL FAVORITE:*You're invited to the home of the most internationally recognized Porto wines at the Here, taste centuries of tradition in a glass of Port wine in the city that bears its name. Saúde!*

DAY 6: PORTO–GUIMARAES–PENAFIEL–VISEU Tapas & Tastings **GUIMARAES** Orientation walk through the medieval district. **PENAFIEL** Visit the gardens of the Quinta da Aveleda winery and enjoy Portuguese tapas tasting. Take a scenic drive through the port wine vineyards en route to Viseu. **VISEU** Dinner with local specialties and wine at Forno da Mimi restaurant. **Breakfast-Dinner.**

LOCAL FAVORITE:*The history of the Quinta da Aveleda estate spans the centuries & generations who have preserved the Portuguese traditions of wine making and proud legacy of the Guedes family.*

DAY 7: ISEU–BELMONTE–CASTELO DE VIDE–EVORA Bottles & Corks **BELMONTE** Visit the Jewish Museum. Enjoy an olive oil tasting. **CASTELO DE VIDE** Walk through the Jewish quarter with free time to browse. **EVORA** Visit a traditional cork factory. **Breakfast-Dinner**

LOCAL FAVORITE :*Discover the tradition and taste of authentic Portuguese olive oil in a 20th-century olive-oil-factory-turned-museum in Belmonte. See the machinery which farmers used to transform olives into oil and taste the delicious fruits of their labors. Perhaps take home a gift of wine, olive oil, or jam to commemorate your visit. Later, visit a Cork Factory in Evora to learn about this traditional artisanship of Portugal.*

DAY 8: EVORA–ALGARVE Gothic Grandeur **EVORA** Guided walking tour includes the Gothic cathedral, the Sao Francisco Church, and the Ossuary Chapel. Free time for lunch. **ALGARVE** Free time late afternoon and evening **Breakfast**

TOUR HIGHLIGHT:*Walk back in time to the Roman era of Evora – a city with roots firmly planted in the 16th century in the home of Portuguese kings. See the white houses, architectural tiles, and embellished balconies with a stroll through the Gothic sites of the cathedral, church, and chapel.*

Day 9: ALGARVE. COASTAL EXCURSION Cliffs & Coastlines **ALGARVE** Join an excursion to the Promontory of Sagres, Cape St. Vincent, and Lagos. **Breakfast**

TOUR HIGHLIGHT:*PICTURE PERFECT Take in the breathtaking views of the sweeping southern coastline of Portugal in Algarve. Stand on the Promontory of Sagres and Cape St. Vincent to gaze at the glorious beaches, postcard-perfect fishing ports, and towering cliffs along the sea.*

Day 10: ALGARVE–AZEITÃO–LISBON Peninsula Miles & Painted Tiles **ALGARVE** Depart with a scenic drive along the Serra da Arrábida with views of the Tróia Peninsula. **AZEITÃO** Visit a traditional tile workshop. **LISBON** Enjoy a farewell dinner at your hotel. **Breakfast-Dinner.**

TOUR HIGHLIGHT:*ART & ARTISTRY Enter a world of authentically handmade Portuguese tiles at the São Simão Arte workshop and gallery in Azeitão. It is here that distinguished antique collector Antonio Soares Franco creates his ceramic masterpieces by hand in the style of his ancestors.*

Day 11: LISBON Safe travels until we meet again! Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning. **Breakfast**