

Full Itinerary

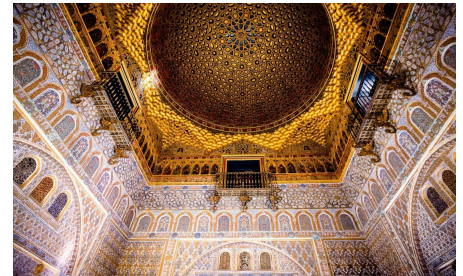
SECRETS OF ANDALUSIA - PRE-TOUR EXTENSION TO EXPERIENCE SPAIN APR 24



TALK TO OUR WELL
TRAVELLED TEAM OF
EXPERTS

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Monday - Thursday 9:00am -
8:00pm, Friday 9:00am - 5:30pm
(London time)



JOURNEY SNAPSHOT

ACTIVITY LEVEL:

Level 2

DESTINATION:

Secrets of Andalusia - Apr 24

Pre-tour Extension to Experience Spain Apr 24

DURATION:

4 days / 3 nights

FLIGHT INFORMATION:

Please arrange your flights into Seville Airport [SVQ] and from Málaga Costa del Sol Airport [AGP] at the end of the event

PICKUP LOCATION:

Seville Airport [SVQ}

OVERVIEW

Apr 16 - 19, 2024

Enjoy a short break through Seville, Jerez, Cadiz & Gibraltar before the Spain Member Event to see more of southern Andalusia. For members attending the Experience Spain Event in April 2024, we are offering the opportunity to stay a little longer and explore further into the famous Spanish region of Andalusia and a visit to the British enclave in southern Spain, Gibraltar.

Andalusian culture is what most people think of when they think of Spain; bullfighting, sunny dry climate, flamenco, tapas, fiestas, beaches and diverse geography. Experience the culture and immerse yourself in local history with visits to the cities of Seville, Jerez, Cádiz and the famous Rock of Gibraltar.

ITINERARY SUMMARY

DAY 1 - Welcome to Seville

DAY 2 - Spectacular Seville

DAY 3 - Captivating Cádiz & Sherry from Jerez

DAY 4 - The 'Rock of Gibraltar' - a little corner of England in the south of Spain

FULL ITINERARY

DAY 1 - WELCOME TO SEVILLE

You will be met on arrival at Seville Airport and transferred to your hotel in town.

Seville, the largest city in southern Spain and capital of Spain's Andalusia region will be our base for the next two nights.

After check-in, there will be time to freshen up before we have dinner together this evening at the hotel.

Included meals: Dinner

Accommodation: Hotel Silken Al Andalus, Seville

DAY 2 - SPECTACULAR SEVILLE

The bustling city of Seville is the capital of southern Spain's Andalusia region and most famous for flamenco dancing. The largest city in southern Spain, it has a rich and fascinating history, being ruled by many different cultures and rulers over the years and an important trading centre.

Today will be dedicated to seeing the very best of Seville. This morning we enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of the historic city centre including entrance to the Gothic Cathedral, the site of Christopher Columbus's tomb, and a minaret turned bell tower, the Giralda. After the tour there will be some free time for you to explore at your own pace and find somewhere for lunch.

This afternoon we will enjoy a panoramic tour of the beautiful Plaza de España. The landmark square features an large ornamental water feature beside a gigantic ornate pavillion, the centrepiece for the 1929 Iberoamerican Exhibition and decorated with painted ceramic tiles depicting the history and culture of Spain's 48 provinces and islands.

Afterwards, we continue down to the mighty Guadalquivir River for a panoramic cruise, passing the many bridges and sights such as the Torre de Oro, before we head for dinner in the city centre.

Included meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Accommodation: Hotel Silken Al Andalus, Seville

DAY 3 - CAPTIVATING CÁDIZ & SHERRY FROM JEREZ

This morning, we make our way south of Seville back down to the Atlantic coast to continue our exploration of Andalusia.

Our first stop is in the famous town of Jerez and the Sandeman's Visitor Centre. Here we will learn about the famous sweet wine, Sherry, which is so famous of the area and whose name in English is derived from a mispronunciation of the town's name.

This afternoon, we visit the fascinating city of Cádiz. Dating back of 3,100 years, Cádiz is renowned as being the oldest city in Western Europe and one of the oldest in the world. An important trading point and port, the city set on an island just off the mainland, has seen many rulers and tells a fascinating history. We will discover some of this on a guided tour before we have time for lunch at leisure and exploration.

Then, we will head to our hotel, where after checking-in we will enjoy dinner together.

Included meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Accommodation: Playa Victoria, Cádiz

DAY 4 - THE 'ROCK OF GIBRALTAR' - A LITTLE CORNER OF ENGLAND IN THE SOUTH OF SPAIN

Make sure your passports are to hand this morning as we will need them as we briefly leave Spain for a few hours. A great experience awaits us on our final excursion - to the British territory of Gibraltar.

This area on the tip of southern Spain has always been strategically important as a military base, for here it is only 9 miles across the Mediterranean Sea to Africa, and is the entrance for all ships coming into the Mediterranean from the Atlantic.

The 'Rock of Gibraltar', a 1,400 feet high limestone rock rising out of the sea, has been a British territory since 1713 and this British and military history and heritage is very much still in evidence today. Highlights of today's tour will include entrance to St Michael's Caves with their intricate limestone formations showcased with colourful lights, and the Monkey Reserve where the famous Barbary Apes live. The views from around the island are spectacular - you can see three countries and two continents at the same time!

We then cross back over the border into Spain continue our journey along the Costa del Sol to Los Amigos Beach resort. Here, after checking-in, we will spend the evening at leisure to relax and prepare for our next adventure. For those that leave us here and are not joining the Experience Spain event, it is time to make your own way onwards home.

Included meals: Breakfast & Lunch

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Meet and greet on arrival at Seville Airport
- Transportation to the Los Amigos Resort as detailed
- Accommodation as detailed in the itinerary
- Meals as detailed in the itinerary
- All activities, visits, guides and excursions as detailed in the itinerary
- Services of local experienced English speaking guide
- Services of Big Journey Company Tour Director

WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

- Travel to Seville Airport [SVQ] on Day 1 or from Los Amigos Beach Resort at the end of the event
- Transfers outside of the journey dates
- Additional food and beverage unless otherwise included in the itinerary
- Personal expenses
- Personal Travel & Medical Insurance
- Optional excursions/entrances
- Gratuities
- Any COVID tests or related entry & exit requirements
- Any non-stipulated entrance, attraction or service

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Arrival flight required: Please arrange your arrival flights into Seville Airport [SVQ] and arrange flights from Malaga-Costa del Sol Airport [AGP].
- Please let The Big Journey Company know prior to travelling if you have any medical needs or take any medication that we need to be made aware of to ensure that you have a safe and pleasant tour.
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