

MARIAN SHRINES & MEDJUGORJE

TAILOR-MADE OPTION



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Day 1

ARRIVE IN LISBON

Upon arrival at Lisbon Airport, we will be greeted by our tour escort and driver. Transfer to our hotel, dinner and overnight.

Day 2

LISBON - FATIMA

Breakfast. This morning, we will embark on a panoramic city tour of Lisbon, which will include visits to the Basilica of St. Anthony of Padua, St. Geronimo's Monastery (exterior) and the Belem Tower (exterior). Celebrate mass. Then, we continue to Fatima. After dinner, possibility to participate in the nightly candlelight procession. Overnight in Fatima.

Day 3

FATIMA

Breakfast. Spend the day in and around Fatima. Our itinerary includes a visit to the Chapel of the Apparitions, the Basilica and the tombs of Francisco, Jacinta, and Sr. Lucia, and the Monument to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In Aljustrel and Valinhos, we will see the two homes of the little shepherds and the site of the first and third visit of the "Angel of Peace". We will also stop at the Parish Church and the cemetery where Francisco and Jacinta were once buried. Celebrate mass. Drive back to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

Day 4

FATIMA - SALAMANCA

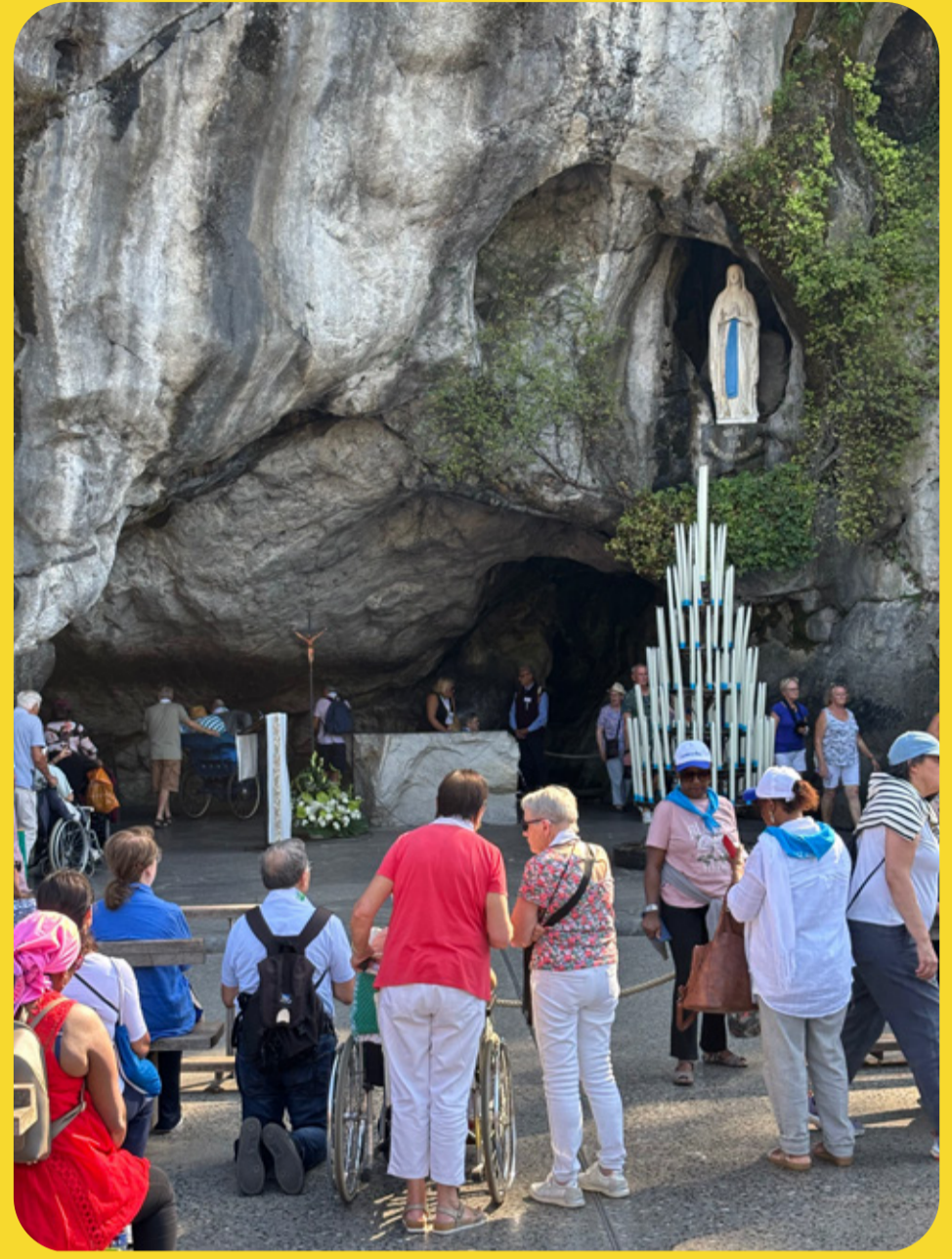
Breakfast. We will be leaving Fatima early in the morning and heading towards Spain. Arrival in Salamanca. We will begin our visit at the Plaza Mayor, the heart of Salamanca and one of the most elegant squares in Spain, surrounded by beautiful Baroque buildings. Next, we will continue to the University of Salamanca, founded in 1218. Finally, we will enjoy a tour of the New and Old Cathedrals, a remarkable complex where Romanesque and Gothic styles coexist harmoniously. Inside, we'll discover intricate carvings, stained glass windows, and centuries of religious art. Celebrate mass. Transfer to the hotel. Dinner and overnight.

Day 5

SALAMANCA - AVILA - BURGOS

Breakfast. Departure to Avila. Upon arrival, we will have a guided tour of the city: this city is known for its high walls and has a history that dates back to the Middle Ages. During our visit, we will take a stroll through its narrow streets as we follow the footsteps of St. Theresa of Avila. We will also visit the Monastery of the Incarnation, St. Theresa's cell, and see the relics of St. Theresa and St. John of the Cross. Celebrate mass. After the mass, departure to Burgos. In the afternoon, we will enjoy a guided tour of Burgos' beautiful medieval town center. During the tour, we will visit the Cathedral of Burgos, a masterpiece of Spanish Gothic architecture and a UNESCO World Heritage site. The cathedral, which is the third largest church in Spain, offers visitors an opportunity to witness the incredible filigree work in the spires of the towers. Celebrate mass. Return to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

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Day 6

BURGOS – LOYOLA – LOURDES

Breakfast. Today, we will be leaving Burgos and heading towards Lourdes. On our way, we will stop in Loyola to visit the birthplace of St. Ignatius and the Shrine. We will celebrate Mass there before continuing our journey to Lourdes. Once we arrive, we will check into the hotel for the evening. After dinner, we will join in the nightly rosary and candlelight procession. Drive back to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

Day 7

LOURDES

Breakfast. Today, we will be spending the day in Lourdes. Our itinerary includes visits to several historical and spiritual sites associated with the visionary child Bernadette. We will start at the Grotto of the Apparitions and proceed on a guided walking tour that will take us to the Basilica of St. Pius X, Boly Mill, the Soubirous family home, the Basilica of the Rosary, the miraculous spring, and the healing baths. Celebrate mass. Later, after dinner, we will join in the nightly rosary and candlelight procession.

Day 8

LOURDES – ZARAGOZA

After breakfast, we will drive to Zaragoza, which is a 5-hour drive from our current location. Once we reach our destination, we will check-in at the hotel. After that, we will head to the city center for lunch (not included) and a panoramic walking tour. In the afternoon, we will visit the Basilica del Pilar, with its magnificent altar built on the site where the Blessed Virgin appeared to the Apostle. Celebrate mass. Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at the hotel.

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Day 9

ZARAGOZA – MONTSERRAT – BARCELONA

Breakfast. We will depart from Zaragoza in the early morning and drive towards the north to reach the hilltop of Montserrat. There, we will visit the black Madonna shrine and Benedictine monastery. We will celebrate Mass and continue our journey to Barcelona, which will take approximately 1.5 hours to reach the hotel. Check-in, dinner, and overnight.

Day 10

BARCELONA

Breakfast. This morning, we will visit the Sagrada Familia from the exterior (ticket not included). Once completed, Gaudi's masterpiece will have 18 towers: 12 dedicated to the apostles, four to the evangelists, one to Jesus and another to Mary. Later, get to know more of the city's treasures, including views of Antonio Gaudi's Mila House (exterior), Batlló House (exterior) and Passeig de Gràcia. Celebrate mass- Spend this afternoon at leisure exploring the city. This evening, gather with your fellow travelers for a dinner celebrating the end of a memorable tour.

Day 11

BARCELONA - MEDJUGORJE

Breakfast. Transfer to the airport to board the flight to Dubrovnik. Upon arrival, transfer to Medjugorje. Arrival at the hotel. Dinner and overnight stay.

Day 12

MEDJUGORJE

Breakfast. During your stay, you will experience the beauty and peace of this simple village, and have the opportunity to share your faith with pilgrims from all over the world. Celebrate mass at St. James Church. After Mass, ascend Apparition Hill, the sacred site where the visionaries first saw Our Lady. Stop at the Blue Cross, a place of Marian apparitions, for quiet prayer. Spend time in personal reflection, browse local shops, and pray the rosary at your own pace. In the evening, return to your hotel for dinner and an overnight stay.