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Spain's Classics

with Optional 4-Night Barcelona and Costa Brava Post Tour Extension

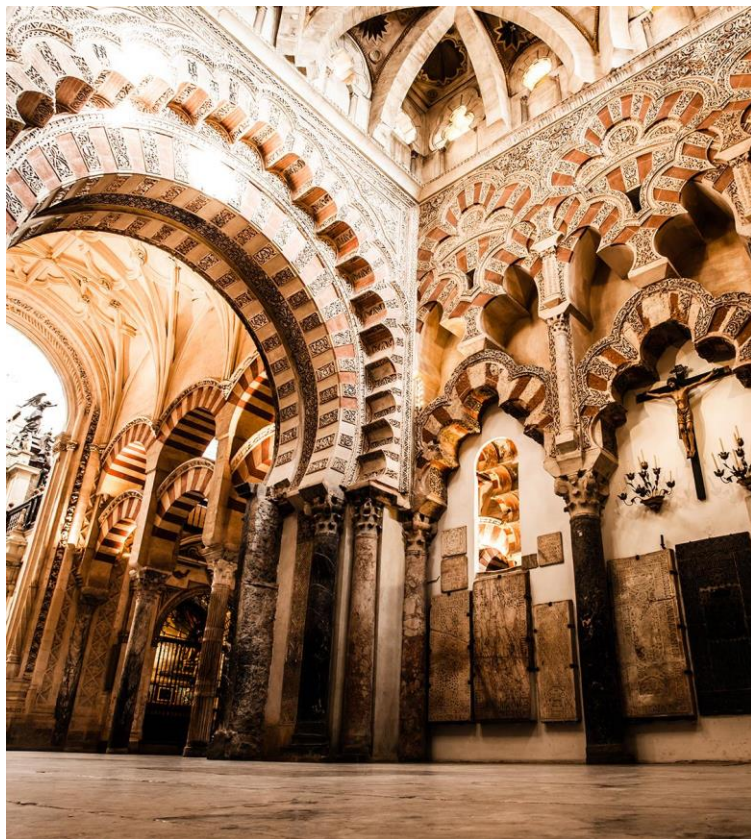
October 16 – 27, 2022



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12 Days • 16 Meals: 10 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 4 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Madrid, The Prado Museum, Toledo, Choices on Tour, Cordoba, La Mezquita, Seville, Flamenco Show, Granada, The Alhambra, Valencia, Paella Experience, Barcelona, La Sagrada Familia

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2 – 4	Riu Plaza Espana, Madrid
Days 5, 6	NH Sevilla Plaza de Armas, Seville
Day 7	Barcelo Carmen Granada , Granada
Days 8, 9	SH Valencia Palace, Valencia
Days 10, 11	NH Collection Barcelona Podium, Barcelona

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Sunday, October 16, 2022 Overnight Flight You are on your way to a colorful and cultural adventure featuring the best of Spain.

Day 2: Monday, October 17, 2022 Madrid, Spain - Tour Begins Welcome to Madrid, Spain's lively capital and largest city. Tonight, gather with your fellow travelers and enjoy a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 3: Tuesday, October 18, 2022 Madrid During a locally guided panoramic tour of Madrid's historic center, see iconic sites such as the Puerta del Sol and Plaza Mayor, where events have been held since the 17th century. Join a local expert to explore the priceless masterpieces of the Prado Museum, which opened in 1819 and boasts the world's finest collection of art by masters such as Velazquez and Goya. (B)

Day 4: Wednesday, October 19, 2022 Madrid - Toledo - Madrid Travel to Toledo (UNESCO), the capital of medieval Spain until 1560. Embark on a comprehensive tour, highlighting the magnificent Gothic cathedral. Then, **it's your choice!** Visit the Church of Santo Tome and view El Greco's masterpiece painting, *The Burial of Count Orgaz* -**OR-** explore the Santa Maria la Blanca museum, located in a former synagogue recognized as the oldest synagogue building still standing in Europe. (B)

Day 5: Thursday, October 20, 2022 Madrid - Cordoba - Seville Travel to the extraordinary Moorish city of Cordoba. Perhaps you'll opt to take the AVE high-speed train to reduce travel time and increase free time in Cordoba. Upon arrival, embark on a walking tour of *La Mezquita* (UNESCO), an 8th-century mosque that was converted into the city's cathedral in the 16th century. Continue your exploration of Cordoba in the city's well-preserved and historical old Jewish Quarter. End your day in Seville, considered to be Spain's "cultural capital." (B, D)

Day 6: Friday, October 21, 2022 Seville Decide how you see Seville because **it's your choice!** Walk the Santa Cruz Quarter with an expert guide, admiring the orange trees and white-washed houses before continuing to the Plaza de España -**OR-** see the city from a different perspective with a boat ride on the Guadalquivir River, drifting by timeworn bridges and towers. Later, visit the Seville Cathedral (UNESCO) – the largest gothic church in the world – and see Columbus' tomb and the Giralda Bell Tower. End the afternoon with a light tapas lunch, overlooking the cathedral. This evening, enjoy an authentic flamenco show (UNESCO) featuring Seville's top performers. (B, L)

Day 7: Saturday, October 22, 2022 Seville - Granada Travel to Granada, the last great capital of the Moors in Spain before it fell to the Catholic monarchs in 1492. Upon arrival, join a local expert for a tour of the world-famous Alhambra* (UNESCO), a stone fortress overlooking the entire city and serving as a mesmerizing example of Islamic architecture. (B, D)

Day 8: Sunday, October 23, 2022 Granada - Valencia Travel through Spain's amazing landscape on your way to the Mediterranean coast. Pass by rolling hills dotted with picturesque olive groves before arriving in the city of Valencia. A treasure trove of Roman and Arabic architecture, Valencia is surrounded by citrus groves. (B)



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Day 9: Monday, October 24, 2022 Valencia - Albufera -

Valencia On a panoramic tour of Valencia, see the City of Arts and Sciences – an ultramodern educational institution. Explore the city's old town on foot, discovering the history with a local expert. View the ornate towers before wandering through the bustling central market, where you'll shop side-by-side with the locals. Enjoy time on your own to explore as you wish. Travel to Albufera, the area where paella first originated. Enjoy a boat ride on the canals surrounding the rice field plantations. Visit a traditional fisherman's home, known as a *barraca*, and enjoy a paella-making demonstration and an authentic paella lunch. (B, L)

Day 10: Tuesday, October 25, 2022 Valencia - Barcelona

Travel to Barcelona, one of Europe's most beautiful and exciting cities. The afternoon is at leisure to explore

Barcelona's fascinating boulevards including the famous Las Ramblas, dotted with colorful bird and flower stalls. (B)

Day 11: Wednesday, October 26, 2022 Barcelona Embark on a panoramic tour of Barcelona, showcasing the Columbus Monument, Parc de Montjuic, and Antoni Gaudi's Batllo House and Casa Mila building (UNESCO). A local expert will accompany you on a visit to the awe-inspiring La Sagrada Familia** (UNESCO), considered to be the most famous of Gaudi's works. Work on the basilica began in 1882, and it is scheduled to be completed in 2026 on the 100th anniversary of the architect's death. As the day draws to a close, enjoy a farewell dinner celebrating the end of your trip to Spain. (B, D)

Day 12: Thursday, October 27, 2022 Barcelona - Tour Ends Return home with memories of a beautiful land and a diverse cultural heritage or begin your Costa Brava post-trip extension. (B)

For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1112866>

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Jun 16, 2022, valid on air inclusive packages only.

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Effective for travel after January 2023, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS travel authorization, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit <https://www.etiasvisa.com/>

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Hotel check-in on your day of arrival is 3:00 p.m. Rooms may not be available prior to that time.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Effective immediately and through December 31, 2022 tour departures, **we require all guests to be fully vaccinated in order to participate in this tour.** Although destination entry requirements may differ, if you are unvaccinated, you will not be able to join us on this tour. All guests are required to bring proof of vaccination (official vaccination certificate in paper) on tour.

Destination-specific information may change frequently and without prior notice. It is very important that you **frequently check the entry/exit requirements for destination(s) visited on this tour**, to ensure that you are aware of any changes that may be applicable to your travel plans, including right up to your departure.

Please refer to our Online Travel Requirements Resource page www.gocollette.com/en/landing-pages/2021/online-travel-requirements-resource for detailed information.

All returning travelers to the US must complete a signed Attestation Requirement either in electronic form or paper copy. A paper copy of the form will also be provided to travelers or you may visit www.cdc.gov/quarantine/pdf/Fillable-Attestation-English-p.pdf for a copy.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (1-2 hours) isn't a big deal. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, Zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. You can expect some longer days balanced with free-time to recharge or set out on your own adventure.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

*Alhambra tickets are not guaranteed and subject to availability per Spanish Governing Authority. On the occasion that tickets are not available, you will visit



another top Spanish attraction and your group leader or travel agent will be notified. Complete passport information is required 120 days prior to departure to book tickets to the Alhambra. If passport information is incomplete or inaccurate within 120 days prior to your tour departure, there is a strong possibility that we will be unable to confirm entrance tickets. You will be subject to any additional charges incurred from failing to provide passport information within the designated time frame.

****On the rare occasion that the Sagrada Familia in Barcelona is not available, you will instead visit another top Spanish attraction.**

Due to tour scheduling, arrival flights should arrive prior to 3:00 p.m.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$600 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of June 09, 2022 are based upon availability. Final payment due by August 17, 2022. Deposits are refundable up until June 16, 2022.

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For important reservation information visit

<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1112866>.

You can also find this information on your tour documents.



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BOOKING NUMBER: 1112866
DEPARTURE DATE: October 16, 2022

TOUR: Spain's Classics
GROUP NAME: The Ministry of Caring

Name of Passenger:

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(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

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Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Torremolinos



Ave High Speed Train - Madrid to Cordoba

\$160 USD

Don't feel like making the road trip from Madrid to Cordoba? Upgrade to a seat aboard the AVE high-speed train. Sit back and relax as you travel at speeds upward of 120 miles per hour on a luxurious and stylish ride that allows you even more free time in Cordoba. When you arrive in Cordoba you will be met by our Cordoba specialist who will assist you before joining the rest of the group for the afternoon tour. This option must be purchased no later than 50 days prior to departure as it is required to secure rail tickets in advance. This option cannot be purchased on tour.

Duration: Approximately 2 hours. Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Madrid

An Evening in Madrid

\$85 USD

Enjoy a night out in Madrid! First, walk the streets on a short tour led by your Tour Manager. Then, hop on to Madrid's subway system and head to your next stop – a local restaurant where you will get acquainted with Spanish cuisine. During your dinner, a “tuna” will perform traditional songs. A tradition that started in Iberia in the 13th century, a “tuna” is a band of university students dressed in black outfits and capes who sing folk music to pay for their school fees. Return back to your hotel having experienced Madrid in a different way! *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



TRAVEL DATE: 10/16/2022 TERRITORY: E6
RES#: 1112866

Spain's Classics

For Reservations Contact: Debbe Philips (302) 652-5523 email: dphilips@ministryofcaring.org

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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: ☐ Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

AIR GATEWAY: Departure airport for this tour: _____

Air Seat Request: () Aisle () Window () Next To Traveling Companion

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Please reserve an upgrade to Elite Airfare for an additional rate of: ☐ Business Class \$3,890

Service is limited and not available on all flights or carriers. Other restrictions may apply. Please note: if you purchase an upgrade we cannot guarantee the same flight schedule as the group. If Business class service has been purchased, it is for the international portion of the journey only.

Are you willing to separate from the group air schedule to accommodate your upgrade request? () Yes () No

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TRAVEL PROTECTION: () Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection \$399 () No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

EXTENSION: I wish to purchase "4-Night Barcelona and Costa Brava" () Yes () No

ON TOUR ACTIVITIES: Please choose one of the following on tour activities

Please Choose One:

() Santo Tome Church

() Santa Maria La Blanca Synagogue

Please Choose One:

() Walking Tour of Santa Cruz Quarter

() Boat Ride on the Guadalquivir

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Collette () Check () Credit Card

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PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)

Salutation: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____ Nickname: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print **EXACTLY** as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

✓	Option	Price Per Person (USD)
	Ave High Speed Train - Madrid to Cordoba <i>This option must be purchased no later than 50 days prior to departure as it is required to secure rail tickets in advance. This option cannot be purchased on tour.</i>	160.00
	An Evening in Madrid	85.00

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Extend your vacation with

Optional 5 Days 4-Night Barcelona and Costa Brava Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,199.00 USD per person, double, land only

6 Meals: 4 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 1 Dinner

Day 12: Barcelona

Take a full day at leisure in the capital city of Catalonia, Barcelona. Delve into the historic Gothic Quarter with quaint shops and eateries, all built into the narrow medieval alleyways. Perhaps you'd like to head over to Park Güell and its mosaic walls, or maybe you'd like to spend some time exploring the shops and street-side restaurants of Las Ramblas. The day is yours to enjoy Barcelona in all its glory.

Day 13: Barcelona - Girona - Costa Brava

Set out for Girona in the morning, a beautiful medieval city known for its Old Quarter. You'll meet with a local guide and take a tour of the city before enjoying lunch at a local restaurant. Then, head for the Catalan coast, where you'll arrive at your seaside hotel and settle in for the next 3 nights. Costa Brava is an incredibly alluring place, and the perfect region to spend your days relaxing and exploring. *Today breakfast and lunch will be included.*

Day 14: Costa Brava

Today is yours to enjoy Costa Brava how you'd like. Take advantage of this day at leisure – maybe heading down to the private beach or venturing into the local towns for some souvenir shopping. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 15: Costa Brava - Calella de Palafrugell - Llafranc - Besalu - Costa Brava

Today, your local guide will meet you at your hotel for an incredible walking tour. You'll head first to the beautiful village of Calella de Palafrugell for a coastal walk towards the quaint village of Llafranc. Then, you'll drive to the Dalí Theatre-Museum, where the surreal outside architecture matches the legendary works inside. After taking in the mind-boggling art of Salvador Dalí, you'll continue on to the medieval village of Besalu for free time and lunch. Arrive back at your hotel with enough time to relax before your farewell dinner this evening. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 16: Costa Brava - Barcelona

Say farewell to the Catalan coast and Spain as you depart for home. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Please Note:

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

During this extension, you can expect to have a **hosted** experience or two, with a local representative revealing more of what this destination has to offer. Enjoy a mix of independent exploration and guided sightseeing and experiences.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 passengers is not met to operate.

Due to tour scheduling, return flights should be booked after 10:00 a.m. Travel time between Costa Brava and Barcelona airport is approximately 2 hours.

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 3. This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (1-2 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, Zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. You can expect some longer days balanced with free-time to recharge or set out on your own adventure.