Discover Portugal

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Discover Portugal, a small European gem steeped in history from the Age of Discovery (1400-1600) with its trendy modern-day food and wine scene. Positioned on the Atlantic coastline and surrounded by Spain, Portugal has its own unique language and culture based on land, sea and former wealth as a world power.

We start with a visit to the capitol city of **Lisbon** where we discover the various quarters of the city taking in the architecture and beautiful tile facades, sweeping views over the city and sea, and visit monuments and museums as we retrace the history of powerful Portugal in its heyday. We'll take a day trip to **Sintra**, the nearby summer getaway spot of Portugal's kings. Enjoy a visit to the Pena Palace as well as castle ruins, lush tropical gardens and perhaps a little time for shopping.

Then, on to **Porto** with a rest stop in the small, picturesque, seaside village of **Nazare**. We spend the next several days discovering **Porto** and the **Douro River**. We'll orient ourselves to Porto with a tuk-tuk tour and have another chance to ride trolleys, cable cars, and a funicular just like we did in Lisbon. Porto is known worldwide as the home of Port wine. We'll discover how it's made, cruise the river where the grapes are grown and do some tasting.













Discover Portugal Itinerary Overview

- Day 1 Depart Portland
- Day 2 Arrive in Lisbon, Portugal. Orientation walk in the historic city center
- Day 3 Discover Lisbon tour including Belem area monuments. Welcome Dinner
- Day 4 Day trip to Sintra
- Day 5 Free Day
- Day 6 Private motor coach drive to Porto with stop in Nazare
- Day 7 Discover Porto tour with Port wine tasting
- Day 8 Discover the Douro River valley
- Day 9 Free Day Farwell dinner and Fado
- Day 10 Depart for home or independent travel

Double occupancy \$2699 per person Single occupancy \$3425

Air priced separately at market rate

Includes 8 nights hotel with daily breakfast, entrance fees per itinerary, group ground transportation Non-refundable deposit of \$300 to reserve a space. Final payments due March 1, 2019.

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