BARCELONA & MADRID BY RAIL

Independent Tour

April 1 - October 31, 2025

7 days / 6 nights: 3 nights in Barcelona & 3 nights in Madrid

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Not included
Barcelona <u>Deluxe Hotels</u> : W Hotel or similar <u>Superior First Class</u> : NH Collection Grand Calderon or similar <u>First class</u> : Catalonia Di- agonal Centro or similar Madrid <u>Deluxe Hotels</u> : The Westin Palace or similar <u>Superior First Class</u> : NH Collection Paseo del Prado or similar <u>First class</u> : Hotel Euro- stars Casa de la Lirica or similar	Breakfast daily in each city	Hop-on-off city tour in Barcelona Hop-on-off city tour in Madrid	2nd Class high speed train from Barcelona to Madrid	Private arrival transfer from Barcelona airport to hotel Private departure transfer to Madrid airport	Mandatory city taxes are not included, must be paid directly to the hotels by the passengers

Land Rates US\$ per Person April 1 - October 31, 2025					
Hotel classes		Deluxe Class		Superior First Class	
Start date	End date	Double	Single	Double	Single
Apr 1	Oct 31	\$3,498	5,146	\$2,553	\$4,327

		l Rates US\$ per Person il 1 - October 31, 2025		
Hotel classes		First Class		
Start date	End date	Double	Single	
Apr 1	Oct 31	\$2,221	\$3,420	
INSURANCE				

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We strongly recommend purchasing travel insurance. Take advantage of our low cost insurance option through Travelex. For insurance details, click here.









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Day 1:	Upon arrival in Barcelona , you are met and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore on your own.
Day 2:	Discover Barcelona at your own pace, with a hop-on, hop-off bus tour. There are three different routes and 44 stops. In the evening, consider an optional
	Tablao El Cordobes Flamenco show with dinner. (B)
Day 3:	The entire day is free at leisure . You may be interested in our optional tours
	to Monserrat, Girona Game of Thrones, or Girona Figueres and Dali. (B)
Day 4:	After breakfast transfer on your own to the Barcelona train station where you will board a high-speed train to Madrid. Upon arrival in Madrid, transfer on your own to your hotel. (B)
Day 5:	Today enjoy the open-top double-decker hop-on, hop-off bus tour . Two routes cover the highlights, from historical sites and monuments to the modern Madrid of skyscrapers and cosmopolitan architecture. In the evening, "Flamenco Show & dinner". (B)
Day 6:	The entire day is free at leisure . Some optional tours or visits worth considering include Toledo, Avila and Segovia, the Royal Escorial, the Valley of the Fallen, or the Royal Palace in Aranjuez. (B)
Day 7:	Your Independent Journey ends today and you will be transferred to the
	Madrid airport. (B)

Day by Day Itinerary





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TERMS & CONDITIONS

PRICES, TARIFFS AND EXCHANGE RATES:

* The rates quoted in this brochure are based on tariffs and foreign exchange rates effective as of November 15th, 2024, and are subject to change without notice.

TAXES, SERVICE CHARGES:

* Most tours and package prices include government and local taxes, and service charges as specified in the itinerary.

* In some cities in Europe, local city or resort taxes apply, which are not included in the package price (even if it says tax included) and are payable at the spot.

NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOUR PRICE:

* Tour prices do not include charges for passports, visas and meals not specified in the itinerary. * Personal and accident insurance, beverages, telephone calls, all items of personal nature or any

service not specifically mentioned as "included" in the brochure.

* Having a valid passport and visa is the responsibility of each individual traveler.

* Gratuities are NOT included.

* Entrance fees are NOT included in the price of private sightseeing tours (or in private transfers) except when specified as an "included item".

* Luggage handling is NOT included in transfer rates, packages, or tour rates, unless otherwise specified.

* Transfers are NOT included with packages and tours, unless otherwise specified.

* Train tickets do not include seat assignment except where specified as "included" item. Train seat assignments may be arranged for an extra charge.

DEPOSIT AND PAYMENTS

All bookings require a minimum 15% deposit at the time of the reservation. The deposit amount is nonrefundable.

With certain packages and tours, a higher deposit may apply.

Nonrefundable airline tickets, hotels and or rail tickets require advance payment beyond and above the initial deposit.

* Full payment is due 45 days prior to departure for any package, tour, or hotel reservation.

* Reservations made within 45 days; full payment is due within 2 days of booking.

* Reservations made within 14 days prior to departure from the U.S. or Canada: full payment and late booking fee is due at the time of booking.

 * Airline tickets, rail tickets and cultural program tickets require payment at the time of confirmation.
* Tradesco Tours accepts Travel Agent's company check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover Card and American Express as payment for services.

* Documents for any services will be released only once full payment has been received.

Please note: if full payment is not received by the due date, reservations may be cancelled.

LATE BOOKING FEE: If your reservation is made within 14 days of US departure date, then a \$30 processing fee will be charged, any special delivery expenses are additional.

Canadian reservations are subject to an additional courier fee.

THEATRE TICKETS: Confirmed theatre tickets are nonrefundable and not exchangeable.

All theatres reserve the right to change their published program without notice.

CHANGES IN RESERVATION: First change of reservation is free of charge. Second change – and each subsequent change thereafter is subject to a \$25 handling fee per service segment.

Tradesco Tours recommends that all travelers purchase a travel protection plan to help protect

themselves and their trip investment. Unforeseen events such as flight delays, baggage loss or even a sudden sickness or injury could impact your travel plans. For your convenience, we offer a Travelex Insurance Services protection plan to help protect you and your travel investment against the unexpected. For more information on the available plans <u>click here</u> or contact Travelex Insurance 800-228-9792 and reference location number 05-1785.

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CANCELLATION (by the client) for any Land Program**: Beyond 45 days

* If a reservation is cancelled 45 days (or more) prior to departure, your cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers.

Between 20 - 45 days

* Cancellation of an ESCORTED TOUR within 45 days, there will be no refund.

* Cancellation of an individual tour, hosted tour, hotel package - the cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit, plus an additional \$250 per Person, plus 1 night hotel charge in each city, plus the price of any cultural program tickets, airline tickets or rail tickets, which have been already purchased and issued plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers. **Between 10 - 20 days**

*Cancellation of an individual tour, hosted tour, hotel package - the cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit, plus an additional \$ 350 per Person plus 2 nights hotel charge in each city, the price of any cultural program tickets, airline tickets or rail tickets, which have been already purchased and issued plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers. **Within 10 days**

*Cancellation within 10 days prior or "no show" are subject to the full cost of the package, tour or hotel reservation. * There is no refund for any unused portion of a tour or package.

It is the client's responsibility to check each country's current entry policy.

CANCELLATION BY TRADESCO TOURS: Tradesco Tours reserves the right to cancel any tour, cruise or package departure for any reason, and has the right to withdraw any person at any time if their action impose upon or disturb other members of the tour.

RESPONSIBILITY OF TRADESCO TOURS: Tradesco Tours and/or their agents act only in the capacity as agents for the passenger in all matters connected with hotel accommodations, spa treatments, sight-seeing tours and transportation, whether by rail, air, bus, automobile, ship or any other means, and as agents hold themselves free of responsibility for any accident. damage or inconvenience

occasioned from any cause whatsoever. Tradesco Tours and/or their agents will not be responsible for any damage, expense or inconvenience caused by late arrivals or departures, change of schedule, strikes or any other conditions, nor will they be responsible for the loss or damage to baggage or any of the passenger's belongings. Tradesco Tours reserves the right not to accept or retain any person of

a tour at any time before and during the tour. Travelers are advised that itineraries cannot be altered, however Tradesco has the right to book other hotels within the same or upgraded category than stated in this brochure even if the travel documents have already been issued.

Tradesco is not responsible for any delay, accident, or cancellation of flight or train. Regarding excess baggage and weight, please see the carrier or your travel agent for regulations. Once an air ticket is issued it is nonrefundable and not changeable.

RAIL TICKETS AND RAIL PASSES: Any refund is subject to a 20% cancellation chargeplus supplement fees.

Refund requests must be made in writing within 30 days of cancellation. The written request must include necessary information and the unused voucher, ticket or other documents to process the request. Once travel has commenced, there will be no refunds for unused portions of travel. Please allow a minimum of 4 weeks to process refunds.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. In the event of a price increase, the client will be subject to the increase unless the reservation is paid in full. Any changes made to a reservation for which the price has been guaranteed will result in the booking being re-priced at the prices in effect at the time the change is made.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: Please check all airline tickets and travel vouchers carefully and notify us if you see any discrepancy. Please re-confirm all airline flight numbers and times with the carrier 24 hours prior to the departure.

FARES AND SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. ALTHOUGH EVERY EFFORT HAS BEEN MADE TO CHARGE THE CORRECT FARES AND PROVIDE THE CORRECT SCHEDULES BEFORE THE PARTICIPANT'S DEPARTURE, NEITHER FARES NOR SCHEDULES ARE GUARANTEED.

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