

Best of Spain

August 22-31, 2026

\$4799* double occupancy \$5899* Single occupancy

Call for Insurance Rates

* Price includes Air and round trip transportation to and from airport

Experience the sophistication of Spain: the passion of flamenco, the art of the Prado, the magnificence of Gaudi's Sagrada Familia, and so much more.

9 Days | 8 Nights | 13 Meals

TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

- Alhambra
- Barcelona Walking Tour
- Cordoba Mezquita Cathedral
- Cordoba Walking Tour
- Flamenco Performance
- Madrid City Tour
- Prado Museum
- Sagrada Familia
- Valencia City of Arts and Sciences
- Winery Tours

HOTELS

- NH Madrid Ribera del Manzanares, Madrid (2)
- Barcelo Sevilla Renacimiento, Seville ((2)
- Melia Granada, Granada (1)
- Exe Rey Don Jaime Valencia, Valencia(1)
- Hilton Barcelona, Barcelona (2)

MEALS

8 hot breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L) and 4 dinners (D)



Many of Spain's attractions are not easily accessible by coach, and drop-off and pickup points are limited by local regulations. This fast-paced itinerary requires standing and walking throughout the day, including uneven surfaces, stairs and slopes.

There may be some changes in daily itinerary due to the availability of attractions; your tour director will advise you.

TRIP ITINERARY

Day 1: Madrid Arrival

Meet your tour director at 5 pm for a welcome drink at your hotel with your fellow travelers. Then enjoy dinner at the hotel, savoring the first tastes of Spanish cuisine. (D)

Day 2: Madrid City Tour & Prado Museum

Soak in the vibrant atmosphere of Spain's capital city on a tour of Madrid. See magnificent sights such as The Royal Palace and Alumdena Cathedral, Gran Via, and Plaza de Espana. Next explore the world-renowned Prado Museum one of the most important art collections in Europe, with masterpieces from artists like Goya, Velazquez, and El Greco. The rest of the day is yours to discover this friendly, diverse city as you wish. Stroll the elegant shops of the Golden Mile, people-watch in El Retiro Park, or savor the gastronomic delights on offer at the Mercado San Miguel. (B)

Day 3: Cordoba Walking Tour & Mezquita Cathedral

Board a train for a scenic, relaxing ride to Cordoba, where you'll take a walking tour to discover the city's Roman past and its Christian, Islamic, and Jewish cultures. Explore the labyrinthine streets of the old town, admiring the fusion of Moorish and Christian influences. Visit the magnificent Mezquita Cathedral, a former mosque and a UNESCO World Heritage site renowned for its stunning architecture and cultural significance. Continue on to Seville where you will dine at your hotel. (B, D)

Day 4: Seville City Tour and Flamenco Performance

Discover the enchanting beauty of Seville on a guided city tour, exploring its charming streets and iconic landmarks. Marvel at the grandeur of Seville Cathedral the largest Gothic cathedral in the world. Visit the Flamenco Museum (Museo del Baile Flamenco) to learn about flamenco culture and see a performance of this passionate, rhythmic art form. Your evening is free to dine independently in one of the Old Town's many tapas bars and restaurants. (B)

Day 5: Granada and Alhambra

Journey through the Andalusian countryside to Granada to discover its rich history and Moorish heritage, set against the backdrop of the Sierra Nevada mountains. Then visit the breathtaking Alhambra Palace, a magnificent monument that showcases the artistic and cultural influences of the Mooish rulers who commissioned it in the 13th century. The exquisite details of this UNESCO World Heritage Site include intricately carved stucco, arabesque designs, reflective pools, and lush gardens.

This evening explore Granada on your own; you might visit a tapas bar

or take a walk through the historic Albaicin neighborhood, known for its winding medieval streets and picturesque views. (B)



Mezquita Cathedral, Cordoba

Right: Flamenco Dancer, Seville



Day 6: Winery Tour and Valencia Panoramic Tour

Experience the delights of Spanish wine with a visit to Bodegas Vina Elena for a tour, tasting, and delightful lunch in the vineyards. This family vineyard grows Monastrell grapes along with olives and almonds. En route to Valencia, take a scenic photo stop at the picturesque Albufera, a lagoon known for its fields of rice, first planted by the Moors and now an essential ingredient in paella. In Valencia, enjoy a panoramic tour of the city before a traditional paella dinner. (B, L, D)

Day 7: Valencia City of Arts and Sciences and Barcelona Panoramic Tour

Explore Valencia's futuristic architecture on a walking tour of its City of Arts and Sciences, a spectacular collection of modern buildings housing cultural and scientific institutions. Journey on to Barcelona, where you'll take a panoramic tour of the exhilarating, artistic city before a free evening. (B)

Day 8: Barcelona Walking Tour and Sagrada Familia Visit

Discover the enchanting Gothic Quarter of Barcelona with a guided walking tour, wandering through its medieval streets and hidden squares. The district was home to Barcelon's Jewish Quarter, Picasso's art school and Antonio Gaudi's first art project. Visit the iconic Sagrada Familia, an architectural marvel that is Gaudi's masterpiece. Enjoy some free time to explore Barcelona independently before gathering for a farewell dinner with your group. (B, D)

Day 9: Tour Ends in Barcelona

Your tour ends after breakfast. (B)





TOUR INCLUDES:

Airfare; roundtrip group airport transfers, and transfers to hotels

NOT INCLUDED IN TOUR:

Tour guide gratuities, baggage fees OR seats.

AUTHENTIC LOCAL EXPERIENCES

Immerse yourself in the time-honored traditions of **Spanish winemaking** on a visit to the family-owned **Bodegas Vina Elena** where you'll tour, taste, and lunch amid the vineyards.

Witness the passionate art of **flamenco** in an electrifying performance featuring the fiery footwork, soulful singing, intricate hand-clapping, and percussive rhythms of this quintessential Spanish cultural tradition.

Deposit of \$500 pp plus insurance must be paid at time of reservation. Final payment is due June 16, 2026. Call for Insurance rates. *Insurance is non-refundable.*

For Information and Reservations

Travel Expressions of Florida LLC Andy Thorry 772-559-2041

Email: andythor33@bellsouth.net

Website: www.travelexpressionsinc.com

Mail checks to:

Travel Expressions of Florida LLC 806 26th Avenue Vero Beach, Florida 32960



Due to unforeseen circumstances, all hotels and visits are subject to changes until departure date.