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Portugal & Its Islands

September 15 – 29, 2023



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SPECIAL TRAVEL PRESENTATION

Date: Wednesday, October 12, 2022 Time: 12:45 PM

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15 Days • 20 Meals: 13 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 6 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Lisbon, Belem, Sintra, Fado Dinner Show, St. Michael Island, Azores, Ponta Delgada, Choice on Tour, Terra Nostra National Park, Sete Cidades, Madeira Island, *Espetada* Dinner, Folkloric Show, Porto Moniz

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2 – 5	Lumen Lisboa Hotel, Lisbon
Days 6 – 9	Azoris Royal Garden Hotel, Sao Miguel, Azores
Days 10 – 13	Pestana Casino Park Hotel, Funchal, Madeira Island
Day 14	Lumen Lisboa Hotel, Lisbon

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Friday, September 15, 2023 Overnight Flight

Experience the beauty of Portugal as you travel through the capital Lisbon, the Azorean island of St. Michael, and the island of Madeira.

Day 2: Saturday, September 16, 2023 Arrive Lisbon, Portugal

Your adventure opens today in Lisbon where Old World traditions blend seamlessly with modern ways. Experience Portuguese cuisine, regional wines and folkloric entertainment among colourful buildings and winding pathways.

Day 3: Sunday, September 17, 2023 Lisbon

Enjoy time to get to know the place where your journey begins. Tonight, meet your fellow travellers at a welcome dinner. (B, D)

Day 4: Monday, September 18, 2023 Lisbon - Belem - Sintra - Lisbon

Set out on a tour of Lisbon and uncover some of the city's most famous sights. Travel to Belem where the age of Portuguese Maritime Discoveries comes to life at the Monument to the Discoveries and the Tower of Belem (UNESCO). Travel to Sintra (UNESCO), the summer residence of Portuguese royalty and visit the National Palace. Enjoy some free time for lunch on your own and explore this storybook town at your own pace. This evening, over Portuguese cuisine and wine, listen to local artists perform the traditional *Fado* (UNESCO). (B, D)

Day 5: Tuesday, September 19, 2023 Lisbon - Free Day

Today is free for you to explore Lisbon on your own. Traditional neighbourhoods such as Alfama, a vibrant culinary scene and a myriad of famous *miradouros* (viewpoints) beckon a leisurely visit. If you would prefer to explore Portugal's famed Riviera you may choose to join your Tour Manager in the late afternoon for a unique optional tour that transports you to the coastal towns of Cascais and Estoril. (B)

Day 6: Wednesday, September 20, 2023 Lisbon - St. Michael, Azores - Ponta Delgada

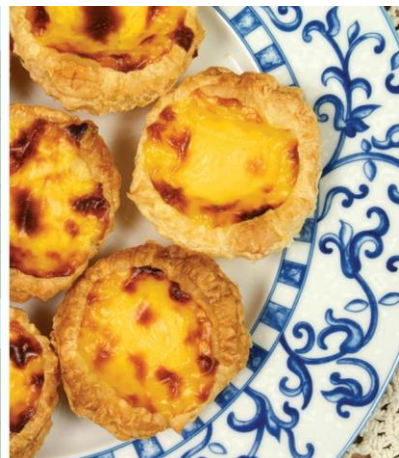
To the Azores! Fly to St. Michael, the largest of the 9 volcanic islands that form the Azores archipelago. On a brief walking tour of Ponta Delgada's town centre, see the Portas da Cidade (the City Gates), and several of the main architectural sights that make up this unique island capital. Enjoy dinner this evening at a local restaurant featuring traditional Azorean cuisine. (B, D)

Day 7: Thursday, September 21, 2023 Terra Nostra Botanical Park - Ponta Delgada

Start the day with a visit to a 150-year old family run ceramic factory where we will learn about the process of creating traditional Portuguese pottery. Then, **it's your choice!** Take a stroll through the natural beauty of Terra Nostra Botanical Park **-OR-** rest and relax in the park's thermal water pool.* In Furnas Valley, experience a *cozido das Furnas* lunch, cooked in the heat of the volcanic earth. After lunch let the green, lush beauty of Ribeira dos Caldeiros Natural Park surround you as you stroll through the natural landscape and take in the watermills so typical of this place. Then head to the verdant pastures of a tea plantation, one of two in Europe, and delve into its cultivation methods and trade history before heading back to Ponta Delgada. The evening is yours to do as you please. (B, L)

Day 8: Friday, September 22, 2023 Ponta Delgada

Make the most of a day at leisure. Perhaps you will take an optional whale watching adventure and cruise over the waves with an expert biologist followed by lunch at a local restaurant. Regardless of your Azorean activities during the day, gather in the late afternoon to explore a local pineapple plantation and learn more about this species introduced to the island by Portuguese navigators. Then, enjoy a cocktail and dinner in one of the best family-run restaurants of Ponta Delgada. (B, D)



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Included in Price: Round Trip Air from Toronto Intl Airport, Inter-flights from Lisbon, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges of \$170 per person (subject to increase until paid in full), Hotel Transfers

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* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from YYZ

Day 9: Saturday, September 23, 2023 Ponta Delgada - Sete Cidades - Ribeira Grande - Ponta Delgada

Today visit the iconic Sete Cidades volcanic crater and peer down at its twin lakes. The lakes appear to be different colours - one blue (reflecting the sky) and the other green (reflecting the ground). Learn about the stories and legends associated with the two lakes before journeying to a boutique, family-run winery where the volcanic soil plays a key role in the end product. After, travel to the quaint town of Ribeira Grande where we will have time free time for lunch. End your full day of touring with a visit to Ribeira dos Caldeiros Nature Reserve, where watermills and nature create a lush, otherworldly setting. (B)

Day 10: Sunday, September 24, 2023 Ponta Delgada - Funchal, Madeira

Fly to Madeira, the "Pearl of the Atlantic." After our afternoon arrival, we will embark on a walking tour of the capital city of Funchal, to get our first glimpse at the quaint old town and some of its main sights. Then, discover the Madeira Botanical Gardens as you make your way through a terraced landscape of more than 2,000 exotic plants. (B)

Day 11: Monday, September 25, 2023 Funchal

Explore the *Lavradores* market, a hub of exotic fruits, flowers and a traditional fish market. The local culture comes to life here! A tasting at a Madeira wine lodge teaches you about the famous Madeira wine. Head to the colourful Santa Maria Street, where vibrant murals and brightly painted doors liven the streets and the many cafes tempt you to linger over lunch on your own. A free afternoon provides more time to explore or to relax and enjoy your hotel's garden, pool and spa. Gather again this evening for a traditional *espetada* dinner, feasting on local cuisine cooked over an open fire amidst a backdrop of folk dancers and lively music. (B, D)

Day 12: Tuesday, September 26, 2023 Funchal - Câmara de Lobos - Porto Moniz - Funchal

Begin your day with a tour that will take you to Câmara de Lobos, a traditional village on a picture-perfect bay which served as a special retreat for Sir Winston Churchill. It was here that Madeira's natural beauty captivated him and inspired many paintings of the village. Drive along mountain roads, passing banana plantations and vineyards en route to the world's second-highest cliff, Cabo Girão where you can walk on the highest glass skywalk in Europe. Continue to a sugar mill and learn about the importance of sugar cane production to the island in the 15th century. Sample local specialties made at the mill before leaving for the lively fishing village of Porto Moniz. Here enjoy free time for a swim* (weather permitting) in the natural volcanic rock pools before returning to Funchal. (B)

Day 13: Wednesday, September 27, 2023 Funchal - Free day

The day is yours to explore independently. or, perhaps you will embark on a full day optional tour of the island. Start with an easy trek along the island's *levadas*,** and learn about this unique watering system. Then travel to a Quinta for a lunch with views of the Atlantic. End with a visit to the traditional A-frame houses of Santana, a reminder of the island's farming past. (B)

Day 14: Thursday, September 28, 2023 Funchal - Lisbon

Board your flight and return to the metropolitan energy of Lisbon. Enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure. Later, bid "adeus" to Portugal during a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Day 15: Friday, September 29, 2023 Lisbon - Tour Ends

Depart for home with Portugal in your heart as your tour ends today. (B)

For more information visit
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When travelling outside Canada, health insurance is required. Contact your booking agent for more details.

TRAVEL CONDITIONS

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

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.

*Bathing suits and towels are required if partaking in the thermal water pool choice in Terra Nostra Botanical Park and if choosing to swim in the pools at Porto Moniz. Swimming in Porto Moniz volcanic pools is dependent on weather and ocean conditions.

**The *levada* optional walk is approximately 1 hour on a mostly flat surface.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveller. 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, 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. This tour requires 3 internal flights to connect between the mainland and the islands.

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.

The internal flights from Lisbon to St. Michael, Azores (2 ½ hours), St. Michael to Madeira Island (2 hours), and Madeira Island to Lisbon (90 minutes) are included in the price of this tour.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more travelling 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 March 10, 2023 are based upon availability. Final payment due by July 18, 2023. Deposits are refundable up until March 17, 2023.

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DEPARTURE DATE: September 15, 2023

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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.

Sao Miguel, Azores

Whale Watching Adventure and lunch

\$169 CAD

Go searching for gentle giants on a whale watching excursion! Venture out into the blue Atlantic and search some of the 28 species of cetaceans. Learn about the culture of whales in the Azores from an expert biologist, detailing the social shift of whale treatment in the area. From whale hunting to whale watching, you'll understand the cultural evolution that has led to respecting these peaceful animals in present day. Sperm whales, pilot whales, and pods of dolphins frequent the Azorean waters, and you might be able to catch some blue whales or fin whales migrating through the area. After you're back on land, reflect on your adventure with a lunch featuring local flavours. This optional tour is weather dependent and may be cancelled without previous notice due to weather. If cancelled due to weather, you will be reimbursed. *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 6 passengers is required. Transportation is not included.

Estoril

Cascais, Estoril and a Famous Spy

\$151 CAD

Explore Portugal's famed Riviera on a guided excursion that transports you back in time to its glory days after WWII when it was the playground of European Royalty. Visit the seaside gem of Cascais, lined with beaches, elegant mansions and a pedestrian friendly promenade. Enjoy a walking tour of historic downtown Cascais before departing for Estoril, soaking in the scenic panoramas of the stunning coastline enroute. Stroll through Estoril on a short walking tour then visit the famous Palacio Hotel where a member of its staff will tell the secrets of Ian Fleming's visit and why this spot is considered to be the birthplace of James Bond. Indulge in a sumptuous dinner with a truly old world feel. *Duration: Approximately 5 hours.* Please note a minimum of 2 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Madeira Island

Levada Walk & Santana's Traditional Houses with Lunch

\$110 CAD

Explore Madeira's Eastern side with a full-day optional tour take combines Madeira's stunning natural landscapes with some of its early history. Start with a visit to Pico do Arieiro, one of Madeira's highest peaks where, on most days, you can stand and look down on the clouds. Follow with an easy drive/journey along the island's levadas, and learn about this unique watering system. Then travel to a Quinta for a lunch with views of the Atlantic. End with a visit to Santana's traditional A-frame houses, constructed with triangular rooftops protected by straw. While most of these homes are no longer lived in they are a reminder of the island's farming past. *Duration: Approximately 7 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



TRAVEL DATE: 9/15/2023 TERRITORY: C2
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YOUR INFORMATION:

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

Please Choose One:

() Terra Nostra Botanical Garden Guided Walk

() Terra Nostra Thermal Pool Experience

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✓	Option	Price Per Person (CAD)
	Whale Watching Adventure and lunch <i>This optional tour is weather dependent and may be cancelled without previous notice due to weather. If cancelled due to weather, you will be reimbursed.</i>	169.00
	Cascais, Estoril and a Famous Spy	151.00
	Levada Walk & Santana's Traditional Houses with Lunch	110.00

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