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A Pilgrimage to the Marian Shrines of Fatima, Spain & France

**Fatima – Santiago De Compostela - Garabandal – Zaragoz – Lourdes – Madrid
with a Priest Host**

September 12-21, 2016 - 10 Days

\$3399 from Boston (includes air taxes and fuel surcharges)

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Monday, September 12 - Day 1 – DEPART USA – Today we depart Boston to connect with our overnight flight aboard a wide-bodied jet where we enjoy in-flight movies, dinner and breakfast aloft. This is the day we start our amazing journey of the Marian Shrines that happens to be taking place during the “Holy Year of Mercy” proclaimed by our Holy Father, Pope Francis. By decree, the Holy Doors of the Basilicas around the world be open during this time giving us a rare opportunity for prayer and reflection as we join pilgrims around the world in celebration of God’s Mercy.

Tuesday, September 13 - DAY 2 - LISBON/FATIMA - We arrive at Lisbon Airport, where we are met and given a short orientation tour of Lisbon before the drive to Fatima. If possible, we celebrate Mass at the Church of the famous Eucharistic Miracle at Santerem. Balance of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight at our hotel. In the evening, we join the International Rosary Procession.

Wednesday, September 14 - DAY 3 - FATIMA - This full day is devoted to visiting the Basilica and Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima and the birthplaces of Francisco, Jacinta and Lucia to whom the Virgin appeared for the first time on May 13th, 1917. In the evening, we once again join the International Rosary Procession. Dinner and overnight at our hotel.

Thursday, September 15 - DAY 4 - FATIMA/SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA - Today we depart Fatima, passing by the ancient capital and university city of Coimbra, where Lucia, the last Fatima visionary was a cloistered nun. We continue northwards into Spain and on to Santiago de Compostela, one of the most famous shrines in the western world. This is the site of the ancient pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. James. Tradition holds that the Apostle James was cast ashore here preaching for seven years and being responsible for the conversion of Spain before returning to the Holy Land. The Cathedral of 11th to 13th century with its splendor, and the portico are masterworks of Romanesque art. On arrival this afternoon, we enjoy a visit to the Cathedral and the Old City here. While dinner is included at our hotel, the adventurous might consider enjoying the varied delights of the Galatian restaurants in the nearby Old City.

Friday, September 16 - DAY 5 - SAN SEBASTIAN GARABANDAL/ SANTANDER– Following our walk to mass at the Cathedral of Santiago, we return to our hotel for breakfast and then head east to Santander along one of the “Routes of St. James.” While this is the longest coach today, the wonderful scenery of mountain and seas awe us as our roads hug the northern Spanish seacoast. Lunch is on our own. Prior to our arrival in Santander, we make a stop in the rural village of San Sebastian Garabandal which is the site where from June 1961 through 1965, four young girls have claimed to witness apparitions of St. Michael the Archangel and the Blessed Virgin Mary who gave them an urgent message for our time. We will visit the Parochial church of San Sebastian de Garabandal and have an opportunity to visit the

grove of the Pine Trees overlooking the village of Garabandal where the future miraculous events are said to occur. Following our visit to Garabandal, we continue to Santander for dinner and overnight.

Saturday, September 17 - DAY 6 - LOURDES - We continue eastward along the Basque coast via San Sebastian and cross the border into France. In late afternoon we arrive in Lourdes for dinner and overnight at our hotel. In the evening, we join the Torchlight Marian Procession.

Sunday, September 18 - DAY 7 - LOURDES - This day is spent in devotion to Our Lady of Lourdes. We celebrate Mass at the Grotto, with a morning orientation visit to the Shrine and a walking tour of Lourdes, visiting Boly Mill, where St. Bernadette was born, the Cachot, formerly used as a jail, where she lived during the apparitions, and the parish church. This afternoon is free for private devotions, Eucharistic Procession, the Blessing of the Sick or the legendary, healing waters of the miraculous Lourdes spring... Dinner and overnight at our hotel. In the evening, we can once again join the Torchlight Marian Procession.

Monday, September 19 - DAY 8 - LOURDES/ ZARAGOZA - This morning we depart Lourdes and traverse the Pyrenees southward entering northern Spain. We travel eastward to Zaragoza, the capital of Aragon. On arrival, we visit the city which was founded by the Romans. Its luxuriant vegetation, with its many cascades and grottos make it a miniature Switzerland in the middle of arid upper Aragon. This city was also the birthplace of Goya, whose works grace many of the sites we visit. The number one Marian shrine of Spain, the Pilar Basilica commemorates apparitions of Our Lady the Pillar to St. James in 40 AD, and if possible we celebrate Mass. Dinner and overnight at our hotel.

Tuesday, September 20 - DAY 9 - ZARAGOZA/MADRID - This morning leaving the city and traveling south we reach Madrid. This afternoon we visit all the highlights of Madrid, capital of Spain, including the Gran Via Plaza de España, the Viaduct, Plaza Major, the Bull Ring, Independence and Cibeles Squares, the University, and the Paseo de la Castellana. Later we make our way to our hotel for dinner and overnight

Wednesday, September 21 - DAY 10 - RETURN - We transfer to the airport for our flight home with unforgettable memories to cherish always.



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Reservation Form - Marian Shrines Pilgrimage IB0912KM

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Please reserve ___ seats on this Marian Shrines Pilgrimage – September 12 - 21, 2016

Enclosed please find deposit of \$300 per person (Payable to Unitours, Inc.)

PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT (Passport MUST be valid until March 21, 2016 or later.)

Name(s) as appears on passport

My Roommate:

Address:

City, State & Zip

Telephone:

Day Evening

Email address:

___ Please assign a roommate (if available)

___ I prefer a single room - \$378 supplement and limited in number.

___ I/we wish to purchase optional travel insurance \$189 now in order to cover preexisting conditions.

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I understand that certain charges such as air taxes, fuel surcharges and rates of exchange can affect the final cost and I agree to pay such costs should adjustments be necessary.

Signature

TOTAL TOUR PRICE: The tour price is based on airfare, cruise, land rates and rates of exchange in effect April 7, 2015. All rates are subject to change without prior notice. Should the rates go up or down, an adjustment would be made prior to departure. Refunds CANNOT be granted for any accommodations, services or events that are not used nor if you deviate from the tour. If fewer than 30 pilgrims participate a price adjustment may be necessary.

PASSPORT AND VISA REQUIREMENTS: A valid passport is required. At the time of printing, U.S. citizens holding valid passports DO NOT REQUIRE visas or immunization for the country or countries being visited. Passport MUST be valid until **March 21, 2016** or later. Citizens of countries other than U.S. - please contact the consulate of the country or countries being visited to determine visa requirements.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: International flight reservations are being held on Iberia Airlines. No stopovers are permitted. Any changes after ticket is issued, carries a mandatory charge of \$200. Once the tickets are issued, they are NON REFUNDABLE. Additional non-recoverable airline penalties of up to \$200 may be assessed for cancellations received within 90 days of departure

DOMESTIC AIRFARE: For those who make domestic air arrangements to the originating city of this tour, your tour host and Unitours strongly recommend the purchase of tickets that can be changed without heavy fees and penalties as international flight schedules are always subject to change.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: Specially selected hotels based on twin occupancy with private bath. Single Room supplement of \$378 will be charged where requested and available. If you do not have a roommate and Unitours is unable to arrange one, you will be billed for the single room supplement. All singles are subject to availability.

MEALS: Breakfast and Table D' Hote dinners are provided daily except where noted in the itinerary. An extra charge will be made when coffee, tea or other beverages are not included in the menu of the day with the dinner meal.

TIPS AND TAXES: Tips and taxes normally appearing on hotel and restaurant bills as service are included, as are all government and local taxes on hotels and meals, portage of one suitcase per person. International departure taxes of \$120 plus current fuel surcharges of \$496 are included (subject to change). **TIPS TO TOUR**

MANAGER/GUIDES, DRIVERS OR DINING ROOMS STAFF OF \$92 ARE NOT INCLUDED. One average sized suitcase not exceeding 50 lbs total weight and 62 linear inches (height plus width plus depth is permitted throughout the trip.

NOT INCLUDED: Expenses and items not specifically mentioned in this brochure are NOT covered, including but not limited to: passport and visa fees, meals not listed and items of a personal nature such as laundry, wines, liquors, mineral waters, after dinner coffee or tea, sightseeing or services other than those specifically mentioned, tips and taxes mentioned above, excess baggage and insurance, etc.

DEPOSITS AND CANCELLATIONS: A deposit of \$300 is required to secure reservations. Any balance is to be paid in full no later than 60 days before departure of tour. Final payments received at Unitours after 45 days before departure must include a \$25 late payment fee. (This does not apply for new reservations made after 45 days of departure.) Reservations made within 60 days of departure must include full payment. Amex, Visa and Mastercard are accepted with signed reservation form. Final payments will be applied to same credit card on final payment due date.

Cancellations made from time of reservation to within 61 days prior to departure - - \$100 processing charge plus any air penalties noted above. In the event of a

cancellation from 60 to 8 days of departure - - \$150 processing charge plus up to 50% of the land cost, plus any air penalties noted above. There can be no refund for any services for cancellations received within 7 days of departure. All cancellation and refund claims must be in writing to Unitours, Inc.

BANK FEE: A fee of \$50 will be charged for any check that is returned to us for insufficient or unavailable funds.

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LAND ARRANGEMENTS: The tour operator reserves the right to change the itinerary due to unforeseen emergencies.

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