

# ATTRACTIVE PORTUGAL

6 DAYS / 5 NIGHTS

## 1<sup>st</sup> DAY - LISBON

Arrival at Lisbon Airport. Welcome to the Group. Beginning the discovery from the most modern part of the City of Lisbon, where the **EXPO Universal Exhibition of Lisbon took place in 1998** and where we can have an overview of the **Vasco da Gama Bridge**, also inaugurated in the same year, as well as its modern buildings where stands the **largest Oceanarium in Europe, bathed by the Tagus River (Rio Tejo)**, which gives it beauty and charm in this Marvelous City. Free Personal Lunch. In hour to determine locally, exit towards one of the Hills of this City.

Starting the discovery again, we will go through the Assembly of the Republic Building and the **House Museum of FADO's from most famous interpreter "AMÁLIA RODRIGUES"**. Continuing this overview, we will go to the **Bairro Alto Hill**, where we will make a brief stop, to admire an **exceptional view over the City, with its Castle** and where you can see the **Central Square of Lisbon (ROSSIO)** with its buildings in the Pombalino style and the old center of the City, with its esplanades and Coffee Places as well as the beautiful and detachable, **D. Maria II National Theater**. Finishing this first city meeting, return to dinner at local Restaurant and accommodation at the Hotel.



## 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY – LISBOA / SINTRA / CABO DA ROCA / CASCAIS / ESTORIL / LISBOA

Breakfast at the hotel and a **full day panoramic tour of the city's Monumental zone**, starting at the top of the **Eduardo VII Park, where you will enjoy one of the most beautiful views of the city**. Continuing to the **Cathedral of Lisbon in style Arabic, Gothic and Manueline** and taking advantage of to visit, next to, the Church that was built in memory of the birth of Saint ANTÓNIO - Saint of the City of Lisbon, the Even though he lived and died in the City of Padua in Italy and who was also called Saint ANTÓNIO DE PÁDUA.



We will then continue to the **Monumental area of Belém**, where we will enjoy and visit the most important **Monuments and considered UNESCO World Heritage, (TOWER OF BELÉM / STANDARD OF DISCOVERY / JERÓNIMOS MONASTERY)**, in this same area we will have time to taste the Famous Pastry/Pastel of Belém and a coffee cup.

We will continue our trip with lunch stop. Upon arrival, brief street visit to the jewel of the Portuguese Crown, SINTRA. Considered a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, with its Palaces and Medieval Houses. You can optionally visit the Palace of the Village, and discover the whole environment and views of the Moorish Castle and Pena Palace.

We will continue to CABO DA ROCA, a short stop at the most Western tip of Europe, where it is said; "That the earth ends and the sea begins" in the vastness of the Atlantic Ocean. Continue our trip to ESTORIL and CASCAIS. Brief visit in what is considered one of the beautiful areas of the Portuguese Riviera, not

forgetting to visit the largest and most famous Casino in Europe - Estoril Casino, with its gardens and near Tamariz Beach. We continue along the shore where we can have a view of the whole coast to the City of Lisbon. Dinner at a local restaurant or optionally, have dinner in a traditional house with Fados show.

### **3<sup>rd</sup> DAY – LISBOA / FÁTIMA / NAZARÉ / ALCobaça / ÓBIDOS / LISBOA**

Early breakfast at the hotel and exit towards FATIMA. Free time for personal visits or for prayers, in the one that is the Altar of the World and site of great devotion of the Catholic religion. After the visit, lunch at local restaurant. Continue of our trip to NAZARE, a small fishing town, attached to the Atlantic Ocean and with old traditions such as the Women of the Seven Skirts. Short stop and continue to ALCobaça. Upon arrival to this beautiful city, we will visit the precious Monastery, built by the 1st King of Portugal (DOM. AFONSO HERIQUES), who donated it to the Order of CISTER and where you will find the Tombs of Dom. Pedro and Dona Inês de Castro, two masterpieces of Portuguese Royalty. Continue the trip to ÓBIDOS - Medieval Village, with its narrow streets, dominated by its Castle and its walls. Time to visit and then continue to Lisbon. Dinner at a local restaurant and overnight at the hotel.



### **4<sup>th</sup> DAY - LISBOA / EVORA / ALBUFEIRA**

Breakfast at the hotel and very early exit towards EVORA. At the beginning, a pedestrian visit to the Center of the city, considered World Heritage by UNESCO, since 1968. Its Medieval buildings, Palaces and Convents of the XV and XVI Century, makes it the Historical and Cultural richness that attracts more and more visitors every year. Lunch at local restaurant. Departure to ALBUFEIRA, a city that divides the Algarve coast, its name comes from the occupation by the Arabs in the year 716, because they called it "AL-BUHAR". This was conquered by Dom. Afonso III to the Moors in 1250. Area with beautiful beaches with cliffs and grottos, that makes this place a holiday paradise and one of the favorite destinations of Algarve. Dinner at a local restaurant and overnight at the hotel.



### **5<sup>th</sup> DAY – ALBUFEIRA / SAGRES / PORTIMÃO / LISBOA**

Breakfast at the hotel and exit towards SAGRES. The history of Sagres is associated with the Cape of St. Vincent, which is said to be the last place in the World, for long ago it was believed that beyond the Cape, there was nothing, only sea and the End of the World. Its fortress is one of the symbols of the Century XV, where it was propelled the construction of Ships for exploration and discovery of new places of the “New World”. After

this brief visit, we will depart to PORTIMAO, a fishing town with beautiful beaches, the most outstanding being Praia da Rocha, another jewel and symbol of the region. Lunch of Fish, with the traditional SARDINHA. After lunch, departure towards Lisbon, Brief stop. On arrival, dinner at local restaurant and accommodation

## **6<sup>th</sup> DAY – LISBOA – Transfer - Aeroporto**

Breakfast at the hotel and in time to determine and according to flight schedules, transfer to Lisbon Airport. Assistance, boarding formalities. END OF TRIP.

## **PRICE PER PERSON IN DOUBLE ROOM: FROM ... 525 € / 620 USD**

Minimum 7 PAX: € 825

Minimum 15 PAX: € 785

Minimum 20 PAX: € 625

Minimum 30 PAX: € 595

Minimum 40 PAX: € 555

Minimum 45 PAX: € 525

These values are for the months of October to June, consult us for other dates.

**- Single room supplement: + 165 €**

**- Other supplements: Free Lunch 1st Day = + 16 € | Optional Dinner with Fados show = + € 35**

### **PRICE INCLUDES:**

- Transportation in Autopullman or in Minibus of Tourism, in all the Itinerary
- Escort Guide in the whole Circuit, in the language chosen for the group, except on the last day.
- Accommodation in a double room of 5 Nights in Hotels 3 \*\*\* and 4 \*\*\*\*
- Full board, according to the itinerary, from the dinner from the 1st day to the breakfast of the 6th day.
- Tickets in Museums, Churches and other places indicated and mentioned in the program.
- Tasting of Pastel de Belém with a Coffee

### **PRICE NOT INCLUDES:**

- Gratuities
- Personal Character Expenses
- Everything that is not mentioned in the Program

NOTES: (Any reservation always needs availability and confirmation)

NOTES2: (Visits may change, for reasons unrelated to the Tour operator, due to the closure of places to visit, with always compensation for other alternative visits.