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DEPARTURE DATE: APRIL 07, 2018

DAY 01 APRIL 07, 2018 Depart MANILA
 Depart Manila. Enjoy in-flight meals and entertainment.

DAY 02 APR 08 LISBON
 Welcome to Lisbon! Upon arrival, your Guide will give you a brief orientation tour. Learn about Portugal's Restoration years and what effect this period had on the places you will see during your three hour tour. Visit the district of Belem - its most famous features are the 16th-century Tower of Belem and the Jerónimo's Monastery. You'll also see the Monument to the Discoveries, erected in 1960 to honor the 500th anniversary of the death of Henry the Navigator. After your tour, transfer to hotel for check-in.

DAY 03 APR 09 LISBON-FATIMA-OBIDOS-NAZARE-LISBON
 After breakfast, head north to the beautiful villages of Fátima, Nazaré and Óbidos. Fátima is a once-sleepy rural village that became an important pilgrimage site when three shepherd children reported apparitions of the Virgin Mary in 1917. Visit the Sanctuary of Fatima, a basilica that honors the apparition. Next, visit the 14th-century Batalha Monastery, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that illustrates the rich artistic heritage of the late 1300s. Discover the impressive royal burial site at the basilica's Founder's Chapel, where King João I, Queen Philippa of Lancaster and their son Prince Henry the Navigator were buried. Next, head to the Nazaré cliffs and continue through the picturesque villages of Foz do Arelho and São Martinho do Porto. Admire views of agricultural fields and the Atlantic Ocean as you drive along the dramatic, cliff-lined coast. Finally, make your way to the medieval village of Óbidos. Founded in 208 BC, Óbidos is commonly known in Portugal as the 'wedding present town', as it was a gift from King Dinis to Queen Isabel on their wedding day in 1282.

DAY 04 APR 10 LISBON - MERIDA - SEVILLE
 After breakfast, early morning departure to Merida. Merida was the political and cultural center of Hispania Rome. It was conquered by the Muslims in 713 A.D. After a 500 year period of decline, the city was virtually abandoned until the 1500's. Visit the Roman Ruins, before heading to your final destination for today - Seville. Check in at your hotel. Dinner.

DAY 05 APR 11 SEVILLE
 Full-day sightseeing tour around spectacular Seville - the capital of Spain's Andalucía region. Your guide will explain the history of this charismatic city. Pass by Plaza de España - the lavish square in Maria Luisa Park - and learn of its creation for the 1929 Ibero-American Exposition World Fair. Your guide will point out other top Seville attractions like the Palace of San Telmo and Torre del Oro - an eye-catching building that once held precious metals from America. Continue through Seville's Santa Cruz quarter and you'll soon understand why many describe it as the city's prettiest neighborhood. Watch out for two UNESCO World Heritage-listed attractions here - Royal Alcazar Palace (or Real Alcazar Palace) and Seville Cathedral. Afterwards, visit the Bullring of the Royal Maestranza museum to explore at leisure. Dinner.

DAY 06 APR 12 SEVILLE - CORDOBA - MADRID
 Early morning departure from your hotel to Cordoba. Visit the Catholic cathedral, converted from a mosque when the Christians conquered Cordoba in 1236. With nearly 1,000 pillars, the cathedral's original Gothic architecture is combined with Baroque and Renaissance elements. You'll see the remarkable Cardinal's Chapel and its treasures, including an ivory crucifix and important sculptures and paintings. Next, you'll visit the old Jewish quarter, stepping back in time to the era of the Romans and Goths. You will see one of the few synagogues existing today in Spain, built in 1315, as well as many important monuments to Cordoba's most important sons, including the Roman philosopher Seneca, Arabian philosopher Averroes and the Jewish philosopher Maimonides. Afterwards, head to Madrid for dinner and check in.

DAY 07 APR 13 MADRID - TOLEDO - MADRID
 After breakfast, travel southwest to Toledo - an ancient UNESCO-listed city that is often considered as the spiritual capital of Spain. The journey takes roughly an hour, leaving you with a good three hours in town to see the city highlights. Many attractions are clustered around the Old Town, so head there first to see Catedral de Toledo - a Muejedar and

and Renaissance building that represents the heart of Catholic Spain. After lunch time, back to Madrid for afternoon shopping.

DAY 08 APR 14 MADRID - BARCELONA
 You will discover that Madrid is a multi-faceted city, from its Arab origins, to the heady nightlife of present-day Madrid. Explore Madrid by foot, on two walking tours. In Madrid Rio, the city's newest area, enjoy a walk from the Puente del Rey to the Puente de Segovia, and admire the beautiful sights of the Royal Palace and its gardens. Later, discover the center of Madrid as you walk from the Plaza de la Villa to the Plaza Mayor, while learning interesting facts from your guide.

DAY 09 APR 15 BARCELONA
 Discover the exuberance and beauty of Barcelona on a 4.5-hour morning tour of this exquisite Catalan city. Perfect for first-time visitors, this tour is the ideal introduction to Barcelona's famous sights, including the Barcelona cathedral, Gothic quarter, the Olympic Village (Vila Olimpica) and the beautiful Montjuic castle. Sample a glass of cava at the Spanish Village (Poble Espanyol), then take in aerial views of Barcelona's skyline and the city harbor from a cable car (included). Afternoon is free for shopping.

DAY 10 APR 16 BARCELONA-ZARAGOZA-LOURDES
 Early morning departure from Barcelona and head to Lourdes. You will pass by Zaragoza where you will get the chance to visit the Basilica of Our Lady of the Pillar. Afterwards, continue to Lourdes. Lourdes is a small market town lying in the foothills of the Pyrenees, famous for the Marian apparitions of Our Lady of Lourdes said to have occurred in 1858 to Bernadette Soubirous. Upon arrival, check in at your hotel.

DAY 11 APR 17 LOURDES
 Visit the Sanctuary of our Lady of Lourdes, which is the area surrounding the Grotto of Massabielle, where Virgin Mary (Our Lady of Lourdes) appeared to the 14-year-old Bernadette Soubirous 18 times in 1858. Bernadette went on to be canonized as a saint in 1933. Famous for these apparitions, Lourdes has become a major European pilgrimage site. Check out the Statue of the Crowned Virgin Mary, which stands in the impressive Rosary Square, across from the Rosary Basilica (Basilique Notre Dame du Rosaire). Another must-see sight is the small spring inside the Grotto of Massabielle. Rest of the day free for leisure.

DAY 12 APR 18 LOURDES-CARCASSONE-AVIGNON
 Bid farewell to Lourdes as you head off to Avignon. En route, stop by Carcassonne, a hilltop town in the Lanquedoc area which is famous for its citadel, la Cite, with numerous towers and double-walled fortifications. Upon arrival in Avignon, check in to your hotel.

DAY 13 APR 19 AVIGNON-GORDES-NICE
 After breakfast, short sightseeing of Avignon, often referred to as the "City of Popes" because of the presence of popes and antipopes from 1309 to 1423 during the Catholic schism, it is currently the largest city and capital of the département of Vaucluse. This is one of the few French cities to have preserved its ramparts. In addition, its historic centre, the palace of the popes, Rocher des Doms, and the bridge of Avignon are well-preserved. It was classified a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. Afterwards, head west and visit the village of Gordes in The Luberon. Spend some time in this lovely village, before heading to Nice.

DAY 14 APR 20 NICE-MONACO-MONTE CARLO-NICE
 On the scenic drive to the glamorous Principality of Monaco, enjoy panoramic views of Villefranche over Cap Ferrat, the Bay of Billionaires, and its famous villas. The drive along the Lower Corniche takes you to the Old Town of Monte Carlo, where you will have free time (45 minutes) to visit the palace (open June-Oct), cathedral, stunning gardens and see the changing of the Palace Guards at 11:55am. Follow the Formula One Grand Prix circuit. Stop to see the luxurious Monte Carlo casino, mega yachts and chic boutiques. Know about the process of creating parfum at Fragonard in Eze.

DAY 15 APR 21 NICE-MANILA After breakfast, free time until transfer to the airport for your flight back to Manila.

DAY 16 APRIL 22, 2018 Arrive MANILA
 Arrive in Manila from a wonderful Europe trip!

VISA REQUIREMENTS

- SCHENGEN Visa Application
- Passport valid for 6 months from travel date
- 4 pcs recent passport-size pictures
- Bank Certificate & Bank Statements (3 to 6 months)
- Income Tax Return
- NSO Birth Certificate
- NSO Marriage Contract; Affidavit of Consent if not travelling with Spouse
- Travel Insurance valid for 45 days
- **If Employed:** Cert of Employment with Position, Salary, Tenure
- Leave of Absence
- **If Self-employed/Businessman:** DTI/SEC Certificate and Permit
- ITR of the Business
- Annual Declaration of Income
- Copy of PRC or IBP ID, if applicable

INCLUSIONS

- Roundtrip Airfare via Turkish Airlines or Emirates
- 4-star Hotel Accommodation on Twin-sharing
- Daily breakfast and dinner
- Sightseeing tours as specified in the itinerary
- Private LDC motorcoach services
- Services of local City Guide
- Services of a Filipino Tour Escort
- Travel Insurance for Age 60 and below
- Travel kit
- Tour Briefing, with merienda

EXCLUSIONS

- Airline Taxes, etc. (approx. \$95, subject to change)
- Phil. Travel Tax (P1,620 / approx. \$33, subject to change)
- Lunch, and beverages during meals
- Schengen Visa Fee (P6,500, subject to change)
- Tips for Guide and Driver (\$10/pax/day x 14 days)
- Additional Insurance:
 For 61 to 69 years old: \$10
 For 70 to 75 years old: \$20

BOOKING CONDITIONS

- **USD300 Booking Deposit per person, Non-refundable**
- 50% add'l deposit upon visa approval
- Full payment within 3 weeks before departure
- Full charges shall apply to any Cancellation made within 15 days before departure
- **Minimum of 30 PAX to run this Tour at \$3,588 per person.** If we are unable to meet the min. number of 30 pax, below rates shall apply:
 Min. of 25 pax: \$3,688.00 / pax
 Min. of 20 pax: \$3,788.00 / pax
 Min. of 15 pax: \$4,088.00 / pax

Note: Itinerary may be changed as necessary.

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