
NOW JOURNEY | SIGNATURE JOURNEY

Portugal Signature Journey

Eight days from Porto to Lisbon

Porto's river light. The Douro's terraces. Óbidos inside its walls. Lisbon unfolding at your own pace.

8 DAYS • 7 NIGHTS • 3 PORTO + 1 ÓBIDOS + 3 LISBON

Small-group travel with a Tour Captain | Typically 8-12 guests; maximum 16

8 DAYS FROM PORTO TO LISBON

The Journey at a Glance

Three nights in Porto, one memorable night in Óbidos and three nights in Lisbon give this Journey its calm, distinctly Portuguese rhythm.



Porto • Douro Valley • Óbidos • Lisbon

01

DAYS 1-3

Porto & the Douro

Azulejos, river views and an included Douro winery experience.

02

DAYS 4-8

Óbidos to Lisbon

A medieval overnight, Lisbon discovery and your choice of a slower day or optional Sintra.

THE NOW JOURNEY DIFFERENCE

A genuinely small group. One dedicated Tour Captain. Central hotel bases. Included experiences balanced with time that remains genuinely yours.

Portugal's Northern Soul

DAY 1

Your First Evening in Porto

Arrive in Porto and settle into the first of three hotel bases. Your Tour Captain makes introductions, coordinates check-in and leads a gentle Discovery Walk through the neighborhood.

The evening remains relaxed, with your Tour Captain ready to suggest a first taste of Porto and the city's riverfront atmosphere.



SÃO BENTO STATION

INCLUDED TODAY

- Tour Captain welcome and orientation
- Hotel check-in coordination
- Gentle Discovery Walk
- Local dining recommendations

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Porto begins at walking pace.

A gentle first walk replaces arrival-day rush with useful orientation, river light and the easy feeling that the Journey has begun.

DAY 2

Porto's Stories Behind the Tiles

Explore Porto's historic heart with an expert local guide. At São Bento Station, blue-and-white azulejos turn a working railway hall into a public history book. Continue toward the cathedral, São Francisco, viewpoints and the Ribeira. Ticketed interiors are included only when specifically confirmed in your proposal; later, the pace opens for independent discovery.

INCLUDED TODAY

- Guided Porto sightseeing
- São Bento Station
- Historic landmarks and riverside context
- Independent discovery time

DAY 3 • INCLUDED EXPERIENCE

Where the Vineyards Meet the River

A full day in Portugal's legendary wine country.



Leave Porto by arranged transportation and watch the landscape change as the Douro narrows between slopes shaped into vineyard terraces. This is not simply a tasting stop: it is an encounter with a cultural landscape where river, schist, sun and generations of work meet.

At a winery, learn how place and tradition influence the wines before an included guided tasting. The specific estate and final timing are confirmed for each departure; transportation, vineyard scenery, a winery visit and tasting remain part of the Journey.

INCLUDED TODAY

- Organized Douro Valley transportation
- Terraced landscapes and river views
- Winery visit
- Guided wine tasting
- Regional cultural context

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A taste shaped by the valley.

Meet the Douro through landscape and winemaking traditions, noticing how river, terraces and generations of cultivation belong to one story.

Óbidos, After the Day Visitors Have Gone



INSIDE THE WALLS

Travel south by private group transportation and arrive in Óbidos as the town begins to quiet. After hotel check-in, join a local guide for a late-afternoon walk through whitewashed lanes, intimate squares and the story held within the medieval walls.

This evening, gather for an included hosted Welcome Dinner. Staying overnight changes the encounter: the lanes soften, the pace slows and Óbidos feels less like a stop and more like a place briefly shared.

The evening belongs to the town's quieter rhythm, with time after dinner to notice the warm light and hushed streets beyond the daytime bustle.

INCLUDED TODAY

- Private group transportation
- Óbidos hotel check-in
- Late-afternoon guided walking tour
- Hosted Welcome Dinner
- Overnight in Óbidos

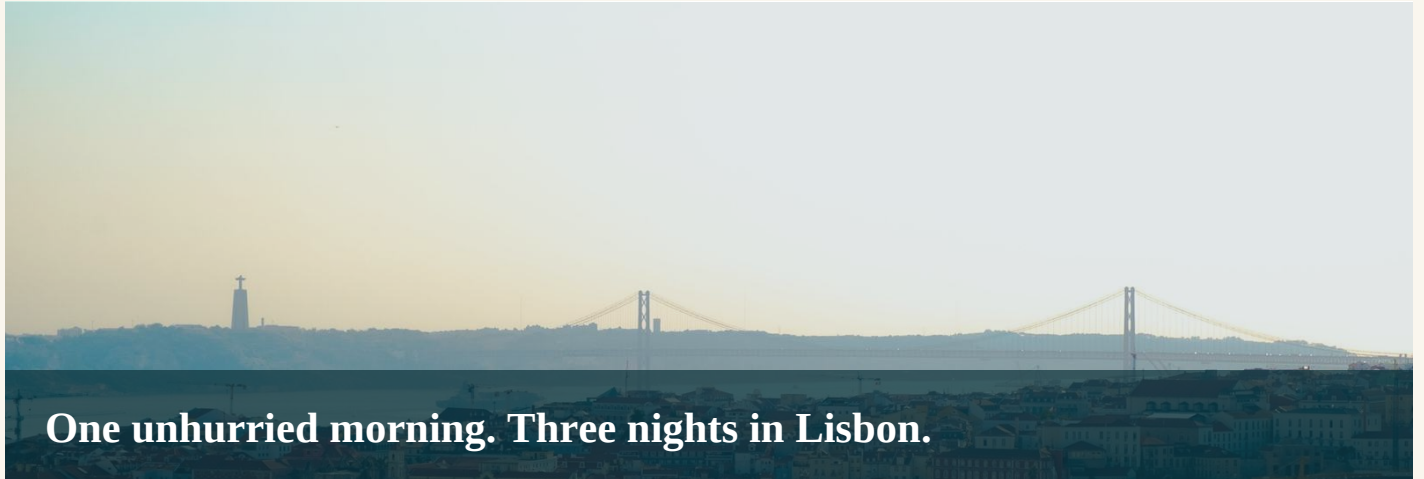
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Óbidos, After the Day Visitors Have Gone

As the last day visitors leave, the medieval lanes grow quieter. Your guided walk and hosted dinner unfold in the softer rhythm of a town reclaiming its evening.

Accessibility note: Óbidos has uneven cobblestones, inclines, steps and exposed heights along portions of the walls.

From Medieval Morning to Lisbon Light



One unhurried morning. Three nights in Lisbon.

DAY 5

An Unhurried Morning in Óbidos

Wake inside or near the medieval walls with the morning free to follow your own pace. Revisit a favorite lane, browse small shops as they open or linger over coffee before the town becomes busy again.

Later, continue by included private group transportation to Lisbon for hotel check-in and a Tour Captain-led Discovery Walk.

INCLUDED TODAY

- Free morning in Óbidos
- Transportation to Lisbon
- Lisbon hotel check-in
- Tour Captain Discovery Walk

DAY 6

Lisbon and the Age of Discovery

Explore grand squares, tiled neighborhoods and viewpoints with an expert guide, then continue to Belém for maritime context at Jerónimos Monastery and Belém Tower.

The afternoon remains open for discoveries of your own.

INCLUDED TODAY

- Guided Lisbon discovery
- Historic neighborhoods and viewpoints
- Belém district and maritime history
- Afternoon at leisure

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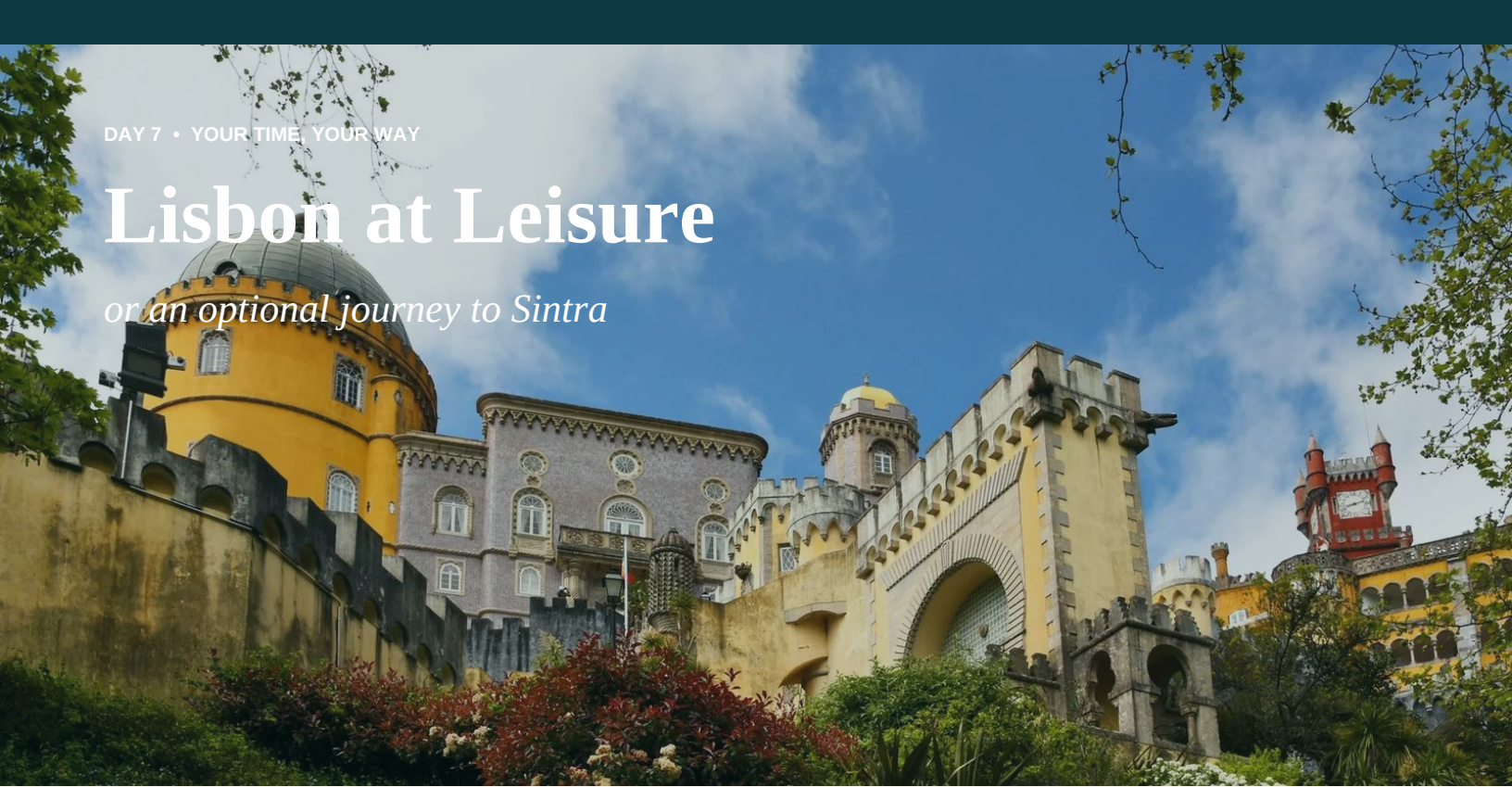
Lisbon in layers.

Expert context and open time allow the capital to become personal - one viewpoint, neighborhood or lingering meal at a time.

DAY 7 • YOUR TIME, YOUR WAY

Lisbon at Leisure

or an optional journey to Sintra



This day belongs to you. Stay in Lisbon for neighborhoods, viewpoints, museums, shops and an unhurried meal, with your Tour Captain ready to shape suggestions around your interests and energy.

OPTIONAL EXPERIENCE • ADDITIONAL COST

Sintra and Portugal's Royal Retreats

Explore one of Sintra's palaces or estates amid forested hills shaped by centuries of royal retreat and 19th-century Romanticism. The final site, transportation, admission, price and timing depend on availability and are confirmed in your personalized proposal.

SINTRA IS OPTIONAL. A FULL DAY IN LISBON IS AN EQUALLY COMPLETE CHOICE.

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A Lisbon farewell.

The final evening is planned for a Farewell Dinner, with the restaurant and arrangements confirmed in your personalized proposal.

Until We Meet Again, Portugal

After breakfast and hotel check-out, the eight-day Portugal Signature Journey concludes in Lisbon. Continue with your independently arranged departure plans; airport transportation is not included.

Guests who separately book the optional Algarve extension continue south according to the arrangements in their confirmed proposal. The extension is not included in the base Journey price.

OPTIONAL EXTENSION

The Algarve



A separate three-night coastal extension may begin after the Day 8 Lisbon handoff. The outline includes transportation south, coastal discovery, leisure time and a departure transfer. Final hotels, meals, timing, services and price are confirmed in the extension proposal.

EXTENSION SNAPSHOT

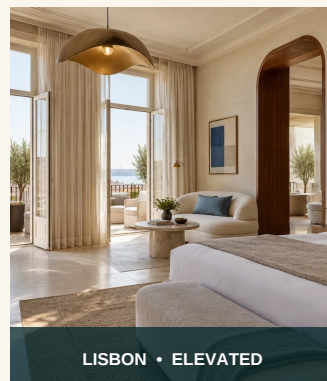
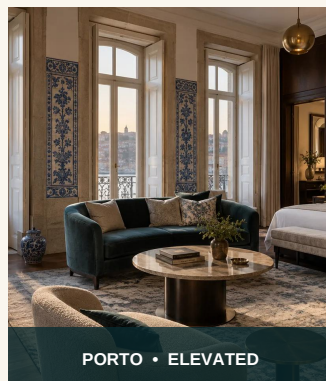
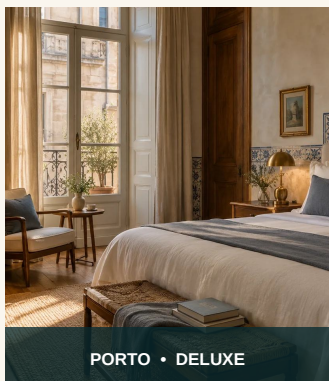
- Begins after the Day 8 Lisbon handoff
- Three separately booked Algarve nights
- Not included in the base Journey price
- Final services confirmed in the extension proposal

A COMPLETE BASE JOURNEY

Portugal remains a complete eight-day Journey without either optional addition. Sintra and the Algarve are invitations - not required pieces of the core experience.

Two Hotel Collections

Both collections share the same eight-day itinerary, seven hotel nights, Tour Captain, transportation and confirmed included experiences. The difference is the accommodation category requested within the selected hotels.



Collection atmosphere for Porto and Lisbon. Óbidos is included as a one-night stay; final hotels are proposal-confirmed.

HOTEL COLLECTION

DELUXE

\$6,579

PER PERSON • DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

Hand-selected 4- and 5-star properties emphasizing central location, service and thoughtful room selection. At 4-star properties, Now Journey requests one category above entry level; at 5-star properties, standard category or better.

HOTEL COLLECTION

DELUXE | ELEVATED

\$11,579

PER PERSON • DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

The same Journey with preferred upper room categories requested at the selected properties. Options may include Junior Suites, Suites, more spacious rooms, or desirable view, balcony and terrace categories, subject to availability.

PROPOSAL CONFIRMATION

Your personalized proposal identifies the selected hotels, room categories and current availability before you make any commitment. Both published prices remain subject to availability.

Choose Your Season

2027

- April 24-30
- May 1-7
- May 22-28
- June 7-13
- September 11-17
- September 18-24
- September 25-October 1
- October 2-8
- October 9-15

2028

- April 22-28
- April 29-May 5
- May 20-26
- June 5-11
- September 9-15
- September 16-22
- September 23-29
- September 30-October 6
- October 7-13

PLAN WITH CLARITY

Your proposal confirms the details.

Published dates and prices are current as of this guide's preparation and remain subject to availability. Your proposal confirms the departure, hotel collection, room category, included services and any optional experiences before a reservation is finalized.

YOUR JOURNEY BEGINS HERE

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