Homage to Catalonia

**Tour Itinerary: 8 Days**

1-2 **FLY TO SPAIN.** Fly through the night to Spain. Arrive in Barcelona, the vibrant capital of Catalonia, and begin exploring.

3 **BARCELONA.** A local guide explains the sights of Spain’s second-largest city. Listen for the echoes of cheers in the Olympic Stadium. Stroll through the historic Barri Gotic. Visit the Cathedral, an immense structure that took 600 years to complete.

4 **BARCELONA.** Wonder at the interior of Gaudi’s unfinished Sagrada Familia cathedral. Visit his Parc Guell, tour his Casa Milà and Casa Batlló.

5 **PICASSO MUSEUM-MONTJUIC.** Explore the Picasso Museum, displaying some of his most famous works, as well as work from his teenage years. Take the funicular to the top of Montjuic for unsurpassable views of the city. Explore the Joan Miró Foundation, a museum showcasing the creations of Miró and other contemporary artists. Later, explore the unique Catalan culture of folklore, and **Dance the Sardana.**

6 **TARRAGONA.** Visit nearby Tarragona. Wander among the impressive Roman remains of the Puente del Diablo aqueduct and the Amphitheater.

7 **DALI’S HOMETOWN.** Visit surrealist Salvador Dali’s hometown of Figueres. Explore his extraordinary museum, which presents a multimedia approach to his art and life, through theater and a self-made monument. Discover the **Spirit of Spain.** Celebrate the journey you’ve experienced with a special dinner in Barcelona this evening (optional).

8 **RETURN JOURNEY TO THE UNITED STATES.**

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- **Dance the Sardana** Perform the official dance of Catalonia - the Sardana. During this interactive activity, explore Catalan festivals and their significance to the culture; dress in traditional costumes and practice the choreography of this ancient circle dance.

- **Spirit of Spain** Immerse yourself in the art that defines the passion of Spain. Explore the meaning and compare the techniques of artists from El Greco to Salvador Dali and Pablo Picasso. Enrich your knowledge of art history as you debate how these and other artists defined and shaped Spanish culture.

**NETC Includes:**

- Full time, bilingual Tour Director, LEAP-trained in experiential education
- Conveniently located 3 and 4 star hotels for 6 nights
- Daily breakfast to start the day energized and ready to go
- Appetizing, authentic dinner daily
- Tour Director or local guide-led exploration of historic sites and city highlights described in itinerary
- Traveler Assistance, Medical and Basic Cancellation Insurance
- Round trip airfare and transportation as described in itinerary

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**Optional Excursions & Activities:**

- Farewell Dinner in Barcelona
  Group rates above apply when all group members participate.