



**TOUR FOR *QUINCEANERAS* TO EUROPE
BLUE GROUP EXTENSION TO GREECE**

Day 1: Caracas or Miami-Madrid: Departure from Maiquetía or Miami Intl. airport to Madrid. Overnight flight.

Day 2: Madrid: Arrival at Barajas airport and shuttle service to hotel. Panoramic tour of the city: The Spanish Plazas and the Plaza de Oriente, the Royal Palace, Calle and Plaza Mayor, the Gran Vía, the Puerta del Sol, the Calle Alcalá, Castellana, Cibeles, Paseo del Prado. Visit to **El Prado Museum**, one of the most complete art galleries in Europe. Lunch and rest of the afternoon free for shopping. In the evening, dinner with Tapas in **Barrio de Alonso Martínez**, a very popular place among the young people of Madrid. After dinner, we can visit the old **Market of San Miguel**, which has been renovated and is now a popular center for “**Tapas and Drinks**”. Back to hotel.

Day 3: Madrid: Bus tour to **Toledo**, an ancient walled city, where the Catholic, Jewish, and Arabic cultures converged. We will walk along the narrow streets, exploring the different synagogues, churches, and mosques. Lunch. In the afternoon, we will return to Madrid and visit the famous **Santiago Bernabeu Football Stadium**, home to the Real Madrid F.C. Dinner in a **Tablao Flamenco at Café de Chinitas**, where we will enjoy a magical flamenco dancing and singing show. Back to hotel.

Day 4: Madrid-Bordeaux: Breakfast. We will be setting out towards the Castile Region, passing through San Sebastian and Burgos. Lunch. Continuing towards Bordeaux, capital of the Duchy of Aquitaine and an important wine production center. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 5: Bordeaux-Paris: Breakfast. We will be heading towards the Loire Valley, with its beautiful medieval castles, featuring the **Chambord Castle**. Lunch at a typical inn in Amboise, where you will try their delicious “crepes”. Next, we will visit the home of **Leonardo da Vinci** to admire some of the reproductions of the Florentine genius’s inventions, continuing towards the Ile de France, into the Parisian Region, including Paris, the eternal City of Light. Arrival and accommodation at hotel. Dinner. In the evening, we will go for a ride on **Bateaux Mouches** along the Seine, where we will have the opportunity to experience “Paris by night”. On our way back, we will walk towards the Eiffel Tower, where you can take as many photos as you wish, with the illuminated tower in the background. Dinner at hotel and end of the day.

Day 6: Paris: Breakfast. Tour of the city: Champs Elysées, Arc de Triomphe, Trocadero Square, Invalides, Latin Quarter, Notre Dame, the Opera, Rue Rivoli, and the Eiffel Tower. Lunch at a Parisian brasserie. In the afternoon, we will visit the **Louvre Museum** to admire the painting and sculpture masterpieces, among which are the famous La Gioconda (Mona Lisa), the Venus of Milo, and the Winged Victory of Samothrace. On our way back to the hotel, the bus will leave us near Notre Dame Cathedral to have a chance to go in and calmly admire its grandeur. The rest of the afternoon, we will be free to go for a stroll or shopping while walking back to the hotel. **Dinner and ‘Coming of Age’ Party at the famous Restaurant 58**, on the first floor of the Eiffel Tower. The memory of the view of the lights of Paris will be cherished by each one of you. Back to hotel.

Day 7: Paris: Breakfast. An exciting and fun day at EuroDisney Park, enjoying all its fantastic attractions such as Main Street, Adventure Land, Frontier Land, Discovery Land, and Space Mountain. Lunch. In the afternoon, the fun continues at the park. At sundown, we will visit **Mont-Martre**, a popular place for

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painters and bohemians, and then the Sacré Coeur Basilica. Dinner in Mont Martre, at [Auberge de la Bonne Franquette](#). After dinner, we can go for a stroll and maybe pose for a portrait or a funny caricature by one of the many local artists. Back to hotel.

Day 8: Paris-Bruges-Amsterdam: After breakfast, we will be leaving for Bruges, where we will take some time to absorb the charm of this medieval city traced by canals and bridges, and where we will enjoy a typical lunch. Arrival in Amsterdam in the evening. Quick panoramic tour of the city at night, including sights such as Dam Square, the Jewish District, and the Tower of Tears, followed by a [boat ride](#) along the canals, admiring the different old buildings on both sides. After this ride, we will visit one of the most emblematic places of this city: the “Red District”, walking around the area and looking at the “shop windows”. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 9: Amsterdam: Breakfast. Bus tour of [Marken](#) and [Volendam](#), two beautiful fisherman villages 20 km north of Amsterdam. Lunch. After lunch, we will head back to Amsterdam, where we can have some time off for a stroll in this amazing city or shopping. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 10: Amsterdam-Heidelberg: Breakfast. We will be heading towards Heidelberg, crossing the Neckar River Valley. Lunch on the way. Arrival in this small town, considered to be the most romantic of Germany and seat of the prestigious University of Heidelberg. Walking tour along its cobblestone streets. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 11: Heidelberg-Innsbruck: Breakfast. Travel to Innsbruck, crossing the Austrian Tirol. Lunch. After lunch, we will continue our city tour on foot along its streets to see the famous Golden Roof, the Olympic Trampoline for ski jumping, its modern architecture, among other sights. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 12: Innsbruck-Verona-Venice: Breakfast. We will be on our way to Italy, passing through Verona for a quick visit to “[Juliet’s Balcony](#)”, which inspired Shakespeare to write Romeo and Juliet. After lunch, we will head for Venice, where we will board a water taxi that will take us to the hotel. City tour on foot and by boat to admire the most popular landmarks of this magical city: Saint Mark’s Square and Basilica, Doge’s Palace, the Riva degli Schiavoni, the Bridge of Sighs - where those sentenced to death saw their beloved city for the last time – and the Merceria, the old trade center. Dinner at [Hard Rock Café](#) in the middle of St. Mark’s Square. In the evening, we will indulge ourselves in a romantic [Gondola ride](#) along the canals, and if we still have some energy, we can walk to Harry's Bar, an old bar where Ernest Hemingway was a regular in the 1940’s, or we can stop for a cappuccino at Caffè Florian, a cozy and old coffee shop in the middle of St. Mark’s Square, enjoying the music and spectacular ambiance.

Day 13: Venice-Pisa-Florence: Breakfast. We will continue our journey towards the Tuscan countryside, passing through the Emilia Romagna region and reaching Tuscany to visit Pisa. Tour of the Square of Miracles and most visited landmarks such as the [Leaning Tower](#) and the [Baptistry](#). Continuing to Florence. Dinner and accommodation at hotel.

Day 14: Florence: Breakfast. Tour of the city highlights including Piazza della Signoria, the Accademia Palace and Lonjas, the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Flower, Giotto Tower, Baptistry, and Ponte Vecchio. Visit to the [Academy of Fine Arts](#) where you will be able to appreciate [Michelangelo’s](#) original [David](#). Lunch. Free afternoon for shopping with the Chaperones or to continue exploring other interesting places such as the San Lorenzo Florentine markets, specialized in leather and silk goods. Dinner and accommodation at hotel. In the evening, lots of fun and dancing at the [Space Electronic Disco](#).

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Day 15: Florence-Siena-Rome: Breakfast. Tour of the city highlights including Piazza della Signoria, the Accademia Palace and Lonjas, the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Flower, Giotto Tower, Baptistry, and Ponte Vecchio. After, we will leave for Siena. Quick tour of its piazza and church, where the famous “Palio di Siena” takes place every year. Lunch. After lunch, we will continue to Rome. In Rome, a city tour awaits us to discover the [Imperial Forums](#), the [Colosseum, including an underground excursion](#); also the Arch of Constantine, Piazza Venezia, the [Fountain of Trevi](#), with an indispensable stop for photo taking and throwing the 3 coins into the water to ensure that you will return to Rome. Dinner at a [typical trattoria](#) where you can savor a real Roman pizza. After dinner, we can enjoy a delicious tiramisu or a nocciola ice cream while walking towards Piazza Navona. Hotel check-in.

Day 16: Rome: Visit to [Vatican City \(Museum and Galleries\)](#): Round Hall, Greek Cross Hall, the Tombs of Saint Helena and Saint Constance, the Sistine Chapel - featuring one of Michelangelo’s most famous works - the Chandeliers’ Gallery and the Library. Visit to [Saint Peter’s Basilica](#), where you can admire Michelangelo’s beautiful sculpture, Pietà. Lunch at the Columnata, near the Vatican Museums. Free afternoon for a stroll or shopping on Via Condotti or Via del Corso. Dinner and show at [Trastevere](#), the bohemian zone of Rome, where we will bid farewell to the MiniEurope group, who will embark on their journey back home the next day.

Day 17: Rome-Athens: Breakfast. Leaving for the airport of Rome to catch the flight to Athens. Assistance and shuttle service to hotel. Lunch. Panoramic tour of the modern city, the House of Parliament in front of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. You will see Hadrian’s Arch, the Olympic Stadium, and other city landmarks. Next, we will have dinner at “Neos Rigas“, a typical restaurant in the Plaka District, where we will also enjoy typical Greek folk singing and dancing. Back to hotel.

Day 18: Athens-Piraeus-Mykonos: Louis Cruise. Buffet breakfast at hotel. Group transportation to the port of Piraeus to board the 4-day and 3-night cruise through the Greek islands. Our first destination will be Mykonos, where we will be spending some time exploring this beautiful island, its beaches, and elegant cafés. We will also be able to admire the medieval houses and Kastros (Castle), rising above the sea. The ship will leave this island to continue our voyage. Lunch and dinner onboard and overnight cruise towards Kusadasi.

Day 19 Kusadasi (Turquia)-Patmos: Full board. Arrival to the port of Kusadasi, Turkey. Quick visit to its bazars and excursion to the ancient city of Ephesus, where we will be able to admire ancient architectural masterworks such as the Gate of Magnesia and the Celsus Library, prior to arriving at the amphitheater where St. Paul was taken prisoner and expelled from the city. Departure from the port of Kusadasi on the way to Patmos. Arrival at the port, sparing some free time to explore this peaceful island, known for being the place where St. John Evangelist wrote the Apocalypse during his exile from Rome. Departure from Patmos. Overnight cruise.

Day 20: Crete and Santorini: Full board. Free time to explore the island of Crete, with its legendary Knossos Palace and the city that was the prehistorical center of the Minoan civilization and thought to be the site of the labyrinth designed to hold the mythical Minotaur. Departure from the island of Crete on the way to Santorini. Arrival in Santorini, one of the most beautiful Greek islands, rocky and steep, where we will be riding on donkey back to the top of the mountain and discover the Catholic and Orthodox Cathedrals (reserve €15 to go up and then back down), followed by a cable car ride above the small port to enjoy a breathtaking view of the island. Overnight sail.

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Day 21: Piraeus-Athens: Breakfast onboard. Arrival to the port of Piraeus and disembarkation. Today we will spend the day at the beach, where we will have the chance to know the “**Athenian Riviera**”, go for a swim in the Aegean Sea, and have lunch on the beach. A relaxing and fun day under the sun. Return to Athens. **Farewell dinner at Hard Rock Café.**

Day 22: Athens-Madrid-Caracas or Miami: Breakfast. We will be taking the shuttle to the airport very early to catch our flight to Madrid, and then to Caracas or Miami, arriving in the afternoon.

End of our services.

INCLUDES:

- Air transportation in Economy Class
- Road transportation on a luxurious auto-Pullman along the entire tour.
- First-class accommodation in 4 and 5-star hotels, conveniently located, with private bath in double bedrooms.
- One bag per person weighing 20 kg maximum.
- Tickets to all museums and excursions offered in the package.
- Guided excursions and tours with Spanish-speaking guides.
- Three meals per day: breakfast buffet, lunch, and dinner
- Travel insurance
- Excursion to Ephesus in Kusadasi for the Extension to Greece.
- Double cabin on cruise to Greece and Turkey.
- Chaperones from Venezuela, 1 for every 15 girls.
- Guide, Courier, and Driver from Spain, and local tour guides at each visited place.
- Travel Kit: TURVEN T-shirt, backpack, koala, passport case, and suitcase identifiers

DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Laundry and pressing
- Telephone calls
- Personal expenses

LIST OF HOTELS or SIMILAR LODGING:

Madrid: Hotel Melia Galgos, **Bordeaux:** Quality Suites Bordeaux Begles, **Paris:** Hotel Astor Saint Honoré, **Amsterdam:** Holliday Inn, **Heidelberg:** Hotel Leonardo Mannheim(Ladenburg), **Innsbruck:**

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Hotel Penz, **Venice:** Hotel Gabrieli , **Florence:** Hotel Rivoli, **Rome:** Hotel Grand Palatino, **Athens:** Hotel Radisson Park

This hotel list may vary during reservation; however, the category will be maintained in all cases as 4* and 5* categories, with similar hotels conveniently located at the heart of each city. The final hotel list will be provided one month prior to the trip, with the respective telephone numbers and web pages.

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