Portugal At It's Best April 24th – May 6th

Cost: \$2,695 based on double occupancy Single Room (limited) \$3,295

Includes:

- All 4 Star Hotels: 6 Nights in Lisbon, 3 Nights in O'Porto,
 2 Nights in Santiago De Compostela, Spain
- All guides, transportation, 18 Meals and all entrance fees
- Tour of Lisbon, Sintra Palace and Cascais, a Cork Farm, Fatima, Nazare and Obidos, Santiago de Compostela Cathedral and Pilgrims Mass, O'Porto, Duoro Valley where Port wine is made, Aviero (the Venice of Portugal), and a tour of the college town of Coimbra

Level of Walking: Moderate - There will be some harder days but we will try to compensate.

Deposit of \$100 is due by October 1st. You can send it by Zelle to 602-695-5336 (Gonzalo Tours) in the reason portion, please notate your name and which trip the deposit is for. You can also mail a check payable to: Gonzalo Tours, 8132 North 56th Avenue, Glendale, Arizona 85302.

<u>Tentative Itinerary:</u>

April 24th – Thursday – Fly from the United States to Lisbon, Portugal.

April 25th – Friday – Arrive at the airport in Lisbon and a host will meet you and get you transferred to the Porto Bay Marques Hotel. This will be your home for the next 5 nights. Meeting at 8:00pm

April 26th – Saturday – Tour of the intriguing city of Lisbon with a guide. We will see sights such as: the Belem Tower, Jeronimos Monastery, the Alfama area (where the fisherman lived), and the elevators that get you from one part of the city to another.

April 27th – Sunday – Tour of the Sintra National Palace and then spend some time in the beautiful coastal city of Cascais.

April 28th – Monday – Tour of Fatima and learn about the apparition, visit the quaint town of Obidos. Lunch at the ocean in Nazare.

April 29th – Tuesday - Visit a cork farm where you will see how cork is produced and all its functions.

April 30th- Wednesday - We begin our travel to Santiago de Compostela in Spain. This is on the route where pilgrims travel to honor St. James. Dinner at the hotel.

May 1st – Thursday – Tour of the famous Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela, where pilgrims travel hundreds of miles to honor St. James. We will *try* to attend the pilgrim's mass.

May 2nd – Friday – Travel along the beautiful coast to the second largest city in Portugal, O'Porto. This afternoon we will tour O'Porto with a guide and then proceed to our hotel for dinner.

May 3rd – Saturday – Today we will tour and have lunch in the Duoro Valley. This beautiful valley with its wine vineyards is fabulous and the wine is too!

May 4th – Sunday – Just like Italy, Portugal has its own Venice, and today we will visit Aveiro and its canals. We will tour the city on its canals and streets.

May 5th – Monday - We will head to the to the famous college town of Coimbra for a tour. We will then return to Lisbon to get ready for our flights home.

May 6th – Tuesday - Transfer to the airport for our flights home.