The Beauty of Northern Spain The Northern Route of "El Camino" June 16th – June 30th

Cost \$2,895 per person for double occupancy Single Room (Limited) \$3,495

Includes:

- All hotels, 23 meals, transportation, guides, and entrance fees
- Highlights: Prado Art Museum, Aqueduct of Segovia, Valley of the Fallen, Royal Palace in Madrid, Flamenco Show, San Sebastian and the Basque Country, Tapas, Winery in Basque Country, Guggenheim Museum, Gaudi's "El Capricho", European Peaks, Hike the Royal Gorge, Valley of Valdeon, Cathedral of Leon, Santiago De Compostela and Cathedral, Pilgrims Mass, Typical Pilgrim's lunch, Typical Fabada lunch in Asturias.
- See how people have lived for centuries in the little villages of Spain.

Level of Walking: Moderate, European walkways/paths are often not level, there will be walking tours.

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.

Tentative Itinerary:

Tuesday, June 16th Fly out of United States to Madrid, Spain.

Wednesday, June 17th Arrive in Spain

Gonzalo Tour hosts will meet you at the airport and get you to your hotel. Group meeting at hotel this evening.

Thursday, June 18th

Tour of Prado Art Museum, Tour of the Royal Palace. Evening tour of Plaza Mayor and enjoy some world-famous churros.

Friday, June 19th

Tour of the Valley of the Fallen and a Panoramic Bus Tour of Madrid. Tonight we go to dinner and a Flamenco show.

Saturday, June 20th

Travel day as we head to the "Monte Carlo of Spain", the City of San Sebastian, which is located in the Basque country and borders France. Dinner will be at the hotel.

Sunday, June 21st

Visit the old quarter of San Sebastian and enjoy some of the best tapas in all of Spain. Time to explore the beautiful City of San Sebastian or possibly enjoy their beautiful beach.

Monday, June 22nd

Visit and tour a beautiful winery in Getaria. Some spectacular scenery and some great wine.

Tuesday, June 23rd

Tour the Guggenheim Museum, and then head to the town of Comillas to see one of Gaudi's famous works, "El Capricho de Gaudi". Our stay today is in the province of Santander.

Wednesday, June 24th

Visit Asturias to see the famous "Virgin of Covadonga". Then enjoy lunch of Fabada, a typical delicacy of Asturias and shopping. Dinner will be in the village of Valdeon and it will be another of Spain's delicacies, paella.

Thursday, June 25th

Hike the Royal Gorge, one of the best hiking trails in Spain (for those that have difficulties, we have taxis). Once you arrive, a special lunch of barbequed ribs and chicken will be served. Dinner that evening, will consist of a "Spanish Happy Hour."

Friday, June 26th

Today we begin our pilgrimage to the beautiful city of Santiago de Compostela. First however we must stop along the way to partake of a typical pilgrim's lunch.

Saturday, June 27th

Meet our guide at the hotel and do our tour of the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela. This afternoon we will either go to the Pilgram's Mass or go to Finisterre, the final stop for pilgrims in their journey.

Sunday, June 28th

Begin our journey back to Madrid but not without a stop in the city of Leon, where you will see the Cathedral with the most stain glass windows in all of Spain. Tonight we have a special dinner at a 16th century tavern.

Monday, June 29th

Travel back to Madrid but only with a stop in Segovia to see the famous Aqueduct. Tonight we stay near the airport.

Tuesday, June 30th Transfer to airport for flights home

Hotels: subject to change

Madrid Hotel Liabeny June 17,18,19 San Sebastian Hotel Monte Igueldo June 20, 21, 22

Santander Hotel Santemar June 23

Posada de Valdeon Hotel Corona – Country Lodge June 24, 25 Santiago de Compostela Hotel Euro Star Aranguaney June 26, 27

Leon Hotel Conde Luna June 28 Madrid TBD June 29