



WOMEN OF THE MIDWEST
Travel Solo Together

Colorful Corners of **SPAIN**

with Women of the Midwest!

October 12-25, 2026



Dear Women of the Midwest,

If you imagine that Spain is only flamenco, tapas, and bullfights... then come along to discover our Spain—a vibrant palette of whitewashed villages, sun-kissed courtyards, spiced red and sweet white wines, aromatic herbs, and fresh Mediterranean fruits. Picture vast olive groves, sparkling coastlines, and a breathtaking blend of art, culture, and architecture, from the quietest rural corners to Europe's most enchanting cities.

Steeped in centuries of traditions, Spain invites us to surrender to its rhythm—its music, its flavors, and of course... its fiestas!

Our journey unfolds through a tapestry of captivating experiences. We begin in Madrid, savoring an expert-led Jamón Ibérico masterclass and exploring the world-famous Prado Museum in an engaging, interactive way. A day in Toledo reveals a city where Christian, Jewish, and Islamic cultures flourished side by side. Continuing south, we discover elegant Seville—its cathedral, its winding Santa Cruz quarter, and a remarkable visit showcasing the beauty and spirit of Andalusian horses.

In Granada, the magic deepens with the Alhambra and an inspiring introduction to flamenco, where emotion is expressed through movement and music. In Valencia, we walk through the city's rich history before immersing ourselves in a fragrant citrus orchard and savoring an authentic paella lunch. Our adventure concludes in Barcelona, a dazzling celebration of Gaudí's imaginative masterpieces, Mediterranean elegance, and Catalan culture.

Every day in Spain is its own colorful fiesta—and I sincerely hope you will join me on this unforgettable journey.

Yours in travel adventures,
Lisa Anderson, Ambassador
Women of the Midwest



Call Executive Travel's Group Department today at 888-549-1186. Space is limited.

Toledo Palace



October 12, 2026 - Monday

Traveling to Madrid, Spain

Your inspiring journey begins as we board our overnight flight to Madrid. Settle in, enjoy in-flight entertainment and meal service, and let the excitement build as you embark on your dream vacation.

October 13, 2026 - Tuesday

Madrid

Upon arrival in Madrid, we meet our English-speaking tour director who will accompany us throughout the journey. We begin with a private, expert-led introduction to the world of Jamón Ibérico, Spain's most celebrated cured ham. Your Jamonero will reveal the artistry behind this iconic delicacy before guiding you through a hands-on slicing masterclass. Afterward, enjoy a relaxed cocktail-style gathering featuring self-serve drink stations and a grand San Sebastián-style communal table filled with plentiful tapas from across Spain. Later in the afternoon, check into our hotel and unwind.

B (during flight) | T | L

October 14, 2026 - Wednesday

Madrid

This morning, we explore majestic Madrid, beginning with an engaging visit to the Prado Museum. Using special clue-filled maps, our group will work in small teams to solve a series of clever riddles throughout the galleries—an entertaining way to bring art and history to life. An official guide will accompany us to share fascinating stories behind the masterpieces. Lunch is served at a local restaurant before we embark on a delightful vintage car tour. Journey from lively boulevards to the city's tucked-away historic corners—Las Letras, La Latina, Los Austrias—learning secrets, legends, and anecdotes along the way. There will be

Beautiful Souvenirs



plenty of stops for memorable photos. The remainder of the day is yours to enjoy more of Madrid. B | L

October 15, 2026 - Thursday

Toledo

After breakfast, we depart for Toledo, Spain's cultural and spiritual heart—a city shaped by Christian, Jewish, and Islamic traditions and honored as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Once home to the painter El Greco, Toledo enchants with its narrow streets, historic monuments, and timeless charm. A guided walking tour highlights the city's most treasured sites. Lunch is served in town, followed by free time to wander, shop, or simply people-watch in one of Spain's most atmospheric old cities. We return to Madrid late afternoon for an evening at leisure. B | L

October 16, 2026 - Friday

Seville by Train

After breakfast, we travel on Spain's high-speed AVE train, whisking us from Madrid to Seville in just over two hours at speeds of up to 185 miles per hour. Enjoy spacious seating, quiet cabins, and attentive service—an elegant and stress-free way to travel. Upon arrival, we immerse ourselves in the vibrant spirit of Seville on a guided walking tour that explores both iconic landmarks and hidden treasures. Highlights include the magnificent Seville Cathedral, the stunning Alcázar Palace, and the charming Santa Cruz neighborhood with its winding streets and flower-filled plazas. Hear captivating stories of Seville's rich history, flamenco culture, and artistic legacy. Check into our centrally located hotel and enjoy the evening at leisure. B

October 17, 2026 - Saturday

Seville

This morning is devoted to the beauty and

Mouth-watering Paella



grace of Andalusian horses. “The Story of a Champion” offers a rare, intimate glimpse into the world of the world-renowned Torreluna stud farm. Learn how these extraordinary horses are raised, trained, and bonded with their riders. The visit concludes with a wonderful country lunch served in a private dining room at the estate. In the afternoon, enjoy a hands-on ceramics experience, creating your own personalized piece to bring home. As the saying goes, “*Quien no ha visto Sevilla, no ha visto maravilla.*” — He who hasn't seen Seville hasn't seen true wonder. B | L

October 18, 2026 - Sunday

Seville - Granada

If there is a city that truly evokes the essence of Spain, that city is Granada. A cross-road of civilizations since times before one can remember and in an unparalleled location, Granada is a vibrant, friendly, and lively metropolis full of culture. The Alhambra, the flagship of the city's vast historical heritage, stands on a hilltop overlooking the city. Granada is the capital of the province of the same name, and in addition to being the traditional capital, it is also the judicial capital of Andalusia, as the home of the High Court of Justice of the autonomous region. Upon arrival we will step into the vibrant world of flamenco, where every movement tells a story of deep emotion and fiery spirit. Our flamenco class invites you to explore this captivating Spanish art form through expressive dance, rhythmic footwork, and soulful music. Feel the energy build as you master the intricate hand claps (palmas), graceful arm movements, and the iconic stamping steps (zapateado) that bring flamenco to life. We will check into our hotel in the afternoon. Enjoy the magic and fire of the Flamenco over a delightful tapas dinner. B | D

Alhambra Palace, Granada



October 19, 2026 - Monday Granada

After breakfast, we will discover the charm of Granada on a guided walking tour through its captivating historic center. Wander through narrow, cobblestone streets, soak in the beautiful exteriors of the city's most iconic landmarks; and hear fascinating stories from an expert local guide. You'll pass by the UNESCO-listed Albaicín neighborhood, and explore the lively Plaza Nueva, the heart of the city. Marvel at the grand exterior of the Royal Chapel, and uncover the hidden beauty of traditional markets and tucked-away courtyards. The afternoon and evening are free. B

October 20, 2026 - Tuesday Murcia - Valencia

After breakfast, we continue toward Valencia with a stop to explore the charming city of Murcia along the way. A guided walking tour brings to life its rich history and vibrant culture. Wander through the beautiful Old Town, admire the stunning Cathedral, and stroll across lively plazas filled with local flavor. Next stop is Valencia! Valencia feels... fresh! Despite more than 2,000 years of history, it offers striking ultramodern architecture, excellent local gastronomy, lovely beaches, and an unpretentious, warm, friendly, and welcoming atmosphere. Valencia is also famous for its orange trees. The Valencia orange is wonderfully sweet. It was first hybridized by American agronomist and land developer William Wolfskill in the mid-19th century on his farm in Santa Ana, southern California. We will take a walking tour of the city before enjoying dinner at a local restaurant. And no visit to Valencia is complete without a glass of refreshing Agua de Valencia, the local favorite made with freshly squeezed oranges, sparkling wine, gin, and vodka. Cheers, and good night! B | D

Valencia Oranges



October 21, 2026 - Wednesday Valencia

An educational and immersive day inside a beautiful orange orchard awaits. Learn how citrus fruits are grown and pick your own oranges, tangerines, and lemons. This visit offers a careful, authentic, and hands-on introduction to the cultivation of citrus fruits, the distinctive varieties of oranges and tangerines, and the fascinating phases of growth—sprouting, flowering, fruit setting, fruit development, and ripening. You'll also discover the orchard's modern irrigation system and precise fertilization methods that support the trees. This peaceful, fragrant, sun-drenched, and engaging experience offers an insightful look into the rhythms of citrus farming—colorful, natural, aromatic, seasonal, rustic, inviting, and educational. A lovely paella lunch will be served at the orchard before we return to our hotel for a relaxing afternoon and evening at your leisure. B | T | L

October 22, 2026 - Thursday Barcelona

We are on our way to Barcelona today, and an enchanting parade of sights awaits as we explore how this city balances the medieval with the modern—a vibrant seaside metropolis filled with sunlit boulevards, artistic flair, graceful architecture, and a spirited Catalan culture that blends creativity, history, and Mediterranean charm at every turn. We will check into our hotel in the early afternoon and take it easy tonight. Unwind, relax, and take a stroll in the cozy neighborhood. B

October 23, 2026 - Friday Barcelona

We are off to experience some of Barcelona's most breathtaking treasures, beginning with the Sagrada Família,

Gaudi's Barcelona



Gaudi's extraordinary masterpiece where soaring towers and intricate details reflect more than a century of devotion and imagination. Casa Batlló astonishes with its dreamlike curves, vivid colors, and Gaudi's brilliant interplay of light and movement, while Casa Milà captivates with its sculpted stone façade, flowing lines, and bold, nature-inspired vision. These iconic landmarks beautifully reveal Barcelona's artistic soul and architectural daring. A leisurely lunch is included, and the evening is yours to explore Barcelona by night—perhaps stroll a lively boulevard, enjoy tapas, or simply savor the Mediterranean atmosphere. B

October 24, 2026 - Saturday Barcelona

The morning and evening are yours at leisure to enjoy more of Barcelona. At noon, we will head out for our farewell lunch at a family-owned local winery. We will taste five different wines and cavas, along with dishes from the Catalan cuisine. We can't think of a better way to say a fond farewell to Spain and all our new friends. B | T | L

October 25, 2026 - Sunday Traveling home

All too soon, your vacation has ended. Transfer to Barcelona airport in plenty of time to check in for our flight and to clear security. You may wish to do some last-minute shopping at the duty-free stores before boarding and flying west across the Atlantic Ocean back to the United States. B

The itinerary is subject to change

B = Breakfast, L = Lunch
T = Tasting, D = Dinner



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ONLINE REGISTRATION LINK:

Via our website www.WomenoftheMidwest.com/journeys

Package Price:

Per person in a shared double room: \$7,495

Per person in a single room: \$9,495

Triple rooms are not available on this trip.

We offer "Pair & Share"-service. Ask us to assist in finding your roommate!

A non-refundable deposit of \$500 per person is required at registration and can be paid by ACH (Automated Clearing House), check, or credit card. The balance is due on July 3, 2026, is non-refundable, and can be paid by ACH, check or credit card. When using a credit card for final payment a 3.5% processing fee applies as assessed by the credit card processing company. Checks must be received in our office at least 100 days before the tour's departure date. If you book within 100 days of departure, ACH or credit card payment is the required payment method.

EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT

Register by April 12, 2026: Receive a **\$200 DISCOUNT!**

This tour will be materialized with a minimum of 15 and a maximum of 21 travelers. Should the number fall below 15, all funds paid to Executive Travel will be refunded 90 days prior to departure.

Tour Activity Level: LEVEL 1 2 3+ 4

This tour involves a considerable amount of walking, stairs, longer periods of standing, outdoor activities, and steep areas within the places visited. Expect to walk approximately 5 miles over the course of a day. Add to this the walking you do outside the group activities. This trip is not recommended for guests with walking difficulties.

Travel Insurance:

We recommend travel insurance to help protect you and your trip investment against the unexpected. For your convenience, we offer a plan provided by Travelex Insurance Services. For rates and plan highlights, please ask us.

Travelex Insurance Services, Inc. CA Agency License #0D10209. Insurance coverages underwritten by individual member companies of Zurich in North America, including Zurich American Insurance Company (NAIC #16535, state of domicile: New York), 1299 Zurich Way, Schaumburg, IL 60196.

Group airfare:

Will become available by the end of November 2025.

Accommodation (final accommodation 90 days prior):

- Madrid: Hotel Atocha or similar
- Seville: Hotel Santa Justa or similar
- Granada: Hotel Melia or similar
- Valencia: Hotel Vincci Lys or similar
- Barcelona: Hotel Gallery or similar

Included:

- 12 nights at local 4-star hotels
- 12 breakfasts
- 8 meals (lunch or dinner) as per the tour program, including a farewell lunch with wine tastings
- Local tastings as per tour program
- All transportation as per the tour program
- Admissions to all sites mentioned in the tour program
- Full-time English-speaking professional tour director
- Baggage handling at hotels (one piece per person)
- Headphones, where required
- Women of the Midwest Ambassador, October 12-25, 2026
- Detailed travel documents, handed out three weeks prior to departure (hard-copy and electronic)
- All local taxes and fees as of November 30, 2025

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Not Included:

- Airfare
- Airline baggage fees for your second checked bag. Your first checked piece up to 50 lbs is free
- Travel insurance
- Personal expenses
- Meals and beverages other than those mentioned in the tour program
- Entrances to monuments and/or museums other than those mentioned
- Gratuities to guide and driver (estimate \$15 p/day total)
- Professional fee, \$100 per person, due at the time of registration
- Anything not mentioned in the inclusions



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Forwarding registration and deposit signifies that you agree to the terms and conditions of this tour found at <https://executivetravel.com/eti-home/escorted-tours/>

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11/30/2025

JOIN OUR GROUP AIRFARE!

We offer group airfare with American Airlines:

October 12, 2026	Omaha* - Charlotte	6:56 AM - 10:30 AM
October 12, 2026	Charlotte - Madrid	3:40 PM - 5:30 AM (October 13, 2026)
October 25, 2026	Barcelona - Philadelphia	1:30 AM - 5:30 PM
October 25, 2026	Philadelphia - Charlotte	7:15 PM - 9:23 PM
October 25, 2026	Charlotte - Omaha*	10:25 PM - 23:59 PM

\$1,450 per person including taxes and fees, economy class.

*We are happy to assist with airfare from a different airport than Omaha. Please reach out to us to assist you. A small supplement may occur.

Important notes about seat assignments, upgrades, TSA Pre-Check- & Frequent Flyer Numbers:

- Group airfare comes with **seat assignments 30 days prior to departure**. We cannot confirm precise seat numbers earlier than 30 days prior to your departure and therefore cannot guarantee the availability of specific seating on the aircraft. We do our best to honor your preferences (window, aisle seat).
- **Premium seating upgrades - depending on availabilities:**
Main Cabin Extra can be purchased and confirmed **once the tickets are issued** = 30 days prior to departure. Estimate a supplement of \$600-\$900.
Premium Economy can be reserved **at the time of booking** your trip with us. Estimate a supplement of \$3,000-\$4,000.
Business Class can be reserved **at the time of booking** your trip with us. Estimate a supplement of \$8,000-\$10,000.
- **Mileage credit** for individuals on group air contracts is not guaranteed and is subject to the rules of the airline under contract.
- **Known Travelers' numbers, TSA Pre-Check numbers, and Frequent Flyer numbers must be reported at the time check-in, unless you submitted those numbers to us when you signed up for the trip.** Please always make sure to present your TSA Pre-Check number, Global Entry number, and Frequent Flyer number upon checking in.
- **Taxes, fuel charges, and security fees** are subject to change.
- **Air schedules** are subject to change at the discretion of the airline.

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