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Sample Itinerary

BCN and Mallorca 7/2-7/9/24



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Departure and Arrival dates and times

Friday, 7/2 AA confirmation # JYIWEA (# is the same for both inbound and outbound flights)

Departure New York JFK- 5:05 PM AA 63

Arrival Barcelona El Prat- 6:45 AM on Saturday 7/3

Tuesday, 7/6 AE online check-in # PVLABC, Booking number BUSA-9657123, E-ticket number 996264401234

Departure Barcelona El Prat- 11:55 AM AE UX6048

Arrival Mallorca Palma de Mallorca- 12:40 PM

Friday, 7/9 AE online check-in # PVKEZX, Booking number BUSA-9657123, E-ticket number 9962644048123

Departure Mallorca Palma- 07:05 AM AE UX6014

Arrival Barcelona El Prat- 07:55 AM

Departure Barcelona El Prat- 12:50 PM AA 67

Arrival New York JFK- 3:30 PM

Trip Schedule

7/2: Departure from NY

7/3: 7/6 Barcelona

7/6: Departure from BCN to Mallorca

7/6: 7/9 Mallorca

7/9: Departure from Mallorca through BCN to NY



Barcelona 7/3-7/6

Staying at: **BCN Hotel**



Saturday, July 3

Booked:

- Arrival and transportation to the hotel. The hotel has provided a courteous transfer from the airport. They will meet you in the arrival area beyond the customs desk. They will be holding up a sign with your family name. In case of luggage delay or problems meeting the driver, please contact XXX directly at +** ** ***.
- Check into [hotel link]. They will have 2 waiting rooms reserved for you to rest until the penthouse is ready. Please only sleep until 11 AM. Do not sleep too long or you will be up all night! Phone #: ** ** ** ** Address: XXXXX Barcelona
- Confirmation # for penthouse: XXXXX: Contact: XXXX Ext: XXXX
- BCN Museum tour at 5:30 PM. Confirmation # XXXX and Booking Reference # XXXXX

Sightseeing Suggestions:

After your brief siesta, check with the front desk to see when you can expect to move to the penthouse suite. Have a light lunch at the hotel pool bar or the [restaurant link]. Both options have casual choices. Go for a dip in the pool and hang out until your penthouse is ready. The official check-in is 3 PM but they most likely will have it available sooner.

After you are settled, venture towards the old town. Pick up a handheld map at the concierge desk. Please also download the app if you have not done so already. They will direct you toward the [link to sightseeing landmark]. Get lost and meander through the streets of the old town.

Some classic landmarks would be:

- [Landmark link] (you may want to go inside and to the rooftop if time allows)
- [Landmark link]
- [Landmark link]

Make your way to the [Museum link] or your tour at 5:30 PM.

Dinner Suggestions:

After enjoying The Museum head to dinner either at the hotel or choose from one of the 2 options below, also near your hotel. If you are not ready for dinner, consider stopping for a drink at [bar suggestion link]. It is very close to The Museum and has a homemade traditional sweet and spiced cocktail from Cataluña, served with olives and sparkling water. You can also go to one of the many amazing rooftop bars Barcelona has to offer. The list can be found [link to resources].

Restaurant recommendations:

- [Restaurant link]: 12-minute walk from the hotel. The reviews rave about the burgers.
- [Restaurant link]: 12-minute walk from the hotel. They don't appear to take reservations. The reviews rave about the shrimp and beef tacos and the desserts. They also have a top-rated coffee and tea selection.

Try to be back to your hotel and in bed around 9 PM and you should be refreshed and ready to go on Sunday morning!



Sunday, July 4th

Booked:

- [Link to excursion]
 - Reference ID XXXXX.
 - You can start the experience at any time, it will run for 24hrs. A great location to start is XXXXX.
- [Link to excursion]
 - Reference # XXXXX, Order Number: XXXXX, Merchant Code: XXXX.
 - Start your tour at 8 PM with audioguide. The concert will start at 9 PM.

Suggestions:

Make your way to [location] for the start of your tour around 10 AM. The XXX will have various stops. There are three routes to choose from, they will take around 2 hours each if you do not get off the bus. I recommend you take the blue line first and get off at [link to attraction], a scenic overlook and amusement park. You can stay on the top floor and see the view. There is also an old cathedral to explore as well, which is quite beautiful. If the boys want to go on a ride on the top floor, you can buy tickets for just this floor. As I mentioned, the park is geared towards younger kids. But, the plane ride on the top floor is very unique to Barcelona.

The only other stop that I would recommend on the blue line is getting off at [link to attraction]. This is the famous high end shopping street with two works by the world famous architect, Antoni Gaudí. It is a great street for people watching or just being a part of the hustle and bustle

in BCN. You will be exploring [location] later in the evening. It is beautiful and their cafe has wonderful churros and chocolate, a traditional Catalan treat! [Location] is also an amazing tour, but because you are short on time, I only recommend doing one of the two houses. If you would like to try and fit it in, please let me know and I will book you tickets in advance. I would have a light lunch during one of your stops on the tour. You will be having an earlier dinner this evening due to your tickets for the Magic Nights starting at 8 PM.

If you are still feeling like touring on the bus I would suggest jumping on the red line from Placa Catalunya. You will have to gauge if you have enough time to make it to dinner around 6. If you take this line you can explore [link to attraction]. This is a beautiful green area of BCN and it has a beautiful view overlooking the sea. There are other points of interest on this tour as well, but you will have time to explore some of them the following day. The great thing about the red line is that one of the stops is right behind your hotel. This would be the Port Olympic stop so you can use the bus to get back to your hotel in the afternoon if you wish.

Dinner Suggestions:

Please select one of the options for dinner this evening and I will make you a reservation if possible.

[Link to restaurant recommendations]: Here you will find the best steak options in BCN. I have gone through a couple of the options already, but feel free to delve in a little deeper. BCN is small, so you will have no trouble getting to these restaurants quickly via taxi. I read the reviews for the first two on the list.

- The first option looks like a great atmosphere with all different types of meat to be shared, all grass fed from the Pyrenees.
- The second option is a smokehouse BBQ where the owners are from California. It would be more casual and they are open from 1 PM until 12:30 AM. So you will have no trouble getting an earlier bite to eat here.
- I also read the review about [restaurant name]. This has an option for everyone with rice and meat dishes. The blogger mentions the service and atmosphere are top notch and the food is amazing. It opens at 8pm for dinner.

Depending on which option you choose you may need to have a later dinner after the show.

After dinner, taxi over to CB for Magic Nights with audio tour starting at 8 PM. Don't forget to bring your own earbuds!



Monday, August 5th

Booked:

- [Link to attraction]: 10:15 AM audio tour with the Nativity tower tour at 11:00. Reservation Reference #: XXXXX
 - Please download the app and bring your own earbuds.
- [Link to attraction]: 4 PM self guided tour. Confirmation #: XXXXX Order #: XXXXX
- [Link to attraction]: 8:30 PM show with tapas. Doors will open 45 minutes before the show. The show is being held in the small Spanish Replica Village and tourist destination of [attraction]. Please have your taxi take you to PE. You will have the opportunity to walk around this replica village for an hour before the show. It is a nice chance to see the different regions of Spain without leaving Barcelona. Reservation #: 62880001

Suggestions:

Get downstairs around 9:30 AM to grab your taxi to SF. It is about a 10 minute drive via taxi. This will give time to walk around the outside of the church and take pictures. It is quite fantastic!

Have lunch near SF:

- [Restaurant link]: Accepts reservations. Unpretentious outpost supplying classic small plates such as patatas bravas, croquettes & paella. \$\$
- [Restaurant link]: Accepts reservations. Charming venue with a nostalgic feel presenting traditional Catalan specialties & wine. \$\$

Have lunch in [Location], an authentic Catalan neighborhood:

Here is a [link to neighborhood map]. This is our old neighborhood, and it has a great local, authentic vibe. You can weave in and out of the numerous plaças and artisanal shops. The shops on Verdi are amongst my favorites. The link above pinpoints all the plaças and would definitely be a fun walking tour. Shop the sporting goods store and [link to shopping suggestions]. It has great prices and it might be fun to pick up snorkel masks, water shoes and thin beach towels for your time in Mallorca!

 Please check out the already extensive list of recommendations in the Additional Restaurant Recommendations section of your itinerary.

After lunch take a taxi to PG for your self guided tour at 4 PM. It will take you a couple of hours to walk through the park. I would aim to be at your next destination [attraction link] for the flamenco show around 6:45. This will give you time to walk around and explore the typical Spanish village section before you go to the show. Doors will open at 7:45 but I would get there and line up a little early if you care about where you will sit. After the show you may have to walk down the hill slightly towards Placa España. This area is more populated so you will be able to grab a taxi more easily.

Mallorca 8/6-8/9

Staying at: Mallorca Hotel

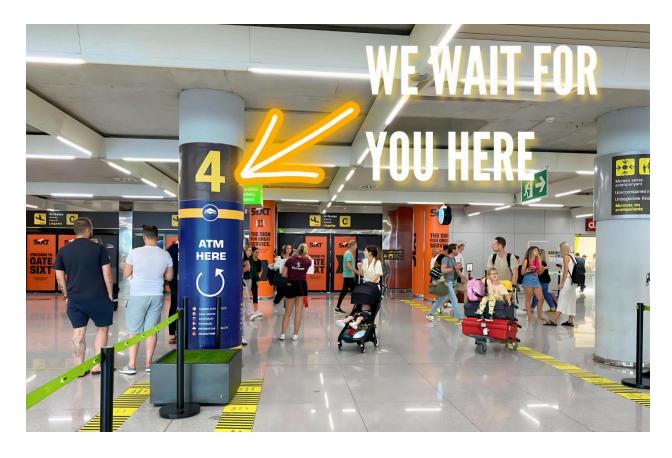


Tuesday, July 6th

Booked:

- Airport transfer confirmed for 9:20 AM XXXX +** ** ****.
- Flight to Mallorca: 11:55 AM AE UX6032, arrival at 12:40 PM
- Stay at XXXX Confirmation #: XXXXX PIN: XXXX Address:XXXXX, Spain. Phone: +** **

 ** ****** Contact: XXXX from Reception
- Taxi booked from hotel for * euros driver's # is +** *** ***; he will meet you here.



Suggestions:

Check into the hotel at 3 PM. I will request an early check-in. If your rooms are not ready, leave your bags with the concierge and enjoy the hotel amenities.



Wednesday, July 7th

Booked:

- Caving with XXXX- Excursion 9:30 AM- 2:00 PM Passeig XXXXX +** *** ***
- Car service to and from caves, booked with your hotel. 8:15 AM pick up **driver's # is +******* ***

Suggestions:

Be downstairs at 7:15 AM to grab a quick breakfast and pick up some snacks from Sonnen Bäckerei, the cafe that opens at 7:30 AM. This cafe is located just around the corner from your hotel. Please ask the front desk for specific walking directions. Purchase a small sandwich and some fruit for each person for the excursion.

You will be walking a short distance to the cave entrance and leaving your small backpack (provided) on the beach. You will need to leave all your valuables at the hotel. Consider purchasing a small dry bag or cell phone pouch so you can take your valuables in the cave with

you and take some great pictures! Your excursion will end around 2 PM. Make your way back to the hotel to relax after a long day.

Spend the rest of the afternoon relaxing at the hotel or take a taxi into the town of Palma to explore. Take a walk along the promenade in the evening and have dinner. Please let me know if you would like a reservation at one of the restaurants listed under recommendations.



Thursday, July 8th

Booked:

• Charter Reservation: The charter will pick you up and drop you off at your hotel. Time of pick up is TBD.

Suggestions:

Have dinner at the hotel or choose from one of the recommendations listed below. Please let me know if you would like a reservation.



Friday, July 8th

Booked:

- Airport transfer booked for 5 AM departure from hotel. driver's # is +** ** ** ***
- Departure from Mallorca at 7:05 AM

Suggestions:

Wake up around 4 AM to ensure you make it downstairs for your 5 AM pick up time. Do an online check-in the night before so you will be able to go right to security. This is the first flight out of the day for Air Europa so you will not have to deal with the larger crowds that come later in the day.