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### Private Seville Cathedral, Alcazar and Old **Quarter Walking Tour**



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Experience a 3-hour walking tour through Seville with your Englishspeaking guide. Discover the beautiful Cathedral and Giralda Tower. Explore the enchanting Reales Alcazares and wander the streets of El Barrio de Santa Cruz, a preserved Jewish quarter. Immerse yourself in history, culture, and architecture!

#### Highlights

- Delve into Seville's Moorish and Jewish history
- Visit the most emblematic monuments of Seville
- · Guided tour of Seville Cathedral, Giralda and Royal Alcazar
- Wander the Streets of Barrio de Santa Cruz

#### **General Overview**

Country: Spain Region: Andalusia City: Seville

**Duration**: 3hrs approx.

Type: Private Half Day Tours Theme: City & Village Walks Group Size: 1 - 12 People

Price from: €

#### Introduction

## Majestic Seville: Cathedral, Alcazar, Giralda, and Old Quarter

Start your walking tour of the Old Quarter of Seville by visiting some of the most iconic monuments in the city, the first one will be the breathtaking **Seville Cathedral** built between 1433-1507. The world's biggest Gothic cathedral was declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1987.

Back then it was known as an Almohad mosque, in 1248 it became a Roman Catholic church due to the change in the political scene of the country. The place was originally known as the **Almohad** mosque, which was founded in the year 1172 by order of the Almohad caliph Abu Yagub Yusuf. After the conquest of Seville by Ferdinand III, the mosque became a **Christianized mosque** and, later, a Gothic Catholic Roman Cathedral with some alterations in the structure and organization to adapt to the Christian religion.

One of the most important parts of the cathedral is the bell tower, called The **Giralda**. Built in 1772 this tower is an **emblematic monument** in Seville. Made up of 24 bells, is considered the bell

tower with the highest number of bells in Spain. There aren't any stairs in the Giralda, to reach the top you will have to go up 35 wide ramps. These ramps were built so that the sultan could ride the horse up the Giralda and enjoy the **breathtaking views**.

# Delve into the Moorish Heritage of Seville by visiting the Royal Alcazar

The Reales Alcázares de Sevilla, a **UNESCO World Heritage site**, is a **stunning Moorish palace and royal residence** in Seville, Spain. With its origins dating back to the 10th century, the Alcázares showcase a unique blend of **Moorish, Mudejar, Gothic, Renaissance, and Baroque** architectural styles. Explore the lush gardens and intricate tilework. Enjoy the rich history and cultural fusion of this remarkable Andalusian gem!

## Wander the Narrow Streets of the Jewish Quarter of Santa Cruz

One of the most popular neighbourhoods in Seville is the **Jewish Quarter of Santa Cruz** with its **typical narrow streets and patios full of flowers.** This neighbourhood has witnessed numerous historical events and has served as an inspiration to poets, writers, and musicians. Take a relaxed walk, exploring the streets and squares, and enjoy any corner, shadow, or aroma.

#### Day by day itinerary

#### DAY 1: SEVILLE

- Private Seville Giralda, Alcazar and Old Quarter Walking Tour (Duration: 3hrs approx.)
- Meet your Private English-Speaking Official Guide in the lobby of your hotel.
- Enjoy a 3-hour walking tour of Seville's old guarter.
- Start visiting inside the **Cathedral** with the **Giralda Tower**.
- Then on to the **Reales Alcazares**, a Moorish palace and royal residence
- Then ending with a stroll through **El Barrio de Santa Cruz**, once the thriving Jewish quarter, preserved with great care
- End of the walking tour in the Old Quarter

#### **END OF CUSTOMIZED TOUR SERVICES**

#### Included

- Private English Speaking Official Guide.
- Entrance Fees when with guide to Seville Cathedral, Giralda and Alcazar.
- Local Taxes.

#### Excluded

Transportation not specified in the itinerary.

- Meals not specified in the itinerary.
- Guided Tours not specified in the itinerary.
- Any other expenses not mentioned in the itinerary.
- Gratuities to Drivers & Guides (Not mandatory but given if you have enjoyed the service).

#### Pick up

- · Hotels or apartments within the city limits of Seville
- Other locations on request at the time of booking

#### Drop off

- · Hotels or apartments within the city limits of Seville
- Other locations on request at the time of booking

### Cancellation policy

Up to 48hrs before: Fully Refundable
Under 48hrs: 100% Non-Refundable

