

SPAIN – VALENCIA

NEW FOR 2019

8-day / 7-night one-hotel GUIDED walking tours based near Vall de Laguar in the countryside of Valencia



The beautiful limestone landscapes of the Marina Alta provide lots of great walks with views over the glistening Mediterranean Sea. Walk through villages lined with citrus and almond groves, explore spectacular ridges including the historic Caballo Verde, and visit nearby dramatic gorge, the Barranco del Infierno. With only limited number of people allowed to visit the gorge each day to help with preservation and conservation, you'll be rewarded with native flora and fauna and magnificent views.

Our centre-based walking holidays offer a choice of two guided walks each day – usually an easier walk or a more challenging option. You choose the walk that best suits your interests and fitness level. There is also a free day midweek for you to explore or relax.

Cost from: **\$1965** per person (twin share) Single room supplement from \$355

Departures: 13th, 20th, 27th April; 4th, 11th May; 31st August; 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th September, 2019

Tour includes: 7 nights in comfortable hotel room with ensuite bathrooms, 7 breakfasts, 7 evening meals, local transport to/from the walks, experienced walks leader offering a choice of two levels of guided walks on 5 days.

Not Included: Meals & drinks not mentioned in the itinerary, personal expenses, transport and / or excursions on your free day. Transfers at set times from/to Alicante Airport can be pre-booked at extra cost and we recommend you take these - ask for details when making your booking.



Accommodation: We stay in the 4-star **Hotel Alhuar**, a high quality hotel with great food and mountain views near Vall de Laguar. With just 20 bedrooms, this accommodation is a great resting place to relax after a full days walking. Many of the rooms have a balcony or terrace and panoramic views. There is an outdoor pool, terrace area, bar and lounge area. The hotel is a great base, with many hiking trails starting from our doorstep.

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South of the city of Valencia, this tucked away yet accessible location is a gem in itself, offering a relaxing break from busy life; it also connects you with wonderful Spanish culture including rich local cuisine. Surrounded by mountain scenery and with 300 days of sunshine a year, the area is great any time of year for outdoor activities.

Suggested itinerary: The final selection of walks each day will be made by your walking leaders.

Day 1: Arrival day – plan to arrive at the hotel mid-afternoon or at least in time for dinner. For those requiring a transfer we can arrange these at a set departure time from Alicante airport.

Day 2 – 4: Full day walking options. Choose from easier and harder walks.

Day 5: Free day – No activities planned today. You might visit Valencia, known as the City of Arts and Sciences, for the day to see how 2000 years of history merge with cutting-edge architecture. Or go and explore Alicante independently, or just laze by the pool and enjoy the sunshine.

Day 6 – 7: Full day walking options. Choose from easier and harder walks.

Day 8: Departure day, the tour ends after breakfast. Transfer to Alicante airport available (at extra cost).

Please Note: This is a new walking holiday for this area and the walking itinerary is now being prepared for the start of the season. The final selection of walks will be made by your walking leaders, who will brief the groups each evening on the walks available for the following day based on the following criteria:

Footpath information



Easier Walks: 6.5 to 11km on good but occasionally rough, stony paths with up to 395m of ascent in a day.



Harder Walks: 9.5 to 16km on rough, stony paths with up to 670m of ascent in a day.

Outdoor Travel offers centre-based guided or self-guided inn-to-inn walking holidays in Spain, France or Italy including **Catalunya**, **Provence**, the **Alps**, the **Riviera Coast** or **Pyrenees**, in the **Cinque Terre**, **Umbria**, **Dolomites**, the **Amalfi Coast** or **Sicily**. Other European destinations include **Croatia**, **Greece**, **Turkey**, **Ireland** and many areas of England and Scotland including the **Coast-to-Coast** walk or the **West Highland Way**.

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