## **Tour Guimarães, Braga and Barcelos**



**Guimarães** - It is one of the most important historical cities of Portugal, and its historic center is considered Cultural Heritage of Humanity, making it one of the largest tourist centers in the region. Its streets and monuments breathe history and delight those who visit it. Guimarães is often referred to as "Crib Town", since the administrative center of the Portucalense County was established by D. Afonso Henriques 1st King of Portugal and for the historical importance that the Battle of São Mamede, located on the outskirts of the city in June 24, 1128.

**Braga** - It is one of the oldest Portuguese cities and one of the oldest Christian cities in the world; founded in the time of the Romans as Bracara Augusta, has more than 2000 years of history as a city. Located in the north of Portugal, more precisely in the Cávado Valley, Braga also offers cultural and leisure opportunities unique in the country, with its nightlife, cinemas, theater, exhibitions, museums and art galleries. It is a city full of culture and traditions, where history and religion live side by side with the technology industry and university life.

**Barcelos** means "riverside and flat land", an expression present in the oldest documents referring to the city. At least since the 13th century, a weekly fair has been held in Barcelos on Thursdays, where agriculture and artisans sell their products. The modest village of Barcelos, around 1160, enters the good graces of D. Afonso Henriques who grants him charter of charter. In 1218, D. Afonso II confirmed the foral and the importance of the settlement for the Kingdom of Portugal.

## **Tour Description:**

- Visit Barcelos (On Thursdays we can visit the oldest local market in the country)
- Visit Braga Santuary of Bom Jesus do Monte
- Visit Braga Satuary of Sameiro
- Visit Braga City Center
- Lunch
- Visit Braga Cathedral
- Visit Guimarães Castle and House of Duques of Bragança
- Visti Guimarães City Center

All day can be Taylor made at your need.

## Tour Length: 08h00

Start time: 09h00 (Schedule can be changed)
Start Location: Hotel / Hostel / Apartment
Included: Driving,Stops and touring in all cities
Not included: Meals and entrance tickets in the monuments
Price: From 380 Euros (Depending the number of persons)