



Chorus Abilene Performance Tour

10 days, June 5-14, 2025

Day 1:

Hop on the bus and head toward DFW. Board the plane to Madrid Barajas International Airport!

Day 2: (D), sleep Seville

We'll head straight to Atocha train station after landing and catch our train toward the lovely Andalusian city of Seville. After checking in and dropping luggage, we'll explore Plaza de Espana, built for the Ibero-American Exposition of 1929. (You might also recognize it as a filming location for Game of Thrones.) Then we'll find dinner and get some much-needed sleep!



Day 3: (B), sleep Seville



This morning begins with the tour of the Cathedral of Seville. Can you climb the 35 ramps to the top of the bell tower, built so that soldiers could ascend on their horses. The Cathedral also holds the tomb of Christopher Columbus. Rehearsal this afternoon, with your first concert this evening. Dinner on your own.

Day 4: (B), sleep Seville

Today we begin with a visit to the Royal Alcazar, a large Moorish palace with fountain-filled courtyards, ornate arches, and 16th century tiles. This afternoon is yours to do with as you wish. In the evening, we'll attend a performance of flamenco.



Day 5: (B), (D), sleep Cadiz

Pack up and leave your luggage - we have time for one more stop in Seville: perhaps the Setas

de Seville, or the charming neighborhood of Triana, or a walk along the river. Then we hop a train for the short ride to the seaside city of Cadiz. This afternoon we'll see what Cadiz has to offer us. This evening will be your 2nd performance and dinner together.



Day 6: (B), sleep Cadiz

Sleep a little late today. Then spend your day wandering the delightful streets of Cadiz, visiting the Cathedral, or simply enjoy the beach! Dinner on your own this evening.

Day 7: (B), sleep Madrid



This morning, we'll once again head to the station and board the train headed to Madrid, our final stop. After dropping off the luggage and having lunch, we'll enjoy a short guided tour of the city center, followed by a visit to the Royal Palace. In the evening, we'll make a short stop at the world class Prado Museum. Dinner is on your own.

Day 8: (B), sleep Madrid

Today we head for the city of Segovia, where we'll see the ancient Roman aqueduct still standing and being used for water supply today. We'll enjoy a guided tour of the city, including the Cathedral of Segovia. Tonight will be your third and final performance.

Day 9: (B), (D), sleep Madrid

On our final day, we visit the ancient city set on a hill above the plains of Castilla-La Mancha . It is known for the Arab, Christian, and Jewish monuments within its city walls - and was the home of the painter El Greco. Then we head back to Madrid for your final dinner together.



Day 10:

Sadly, it is time to pack up & head to the airport, saying goodbye to Spain "till next time!".

Inclusions: Airfare, hotel, coach transportation to scheduled activities, performance, 3 dinners, 8 breakfasts, and scheduled tours. Scheduling of activities on specific dates may vary.

Not included: daily lunches, 5 dinners, spending money, insurance, or activities on your own.

Payment Schedule:

\$3,900 based on minimum of 25 participants

May 1, June 1, July 1: \$500/month

Aug 1, 2024-Mar 1, 2025: \$300/month

Payments should be made directly to Chorus Abilene.

Cancellation Schedule:

Cancellation before July. 1, 2024: full refund less \$500

Cancellation July 1-July 31, 2024: full refund less \$1000

Cancellation Aug. 1-Aug. 31, 2024: full refund less \$1500

Cancellation Sept.. 1—Jan. 31, 2025: full refund less \$2000

Cancellation Feb. 1—Feb. 28, 2025: full refund less \$2500

Cancellation after March 1, 2025: no refund

Substitutions may be possible if you must cancel, depending upon the timing. These will go through Chorus Abilene. Travel insurance (trip cancellation, trip interruption, and medical) is strongly recommended for each traveler. Insuremytrip.com will provide you with comparisons. Possible companies are Travel Insured, Allianz, and World Nomads—but there are other reputable companies as well. Insurance purchased within 14 days of your first payment allows for pre-existing conditions.

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