

FREDDY SILVA TOURS: TEMPLARS OF PORTUGAL

General Information, Conditions and Release of Liability.

Yes. This legalese is soooo boring. But it is necessary in this day and age when the odd individual just doesn't get the rules of engagement (otherwise known as 'How to Behave in a Public Setting'.) So, if you wish to join this tour, please read and agree to all the following...

Accommodation and Meals: Accommodations are chosen to provide tour participants with quality accommodations, hospitality and service at reasonable cost. Some B&Bs chosen may be a tad quirky (ie. provincial) but they are clean and safe and you can at least talk about them when you get home. Your accommodations, breakfasts, tour vehicle, transportation fares, admission to museums and tour sites, all tour guide fees and applicable taxes are included in the price of the tour; lunch and dinner, airfare, and incidental expenditures are not.

Payments, Refunds & Insurance: Freddy Silva reserves the right to alter any tour to adapt for changing circumstances (ie. if a hotel goes out of business, a site is closed for construction, etc) or to cancel any tour in which the minimum is not reached or for any other reasonable reason. If the minimum number of participants is not reached, your payment or deposit will be fully refunded. It is recommended that you take out trip cancellation insurance to cover refund of your airfare in such a case. Once the deposit and these signed forms have been received by Freddy Silva you will receive an email confirming your place on the tour.

Payment of the balance is required 3 months before the start date of the tour. If you cancel your booking before paying the balance, your deposit will be forfeited. If you cancel your booking after paying the balance, but no less than forty five days prior to the start date of the tour, I will try to find a replacement for your place, and if successful, I will refund your balance payment, but your deposit will be forfeited. No refunds will be paid if your booking is cancelled less than thirty days prior to the start date of the tour.

Each individual is responsible for insurance and international travel arrangements. For unforeseen circumstances, it is recommended that participants enroll in personal accident, baggage and trip cancellation insurance policies available through travel agencies. Baggage and other personal items are the sole responsibility of the owner.

Health and Ability: You are aware that this trip requires an average level of fitness. There shall be daily activities where walking and steep hills are involved. You hereby affirm that you accept the inherent risks involved in exploring sites of antiquity, and that you do not have any physical, emotional, or other disability which would create a hazard for yourself, or would become a burden on the guide, and/or other tour participants.

Responsibilities and Terms: (this is the heavy part) Freddy Silva and/or his agents gives notice that all tickets, vouchers or other issuances for conveyance or

accommodation made by them, are made as agents for participants of Freddy Silva's tour upon the express condition that Freddy Silva and/or its agents are not liable for any accident, injury, damage, loss, delay, or irregularity which may be occasioned either by reason of defect in any vehicle, or through acts or default of any hotel personnel. Freddy Silva accepts no responsibility for losses or incidental expenses due to delay or change in schedules, hotel booking irregularities, defaults, sickness, quarantine, emergency, weather, strikes, war, or other causes. All such losses are the sole responsibility of the participants. The right is reserved to not accept or retain as a participant any person whose acts or conduct are judged to be detrimental or in conflict with the safety, interest, comfort, harmony, or well-being of the group as a whole. Additionally, any tour participant who willfully causes damage to the property of others, rental vehicles, hotel furniture and fittings, monuments, etc. will be personally liable by the respective owners for losses arising from such actions.

Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability: In consideration of, and in part payment for the right to participate in the trip and services, activities and food arranged on my behalf by Freddy Silva, its agents and associates, I do hereby state that I fully assume all risks of illness, injury or death. I hereby release Freddy Silva, its agents and associates from all claims and action for damages in connection with the trip for which I am issuing payment. I concur that the foregoing shall be binding on me personally as well as on my heirs.

Payment, in the form of deposit, or payment, partial or full, shall constitute consent to all terms contained herein. I have read and agree to everything within this document.

Signed – traveler 1:

Date:

Name (Print):

Signed – traveler 2:

Date:

Name (Printed):

Address:

Please give details of the person you wish to be contacted in case of emergency:

Name:

Country of Residence:

Telephone No:

Email (please print clearly):