

VALPARAISO AN EVENING OF CHARM

One night – two days
Total de Kilometers 440

DAY 1 200 km.

We will make our way to **Valparaiso** via **the** wonderful little village of **Olmue** which is a typical rural township of Chile. To reach Olmue from Santiago we will take a fantastic **road for bike riding** which is call the "**Cuesta de la Dormida**".

After a refreshment in Olmue we will continue riding towards Valparaiso which is listed as a **World Heritage Site** by UNESCO, and is known as one of the most charming port cities in Latin America. **It was also a resting place for the participants of the 2009 Dakar.**

Before we reach Valparaiso, we will stop for lunch as the beautiful vineyard of Casa de Bosque which is located in the **famous Casablanca Valley**.

Valparaiso is a natural bay which is surrounded by a mountain range on the Pacific Ocean. One of the biggest attractions is the manner in which the locals have built their homes, in an almost spontaneous fashion, up the side of the very steep hills. The great diversity of architectural styles that blend ancient marble mansions surrounded by smaller **multicolored houses**, restaurants and bars gives this place a little charm not often seen in other parts of the world. Because of the high steep hills which surround Valparaiso, there are numerous elevators (15 in total) which transport people from the city to their homes. These very **old elevators** provide many wonderful views which almost always look out to sea.

Dinner and Lodging at a boutique hotel with fantastic views of the bay of Valparaiso.

DAY 2 240 km

Rather than return to Santiago via the most direct route, we will instead travel along the coastal route towards Reñaca and **Zapallar** (north).

At the bay of Zapallar, where you will find yourself surrounded by rocks, a deep blue sea, fishing boats and mountains, we will stop for lunch at the famous local Restaurant, **El Chiringuito**. With its outdoor tables and full view of the bay is a great environment to taste some typical dishes of fish and seafood. Don't worries if seafood is not for you, they also offer many other options.

Return to Santiago arriving at approximatly 5.00 pm

END OF TOUR

South America
MOTORBIKE TOURS

Prices (Based on double occupancy)

Rider with BMW R 1200 GS 2008 / 2009 Model	- US\$ 975
Pillion passenger / support vehicle passenger	- US\$ 520
Single room supplement (optional)	- US\$ 105

Includes

- Bilingual Motorcycle guide (English and Spanish) for the entire tour
- Lodging in Valparaiso with american breakfast included
- Fuel and oils for entire trip
- 4 x 4 Support vehicle with driver
- One spare motorbike towed on a trailer
- Motorbike Spare Parts
- One mobile phone per rider
- Coffee, tea, soft drinks, biscuits
- Motorbikes with panniers and tank bag
- Maps of Chile
- Insurance for third parties in Chile
- Satellite phone for emergencies
- Personal gift from South America Motorbike Tours