

# TOP HIGHLIGHTS OF TERCEIRA AND PORTO

## 1. CULTURAL SITES IN TERCEIRA

- ▶ **Palácio dos Capitães-Generais:** Discover the significance of this grand palace in Portugal's history.
- ▶ **Angra Cathedral:** Visit this architectural gem that showcases the island's cultural heritage.
- ▶ **Praia da Vitória:** Walk along the sands of this historic beach, site of the pivotal 1829 battle for liberty.

## 2. NATURAL BEAUTY AND WINE

- ▶ **Biscoitos Wine Region:** Savor the island's unique verdelho wines, crafted from grapes grown in squared volcanic soils, highlighting Terceira's rich terroir.
- ▶ **Porto Wine Region:** A perfect example of how the unwavering fighting spirit preserved a gem of a globally renowned wine being the Douro region demarcated as the world's first regulated wine region.



## 3. CULTURAL SITES IN PORTO

- ▶ **Porto Cathedral:** reflects the depth of Porto's ancient cultural life
- ▶ **National Museum Soares dos Reis:** first public art museum in the country, founded in 1833, by D. Pedro IV, under the aegis of liberalism.
- ▶ **Clérigos Tower:** Climb this iconic tower, a proud symbol of Porto's unwavering spirit.

## 4. CULINARY DELIGHTS

- ▶ **Tripas (Porto):** Besides embodying the spirit of its people, for many, it's a dish that reflects "Porto's willingness to sacrifice for the country."
- ▶ **Alcatra (Terceira Island):** A rich European tradition of slow-cooked, aged beef, seasoned with exotic spices from overseas.



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ANGRA & PORTO

WHERE FREEDOM CALLS ACROSS THE ATLANTIC



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Explore  
TERCEIRA



Angra do Heroísmo  
Cidade do Mundo

Porto.



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A TRANSATLANTIC ROUTE WITH STORIES THAT  
CONNECT US

Uncover the deep-rooted connection between Angra do Heroísmo in, Terceira Island, and Porto, two Atlantic gems united by their spirit of resilience and freedom. Both destinations boast rich histories of overcoming adversity and celebrating liberty. Let the essence of freedom inspire you as you delve into the culture and history of these remarkable places.

#### LIBERAL WARS LANDMARKS

Explore key historical sites that shaped Terceira and Porto's fight for freedom.

PORTO LIBERAL



TERCEIRA LIBERAL



## ANGRA: THE HEART OF ATLANTIC FREEDOM

There was a moment when Angra, on Terceira Island, stood as the solitary beacon of freedom during Portugal's Liberal Wars. Stroll through its historic UNESCO World Heritage center, admiring colonial architecture and 16th-century fortifications. Immerse yourself in local traditions, where locals come together to honor their heritage and let the breathtaking volcanic landscapes and ocean views remind you of the enduring spirit of freedom that defines this Atlantic gem.



## PORTO: THE INVINCIBLE CITY

Porto earned the title of the "Invicta and undefeated city" during the Liberal Wars of the 19th century. Since medieval times, it has been a city where the spirit of free citizenship has always thrived. Explore the historic Ribeira district, where reminders of the city's vibrant life abound. Each corner tells a story of courage, making Porto a testament to perseverance and the pursuit of a just society.



## A SHARED PASSION FOR FREEDOM

For centuries, Terceira Island and Porto have been beacons of freedom and strength, resonating with those who cherish liberty. Travelers, particularly Americans, connect with these tales of courage and determination. Discover how the spirit of freedom transcends borders and generations, linking us all through our shared love of history, resilience, and the power of the human spirit.

