

JAVIER'S RECOMMENDATIONS!

Thank you so much for joining us today on the tour. I really hope you enjoyed it as much as I did, and that the rest of your stay in Madrid continues nicely.

MOST TOURISTIC NEIGHBOURHOODS:

Malasaña: hipster-ish neighbourhood with cool restaurants and bars. Great vintage clothes stores.

La Latina: tapas and drinks. Great architecture and night life.

Lavapiés: Middle East food, African food, great street art.

Barrio de las Letras: You'll find quotes from famous Spanish writers on the ground of the streets... Clubs, bars and modern food restaurants.

Chueca: LGTBIQ+ friendly, drag queen bars, night clubs and tapas.

FOOD RECOMMENDATIONS:

Bocadillo de Calamares / Calamari sandwich:

- La Campana (Calle Botoneras 6) "the most traditional one"
- La Casa del Abuelo (Calle Toledo 11) "the one i prefer"

Tapas and Tortilla:

- Pez Tortilla (Calle Pez 36 / Calle de Espoz y Mina 13 / Calle de la Cava Baja 42)
- La Buha/El Buho (Calle Gravina 4 / Calle Humilladero 4 / Plaza de la Cebada 10)
- La Musa Latina (Costanilla de San Andres 12)
- Ochenta Grados (Calle de Manuela Malasaña 10 / Paseo de la Castellana 128)
- El Tigre (Calle de las Infantas 23 / Calle de Hortaleza 23) Complimentary tapas, good quantity and budget friendly.

Paella:

- Marina Ventura (Calle de Ventura de la Vega 13)
- La Paella Real (Calle de Arrieta 2)
- La Paella de la Reina (Calle de la Reina 39)

Comida tradicional y tabernas / Traditional food and taverns:

- La Fragua de Vulcano (Calle de Álvarez Gato 9)
- Casa Alberto (Calle de las Huertas 18)
- Casa Labra (Calle de Tetuán 12)
- Restaurante Sobrino de Botín (Calle de Cuchilleros 17)
- Casa Lucio (Calle de la Cava Baja 35)
- Posada de la Villa (Calle de la Cava Baja 9) con *1 Estrella Michelin*

Cocido Madrileño (most traditional Spanish stew):

- Malacatín (Calle de la Ruda 5)
- Taberna de la Daniela (Calle de Cuchilleros 9)
- La Bola (Calle la Bola 5)
- La Cocina De Frente (Calle de Ibiza 40) **Mi favorito!**

Vegetarian / Vegan:

- La Oveja Negra (Calle de Buenavista 42)
- Reineta Vegetariano (Calle Infante 5)
- Mad Mad Vegan (Calle de Pelayo 19) **The best vegan burger!**
- Vega (Calle de la Luna 9)
- Superchulo (Calle de Manuela Malasaña 11)
- Frutas Prohibidas (Calle del Conde Duque 26)
- Yerbabuena (Calle de Bordadores 3)

Licor de Madroño / Madroño's Liqueur:

- La Rebelión de los Mandiles (Calle Mayor 88)
- El Madroño (Calle de Latoneros 10)

Mercados de tapas / Food markets:

- San Miguel (Plaza de San Miguel S/N) (*overpriced*)
- San Antón (Calle de Augusto Figueroa 24)
- San Ildefonso (Calle de Fuencarral 57)
- San Fernando (Calle de Embajadores 41)

Comida Mexicana / Mexican Food:

- Takos al Pastor (Calle de la Abada 2)
- El Chaparrito (Calle de Ventura de la Vega 11)
- Sahuaro (Plaza de Cascorro 2)

Desayunos y Brunch / Breakfast and Brunch:

- Brunch it (Calle del Noviciado 12)
- Eat My Trip (Calle de Manuela Malasaña 17 / Calle de la Morería 11)
- Adorado Bar (Calle del Meson de Paredes 22)
- Misión Café (Calle de los Reyes 5)

Churros y chocolate:

- Chocolatería 1902 (Calle de San Martín 2)
- Chocolatería San Ginés (Pasadizo de San Ginés 5)

Terrazas / Rooftop Bars:

- El Círculo de Bellas Artes (Calle de Alcalá 42)
- RIU Hotel (Calle Gran Vía 84)
- Ella Sky Bar (Calle Gran Vía 42)
- Dear Hotel (Calle Gran Vía 80)
- Ginkgo (Plaza de España 3)

Tablaos Flamencos / Flamenco shows:

- La Quimera (Calle de Cuchilleros 7)
- El Corral de la Morería 17)

Nocturno y Discotecas / Night Life:

- Teatro Kapital (Calle Atocha 125) One of the biggest nightclubs in Madrid!
- La Negra Tomasa (Calle de Cadiz 9) Latin live music, **salsa dancing!**
- Sala La Riviera (Plaza Bajo de la Virgen del Puerto S/N) It's a big venue that has **different events and night club parties** during the weekends.
- LL Bar (Calle de Pelayo 11) **Drag Queen Shows every night. Really good fun!**
- Hemingway Cocktail Bar (Calle del Marques de Casa Riera 4) This is a **hidden/ clandestine bar**. To get in you have to enter Casa Suecia and ask for the bar (there's a secret door in the toilet!)
- Sala Barco (Calle Barco 34) **Live music**. Really cool bands every night!
- *Toni 2 Piano Bar (Calle del Almirante 9) **Live piano music** and cool vibes.*
- Medias Puri (Plaza de Tirso de Molina 1) *Nightclub with **cool entertainment shows**.*

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And please, in case you have any other questions... How to get to Toledo, the airport, Segovia, parks, sunsets, hospitals, etc... LET ME KNOW!

Remember, now you have one more friend in Madrid!

BIG HUG!

