Day 32 Page 1 January 11, 2023 Funchai, Madeira, Portugal

Funchal, city in Madeira Island, Portugal. Funchal is the capital city of Portugal's Madeira archipelago. It's backed by hills, and known for its harbor, gardens and Madeira wine cellars. The centuries-old Funchal Cathedral, which mixes Gothic and Romanesque styles, is notable for its carved wooden ceiling. Fronting the harbor is the So Tiago Fortress, built in the 1600s. It now houses the Contemporary Art Museum, with a large collection of Portuguese works.

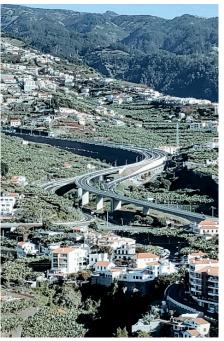
















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Cabo Girao, the world's second-highest cliff face.



Praia Da
Ribeira
Brava,
situated on
the
southwest
of
Madeira,a
pretty little
town with a
hive of
street cafes
and shops.



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Last night the Theatre Entertainment was Musica In Maschera Concer: Anema e Core. The concert was a homage to Naples and its songs, the expression of its passionate soul. It was interesting and all in Italian and I did not understand a word of it. Last night dinner was Rid Eye and Potato, nothing special but OK. Still having problems with my computer and phone and after dinner I hurried over to beat the crowd, but the kid that was helping me didn't have a clue and made an appointment for me later when a real tech person would be working (We will see).











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Madeira and Funchal City is a beautiful island, many aspects the same as Hawaii. I took a Bus tour today and we had some incredible views. Madeira is a vacation spot for Europeans like the Mainland America is to Hawaii. Beautiful Clean City, I only saw one homeless person. It boasts the second highest cliff in the world or the highest cliff in Europe. The walkway has glass panels to walk on and you can see how high you are, it's 1,902 feet to the bottom. It made me very uncomfortable, I tried to walk on the beans and hold onto the railing. I took a couple pictures from the dinning hall of Madeira when we first arrived.











