

## Spanish Galleon Handbook

The following document contains information on Spanish Galleons that were lost in the region. The important information included is the **name** of the ship, the **date** of construction, which is printed on all cannons, and the **home port** of the ship, which is printed on the dining platters. Additional information includes the number of cannons included when the galleon was outfitted and any information known about the loss or sinking of the Galleon.

**Atlantica:** The Atlantica was constructed and armed with 56 cannons in **1709**. She sailed from the port of **Bilbao** on the north coast of Spain. The Atlantica was lost in a hurricane in 1717, only eight years after construction.

**Balanus:** The Balanus was constructed and armed with 63 cannons in **1742**. She sailed from the port of **Cartagena** on the east coast of Spain. The Balanus was damaged in a skirmish with privateers and scuttled by her crew in 1759.

**Corazon del Mundo** The Corazon del Mundo was constructed and armed with 50 cannons in **1683**. She sailed from the port of **Bilbao** on the north coast of Spain. The ship set out from Spain in 1704 and was never seen again.

**Domingo:** The Domingo was constructed and armed with 48 cannons in **1683**. She sailed from the port of **Cadiz** on the southwest coast of Spain. In 1703, the Domingo was sunk by British warships.

**Esmerelda:** The Esmerelda was constructed and armed with 66 cannons in **1742**. She sailed from the port of **Bilbao** on the north coast of Spain. The Esmerelda was caught in a hurricane and sank in 1760.

**Ferdinando:** The Ferdinando was constructed and armed with 56 cannons in **1709**. She sailed from the port of **Cartagena** on the east coast of Spain. The Ferdinando, full of gold and silver bullion, left from Mexico in June of 1725 and never heard from again.

**Galcia:** The Galcia was constructed and armed with 70 cannons in **1742**. She sailed from the port of **Cadiz** on the southwest coast of Spain. The Galcia was damaged by pirates and unable to keep up with the Spanish fleet. She was scuttled by her crew in 1751.

**Hecheco:** The Hecheco was constructed and armed with 50 cannons in **1683**. She sailed from the port of **Cartagena** on the east coast of Spain. The Hecheco went down after two hurricanes battered her in 1697.

**Isabella:** The Isabella was constructed and armed with 56 cannons in **1709**. She sailed from the port of **Cadiz** on the southwest of coast Spain. The Isabella went missing in 1735.