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DISCOVER THE GREEK ISLAND

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Discover the islands of Greece and enjoy your journey of exploration of ancient wonders and ultra-modern paradises. Set off for an amazing journey through the magical Greek islands, where history meets luxury and an amazing experience is born. Start your journey in Athens with the presence of the awe-inspiring Athenian Acropolis, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and an example of architecture that harmonizes perfectly with the natural environment. The ancient citadel perched on a rocky out-growth offers a view of the city totally overwhelmed by greatness and great bonds with glorious years of the past of Greece. And then sail to Mykonos, one of the shiny jewels in the Cycladic Island group. Very famous for its sandy beautiful beaches, crystal-clear waters, and an intense party atmosphere, Mykonos is paradisiacal in realms of both relaxation and nightlife. Already dubbed the "party capital" of the Greek islands, it also boasts charming villages, exquisite dining, and a laid-back vibe inviting exploration of its

TRIP HIGHLIGHTS



- *Athenian Acropolis, a UNESCO site is the supreme expression of the adaptation of architecture to a natural site
- *Acropolis of Athens is an ancient citadel located on a rocky outcrop above the city of Athens
- *Mykonos offers amazing beaches, beautiful nature, picturesque villages, delicious Greek food, and a chic lifestyle
- *Mykonos is the party animal of the Cycladic islands, but it also has a quiet charm and a dining scene to rival any Greek island

*Santorini is one of the Cyclades Islands in the Aegean Sea

*Santorini is famous for dramatic views and stunning sunsets

TRIP ITINERARY

DAY 1

Arrive Athens (ATH)

Welcome to Greece! Our driver will be waiting for you to greet you at the airport of Athens at your arrival.

You will be driven to the hotel in Athens, the capital of Greece.

Athens is the historical capital of Europe, with a long history, dating from the first settlement in the Neolithic age.

In the 5th Century BC (the 'Golden Age of Pericles') – the culmination of Athens' long and fascinating history – the city's values and civilization acquired a universal significance.

Over the years, a multitude of conquerors occupied Athens and erected unique splendid monuments - a rare historical palimpsest.

In 1834, it became the capital of the Modern Greek state and since two centuries, it has become an attractive modern metropolis with unrivalled charm.

Rest of the day at leisure to check in and relax.

Overnight: Athens

DAY 2

Athens

Enjoy your breakfast at hotel in Athens.

Today, pick up for the Organized Athens Sightseeing tour.

This tour gives you an opportunity to observe the striking contrasts that make Athens such a fascinating city.

Our expert guides will take you to see the Panathenaic Stadium where the first Olympic Games of modern times were held in 1896 (short stop).

Continue and pass by the Prime Minister's residence (ex Royal Palace) guarded by the Euzones in their colourful uniform, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, the Hadrian's Arch, the Parliament and the memorial to the Unknown Soldier, the Academy, the University, the National Library, and the Constitution Square (Syntagma).

On the Acropolis visit the Architectural Masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens: The Propylaea, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and finally 'the harmony between material and spirit,' the monument that 'puts order in the mind,' the Parthenon.

Continue and visit the place where at last the statues found their home and admire the wonders of the classical era: The new Acropolis museum.

Rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Athens

DAY 3

Athens / Mykonos

Enjoy your breakfast at hotel in Athens.

Pick up for transfer to Piraeus port to catch the ferry to Mykonos Greece's most famous cosmopolitan island, a whitewashed paradise in the heart of the Cyclades.

Arrival and transfer to the hotel.

Overnight: Mykonos

DAY 4

Mykonos

Enjoy your breakfast at the hotel in Mykonos.

Day at leisure for exploring the beaches and the island at your own pace or relaxing at the hotel.

Overnight: Mykonos

DAY 5

Mykonos / Santorini

Enjoy your breakfast at hotel in Mykonos, this morning pick up for transfer to Mykonos port to catch the ferry to the island of Santorini, the stuff of myth and legend, with world-famous sunsets and breathtaking volcanic scenery.

Arrival and transfer to hotel.

Free time to relax or to explore the city at your own pace.

Overnight: Santorini

DAY 6

Santorini

Enjoy your breakfast at the hotel in Santorini.

Today, you will have all day at leisure to explore Santorini.

Walk the busy narrow streets of Fira, the capital of Santorini and the picturesque Imerovigli overlooking the craggy red rock Skaros.

Experience one in a lifetime adventure of going up with mules the 286 steps, very closely to the cliff, that leads to Oia and then glaze at the marvelous sunset with the thousands colors.

Visit Pyrgos, the medieval jewel that dominates over the hill, offering the best panoramic view of the island.

Know every single settlement of the island by walking the narrow streets of cobblestone and admire the little white chapels, the cave white houses with the blue windows and the imposing mansions of the medieval wealthy families of the island.

Overnight: Santorini

DAY 7

Santorini / Athens

Enjoy your breakfast at the hotel in Santorini.

Pick up for transfer to Santorini port to catch your ferry to Piraeus port.

Upon arrival, transfer to the hotel in Athens.

Overnight: Athens

DAY 8

Athens Departure (ATH)

Enjoy your breakfast at the hotel in Athens and check out.

Pick up from your hotel to the International Airport of Athens to reach your flight back.

See what's included in the trip

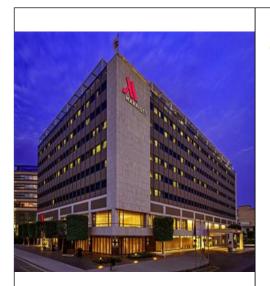
- *3 Nights' Accommodation in Athens with breakfast
- *2 Nights' Accommodation in Mykonos with breakfast
- *2 Nights' Accommodation in Santorini with breakfast
- *Round Trip airport transfers
- *All port transfers in Athens, Mykonos, and Santorini
- *Half day Athens Sightseeing with the New Acropolis Museum (Seat

See what's excluded in the trip

- *Any flights
- *Visa
- *Travel Insurance
- *Any service not clearly mentioned in the program
- *City tax is not included and is payable directly to the hotel



WHERE YOU WILL STAY



Athens Marriott Hotel or similar, Athens



2 NIGHTS

Address: Leof. Andrea Siggrou 385, Athina 175 64, Greece Phone: +30 21 0947 1000

Overlooking the Saronic Gulf, this upmarket hotel across from Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Centre is 5 km from the hilltop Acropolis of Athens. Modern rooms come with free Wi-Fi, flat-screens, minibars, and tea and coffeemakers. Upgraded rooms add sitting areas, and balconies with gulf views. Suites feature living rooms with sofabeds. Club level quarters add access to a lounge serving breakfast, drinks and snacks.



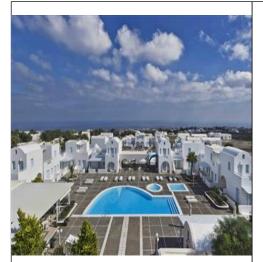
Petinos Hotel or similar, Mykonos



2 NIGHTS

Address: Platis Gialos 846 00, Greece Phone: +30 2289 022913

Set in a whitewashed cuboid building a minute's walk from Platis Gialos Beach, this chic hotel overlooking the Aegean Sea is 3 km from Mykonos Island National Airport and 4 km from the iconic Mykonos windmills. Featuring balconies with garden views, the unfussy rooms come with free Wi-Fi, minifridges and flat-screens; some feature kitchenettes and/or exposed wood-beam ceilings. Suites add living areas and sofabeds. There's 24/7 room service.



EL GRECO or similar, Santorini

2 NIGHTS

Address: Karterádos 847 00, Greece Phone: +30 2286 024946

A 10-minute walk from the Museum of Prehistoric Thera, this upscale hotel is also 5 km from Santorini Airport and 7 km from Monolithos Beach. Featuring private balconies or terraces, the minimalist, whitewashed rooms also offer minibars, flat-screen TVs and free Wi-Fi. Suites add separate sitting areas; some are 2 stories. Room service is available.



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1 NIGHT

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CANCELLATION POLICY

We understand these are uncertain times and we want to make sure you feel confident about your options if your plans change

Cancellation Charges

Deposits are non-refundable. However if canceled more than 60 days before the travel date, you can transfer it to another date or trip.

If canceled less than 60 days before the trip, Deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable. For the balance amount, the below cancellation fee will be applicable.

When a cancellation is made	06 days - Less than 72 hrs or no show	30 - 07 days prior to arrival	60 - 31 days prior to arrival
Cancellation Cost	100% No Refund	75% of the tour	40% of the tour

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