

# 8 Days Grecian Explorer

Valid from 01 November 2019 to 31 March 2020



ALL TIME CLASSIC  
**GREECE**

<p><b>Day 1</b></p>	<p><b>ATHENS ARRIVAL</b> 🚗: Meet at Athens airport and transfer to the hotel. Remainder of the day at leisure. <b>Athens</b> is an amazing city to discover on your own with its numerous museums, parks, and the shopping areas of <b>Kolonaki, Hermou, Voukourestiou Street, Monastiraki and Plaka</b>. Overnight in Athens Hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 2</b></p> <p><i>Daily Service</i></p> <p><b>DEP08.15</b></p> <p>-</p> <p><b>RET13.30</b></p> <p><i>terminal</i></p>	<p><b>HALF DAY ATHENS SIGHTSEEING</b> 🚌: <b>(Breakfast)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Pickup from the hotel for your half day morning tour. See <u>Syntagma Square</u>, the <u>House of Parliament</u>, the <u>Memorial to the Unknown Soldier</u>, the <u>Athens Academy</u>, the <u>University</u>, the <u>National Library</u> and the <u>Hadrian's Arch</u>. Pass by the <u>Temple of Olympian Zeus</u> and visit the <u>Panathenaic Stadium</u> where the first Olympic Games of the modern era were held in 1896. On the <b>Acropolis</b> visit the architectural masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens: the <u>Propylaea</u>, the <u>Temple of Athena Nike</u>, the <u>Erechtheion</u> and finally "the harmony between material and spirit", the <u>Parthenon</u>. Continue and visit the place where at last the statues found their home and admire the wonders of the classical era, the <b>museum of Acropolis</b>. At the end of the tour, drop off at the hotel or at the city centre. Remainder of the day at own leisure. Overnight in Athens Hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 3</b></p> <p><i>Daily Service</i></p> <p><b>DEP08.15</b></p> <p>-</p> <p><b>RET19.30</b></p> <p><i>port</i></p>	<p><b>ONE DAY CRUISE (HYDRA-POROS-AEGINA)</b> 🚢: <b>(Breakfast, Lunch)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Pickup from the hotel and transfer to the port for the full day cruise to the 3 Saronic islands of <b>Hydra, Poros, Aegina</b>. Lunch served on board. At each island, get off the boat to discover each island's own individual character. <b>Hydra</b>: an artists delight, with boutiques, shops and cafes dotted around the harbour. <b>Poros</b>: a pretty island with chance for shopping. <b>Aegina</b>: The largest of the Saronic Islands, famous for BBQ sea food and pistachio nuts. Arrive back at Athens port in the evening and transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Athens hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 4</b></p> <p><i>Mon</i></p> <p><b>DEP08.45</b></p> <p><i>terminal</i></p>	<p><b>4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR</b> 🚌: <b>ATHENS – ARGOLIS (Corinth Canal, Epidaurus, Nafplion, Mycenae) – OLYMPIA: (Breakfast, Dinner)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Pickup from the hotel for your 4 days Classical tour. Depart Athens and stop to see the <u>Corinth Canal</u>. Drive onto and visit the ancient <u>theatre of Epidaurus</u> famous for its acoustics. See the town of <b>Nafplion</b> before arriving in <b>Mycenae</b>. Visit the <u>archaeological site</u> and the <u>Royal Tomb of Agammemnon</u> (The leader of the Troy War). Continue across the central Peloponnese to <b>Olympia</b>, the cradle of the Olympic Games. From here, the original Olympic Flame begins its journey to the Olympic Games. Dinner in the hotel. Overnight in Olympia hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 5</b></p>	<p><b>4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR: OLYMPIA – DELPHI: (Breakfast, Dinner)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Visit the original <u>Olympic Stadium</u> and the <b>archaeological museum</b>. Then drive north to Patras and cross the new bridge over the Corinthian Bay from Rion to Antirion. Continue via the towns of Nafpaktos and Itea to <b>Delphi</b>. Dinner in the hotel. Overnight in Delphi hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 6</b></p>	<p><b>4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR: DELPHI – KALAMBAKA (METEORA): (Breakfast, Dinner)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Visit the <u>archaeological site</u> of <b>Delphi</b> on the slopes of Mount Parnassus. See the <u>Sanctuary of Apollo Pythios</u>, <u>Castalia Spring</u> and the <b>museum</b>. In the afternoon leave Delphi for an interesting trip through Central Greece to <b>Kalambaka ( Meteora)</b>. Dinner in the hotel. Overnight in Kalambaka (Meteora) hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 7</b></p> <p><b>RET19.00</b></p> <p><i>terminal</i></p>	<p><b>4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR: KALAMBAKA (METEORA) – ATHENS: (Breakfast)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Visit <u>Meteora</u> with its impressive scenery, ageless <u>monasteries</u>, suspended between earth and sky. Inside, see priceless historical and religious treasures. Return to Athens via Trikala, Lamia, Thermopylae and drop off at the hotel. Overnight in Athens hotel.</p>
<p><b>Day 8</b></p>	<p><b>ATHENS DEPARTURE</b> 🚗: <b>(Breakfast)</b> Breakfast in the hotel. Transfer to the airport included or, extend your stay in Greece.</p>

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A.	<b>ATHENS HOTELS &amp; LAND ARRANGEMENTS</b>	<i>Per Person In Single</i>	<b>PER PERSON IN DOUBLE</b>	<i>Per Person In Triple</i>	<i>Child 4-12 With bed Sharing Room With 2 Full Paying Pax</i>
	<b>3* DELPHI ART 3* ATHENS CENTER SQUARE</b>	<b>1175 €</b>	<b>872 €</b>	<b>843 €</b>	623 €
	<b>4* STANLEY 4* ATHENAEUM GRAND</b>	<b>1273 €</b>	<b>907 €</b>	<b>860 €</b>	641 €
	<b>4* TITANIA 4* NOVOTEL</b>	<b>1317 €</b>	<b>947 €</b>	<b>906 €</b>	687 €
	<b>5* WYNDHAM GRAND 5* GRAND HYATT</b>	<b>1406 €</b>	<b>1018 €</b>	<b>955 €</b>	736 €
	<b>5* NJV ATHENS PLAZA 5* HILTON ATHENS</b>	<b>1340 €</b>	<b>1196 €</b>	<b>1177 €</b>	958 €

**The Above Rates are in € Euro Per Person, Net.**

### PACKAGE INCLUDES

- 4 Nights BB Hotel Accommodation in Athens Including Breakfast, Taxes and Service Charges.
- 3 Nights HB Hotel Accommodation in 4\* Hotel in Olympia (**Europa** [www.hoteleuropa.gr](http://www.hoteleuropa.gr) or **Arty Grand** [www.artygrandhotel.gr](http://www.artygrandhotel.gr)), Delphi (**Amalia** [www.amaliahoteldelphi.gr](http://www.amaliahoteldelphi.gr) or **Apollonia** [www.hotelapollonia.gr](http://www.hotelapollonia.gr)), Kalambaka (Metedora) (**Divani Meteora** [www.divanis.com/meteora](http://www.divanis.com/meteora)) Including Breakfast, Dinner, Taxes and Service Charges.
- Half Day Athens Sightseeing & 4 Days/3 Nights Half Board in 4\* Hotels Classical Tour by Regular Organised Seat In Coach Tours with English Speaking Guide and Entrance Fees Included.
- One Day Saronic Islands Cruise to Hydra, Poros, Aegina Including Lunch on Board.
- Athens Transfers: Airport - Hotel - Airport by Private Contracted Modern Vehicle.

### PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- From 01/01/2018 an Overnight Tax Depending on the Hotel Category will be Paid by Guests to the Hotel Directly.
  - 5\* Hotels: € 4,00 Per Room Per Night
  - 4\* Hotels: € 3,00 Per Room Per Night
  - 3\* Hotels: € 1,50 Per Room Per Night

*In case VAT, Entrance fees etc rates are increased; quotation may be modified accordingly without previous notice.*

### **DISTANCES ON YOUR TOURS**

<b>4 DAYS CLASSICAL TOUR</b>	<b>KM</b>
ATHENS - CORINTH	90 KM
CORINTH - EPIDAUROS	68 KM
EPIDAUROS - NAFPLION	30 KM
NAFPLION - MYCENAE	30 KM
MYCENAE - OLYMPIA	220 KM
OLYMPIA - DELPHI	240 KM
DELPHI - KALAMBAKA (METEORA)	240 KM
KALAMBAKA (METEORA) - ATHENS	370 KM

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