



TRAVEL SQUAD

BEST OF GREECE

USA – ATHENS – DELPHI – KALAMBAKA – METEORA – ATHENS – MYKONOS – SANTORINI – USA

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- ▶ Explore Athens and enjoy the breathtaking views of the world-famous Acropolis
- ▶ Visit Delphi and see the ancient religious sanctuary dedicated to the God Apollo
- ▶ Enjoy the breathtaking views as you drive from Delphi — Kalambaka — Meteora
- ▶ Travel to Mykonos, famous for its delicious Greek cuisine and lively nightlife scene
- ▶ Visit Santorini, an island with beautiful beaches and breathtaking sunset views

DEPARTURES

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FROM MIAMI



TOUR SUMMARY

Get ready to see ancient landmarks, fascinating archaeological sites, and breathtaking islands with this tour of Greece! Begin your tour in Athens, the legendary capital where you will visit world-famous sites such as the Panathenaic Stadium and the Acropolis. Travel to Delphi, situated between the two towering rocks of Mount Parnassus. This fascinating city is a sacred place that ancient Greeks considered to be the Center of the Earth. Drive to Kalambaka as you take in the breathtaking

views of the charming Greek villages and local towns. See the dramatic rock formations of Meteora along with the beautiful monasteries and local handicrafts. Catch a ferry to Mykonos, one of the most breathtaking islands in Greece famous for its lively nightlife scene and delicious cuisine, and discover the turquoise waters, white-sand beaches, and delicious cuisine of Santorini, where you will end your tour of Greece!



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TOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- ▶ 08 nights accommodation on a twin sharing basis
- ▶ Daily breakfast
- ▶ 01 Special Dinner
- ▶ Arrival and departure transfers
- ▶ Transportation in a deluxe AC vehicle
- ▶ Sightseeing as per the itinerary
- ▶ Services of English-Speaking Local Guides during sightseeing
- ▶ Entrance fees as per the itinerary
- ▶ Ferry tickets: Piraeus – Mykonos – Santorini
- ▶ International roundtrip flights from Miami
- ▶ All Air taxes and fuel surcharges
- ▶ All local and applicable tax



TOUR PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- ▶ Items of personal nature, tips, and gratuities
- ▶ Optional excursions
- ▶ Travel insurance
- ▶ Baggage fees may apply, and vary by the carrier
- ▶ Visa fees, if applicable
- ▶ International flights for the Land Only option
- ▶ City Taxes in Greece– EUR 5 per room/per night: collected by hotels directly at reception on arrival
- ▶ Items not mentioned as being included



TOUR ITINERARY

DAY 01

USA DEPARTURE – ATHENS

Make your way to your gateway airport to board your flight to Athens. Enjoy inflight meals and services.

Overnight Onboard Flight

DAY 02

ATHENS (ARRIVAL)

Upon arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day will be spent at leisure. You may relax and catch up on your jet lag or go out on your own to explore this city which never sleeps. You may choose to visit Syntagma Square and immerse yourself into the vibe of the city or enjoy shopping in one of the most popular streets in the Kolonaki area or Ermou, head on a nice, quiet walk through the beautiful alleys of Plaka (the old district) where you may also find large number of small shops selling souvenirs and other local artifacts. Enjoy a comfortable stay at the hotel.

Overnight in Athens

DAY 03

ATHENS CITY TOUR (B/-/-)

Enjoy your breakfast before you leave for a half day city tour of Athens city. Visit the Panathenaic Stadium -the unique marble stadium, initially built on the site of a simple racecourse by the Athenian statesman Lykourgos to hold Panathenaic Games in 330 BC. The first Olympic Games of modern times were held here in 1896. Continue and pass by the Prime Minister's residence (the ex Royal Palace) which you can find guarded by the Euzones in their colourful uniforms. See the Temple of Olympian Zeus, the Hadrian's Arch, constructed in 131 AD by the Roman Emperor Hadrian as part of a wall separating the old and new cities of Athens, the Parliament, the memorial to the Unknown Soldier, the Academy, the University, the National Library, the Constitution Square. Continue to explore The Acropolis of Athens situated on a hill and contains the remains of several ancient buildings of great architectural and historical significance. 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 new Acropolis museum – admire the wonders of classical era.

Overnight in Athens

DAY 04

ATHENS – DELPHI – KALAMBAKA (B/-/D)

Drive to Delphi- considered as one of Greece's most important archaeological sites famous for the Ancient Oracle. Situated between two towering rocks of Mount Parnassus known as the Phaidriades (Shining) Rocks, Delphi was considered as the center of the Earth and Oracle by the ancient Greeks. It was a sacred place where one had the power to make accurate predictions for the future. Wander around spellbinding Delphi and visit the interesting Archaeological Site. Later depart to Kalambaka, passing through picturesque villages and spectacular towns of Central Greece. Arrive and check in at Kalambaka, enjoy the sumptuous dinner and relax yourself as you prepare for your onward journey to Meteora. Overnight in Kalambaka

DAY 05

KALAMBAKA – METEORA – ATHENS (B/-/D)

Travel through one of the most picturesque parts of Greece, passing by breathtaking scenery to Meteora. A UNESCO world heritage site, Meteora is defined by a series of large pillars of rock with beautiful rock formations, some of which are crowned by the Monasteries. Admire the ageless Monasteries, standing between earth and sky, atop huge rocks containing priceless historical and religious treasures. You can purchase traditional items that include hand painted religious icons, embroidered fabrics, and leather sandals. Return to Athens via Trikala, Lamia, and Thermopylae. Halt to see the Leonidas Monument – an ancient warrior. Arrive and check in at the hotel for rest of the evening at leisure. Overnight in Athens

DAY 6

ATHENS – MYKONOS (BY FERRY) (B/-/-)

After breakfast, transfer to the port for your ferry to magnificent island Mykonos. Island boasts splendid beaches, historic churches and quaint narrow streets laced with whitewashed houses, where artists and jetsetters alike can mingle. Tall, white windmills give an extra romantic touch to his lovely island, which also hosts a plethora of tavernas offering traditional Greek dishes. It is truly a paradise and the international "jet-set" to enjoy the sun, the wonderful sandy beaches as well as the incredible night life. Upon arrival at the port of the island you will be met, assisted and transferred to your hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Mykonos

DAY 7

MYKONOS (B/-/-)

The day is free for leisure, you may explore the many beaches and landmarks of Mykonos and absorb the ambiance of this Cycladic Island during this day of leisure. You can pay a visit to the Church of Panagia Paraportiani, the Townhall and the castle situated above the harbour. Don't miss to visit the Archaeological, Folklore and Maritime Museums to take in a little history. Wander around the pedestrian shopping streets of the Chora. The most glamorous of all is Matoyanni Street, lined with brand name stores, charming cafés and stylish restaurants. On the lively waterfront, admire a fleet of fishing boats casting colourful reflections in the azure waters. This is where you will find the Kazarma building, which served as accommodation for the soldiers of Manto Mavrogenous, a heroine of the Greek Revolution. The first floor served as her personal residence. If you wish you can further continue by visiting the traditional

settlement of Ano Mera village. The big square in the middle of the village with all traditional café and restaurants and the big marble fountain, the Monastery of Panagia Tourliani with the unique icon of holy Mary, makes Ano Mera the most attractive and traditional village of Mykonos. Enjoy some of the most famous beaches of the island like Kalafatis, Agios Stefanos and Agios Giannis with the perfect view to Delos, just before returning back at your hotel full of experiences.

Overnight in Mykonos

Optional:

Half Day Delos Tour: Call for pricing
Discover the sacred island of Apollo and Artemis, in the company of a professional, knowledgeable local guide. The whole territory of the deserted Delos is one of the most important archaeological sites of the eastern Mediterranean. Visit the remains of the Temples of Apollo, the sanctuary of Artemis, the old city and the theatre and then, walk down the celebrated Lion Street. As the night approached, the islands springs to life boasting of the best party scene in the Cyclades, with modern vibrant clubs.

(Includes roundtrip boat ticket to Delos Island, shared professional English-speaking guide, roundtrip shared transfers from/to hotel, entrance fee to Delos archaeological site).

DAY 08

MYKONOS – SANTORINI (BY FERRY)(B/-/-)

Today you will be transferred to the port for your ferry to Santorini, the precious gem of the Aegean. Apart from the fabulous caldera villages, Santorini Greece is also famous for the romantic sunset, the volcano and the luxurious resorts. On arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel. Enjoy free time for you to enjoy this beautiful island at your leisure. You are free to explore Santorini on your own. Today one can only look and wonder at the beauty created by natural destruction. The island of the lost civilization of Atlantis, where you can see unforgettable sunsets and panoramic views... thus the lover's paradise. The town of Fira's whitewashed houses, narrow streets, open-air cafes and glittering boutiques cling to a steep cliff, accessible by cable-car or by donkey ride.

Overnight in Santorini

DAY 09

KALAMBAKA – METEORA – ATHENS (B/-/D) SANTORINI(B/-/-)

Enjoy your time in Santorini to explore this magical island with its great beaches, romance, local restaurants, and breathtaking views. You can visit the Red beach, The contrasting colours of the red lava cliffs and the clear blue waters combine to make a perfect setting and the nearby White Beach. Santorini is famous for its Sunset view, we suggest to climb up to Oia village, situated on top of an impressive cliff, offers you a spectacular view over the volcano and the island of Thirassia. You can also go out to enjoy sunset cruise around the coast.

Overnight in Santorini

SANTORINI – USA(B/-/-)

After a delectable breakfast at your hotel, rest of the day a leisure. In time transfer to the airport for flight back home.