



GREEK ODYSSEY

featuring a 3-day Greek Islands Cruise!

10 Days / 9 Nights

\$2,995 - \$3,595 PP

Price Varies with Group Size and Travel Dates



Ancient Athens

Day 1 Departure

Meet your group at the airport and depart on your **overnight, trans-Atlantic flight to Athens, Greece.**

Day 2 Athens Arrival & City Tour

Arrive in Athens and meet **your tour director and motorcoach**, and then depart on a **guided orientation tour** featuring an array of historical landmarks from the Greek, Roman, and Byzantine periods, including the House of Parliament, the Agora, the Royal Palace, the stadium built for the first modern Olympic Games in 1896, and Greece's largest temple built in the 6th century to honor Zeus. Have some time to stretch your legs and stroll through the lively Plaka district before checking into your hotel. **Dinner and overnight in Athens.**

Day 3 The Acropolis & National Museum

After **breakfast at your hotel**, begin today with a **visit to the hilltop Acropolis** where you will see the **Parthenon**, the Temple of Athena Nike, Omonia and Syntagma Squares, and the nearby **Theatre of Dionysius**. This afternoon, **visit the National Archeological Museum**, the most important archaeological museum in all of Greece, which houses a formidable collection of sculpture, ceramics, frescos and artifacts from the Neolithic through Roman times. Tonight, enjoy **dinner at a Greek taverna.** **Overnight in Athens.**

Day 4 The Oracle at Delphi

This morning, depart for an excursion to **visit to the ruins at Delphi**, the most famous oracle of antiquity, where ancient peoples journeyed to seek the profound advice of the Oracle of Apollo. Visits here include **Apollo's Temple, the Athenian Treasure, and the Delphi Museum.** Return to Athens later today and have **dinner** with your group. **Overnight in Athens.**

Day 5 Athens Free Day

Today is a free day for sightseeing and shopping - enjoy the colorful Plaka district which is rich with handmade



Day 5 continued

pottery, jewelry, and artisans' shops. Dinner tonight is at your own expense. **Overnight in Athens.**

Day 6 Corinth, Mycenae & Epidaurus

Depart this morning for sightseeing in the Peloponnese, the southern peninsula of Greece, offering magnificent scenery and some of the most important historical sites in the country. **Visit the Ancient Citadel of Mycenae** where you will see the Lion Gate, Circle Grave and Tomb of Agamemnon, the **Theater at Epidaurus** and the ruins at **Ancient Corinth.** Continue on to the port city of Piraeus. **Dinner and overnight in Piraeus.**

Day 7 Greek Island Cruise-Mykonos

Early this morning, board your **3-day Greek Island Cruise through the beautiful Aegean Sea** (interior cabins standard accommodations, shore excursions will be available at an additional expense at each port of call.) Today's featured stop will be the enchanted **island of Mykonos**, which offers beautiful landscapes, picturesque white painted villages, hundreds of delicate windmills and an extraordinary golden sandy beach. **Dinner and overnight onboard cruise ship.**

Day 8 Island Cruise-Kusadasi & Patmos

Your journey continues today with **stops in Kusadasi and Patmos.** Kusadasi, one of Turkey's principle holiday resorts, is reputed to be one of the Aegean's most beautiful cities. Here you will have the opportunity to participate in an optional excursion to the ancient ruins of Ephesus. Patmos is an island famous for its religious past, as it was here that Saint John the Divine wrote the Book of Revelation (the Apocalypse). For its unique past and the impressive Monastery of Saint John, Patmos has many beauties to offer visitors. **Dinner and overnight onboard cruise ship.**

Day 9 Island Cruise-Crete & Santorini

Your final day takes you to the **islands of Crete**, the largest of the Greek islands, and **Santorini**, considered among the most beautiful. **Dinner and overnight onboard cruise ship.**

Day 10 Return

Dock in the port of Piraeus early this morning and transfer to the airport for your **return, trans-Atlantic flight.**

Sample Tour Itinerary

**Customize for your group, your preferences,
your budget, your timeline!**