

In Conjunction with Carlson Maritime Travel

A Journey to Greece:

Discovering the Origins of the Tampa Museum of Art Antiquities Collection Accompanied by:

Dr. Branko van Oppen, Richard E. Perry Curator of Greek and Roman Art

Eight glorious nights on the islands of Crete, Santorini, and Mykonos Optional post tour extension in Athens

Depart USA September 30, 2022 or Meet group October 1, in Heraklion







Tour Information and Pricing

The Islands

October 1 arrival in Heraklion, Greece.

Three overnights Heraklion at Megaron Hotel or similar. Breakfast daily. Two overnights Santorini at Orama Hotel and Spa or similar. Breakfast daily. Three overnights Mykonos at Myconian Korali Hotel or similar. Breakfast daily.

Private deluxe motor coach for transfers & touring as per itinerary. English-speaking licensed guide for sightseeing and touring as per itinerary. Entrance fees to archaeological sites and museums:

- Knossos Palace
- Archeological Museum in Heraklion
- Akrotiri excavations
- Delos

Winery visit with wine tasting in Santorini Delos roundtrip boat tickets. High-speed ferry from Heraklion to Santorini (business class) High-speed ferry from Santorini to Mykonos (business class)

Air flight from Mykonos to Athens One dinner in Heraklion (fishermen's place).

One dinner in Santorini (overlooking the caldera)

One dinner in Mykonos (Greek Myconian cuisine)

All transfers to and from hotels, events, museums, etc.

All gratuities to guides, drivers, escorts. VAT. Local Taxes.

Our personalized services throughout the trip.

\$3,999.00 per person. Single supplement on request. Not included: Other meals, flights to and from Greece.







Athens extension October 9

Three overnights in Athens at the MGallery Capitol Hotel.

5* hotel with breakfast daily.

English-speaking licensed guide for sightseeing and touring as per itinerary.

Escort to assist with special requests and general guiding and assistance.

Entrance fees to archaeological sites and museums:

- Acropolis
- Acropolis museum
- National Archaeological Museum

One dinner in Athens (overlooking Acropolis). Wine included.

VAT. Local taxes.

Gratuities to drivers, guides, escorts.

Our personalized services throughout the trip.

\$1,299.00 per person. Single supplement on request.

For those that will not do the extension, depending on your flight arrangements, we can add one night in Athens to be able to make your flight home. We will be glad to assist in arranging the air transportation to and from Greece.



Tour Overview

Join us on an unforgettable trip to Tampa's Sister-City Heraklion, Crete, and take a dive deep into the ancient past!

The city of Heraklion is known for its beautiful Venetian architecture and is the home of several wonderful museums, such as the Archaeological Museum and the Historical Museum of Crete. You are invited to visit both museums with an expert guide at your side.

Especially for initiating exchange programs between the Twin Cities a Sisterhood event will be organized by Evylin Bakinta, vice-president of the Women's Business Association of Crete.

We will visit the Minoan Palace at Knossos, the famous site of the mythic Labyrinth of the Minotaur built by Daedalos, who later escaped the maze with his son Ikaros on wings made of feathers and wax. We will be accompanied by an expert archaeologist of the Ephorate of Heraklion to answer all your questions.

The island of Santorini is a well-known tourist attraction. But did you know that it harbored a major port in Minoan times, too? Moreover, you will be feasted on an excellent wine tasting event at a local winery.

From there we will go by high-speed ferry to the island of Mykonos, another lovely tourist destination. The island is not only famous for its local cuisine but is also close by the archaeological site on the island of Delos, which you will also be able to visit. Relax and enjoy this cosmopolitan destination and also have a chance to swim in the Aegean Sea

For the die-hards we add an extension to stay at Athens in a five-star luxury hotel near the Greek Parliament on Syntagma Square. You will be accompanied by licensed guides for sightseeing the Acropolis and the Acropolis Museum as well as the National Archaeological Museum. A dinner overlooking the Acropolis is included. This modern capital is filled with world class museums, shopping, and dining. There will be time to explore on your own as well.





Greece is filled with wonderful things to bring your senses to life. Amaze yourself with ancient and modern wonders. Explore the culture and try new and different foods. Let the smells be your guide. Listen to the music and to your heart. Dance with Zorba and feel it in your soul. See how they live each day to the fullest and do the same.

As travel opens, we must learn to navigate through a new world! We will be required to have patience as airlines, hotels, restaurants, and other travel components get back to normal.

Be ready for changes and go with the flow as everyone wants to escape after two years of restrictions. Enjoy your adventures with a new sense of exploration and excitement. Meet the challenges with a positive attitude and be thankful that we are traveling again.





PLEASE COMEPLETE AND RETURN THIS REQUIRED FORM TO ENSURE PROPER DOCUMENTATION FOR THIS TRIP.

Please clearly print your full name as it appears on your passport. Incorrect, illegible information will result in charges for reissuing airline tickets. We also require a copy of your passport provided with this form. Expiration of passport must be at least 6 months from the date of your return.

First Name	Last Name	Middle Name or Initial
Street Address	City/ State	Zip
Cell Phone	Home Phone	Date of Birth
E-Mail Address	Emergency Contact Name	Emergency Contact Phone
C	n group, or I will be traveling separately: TPA_not doing your air, please provide us with a copy	
I am rooming with (print name	Rooming as Single	
Medical conditions we need to be aware of:		Global Entry
Island Package Only	Island package and Athens extension	<u> </u>

PLEASE INCLUDE COPY OF PASSPORT. EXPIRATION MUST BE AT LEAST 6 MONTHS POST RETURN DATE OF TRIP. PLEASE DO NOT FAX PASSPORTS.

The tour is limited to 15 passengers plus your escorts

First deposit due at time of booking. \$1,000.00 per person. Initial deposit is non-refundable Final Payment due August 1, 2022.

Cancellation

Cancellations received fewer than 60 days prior to departure are subject to the following forfeit of tour cost:

59-14 days prior to departure, 50% of total tour cost

14 or fewer days prior to departure, 100% of tour cost

Insurance quote upon request.

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