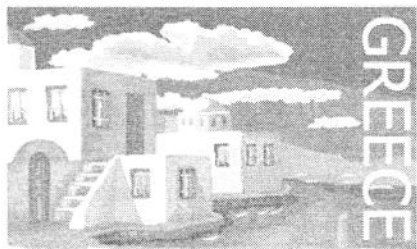


Blue Horizon Travel



APRIL 7-21, 2012

APRIL 08 ARRIVAL IN ATHENS SUNDAY WITH PRIVATE TRANSFER

APRIL 08-10 2 NIGHTS ATHENS AT THE DELUXE CLASS ROYAL OLYMPIC HOTEL,
EXECUTIVE DOUBLE ROOM, BUFFET BREAKFAST DAILY
www.royalolympichotel.gr

APRIL 09 PRIVATE HALF DAY ATHENS CITY SIGHTSEEING TOUR INCLUDING
THE ACROPOLIS

The striking contrast between breathtaking monuments of a glorious past and modern elegant structures is what you will enjoy during your tour of Athens. Visit the Acropolis, the crowning beauty and glory of Ancient Athens, with its many monuments atop its rocky base, including the awesome Parthenon, the Propylea, the temple of Athena Nike and the Erechtheion, with its Porch of Maidens. Drive to the Roman Temple of Olympic Zeus, the Panathinaikon Stadium (site of the first modern Olympic Games in 1896), the Tomb of the unknown Soldier in front of the Parliament House on Constitution Square. See views of government buildings and elegant structures of the 19th century. Drive along Panepistimiou Avenue and view the Catholic Cathedral, the Academy, University, National Library.

APRIL 10-13 4 DAY CLASSICAL TOUR OF THE GREEK MAINLAND INCLUDES
ACCOMMODATIONS FOR 3 NIGHTS AT FIRST CLASS HOTELS,
(AMALIA CHAIN), DOUBLE ROOM
BREAKFAST AND DINNER DAILY INCLUDED.

APRIL 10: *Begin the morning at the famous Acropolis Museum then drive westwards along the scenic coast, until we reach the **CORINTH CANAL** with its breathtaking views (Short Stop). The Corinth Canal is a junction of international sea transport and serves ships coming from the western Mediterranean and Adriatic en route to eastern Mediterranean and Black Sea ports and vice-versa. Continue along the coastal road of the Saronic Gulf to **EPIDAUROS** (Visit). On the headland called "Nesi" at Palaia Epidaurus, the theater of the ancient city is quite well-preserved, in the shape it acquired during the latter years of its function. Apart from a few rows of seats, the cavea is made of limestone with poros staircases. The theater is marveled for its exceptional acoustics, which*

permit almost perfect intelligibility of unamplified spoken word from the proscenium or scene to all 12,000 spectators, regardless of their seating. Then depart for **NAUPLIA** 1st capital of Greece in 1829 (Short Stop) drive to **MYCENAE** (Visit) "Mycenae 'Rich in Gold', the kingdom of mythical Agamemnon, first sung by Homer in his epics, is the most important and richest palatial centre of the Late Bronze Age in Greece. Its name was given to one of the greatest civilizations of Greek prehistory, the Mycenaean civilization." In the afternoon depart for **OLYMPIA** - Dinner & Overnight in **OLYMPIA**. (D)

APRIL 11: Olympia the most celebrated sanctuary of ancient Greece, dedicated to Zeus, the father of the gods, it sprawls over the southwest foot of Mount Kronios, at the confluence of the Alpheios and the Kladeos rivers, in a lush, green landscape. Although secluded near the west coast of the Peloponnese, Olympia became the most important religious and athletic centre in Greece. Its fame rests upon the Olympic Games, the greatest national festival and a highly prestigious one world-wide, which was held every four years to honor Zeus. Visit the Archaeological Site & the Museum and then drive via **PATRAS** to **RION**, across the channel to **ANTIRRION** on the "State of the Art" new suspended bridge considered to be the longest and most modern in Europe. Arrive in **NAFPAKTOS** then continue to **DELPHI** - Dinner & Overnight in **DELPHI**. (B.D)

APRIL 12: Situated at the foot of Mount Parnassos, within the angle formed by the twin rocks of the Phaedriades, lies the Pan-Hellenic sanctuary of Delphi, which had the most famous oracle of ancient Greece. Delphi was regarded as the centre of the world. According to mythology, it is here that the two eagles sent out by Zeus from the ends of the universe to find the navel of the world met. The sanctuary of Delphi, set within a most spectacular landscape, was for many centuries the cultural and religious centre and symbol of unity for the Hellenic world and seat of the Pythian Games, the second most important games in Greece after the Olympics, which were held every four years.

Visit of the archaeological site and the Museum where one can see among other archeological treasures, the unique bronze statue of the *Charioteer* dedicated to Apollo by Polyzalos, the tyrant of Gela, in 478 B.C. when he won the chariot-race at the Pythian Games. This incomparable statue is a representative example of the "severe" Attic style, certainly the work of a major artist. After visits depart for **KALAMBAKA** through **AMPHISSA - LAMIA & TRIKALA** - Dinner & Overnight in **KALAMBAKA** (B.D)

APRIL 13: Today we will see one of the most amazing places in Greece - **METEORA** Meaning 'suspended in air' the name Meteora soon came to encompass the entire rock community of 24 monasteries, the biggest and most important group of

monasteries in Greece after those in Mount Athos. There were no steps and the main access to the monasteries was by means of a net that was hitched over a hook and hoisted up by rope and a hand cranked windlass to winch towers overhanging the chasm. Monks descended in the nets or on retractable wooden ladders up to 40m long to the fertile valleys below to grow grapes, corn and potatoes. Each community developed its own resources and by the end of the 14th century, the Grand Meteoron emerged as the dominant community. The rock monasteries have been characterized by UNESCO as a unique phenomenon of cultural heritage. After visits start the drive back to **ATHENS** passing through **THERMOPYLAE** (Photo Stop) & **KAMMENA VOURLA**. Evening free to attend Greek Good Friday Worship Procession. **OVERNIGHT AT ROYAL OLYMPIC HOTEL.**

APRIL 14 HYDROFOIL SERVICE BETWEEN ATHENS (PIREAUS) AND MYKONOS

APRIL 14-16 2 NIGHTS MYKONOS AT THE FIRST CLASS SAN ANTONIO HOTEL
Centrally located hotel is close to 100 small churches. Explore narrow streets, picturesque windmills, waterfront, local shops, art galleries and cafes. Moped/ATV/and Car rentals as well as public transportation available.

On Holy Saturday, attend optional Midnight Resurrection Service in neighboring Ano Mera. Enjoy fireworks and festivities late into the night.

Easter Sunday on Mykonos is an unmatched spiritual experience.

APRIL 16-20 4-DAY JEWELS OF THE AEGEAN CRUISE

CATEGORY XA - CABINS STANDARD OCEAN VIEW STATEROOMS, ABOARD THE LOUIS MAJESTY. ALL MEALS INCLUDED. SHORE EXCURSIONS EXTRA

DAY	PORT OF CALL	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE
Mon	Mykonos, Greece	6:00PM	11:00PM (Dinner included)
Tue	Kusadasi, Turkey	7:00AM	12:00PM (Ephesus & Virgin Mary's House)
Tue	Patmos, Greece	4:00PM	9:00PM (St. John's Revelations)
Wed	Rhodes, Greece	7:00AM	6:00PM
Thu	Heraklion, Crete Greece	7:00AM	11:30AM
Thu	Santorini, Greece	4:30PM	9:00PM
Fri	Pireaus	8:00AM	(Transfer to Athen's Hotel)

APRIL 20 ATHENS ARRIVAL TRANSFER TO HOTEL WITH FREE DAY & EVENING

APRIL 21 TRANSFER FROM HOTEL TO AIRPORT

LAND PACKAGE COST (PER PERSON): \$3899.00*

*Double occupancy, min. of 15 participants

POST-TOUR ISTANBUL

APRIL 20-22 2 NIGHTS ISTANBUL AT THE OLD CITY
BOUTIQUE VALIDE SULTON KONAGI
HOTEL, DOUBLE ROOMS, BUFFET
BREAKFAST AND DINNER INCLUDED



APRIL 20 PRIVATE ISTANBUL TOUR OF ASIA SIDE
AND BOSPHOROS CRUISE INCLUDING LUNCH

Half day Bosphorus Tour. Visit the Egyptian Spice Market, and then embark on a Bosphorus Boat Tour viewing the beauty of the European and Asian shorelines on either side.

APRIL 21 PRIVATE FULL DAY CLASSIC ISTANBUL SIGHTSEEING TOUR
INCLUDING LUNCH

Full day Historical Istanbul Tour; visit the St. Sophia Museum (built in 6th century, once was the largest Christian Church in the world), the Topkapi Palace (Imperial Residence of Ottoman Sultans, with displays of priceless World-class collections of artifacts, jewelry and rare porcelain), the Blue Mosque (unique with its 6 minarets, and famous for its blue Iznik tiles), the Hippodrome Square where ancient chariot races were held, tour the early Christian Church of the Chora, and then visit the world famous Grand Covered Bazaar.

APRIL 22 AFTER BREAKFAST TRANSFER TO AIRPORT

LAND PACKAGE COST (PER PERSON): **\$699.00*** including air
to Istanbul

Double occupancy, Single Supplement: **\$140.00 USD**

Excludes: Turkish Visa Fee

\$500 Deposit/Insurance due at registration
\$500 2nd Deposit due Dec. 1, 2011
Final Payment due Jan. 15, 2012

- Group air available on Turkish Airlines from Chicago.
- Air from other gateways available
- Ask about single supplement and triple rooms



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EASTER IN GREECE April 7-21 2012 Registration

including a 4 night Greek Island cruise
optional post-weekend in Istanbul, Turkey
with Linda Meadors, Blue Horizon Travel

\$200 p.p. deposit plus insurance due at registration

(complete all information as it appears on your passport)

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

Birthdate: _____ Passport#: _____ Ex. Date _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

Birthdate: _____ Passport#: _____ Ex. Date _____

Email _____ @ _____ . _____

Street Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Evening phone _____ Cell _____

_____ persons Easter in Greece and Jewels of the Aegean Cruise 2012 14- night
April 7-21, 2012 @ \$3899* pp dbl occ. *single supp \$1150*
INSURANCE: \$300 pp (if single, are you willing to share accommodations? Y / N)

_____ persons Pre- Tour Istanbul, Turkey April 6-8, 2012 @ \$699* pp dbl \$140 single supp
INSURANCE: \$40 pp

_____ persons Group air from Chicago @ \$800+tax other gateways available

US Air Gateway preference _____

** quoted pricing is based on a minimum of 15 persons*

Rooming with _____

Total \$ Enclosed (\$200 deposit + insurance .pp.) \$ _____ Check # _____

Credit _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ Expires _____ 3 digit sec. code _____

Name on Credit Card _____

I authorize Blue Horizon Travel to charge the above amount to my card:

Signature here: _____ date: _____

Mail to Blue Horizon Travel, Att: Diane 12570 US Hwy 150, Orion, IL 61273 FAX 1-309-526-8333
Questions? Call Linda Meadors 309-912-4888

Cancellations after 9-30-11 are subject to \$150 Blue Horizon penalty fee. Travel insurance recommended. See coverage on reverse side of registration form.

Revised Sept 15, 2011

Blue Horizon Group Travel Protection Travel Guard Insurance

Blue Horizon Travel requires all participants in our group travel opportunities to be fully insured and protected in the event of unexpected travel and health emergencies. Please refer to the DESCRIPTION OF COVERAGE Group Protection Plan included with your registration packet. Your insurance premium is payable at the time of your registration and will cover all pre-existing medical conditions as long as you are medically able to travel at this time. Coverage is provided for up to 30 days from the time you leave your home to the time you return from your Blue Horizon group trip. Optional pre and post extensions are also included. Premiums are based on the total trip expense per person.

Coverage Summary	Benefit Amount	Trip Cost	Premium
		\$501 - \$1,000 pp	\$65 pp
Trip cancellation (100% Trip Cost)	Trip Cost	\$1,001-\$1,500 pp	\$85 pp
Trip Interruption (150% Trip Cost)	Trip Cost	\$1,501-\$2,000 pp	\$105 pp
Trip Interruption-Return Air Only	\$750	\$2,001-\$2,500 pp	\$135 pp
Trip delay (\$150 max/day)	\$750	\$2,501-\$3,000 pp	\$155 pp
Missed Connection	\$250	\$3,001-\$3,500 pp	\$200 pp
Baggage & Personal Effects	\$1,500	\$3,501-\$4,000 pp	\$230 pp
Baggage Delay	\$250	\$4,001-\$4,500 pp	\$260 pp
Medical Expense	\$25,000	\$4,501-\$5,000 pp	\$300 pp
Dental	\$500	\$5,001-\$5,500 pp	\$330 pp
Emergency Evacuation	\$250,000	\$5,501-\$6,000 pp	\$360 pp
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$25,000	\$6,001-\$6,500 pp	\$390 pp
Travel Guard Medical Assist	Included	\$6,501-\$7,000 pp	\$430 pp
Worldwide Travel Assistance	Included	\$7,001-\$8,000 pp	\$470 pp
Live Travel Emergency Assistance	Included	\$8,001-\$9,000 pp	\$515 pp
		\$9,001-\$10,000pp	\$560 pp
		Optional additional medical coverage of \$25,000 can be added for \$12 pp above premium.	

Revised March 2010 - Prices are subject to change by Travel Guard Insurance – Price will not change after premium has been paid.

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