

# Glories of Turkey and Greece

Duration: 16 days / 15 nights

Day	Location	Details	Meal
1	Istanbul	Arrival and transfer to hotel. Welcome briefing.	
2	Istanbul	Full day tour to include: Topkapi Palace (excluding harem), Hippodrome, Blue Mosque, St. Sophia and the Grand Covered Bazaar Optional: Dinner with belly dancing entertainment.	Breakfast
3	Gallipoli – Dardanelles – Canakkale	Morning departure for Gallipoli and visit Anzac Cove, Lone Pine Cemetery and Chunuk Bair, then across the Dardanelles to Canakkale for overnight.	Breakfast Dinner
4	Troy – Pergamum – Izmir	Today we visit Troy with its famous wooden horse. Before arriving into Asclepion, enjoy lunch with locals in a traditional local village. Then continue to Pergamum to visit the ancient Medical Center in Asclepion and continue to Izmir for overnight.  Optional: Dinner at local restaurant	Breakfast Lunch
5	Ephesus & St. Mary's House – Izmir	Tour the famous ruins of Ephesus and St. Mary's cottage.	Breakfast Dinner
6	Izmir – Bodrum	After breakfast drive to Bodrum to visit the castle of St. Peter and the renowned Underwater Museum that was awarded the best Underwater Museum of the World in 2000s.  Dinner & Overnight in Bodrum.	Breakfast Dinner
7	Bodrum – Marmaris	After breakfast, depart for Marmaris.  Overnight in Marmaris.	Breakfast Dinner
8	Marmaris – Rhodes	Morning transfer to port for hydrofoil trip to Rhodes, Greece.  Arrive and transfer to hotel for overnight.	Breakfast
9	Rhodes	A day of leisure; you may visit Old Rhodes or take an optional tour to Lindos.	Breakfast
10	Rhodes – Santorini	Transfer to the airport for a flight to Santorini.  Arrival and transfer to your hotel for overnight.	Breakfast
11	Santorini	A free day to visit one of the many villages of Santorini, perched on top of the volcano, or enjoy a sun-soaked afternoon on the beach.	Breakfast
12	Santorini – Mykonos	Transfer to the pier for a hydrofoil or ferry ride to Mykonos. Arrival and transfer to your hotel. Enjoy the nightlife of Mykonos.	Breakfast
13	Mykonos	Explore the many beaches of Mykonos and absorb the ambiance of this Cycladic Island during this day at leisure.	Breakfast
14	Mykonos – Athens	Morning is free. Board on a ferry to Athens. Arrive and transfer to your hotel.	Breakfast

## Highlights:

- Topkapi Palace and St. Sophia Basilica
- Grand Bazaar, world's largest and oldest covered market
- Anzac Cove at Gallipoli
- Ancient city of Troy
- Ephesus and House of Virgin Mary
- Famous Greek Islands: Rhodes, Santorini and Mykonos
- Acropolis with its breathtaking view in Athens
- Parthenon in Athens
- Lunch with locals

## Meals

- 15 breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 4 dinners
- (B) Breakfast (L) Lunch (D) Dinner

		Enjoy an Optional: dinner with folklore dancing or visit the quaint Plaka area.	
15	Athens	Tour Athens' famed Acropolis with its breathtaking view and renowned Parthenon, followed by a visit to the Acropolis Museum. On your own, explore the Plaka with its open-air taverns and traditional shops.	Breakfast
16	Athens – Return	A Neon Tours representative escorts you to the airport for the flight home.	Breakfast