

► the benefits of booking with us



When you book your shore excursions with Holland America Line, you can count on our Signature of Excellence® to consistently offer a superior experience ashore:

quality

Clean and comfortable transportation equipment; we engage professional independent tour operators dedicated to customer satisfaction.

safety

Tour operators have contractually agreed to comply with local government requirements and to carry liability insurance in amounts consistent with local standards to address personal injury and property damage claims.

convenience

English-speaking guides; tour departure times set to coincide with the ship's schedule as well as with that of other tours so that guests desiring to do so can take multiple tours.

peace of mind

If a tour that you have purchased through Holland America Line returns late to the ship, we will almost never leave without you. In the very rare event that the ship must leave, we will arrange at our expense to get you to the next port of call (with independently booked tours, you are responsible for rejoining the ship at the next port of call).

variety

Around the globe, our programs include "A Taste of...", Off the Beaten Track, panoramic, flightseeing and motor coach tours, with such adventures as camel rides, kayaking, diving, rock-climbing, glacier hiking and private vehicle/vessel touring.

value

Our award-winning shore excursions offer superior quality and competitive pricing; our guests consistently rate their shore excursion experience as excellent.

► frequently asked questions



what should i wear?

Comfortable walking shoes are recommended for all shore excursions. When you visit places of worship, we recommend dressing conservatively (no shorts or sleeveless tops), but casual clothing is perfectly acceptable. Dress in layers and have a jacket along. Bring an umbrella or raincoat, a hat and sunscreen.

what about meals?

Most tour departures complement the ship's meal service hours. In-room dining is available on board.

how will i know what time each tour departs?

The on-board Shore Excursions Order Form in your stateroom will show departure times. This information will also be printed on your shore excursion tickets, which you will receive on board. Approximate tour departure times are posted on our website at www.hollandamerica.com.

i have a disability. how do i know which tours will best suit me? will i have a problem (dis)embarking the ship?

Guests with disabilities should inquire in advance whether a shore excursion will be able to accommodate their needs. We have graded the Shore Excursions according to the relative level of activity they entail. The walking icons that appear at the beginning of each tour description provide a general idea of the level of activity to expect. Please refer to the "How to Choose Your Tours" section in this brochure for specific information on the walking icons. It is important to keep in mind that shore excursion operators are subject to the laws of their own country including with respect to accommodating the needs of guests with disabilities. In most foreign countries, the laws are not as stringent as those in the United States. Please speak with the Shore Excursions Office as to whether you can expect to encounter difficulties (dis)embarking the ship in a particular port of call. In this regard, the decision whether or not to carry or provide other mobility assistance to a guest and their mobility assistance device (wheelchair, walker, etc.) up or down a ship's gangway, or on or off a tender boat, is at the sole discretion of the Captain,

made based on his evaluation of guest and crew safety. We encourage you to bring a collapsible wheelchair as space limitations may restrict the ability of some tour operators to accommodate motorized mobility aid devices.

i am traveling with friends and we would like to be on the same motor coach

The departure location for each shore excursion is printed on your shore excursion tickets. If you wish to travel with friends, please arrive at the designated meeting place together. This will enable the staff to allocate space for you on the same vehicle.

tour durations

The individual tour descriptions include approximate durations. To allow our Shore Excursions Managers flexibility to coordinate your time in port with meals and activities on the ship, exact departure times are published in the Shore Excursions Order Form on board. For more information, please attend the Shore Excursions Presentation or visit the Shore Excursions Office.

tour descriptions

Tour descriptions may change after printing. Information that becomes available after this brochure is published will be posted in the Shore Excursions section of our website, which can be found online at www.hollandamerica.com. Significant changes will be noted on the Shore Excursions Order Form on board. Tour schedules are subject to change.



➤ book your shore excursions online



Now you can easily choose your tour times, book your tours and receive confirmation of your shore excursion reservations 24 hours a day. Visit us online at

www.hollandamerica.com

Book online now, up until three days before sailing. Make your payment online via our secure website, and receive confirmation as well as your approximate tour departure times. You can also download the shore excursions, view tour prices, find answers to frequently asked questions and read general information.

Remember, online shore excursion reservations are processed prior to any requests made on board the ship and receive priority handling.

general information for booking online

At the time of making your reservations online, we will advise you whether or not your reservations are confirmed or whether you have been waitlisted. Your credit card will be charged immediately for all confirmed reservations. Should space become available for a waitlisted shore excursion request, we will e-mail or otherwise contact you at that time and either immediately charge your credit card if you have already given us your credit card information or ask you to provide us with that information for immediate charge processing. Shore excursion reservations are subject to cancellation by us at any time prior to the credit card charge being accepted by your bank. If you or Holland America cancel a tour more than 3 days prior to cruise departure, we will issue a credit on the credit card that you used to pay for the reservation. For any cancellation within 3 days of departure, a credit will not be given on your credit card. Instead, we will apply an ONBOARD CREDIT ONLY policy under which the refund (less any cancellation fee) will show up as a credit to the shipboard account of the person who was to take the shore excursion. If the credit is not fully utilized during the cruise, the balance will be paid to that guest by the ship's Purser.

➤ expand the experience: take more than one tour in each port



Make the most of your time in each port by combining different half-day tours to complete a full day of sightseeing. You might want to consider a morning cooking class with an afternoon walking tour; a morning stroll through a mosaic-lined church and an afternoon of sampling local wine at a vineyard; or even a bike ride and an evening cultural performance—all in one day! Whatever your interests, and whichever pace suits you best, there's a huge variety of tours to mix and match in this brochure. To make combining easy, for tour departure times and durations, visit our website at www.hollandamerica.com.



➤ how to choose your tours



Choose your shore excursions by using these icons as a general guide to the level of activity involved, and select the shore excursions best suited to your physical capabilities.



easy activity: Very light activity including short distances to walk; may include some steps.



moderate activity: Requires intermittent effort throughout, including walking medium distances over uneven surfaces and/or steps.



strenuous activity: Requires active participation, walking long distances over uneven and steep terrain or on steps. In certain instances, paddling or other non-walking activity is required and guests must be able to participate without discomfort or difficulty breathing.



panoramic: Specially designed for guests who enjoy a slower pace, these excursions offer sightseeing mainly from the transportation vehicle, with few or no stops, and no mandatory disembarkation during the tour. As vehicles outside the USA are rarely lift-equipped and ramps are seldom available, a very small amount of walking will be necessary. The pace will be gentle and taking your time is encouraged.



limited capacity: The number of people able to participate in this tour is strictly limited. Reasons for limiting capacity may include the number of transportation seats available, or to maintain a safe ratio of guides for hikes, fishing and water activities. Tours require a minimum number of participants to operate.

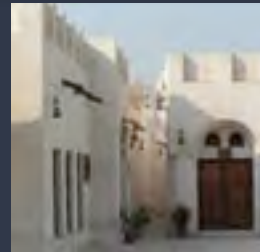


meal: This tour includes a meal—lunch on daytime tours, or dinner on evening tours.



snack: This tour includes a small snack or tasting of local specialties. The snack is not a meal.

► the collections of Holland America Line



What fascinates you? A cooking class with a local chef? A private car, complete with driver and guide, so you can explore near or far? A chance to encounter wildlife or view natural wonders up close? The Collections of Holland America Line represent a small subset of the shore excursions you will find in this brochure. Each collection offers its own particular focus and is available only in select ports.



Medallion Collection

A series of exclusive experiences designed to accommodate our most discerning guests, our Medallion Collection tours are each carefully chosen to provide an in-depth perspective. They offer unparalleled access to events and sights not normally readily available. First-class style, smaller groups, multi-day Overland Adventures—elite activities for a privileged few.



Encore Collection

Been there, done that? Think again. Our Encore Collection, designed especially for repeat guests, lets you discover what lies beyond the well-known attractions you've already seen. Barbecue with Argentine gauchos, bike the tree-lined boulevards of Barcelona, ride an Icelandic pony across a windswept beach near Reykjavik. These tours showcase hidden gems, unusual angles and inside stories that will bring you back time and again.



World Wonders Collection

Natural treasures, architectural marvels, technical wonders: to the Seven Wonders of the World we add our own nominations based on decades of leadership in global travel—the sandstone city of Petra, the *moai* statues of Easter Island, and the Great Wall of China, among others. What they have in common is the ability to inspire awe.



Cruise with Purpose Collection

For every global citizen who has ever dreamed of either giving back or paying it forward, the innovative Cruise with Purpose Collection is quite simply about improving our planet one voyage at a time. Assist in scientific research, bring much-needed supplies to an orphanage, participate in a fair trade scheme or cultural

exchange, replant native forest or restore fragile habitat—your footprint will be light and your soul enriched.



Signature Collection

This exclusive touring option for independent-minded travelers lets you completely customize and maximize your time ashore by reserving private transportation (along with an English-speaking driver and guide) in advance. Whether you travel by car or minivan, customized boat, classic floatplane or stretch SUV limousine, you choose the companions, sights and pace that perfectly suit you.

to whom is the signature collection suited? The Signature Collection is for solo travelers, couples, families, friends and special interest groups traveling together. This may also be an excellent choice for non-ambulatory guests. Value and flexibility are just two of the advantages of first-class touring and luxury transportation. Privacy, comfort, safety, and personalized guide service are also yours to enjoy.

about the transportation: Each type of transportation will be of the highest grade available in that port. Not all modes of transportation are available in all locations. For information about the transportation sizes and availability, please see our website at www.hollandamerica.com.

pricing: The cost of each type of transportation will be published online at www.hollandamerica.com.

also included: The cost includes the service of a driver and English-speaking guide, unlimited mileage, road tolls, parking fees and bottled water.

not included (unless otherwise noted): Guests' entrance fees for attractions are not included in the price due to the wide range of attraction possibilities, uncertain number of attractions to be visited, and varying number of guests participating. We strongly

recommend that you bring some local currency to cover such costs as credit cards are not readily accepted in some ports. Lunch will not be included on any tour as many guests prefer to select their own dining venue.

itinerary planning: If you need help planning your personal itinerary, the Port Lecturer and/or Shore Excursions Manager can assist you and will gladly answer your questions. This can be very helpful in many destinations where travel time, location, holidays, and opening hours of attractions need to be taken into consideration in order to maximize the efficiency of your time ashore.

online reservations: The fastest and easiest way for you to reserve and pay for your Signature Collection experience is on the Holland America Line website. Visit us online at www.hollandamerica.com. Please note the cost will be per mode of transportation (not per person), so only one person in the party needs to make the reservation. The price shown on the website is the total cost for the transportation, driver and guide (not a per-person price). In many ports, availability is extremely limited. Please reserve as early as possible.

payment & tour vouchers: Your credit card will be charged after your reservation is confirmed. Next, start planning what you'll do with your Signature Collection experience in each port. On board the ship, you will be given a form to advise the Shore Excursions Office of the itinerary you have chosen.

booking on board: The Signature Collection may be available for booking once you are on the ship, but this cannot be guaranteed. Please check with the Shore Excursions Office on board.

disembarking the ship: In some disembarkation ports, a private vehicle and guide can be used for sightseeing en route to the airport. When booking, please advise the total amount of luggage for your party. Size of vehicle and luggage space may limit the number of guests in the vehicle.

Katakolon, Greece - Monday, October 3, 2011: Gateway to Olympus, site of the original Olympic Stadium and host to some games of the 2004 Olympiad.

Ancient Olympia & Mercuri's Vineyards



Departs: 9:00 AM
 Approximately 4½ Hours
 Adult \$109.00; Child \$69.00

The small fishing village of Katákolon is your gateway to the mystical site of ancient Olympia, 25 miles to the east. The sanctuary of Olympia has the appearance of a park, and as you step back 2,000 years into the past, imagine the area crowded with athletes, orators, merchants and philosophers surrounding the Temple of Zeus with its forty-foot statue of the god, the ruins of which you will see today. It's easy to imagine the roar of the spectators as the athletes took their marks on the marble starting blocks, and to picture the temples, treasuries, porticoes and statues as they were. After your visit to Olympia, you will continue to the Mercuri Estate, known not only for its wines of supreme quality but also for its magnificent location. This is the area where the Refosco grape was first planted after being imported from Italy. In 1930, the Mercuris built a modern winery and distillery, updated again in 1990 with the latest technology. You are invited to experience the beauty and charm of the vineyards, to see the old and new wineries, and also to taste the locally produced wines.

Please note: Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect dense crowding and congestion at the site.

Ancient Olympia & Zorba



Departs: 8:45 AM
 Approximately 3½ - 4 Hours
 Adult \$104.00; Child \$69.00

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Ancient Olympia & the Museum



Departs: 11:00 AM
 Approximately 4 Hours
 Adult \$74.00; Child \$49.00



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Ancient Olympia & the Village



Departs: 8:15 AM
 Approximately 4 Hours
 Adult \$69.00; Child \$34.00

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Katakolon Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 9:00 AM
 Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
 Price \$999.00



Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed

to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private car, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Magna Grecia Farm Visit



Departs: 10:30 AM
Approximately 3 Hours
Adult \$79.00; Child \$49.00

A short drive through picturesque villages and unspoiled scenery surrounding Katakolon brings you to Magna Grecia Farm in the heart of a traditional agricultural region. Visit the olive grove and learn the history of the olive tree and the tasty, peppery fruit produced here. You'll see the vineyards and encounter farm animals as well. You are invited to immerse yourself in the beauty and charm of this estate and in the delicious flavors of Greek cuisine by sampling a variety of *mezes* (appetizer dishes) along with local wine. Flirt with Greek culture as you watch a short demonstration of Syrtaki dance, and maybe try a few steps yourself. Lunch will be served—a Mediterranean meal of bread with virgin olive oil, Broichetto with olive oil, oregano, basil, tomato, feta cheese and black kalamata olives, fava beans, grilled traditional sausages, tzatziki, feta cheese and dessert. Mineral water is provided with lunch, and you'll have a chance to try ouzo, the local liqueur that tastes like licorice.

Mercouri's Vineyard & Winery



Departs: 9:15 AM
Approximately 2 - 2½ Hours
Adult \$79.00; Child \$49.00



After a short drive through picturesque villages and unspoiled scenery, you will arrive at the Mercouri Estate, known not only for its wines of supreme quality but also for its magnificent location. This is the area where

the Refosco grape was first planted after being imported from Italy. In 1930, the Mercouris built a modern winery and distillery, updated again in 1990 with the latest technology. You are invited to experience the beauty and charm of the vineyards, to see the old and new winery, and also to have a taste of the locally produced wine.

Please note:

Thira (Santorini), Greece - Tuesday, October 4, 2011: Your harbor on this island was created by a volcano in 1500 BC., and the effect is still explosive: steep cliffs rise from sea level, cubist white houses glow in the Aegean sun.

Hidden Villages of Santorini



Departs: 8:55 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$79.00; Child \$39.00

Just 15 minutes from Athinios lies Megalochori, the largest village of the Santorini plain. Known as the village of intellectuals, Megalochori is characterized by hundreds of small white houses, as well as vineyards and beautiful churches. Walking through the village along narrow alleyways, you will encounter a variety of traditional mansions and visit the quaint Church of the Virgin Mary, with its collection of ecclesiastic artifacts. Continue to Eborio Village to visit the ruins of the medieval Fort Kasteli. Your final stop will be the volcanic beach of Perissa—an endless stretch of intriguing black sand. At the heart of summertime entertainment, Perissa is the most popular beach on the island with a wide variety of taverns, restaurants and beach bars. Time will be allowed for swimming and enjoying this famous beach.

Please note: Wear your swimsuit; bring a towel.

Oia Village, Siglas Winery & Nomikos Foundation



Departs: 8:35 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$94.00; Child \$49.00

The first stop on your tour will be the village of Oia, perhaps the most beautiful village on the island. It was almost completely destroyed in the 1956 earthquake, but has been slowly restored continuing the ancient tradition of dwellings excavated from the cliff face, with the cave-like houses clinging to the slope of volcanic rock. The most picturesque of the two main village streets is paved with marble and lined with tiny shops, cafés and restaurants, all waiting to be explored. If you prefer you can “lose yourself” in the maze of tiny streets over the rock, looking at the strange and interesting houses, superb chapels, and abandoned mansions. The views from the cliff are quite amazing, offering the best photo opportunities on this unique island. Next you will visit the small winery of Siglas. You will have the opportunity to wander through the vineyard and see the strange Santorini basket-like vines, watch how the wine is produced on the premises and then sample the results yourself! Your final stop is at the Nomikos Foundation. On display are fascinating three-dimensional photographic reproductions, representing the prehistoric wall paintings of Akrotiri. Get a glimpse of what life was like in the 17th century BC. The terrace in front of the building offers great views of Fira, the main town. Your tour ends with a ten-minute walk down to the cable car station, or if you prefer

you may stay in town and return to the ship at your leisure.

Panoramic Santorini



Departs: 8:15 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$79.00; Child \$39.00

Embark your motor coach and head to the tour’s first stop at the Profitis Ilias (Prophet Elias) Mountain, offering the best views on the whole island—a perfect photo opportunity. Descending the mountain, you will stop on the way to Oia Village to visit a winery. Here, you will have the opportunity to see how the wine is made from the unique Santorini grapevines. The drive to Oia will definitely acquaint you with the inspiring volcanic nature of the island; the views from various different angles are quite spectacular. This picturesque town features blue-domed churches, old two-story mansions, and narrow cobblestone streets lined with tiny shops selling hand made ceramics, paintings and semi precious jewelry. This is an ideal location to capture the beauty of this remarkable island.

Profitis Ilias & Oia Village



Departs: 8:25 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$74.00; Child \$39.00

From the Mountain of Prophet Elias, enjoy the best views of this gorgeous island. You’re headed to Oia, and along the way you will learn of the inspiring volcanic nature of the island. Oia is a picturesque town with blue-domed churches, old two story mansions, narrow cobblestone streets lined with tiny shops selling handmade ceramics, paintings and semi-precious jewelry. This is an ideal location to capture the beauty of this remarkable island. Returning to Fira, walk with your guide to the cliffside road where you may proceed to the cable car at your leisure.

Santorini Private Touring - Full Day (Car)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$1,549.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the



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Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Santorini Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$1,999.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting

sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private minivan, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Capacity: 8 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Santorini Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$1,154.00



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Santorini Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$1,229.00



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The Essence of Santorini



Departs: 8:45 AM

Approximately 6½ Hours

Adult \$139.00; Child \$69.00

From Athinios it is a 25-minute drive to Profitis Ilias mountain—the highest point of Santorini towering 2,000 feet above the sea and offering splendid panoramic views of the island. At the picturesque village of Oia, you will have some free time to wander the narrow cobblestone lanes, encountering whitewashed buildings, cafes, and shops with beautiful arts, crafts and souvenirs. Your next stop is a local winery, where you will learn that the rich volcanic soil of Santorini produces unique wines, some of which you will have the opportunity to taste. You will then head to the Panagia Episkopi Church, the oldest Byzantine church on the island, dating back to the 11th century. Pirates, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions and fire have yet to breach its walls. Finally you will drive to Kamari, a coastal village with black sand beach. Here, enjoy a traditional lunch (or dinner for afternoon tours) at the quaint village of Pyrgos, before heading back to Fira Town, where you are free to spend some time or return to the ship.

Istanbul, Turkey - Wednesday, October 5, 2011: Known in the course of history as Byzantium and Constantinople. This city's rich past is evident in such sights as the Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace, home of Ottoman sultans.

A Taste of Istanbul: Cruise & Dine at the Maidens Tower



Departs: 7:30 PM
Approximately 3½ Hours
Price \$244.00

Meet your guide at the pier for an evening to remember in Istanbul. Kizkulesi (Maidens Tower) Restaurant dates back 2,500 years, relentlessly accompanying the amazing city of Istanbul through history thick and thin. It has been an eyewitness to everything the city has encountered—Greek occupation, Byzantium, the Crusades, the Ottomans and the Turks. Interestingly, the restaurant is located in the middle of the Bosphorus Strait, which may account for its longevity despite times of unrest. A brief transfer will bring you to a small pier to board a motorboat. A quick ride takes you across the Bosphorus to the restaurant. Step back in time and enjoy a superb meal in an antique setting with an incredible view and local entertainment. At the end of the evening, return to the ship, viewing the magnificent city of Istanbul by night with all the famous monuments lit up.

Please note: Minimum age is 10 years. Smoking is not permitted in any venue. This tour is not recommended for guests with wheelchairs, as the boat is not wheelchair accessible.

A Taste of Istanbul: Dining on the Bosphorus



Departs: 7:30 PM
Approximately 3 Hours
Price \$224.00

Meet your guide at the pier for an evening to remember in Istanbul. Set out for a special evening at the famous Bebek Fish Restaurant. As you travel, your guide will explain about the palaces and the luxury pavilions overlooking the Bosphorus Strait. At the restaurant, fresh seafood specialties are prepared Turkish-style while you take in the incredible night-view of the Bosphorus strait that separates Europe and Asia. At the end of the evening, return to the ship, viewing the magnificent city of Istanbul by night with all the famous monuments lit up.

Please note: Minimum age is 10 years. Smoking is not permitted in any venue.

A Taste of Istanbul: Dinner Cruise on the Scenic Bosphorus



Departs: 5:00 PM
Approximately 3½ Hours
Price \$159.00

Meet your guide at the pier for an evening to remember in Istanbul. Istanbul is the only city in the world that is located in both Europe and Asia. This evening you will have an opportunity to view both sides of this marvelous city from a private boat. Leave the port by coach and travel a short distance to the pier to board a motorboat for a cruise

along the shores of the stunning Bosphorus Strait. Take in the sights as you enjoy refreshments. On the European side, you will view many palaces, old mansions, and modern villas. Watch for the first intercontinental bridge that connects Europe and Asia. You will spot Dolmabahce Palace, formerly an opulent 19th-century Rococo palace, and now a museum. Then, the boat will turn around at Sariyer fishing village to cruise back along the Asian side. On your left is gorgeous Beylerbeyi Palace, one of the finest summer palaces of the Sultans. Dinner will be served on board during the cruise. At the end of the evening, return to the ship, viewing the magnificent city of Istanbul by night with all the famous monuments lit up.

Please note: Minimum age is 10 years. This tour is not recommended for guests with wheelchairs as the boat is not wheelchair accessible.

A Taste of Istanbul: Istanbul By Night



Departs: 8:00 PM
Approximately 3½ Hours
Price \$134.00

Meet your guide at the pier for an evening to remember in Istanbul. Join in an evening of traditional Turkish cuisine and entertainment at one of Istanbul's finest nightclubs located in the new city. Dinner will be a variety of Turkish specialties and, as you eat, Turkish musicians, belly dancers and folk dancers, performing dances from different regions of Turkey, will entertain you. At the end of the

show, join in as familiar and favorite songs are sung. At the end of the evening, return to the ship, viewing the magnificent city of Istanbul by night with all the famous monuments lit up.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Minimum age is 10 years. Smoking is not permitted in any venue.

A Taste of Istanbul: Turkish Kebab Dining Experience



Departs: 7:30 PM
Approximately 3 Hours
Price \$164.00

Meet your guide at the pier for an evening to remember in Istanbul. In the epicurean world, nothing says Turkey like a fabulous kebab experience. Kosebasi Restaurant offers kebabs that adhere to the traditional recipes of South Anatolia, and as a result is quite famous. Kosebasi not only captures traditional taste, but dining here also becomes something of a cultural event and an introduction to Anatolian lifestyle. At the end of the evening, return to the ship, viewing the magnificent city of Istanbul by night with all the famous monuments lit up.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Minimum age is 10 years. Smoking is not permitted in any venue.



Cruise Between Europe & Asia



Departs: 4:30 PM
Approximately 2½ Hours
Adult \$79.00; Child \$49.00

A short drive will bring you to the pier to board your private boat for a cruise on the Bosphorus Strait, one of the most beautiful waterways in the world. During the cruise, you will have chance to see the traditional old, wooden Turkish villas, 19th-century Ottoman palaces, fishing villages and green hills on both sides of the Bosphorus. You will also view the Rumeli Fortress—the castle built by Sultan Mehmet the Conqueror in preparation for the siege of Constantinople (Istanbul). Cruise back to Istanbul and enjoy the magnificent views from the sea. Re-board your coach and return to the ship.

Please note: Tour is not recommended for guests with wheelchairs as the boat is not wheelchair accessible.

Istanbul City Walls & Spice Bazaar



Departs: 4:30 PM
Approximately 3 Hours
Adult \$54.00; Child \$29.00

Tour through Old Istanbul, crossing the Galata Bridge. Your guide will point out the Suleymaniye Mosque, one of the most important mosques of the Ottoman Empire, before you drive along the city walls surrounding the ancient city. You will also pass under the age-old Roman aqueduct on your way to the Spice Market. The Spice Market or Egyptian Bazaar was constructed in 1663 as a part of the adjacent Yeni Mosque

complex, in order to generate funds for the upkeep of the mosque. This was an avant-garde concept at the time—light years ahead of the not-for-profit fundraising game. The Spice Market is the best place to purchase spices familiar and exotic, whose pungent aromas bear little resemblance to the supermarket variety, as well as fresh Turkish Delight, caviar and a fascinating array of teas before you return to the port.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul.

Istanbul Deluxe Part I



Departs: 4:30 PM
Approximately 3¾ Hours
Adult \$109.00; Child \$79.00



Istanbul is the only city in the world that is located on two continents, and today you will experience both sides of the city. Leave the port of Istanbul and drive to the Old Town. Your first stop will be at the Spice Market where you will walk past a myriad of stalls selling ancient spices such as frankincense, myrrh, cinnamon, cumin and “rice spice.” Take a moment to watch the trading, which occurs the same way today as it has been done for centuries. Next, visit the magnificent Underground Cistern, built during the reign of Justinian. This 6th-century subterranean water reservoir features a ceiling supported by 336 Corinthian columns and is known as the Underground Palace. After a short drive to the pier, you will board a private motorboat for a one-hour cruise on the Bosphorus Strait—without a doubt one of the most beautiful waterways in the world. During the cruise you will notice that the Bosphorus shoreline is bedecked with

numerous old traditional wooden Turkish villas, 19th-century Ottoman palaces, fishing villages and green hills on both sides. You will also view the Rumeli Fortress—the castle built by Sultan Mehmet the Conqueror as a part of the preparations for siege of Constantinople. Enjoy refreshments during your cruise. At the end of the day, you will return to the ship.

Please note: Tour is not suitable for the guests who wish to participate in an evening tour. Tour is not wheelchair accessible. This excursion can be taken as a standalone tour but for the best experience should be combined with Deluxe Istanbul Part II—an unforgettable combination and by far the best way to fully experience this marvelous city.

Istanbul Private Touring - Evening (Car)



Departs: 7:15 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$299.00



Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle and English-speaking driver at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private vehicle, and the personalized attention of your driver, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

The Signature Collection is recommended for the single/solo traveler, couples, family, friends, and special interest groups traveling together. It can also be an excellent choice for physically challenged guests.

Please note: Private cars are ordered per vehicle (not per person), so only one person in the party need to order the vehicle. The price shown is the total cost for the vehicle and driver. Entrance fees for attractions are not included. In many destinations, the number of vehicles available is extremely limited, so guests are encouraged to secure their private vehicle reservation as early as possible.

Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Evening vehicles do not include guide—they are driver-only.

Istanbul Private Touring - Evening (Minivan)



Departs: 7:15 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$499.00



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Capacity: 8 guests

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Evening vehicles do not include guide—they are driver-only.

Panoramic Istanbul Old & New



Departs: 4:45 PM
Approximately 2 Hours
Adult \$49.00; Child \$29.00

Take a panoramic tour through Istanbul, starting with a drive over the Galata Bridge. Watch for the stunning Suleymaniye Mosque—one of the most important mosques of Ottoman Empire—before you arrive at the heart of the Old City. From Sultanahmet Meydani (Square), you will view the Blue Mosque, the Byzantine Hippodrome with its Egyptian obelisk, St. Sophia and part of the Topkapi Palace. Take advantage of a short photo stop between the Blue Mosque and St. Sophia. Then, continue along the old city walls by the Sea of Marmara, and pass under the ancient Roman aqueduct on the way to the new part of Istanbul, packed with people, shops and modern housing. Cross the Unkapani Bridge and head through Taksim Square and return to port.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul.

Istanbul, Turkey - Thursday, October 6, 2011: Known in the course of history as Byzantium and Constantinople. This city's rich past is evident in such sights as the Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace, home of Ottoman sultans.

A Taste of Istanbul: Cultural Treasures & Cuisine



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 7 - 7½ Hours
Adult \$154.00; Child \$109.00

Meet your guide at the pier. Begin by exploring the local markets that are a lively, colorful and exciting part of life in Istanbul. Visit the Spice Market where you will smell the ancient spices such as frankincense, myrrh, cinnamon, cumin and rice spice, and watch the trading as it has been done for centuries. You will also stop at the Beyoglu farmers' market to learn about the many delicious ingredients that go into Turkish cuisine. Then, you will visit the largest fish market in Istanbul and see the many special varieties only available in the Bosphorus Strait. Lunch will be served at a local kebab house. You'll learn all about the famous Turkish kebabs—how they are made and how to eat this special cuisine as the Turks do! Afterwards, stroll the alleys of the Grand Bazaar and enjoy the many different varieties of wares along with a demonstration on the art of carpet weaving.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul.

Byzantine Treasures of Istanbul



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 - 4½ Hours
Adult \$69.00; Child \$39.00

Your first stop is at the Chora Church Museum—famous for its frescoes and mosaics depicting biblical scenes. Although the church is small, it has a most interesting character. Then, you'll pass along the old city walls and under the ancient Roman aqueduct on the way to St. Sophia, the splendid Church of Divine Wisdom built in the 6th century. St. Sophia's dome was then the largest in the world. After several conquests and pillages, the building was converted into a mosque, but fell into disrepair as the centuries passed. The mosaics were uncovered in the 1900s and the church was dedicated as a Byzantine-Ottoman museum. Stop for a carpet demonstration and visit the Grand Bazaar to shop. Leather, silver, candy, clothing and carpets can be purchased here.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Use of an audio headset (included) will enhance your tour experience.

History & Scenic Cruise with a Private Guide



Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 5 Hours
Price \$199.00

Gather your friends and family and board a private yacht for a short ride on the Bosphorus Strait with your private guide. Take in the city's famous and beautiful landmarks from the water as your guide recounts Istanbul's colorful history. Disembark the yacht and transfer to the old city to visit the Blue Mosque. Next, you will see the Hippodrome where ancient Byzantine entertainment spectacles such as gladiator fights and chariot races took place. The Underground Cistern was built in the 6th century with 336 beautiful columns that were purloined from pagan Roman temples. Stop for refreshments in an authentic Turkish teahouse, then enjoy some time at the Grand Bazaar and a demonstration on the art of carpet weaving.

Please note: Your group must consist of a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 10 persons. Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Modest attire is required; knees, shoulders and midribs must be covered and shoes must be removed to enter mosque(s). Shoe bags will be provided for mosque visits. Tour is not recommended for guests with wheelchairs as the boat is not wheelchair accessible.

History Adventure with Private Guide



Departs: 8:15 AM
Approximately 7 - 7½ Hours
Price \$209.00

Gather your friends and family and head out with your private guide on this fascinating tour that will delve into the history of dazzling Istanbul. Your first stop will be at the Hippodrome, where ancient Byzantine entertainment spectacles such as gladiator fights and chariot races took place. This beautiful elliptical-shaped park features an obelisk from Egypt dating to 3000 BC. Next, you will visit the Blue Mosque, named for its richly adorned interior of magnificent Iznik tiles, and the fabulous St. Sophia, also called the Church of Divine Wisdom. This splendid church was built in the 6th century, and its dome was then the largest in the world. After several conquests and pillages, the building was converted into a mosque, but fell into disrepair as the centuries passed. The mosaics were uncovered in the 1900s and the church was dedicated as a Byzantine-Ottoman museum. Stop for a carpet demonstration, and there will be time at the Grand Bazaar for shopping. Leather, silver, candy, clothing and carpets can be purchased here. After your shopping experience, drive to the modern side of the city; Taksim Square and Istiklal Street. Walk down Istiklal Street through the Pera (Beyoglu) district of Istanbul. Istiklal Street is a pedestrian street formerly known as the Grand Rue de Pera, today the heart of the city's cultural life with various cafés, restaurants, shops, and cinemas. Continue

down the street to the Cicek Pasaji (Flower Market) and the famous fish market. Pass by the Italian Gothic Church of St. Anthony and the Hotel Pera Palace (used as a residence by the passengers of the Orient Express). You will take the historical tram for the return to Taksim Square to enjoy a spectacular lunch at one of the most popular restaurants in Beyoglu. At the end of the tour, you will return to the ship.

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Istanbul Deluxe Part II



Departs: 8:15 AM
Approximately 8 Hours
Adult \$214.00; Child \$179.00

After a short panoramic drive through the Old Town of Istanbul you will arrive at the Ancient Hippodrome, once the largest chariot racetrack of the Roman Byzantine Empire. From there it is a short walk to the Blue Mosque. This incredible monument to Islam was completed in 1616 and is a triumph of harmony, proportion and elegance. The blue Iznik tiles covering the walls give the mosque its name. Nearby is the Topkapi Palace, the official residence of the Ottoman Sultans. The palace consists of courts, pavilions, mosques, fountains and a rich Treasury section. The Harem was the home of the sultan and is an exceptional insight into how the rulers lived. Enjoy some free time to browse on your own. Stop for a

spectacular lunch at one of the authentic Ottoman house restaurants located in the Old Town. You will taste delicious Turkish cuisine cooked in Ottoman and Turkish styles, lovingly prepared by the chef. After lunch, you will visit the famous St. Sophia Church, built during Emperor Justinian's reign in 537 AD. St. Sophia's dome was then the largest in the world and it remained the greatest church in Christendom for centuries. After several conquests and pillages, the building was converted into a mosque, but fell into disrepair as the centuries passed. Its magnificent mosaics were uncovered in the 1900s and the church was later dedicated as a Byzantine-Ottoman museum. At the end of your tour, you will return to the port, stopping en route for a carpet demonstration. A short stop will be made for a carpet demonstration and the Grand Bazaar for some shopping en route to the pier.

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Istanbul Private Touring - Full Day (Car)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$699.00



Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private car, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to create your own intimate connections and unique cultural encounters.

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Capacity: 2 guests
Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Istanbul Private Touring - Full Day (Minibus)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$2,299.00



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Capacity: 10-22 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Istanbul Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$999.00

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Capacity: 8 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Istanbul Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 8:15 AM, 12:30 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$449.00

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Capacity: 2 guests

Your private party may be of any size up to the maximum capacity.

Istanbul Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



Departs: 8:15 AM, 12:30 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$1,599.00

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Capacity: 10-22 guests

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Istanbul Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



Departs: 8:15 AM, 12:30 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$664.00

Explore at your own pace with a private vehicle, driver and English-speaking guide at your service. This exclusive tour is designed to allow you the chance to customize your time ashore and discover the most interesting sights in the comfort and privacy of your own vehicle. With your private minivan, and the personalized attention of your driver and English-speaking guide, you will have the flexibility and independence to design your itinerary ashore according to your own interests, and take in the sights at your own pace. See the famous sights, or go beyond to

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Capacity: 8 guests

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Ottoman Wonders



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4½ Hours
Adult \$74.00; Child \$49.00

Your first stop on this fascinating tour will be at the Blue Mosque, named for its richly adorned interior of magnificent Iznik tiles. Nearby is the Topkapi Palace, the official residence of the Ottoman Sultans. The palace consists of courts, pavilions, mosques, fountains and a rich treasury section. Enjoy some free time to browse on your own. Stop for a carpet demonstration and visit the Grand Bazaar to shop en route to the pier.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in

Istanbul. Modest attire is required; knees, shoulders and midribs must be covered and shoes must be removed to enter mosque(s). Shoe bags will be provided. Tour does not include a visit to the harem section at Topkapi Palace.

Panoramic Istanbul: Asia & Europe



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 4 - 4½ Hours
Adult \$59.00; Child \$34.00

Europe and Asia meet in the city of Istanbul. See the best of both continents by motor coach. In Asia, your guide will point out Beylerbeyi Palace, and in Europe, the ancient city walls, and Suleymaniye Mosque. Next, you'll see the Hippodrome, where ancient Byzantine entertainment spectacles such as gladiator fights and chariot races took place. This beautiful elliptical-shaped park features an obelisk from Egypt dating to 3000 BC. Finally, you will visit the Blue Mosque with its six minarets and stunning blue interior. En route back to the ship you will also glimpse the Topkapi Palace and Byzantine St. Sophia Church, and stop for a chance to shop at the Grand Bazaar and view a carpet demonstration.

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The Best of Istanbul



Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 7½ - 8 Hours
Adult \$174.00; Child \$139.00



View the best of Istanbul's stunning architecture and attractions. Your first stop will be at the impressive Blue Mosque, named for the vivid Iznik tiles which line its interior. Take a short walk to the ancient Hippodrome—once the largest chariot racetrack of the Byzantine Empire. Next, you will browse on your own at the amazing Topkapi Palace—official residence of the Ottoman Sultans—with courts, pavilions, mosques, fountains and a treasury. After lunch at a city hotel, you will stop at the jewel in Turkey's Byzantine crown—the Museum of St. Sophia. This splendid Church of Divine Wisdom was originally built in the 6th century, and was lovingly restored in the 1900s, reflecting the true history of the glorious city of Istanbul. Finally, pause at the Grand Bazaar for a little shopping and a demonstration of carpet weaving.

Please note: Expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. Modest attire is required; knees, shoulders and midribs must be covered and shoes must be removed to enter mosque(s). Shoe bags will be provided. There is no visit to the harem section at Topkapi Palace. Use of an audio headset (included) will enhance your tour experience.

The Best of Istanbul with Lunch at the Four Seasons Hotel



Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 7½ - 8 Hours
Adult \$189.00; Child \$154.00



View the best of Istanbul's stunning architecture and attractions. Your first stop will be at the impressive Blue Mosque, named for the vivid Iznik tiles which line its interior. Take a short walk to the ancient Hippodrome—once the largest chariot racetrack of the Byzantine Empire. Next, you will browse on your own at the amazing Topkapi Palace—official residence of the Ottoman Sultans—with courts, pavilions, mosques, fountains and a treasury. After lunch at the Four Seasons Hotel, you will stop at the jewel in Turkey's Byzantine crown—the Museum of St. Sophia. This splendid Church of Divine Wisdom was originally built in the 6th century, and was lovingly restored in the 1900s, reflecting the true history of the glorious city of Istanbul. Finally, pause at the Grand Bazaar for a little shopping and a demonstration of carpet weaving.

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Varna, Bulgaria - Friday, October 7, 2011: The largest city on the Bulgarian Black Sea coast, follow the shaded boulevards to discover the breathtaking 19th century Cathedral of the Assumption of the Virgin. In the city center, explore the 2nd century remains of a Roman Bath, the largest ancient building in Bulgaria. Catch a glimpse of the city's red-tile roofs from one of sandy beach promenades.

Bulgarian Traditions



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 5½ Hours
Adult \$94.00; Child \$59.00

Board your coach for a sightseeing drive along the streets of Varna to view City Hall, the railway station and the Sea Garden. You will stop briefly at the Cathedral of the Assumption and visit Varna's cherished golden-domed church. A scenic drive inland brings you to Madara—a village of ancient history and warm and hospitable people. Near the village is one of Bulgaria's most fascinating UNESCO World Heritage Sites, and you will take a leisurely walk along the wooded alleys, winding up to the majestic Madara rocks where you will discover the Madara Horseman. This remarkable 8th-century relief reveals historical data about the military and political development of early Bulgaria. Re-board your coach for the drive to the village, where a local couple is expecting you at their private home. The people of Madara enjoy visitors and they will earnestly insist that you sample their local delicacies and brandies. View a demonstration of how the famous Bulgarian *banitsa* (cheese and egg pie) is prepared. Should you choose to participate in the preparation of the meal, you will be most welcome to do so. After a warm farewell from your hosts, you will return to Varna.

Please note: There is a gentle uphill walk

leading to the Madara Horseman relief, and on the return hike there are 300 steps to descend. Comfortable shoes recommended. Guests who wish to remain on the motor coach may do so.

Leisurely Varna



Departs: 9:30 AM, 10:30 AM
Approximately 2 Hours
Adult \$49.00; Child \$34.00

Experience Varna in a leisurely way, enjoying a sightseeing drive along its tree-lined boulevards. View the Sea Garden, embracing Varna's beaches from the mainland, and pass by City Hall and the railway station. Your drive will continue to Asparouchov's Bridge, where a beautiful panorama of the city is revealed. A short stroll through the halls of the Roman thermal baths dating back to the 2nd century AD will acquaint you with some details about the Roman presence in Bulgaria. Take a few minutes inside the magnificent Cathedral of the Assumption, and don't miss the chance to immerse yourself the upbeat atmosphere of the small flea market by the cathedral.

Royal Escape: Balchik Botanical Garden



Departs: 9:00 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$99.00; Child \$74.00

The summer residence of Queen Marie of Romania lies just a 50-minute scenic motor coach from Varna. You're headed to the white cliffs of Balchik to visit the Royal residence, which was constructed between 1926 and 1937, when Romania ruled this part of Bulgaria. The house is a far cry from the huge, monumental buildings of typical royal residences; rather it is a complex of small, simple buildings, whose architecture is an exquisite blend of Balkan and oriental style. The famous Italian architects Americo and Augustino called upon the perfect balance of eclectic style and grace to create an elegant summerhouse for Queen Marie, and surrounded it with beautifully landscaped botanic gardens to be tended by the caring hands of her Swiss gardeners. The terraced park-like grounds are endowed with age-old trees, creeping shrubs, and delicate flowers. Today it is a state-owned botanic garden, with more than 3,000 rare and exotic plants, including more than 200 tree species, fabulous flowers and a unique collection of about 250 species of large cacti arranged outdoors. During your walking tour your guide will acquaint you with the rarest of species, and provide insight into the style of the villas, originally meant to host Romanian

aristocrats. You will see a Byzantine Orthodox chapel, Roman-Arab rotunda, fountains decorated with fine marble, and statues of mythological figures. You will then step inside the Queen's residence—a relatively small three-storey building built in oriental style on three terraces beside the sea. This is the only building that combines a minaret with an orthodox Christian cupola in such a close proximity. Following your guided visit, spend some time at leisure near the arched walkways by the golden beach, and relax in the cool shade of the trees before heading back to Varna.

Treasures of Varna



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 - 4½ Hours
Adult \$84.00; Child \$54.00

Varna dearly cherishes its national treasures, as they reveal a wealth of historical information. Start your day with a visit to the Archeological Museum, which houses gold treasures from the Chalcolithic Period (3000 BC), widely believed to be the oldest gold ever discovered. A choir performing Eastern Orthodox songs will welcome you in one of the museum's icon halls. Re-board your coach for a drive through the neighborhoods of Varna and visit a 50-million-year-old Petrified Forest. Take a few minutes to saunter amid strange stone pillars molded by nature, and discover the Camel, the Stone Guardians, and the Throne. Leaving the

Petrified Forest, you'll return to Varna for refreshments and a lively folklore show at a theme restaurant.

Varna Highlights



Departs: 9:00 AM
 Approximately 4 - 4½ Hours
 Adult \$79.00; Child \$54.00

Varna, the “Pearl of the Bulgarian Black Sea Riviera,” is more than just a pretty face. Board a coach for a city tour starting with the magnificent cathedral whose interior offers a curious mix of ornate frescoes and icons in a solemn and calm atmosphere. Listen to beautiful East-Orthodox chants from the rich tradition of the Bulgarian church. Then, continue by coach to the Roman thermal baths, dating back to the 2nd century. Stroll along the halls of the baths that were engineered with great sophistication. Next, you will find yourself in a different historical moment, entering the quaint 19th-century house of a local merchant, presently sheltering the town’s Ethnographic Museum. Enjoy the exhibition of agricultural tools, household utensils and traditional costumes. Visit the museum’s top floor and discover Varna’s style of interior domestic decoration from the 19th century. Complete your visit to Varna with a light folklore show and a treat of local wine at a theme restaurant.

Please note: Comfortable shoes recommended. Guests who wish to remain on the motor coach may do so.

Varna Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 8:30 AM
 Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
 Price \$599.00



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Capacity: 2 guests

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Varna Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



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Varna Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



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Wine Extravaganza



Departs: 9:45 AM

Approximately 2 1/2 hours

Price \$119.00

Bulgaria prides itself on a millennia-old legacy of winemaking. The wines of ancient Thrace were praised by Homer in both *The Illiad* and *The Odyssey*. Bulgarians worship wine for its ability to challenge both the senses and the intellect. In the Ethnographic Museum of Varna, you will see tools and casks revealing the Bulgarian wine-production traditions of the 19th century. Continue to one of the oldest buildings in Varna, which houses two unique collections. The first is a one-of-a-kind private collection of old photographs revealing Varna's transition from a small Oriental town into modern European city. The second collection is a fine Bulgarian wine selection. Step into the cellar for a chance to indulge in the exquisite quality, taste and flavor of red and white Bulgarian wines in an authentic candlelit atmosphere. The cellar, built of original Roman thermae (bath) stones, is known for its unparalleled collection of Bulgarian wines in their authentic bottles, so rare that the very producers would buy back their own wine at the auctions held here. The sommelier will acquaint you with the specific technology and the Bulgarian touch added to

the production of each wine. In the end, you will have the opportunity to purchase the wine of your choice if you so desire. This is a rare chance to taste the best Bulgarian wines right from the cellar.

Odessa, Ukraine - Saturday, October 8, 2011: "Pearl of the Black Sea." Walk the famous Potemkin Steps. Shop for lacquer boxes, matrioshka dolls and samovars. Admire the Pushkin Monument, tribute to the Russian poet.

A Stroll Through Odessa



Departs: 8:45 AM
 Approximately 4 Hours
 Adult \$59.00; Child \$34.00

For the adventurous, what better way to see Odessa than to walk in the attractive promenade and narrow old streets. You will be whisked by motor coach to the Primorsky Boulevard, the site formerly occupied by the Turkish fortress, with numerous attractive buildings and monuments built in the 19th Century. Walk to the small square adjacent to the bridge nicknamed Mother-in-Law Bridge by the local people, and Gogol Street--"A Piece of Old Odessa." See the Shah's Palace, constructed in 1852 to emulate the spirit of a medieval British castle. Continue walking to the pedestrian-only Deribasovskaya Street and view the "Passage," one of the finest architectural masterpieces of the city. Built in 1899 as a trade complex and a hotel, the building features sculptures of a steam engine and boat--the symbols of trade. Despite its eclectic exterior, the interior with glass roof, rich ornamentation and sculptures has an elegance all its own. View the outside of the impressive St. Preobrazhensky Cathedral which was totally ruined then reconstructed in its original form. Here you will have a chance to purchase some Ukrainian souvenirs from the street vendors and relax at one of the local cafes before continuing on to see the city's main attraction, the Opera House.

An Afternoon at the Ballet



Departs: 2:00 PM
 Approximately 2½ Hours
 Adult \$74.00; Child \$59.00

Critics describe Odessa's State Theatre Ballet Troupe as "a dazzling pearl," and an exclusive performance has been arranged for your enjoyment. With more than 40 ballets in its repertoire, the troupe boasts many outstanding dancers, choreographer-directors and talented composers. Today, 25 of the best dancers offer you an elegant and unforgettable live performance at the newly reconstructed Opera House. Designed by two Viennese architects Helmer and Felner, it was ingeniously realized by the Russian and Ukrainian masters in 1884-1887. Its architecture combines the Italian Renaissance together with surprising Baroque and Rococo influence in the gorgeously decorated interior of the theatre. Tchaikovsky, Shalyapin, Nezhdanova, Plisetskaya performed on its stage and made it so famous throughout the world. During the intermission a glass of chilled local champagne or fruit juice will be served in the foyer of the theater and you will also have an opportunity to purchase some local souvenirs. After the performance the coach will drive you the short distance to the port.

Please note:

Cryptic Catacombs



Departs: 1:45 PM
 Approximately 2½ Hours
 Adult \$64.00; Child \$39.00



This short but comprehensive tour gives an unforgettable introduction to the World War II history of Odessa. A panoramic drive through Odessa's downtown and past nearby farms, orchards and vineyards will bring you to the village of Nerubaiskoye. View the base of partisans, classrooms, hospital and the resistance headquarters while walking through the intricate labyrinth of underground corridors. These tunnels were formed by the local people as they were digging limestone from underground for the construction of their houses. Dating back to foundation of the city, this labyrinth has served as a hiding place first for robbers and thieves, then for revolutionaries, propaganda literature and leaflets, and finally for the members of partisan detachments actively fighting against Nazis during the city's occupation. Step back in time to a world of heroic defense of Odessa. Climb the winding stairs and visit the museum, founded in the post-war years to commemorate the heroic deeds of the city defenders before your drive back to the ship.

Please note: A jacket is recommended as temperatures underground may be cool. This tour is not recommended for guests with claustrophobia.

Odessa Highlights



Departs: 8:30 AM, 9:00 AM
 Approximately 4 Hours
 Adult \$79.00; Child \$59.00

As your coach winds its way through the central downtown to Gogol Street, watch for stylish, early 19th-century buildings designed by Italian, French and Russian architects, historical monuments and picturesque squares. You'll see the impressive Potemkin Steps of cinematographic fame, descending 455 feet to the waterfront. Walk along picturesque Primorsky Boulevard, as majestic 100-year-old trees lead you to the Pushkin Monument--dedicated to the Russian poet who spent thirteen months exiled in Odessa. See City Hall and a cannon salvaged from the British frigate, *Tiger*, which sank during the Crimean War. The Opera House was built in 1884 in Habsburg Baroque style. Proceed past the Kulikovo Pole and St Panteleimon Church with its five onion domes to the Sobornaya Square, the city's main square. Proceed to Deribasovskaya Street, location of the city's main shopping area and pleasant City Garden. Enjoy some free time at one of the local cafes or browsing for souvenirs if you wish.

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Odessa Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



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Odessa Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 8:45 AM, 12:30 PM
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Odessa Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



Departs: 8:45 AM, 12:30 PM
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Hours
Price \$1,299.00

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Odessa Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



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The Best of Odessa



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 8 Hours
Adult \$199.00; Child \$149.00

Stroll along picturesque Primorsky Boulevard to the Pushkin Monument, the pink and white colonnaded City Hall, the classical-style building of the Archaeology Museum, the white marble Laocoon Statue, and a cannon which was salvaged after the British frigate *Tiger* sank in 1854. Visit the Preobrazhensky Cathedral, totally ruined in Communist times but recently reconstructed in line with its original appearance. Next, proceed to Shevchenko Park--225 acres of green space

with a pleasant view of the sea, and an obelisk for the Unknown Sailor. Rejoining your motor coach, continue to the Museum of Fine Arts, housed in a former palace with an impressive display of Russian and Ukraine paintings and icons. Enjoy a Ukrainian-style lunch in a leading local restaurant, featuring vol-au-vents with caviar, Russian vodka, white wine and some other local specialties as you listen to light classical music by the Odessa Opera and Philharmonic Society. After lunch, the renowned Odessa Opera & Ballet Theater will welcome you for a magnificent performance. During the intermission, chilled champagne and juice or water will be served.

Please note: Wear comfortable walking shoes. Modest attire is required in the cathedral; knees, shoulders and midribs must be covered.

Yalta, Ukraine - Sunday, October 9, 2011: The great writer Anton Chekhov spent the last five years of his life here. His charming white dacha is now a museum that holds many of his works.

Alupka Palace & Wine Tasting



Departs: 9:15 AM
Approximately 4¼ Hours
Adult \$64.00; Child \$39.00

The route to the Swallow's Nest fairytale castle takes you through the town of Yalta. Like a real swallow's nest, this wedding cake collection of turrets, spires and crenellations clings to a cliff that plummets to the sea. Grand and elegant, this Castle of Love was designed by the architect Sherwood and completed in 1911. It has become a true symbol of the Crimea. If time permits, you may browse through the gift stalls. After re-boarding your coach, you will continue with a leisurely drive to Alupka town—one of the Crimea's most beautiful resorts. Here you will find Vorontsov Palace, where Churchill stayed during the Yalta Conference. In 1823, Count Mikhail Vorontsov commissioned architect Edward Blore to construct this two-faced masterpiece, which is now an impressive museum of 19th-century art and architecture. You will see the extensive landscaped grounds and the palace's superb interior with its priceless displays. Next is a short drive to the Alupka Wine Tasting Hall where you will have the opportunity to taste delicate Massandra wines and hear about Crimean winemaking traditions.

Best of the Crimea



Departs: 9:00 AM
Approximately 7 Hours
Adult \$144.00; Child \$99.00

As you discover the lush scenic beauty of the Crimean Riviera, watch for the Swallow's Nest—a white stone palace with towers and spires that clings to a cliffside overlooking the sea. Stop at Alupka Palace, completed between 1828 and 1848 and once the residence of the formidable Count Vorontsov. The building's north façade is Tudor-medieval, and the southern façade's portico is Moorish-style architecture. Enter the lavishly decorated interior and marvel at the Terrace of Lions staircase leading down to the sea. Heading back to Yalta, you'll sit down to a delicious lunch of caviar, Russian vodka, Crimean champagne and other local specialties. A colorful folkloric group will entertain you. Continue to Livadia Palace—summer residence of Czar Nicholas II built in Italian Renaissance style. Don't miss the restored White Hall where the historic summit between Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill was held, the Czar's Study and Roosevelt's Headquarters. You will see the upper study of Nicholas II, apartments of Alexandra Fyodorovna and the children's classroom, complete with original furniture and photos. Take in the palace's courtyard; then time will be allocated for a short visit to a handicraft shop.

Panoramic Yalta & Shopping



Departs: 9:30 AM
Approximately 3½ Hours
Adult \$49.00; Child \$34.00

Panoramic views of the Crimean coastline will accompany you on your way to St. Archangel Mikhael Church. View the outside of this elegant five-dome church located at the foot of Ai-Nicola Mountain. You'll also have a chance to photograph the Swallow's Nest—a castle clinging precipitously to a sheer 110-foot cliff. Its turrets, spires and crenellations give an impression of grandeur, although the castle itself is relatively small. Next, the houses of Russia's pre-revolutionary nobility line the route to stunning Livadia Palace. Stop to view its beautiful exterior and spend approximately an hour shopping at the souvenir shop and stalls. Make your purchases, then re-board the coach and return to the ship.

Romanov's Summer Palaces



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$74.00; Child \$49.00

Heading eastward, your coach will meander through the labyrinthine of roads Yalta and will soon arrive at the picturesque settlement of Massandra. This town's claim to fame is that it is the home of some famous Crimean wines. One of the architectural miracles of the southern Crimean Coast, Massandra Palace, is located here. It looks for all the world like a fairytale castle, designed in Louis XIII style as

an imitation of Chateau Loire. Czar Alexander III commissioned the architects from France and Germany to construct this palace that was used by the Romanov family as a summer home during their shooting expeditions. From the parking area a mini-coach will transport you up a narrow road to the palace for an inside visit. Take in the beauty of the interior decoration, the original furniture and the rich collection of art. The palace is surrounded by a lovely pine forest with century-old trees, and landscape architecture reminiscent of Versailles. Further along the picturesque coast, you will find Livadia Palace, in a landscaped garden setting. This was the summer residence of Czar Nicholas II, designed by Russian architect Krasnov in early Italian-Renaissance style and completed in 1911. It is also known as the White Palace and its arresting beauty is quite unparalleled. See the restored White Hall where the historic meeting between Roosevelt, Stalin and Churchill took place, the Czar's Study and Roosevelt's Headquarters. Take a moment to look at the palace's attractive interior courtyards. Visit the Romanovs' private apartments on the first floor, including the Nicholas II's private retreat, the room of Alexandra Fyodorovna, the dining room and the children's classroom. An exhibit here includes numerous photos of the Imperial Family, documents and original furniture. Take advantage of some free time for shopping or browsing among the souvenirs in the palaces shop before you return to the ship.

Sevastopol Sights



Departs: 8:30 AM
 Approximately 7¼ Hours
 Adult \$134.00; Child \$99.00

Visit the Crimea's second-largest city, Sevastopol, with its impressive architecture and charming squares, parks, boulevards and monuments to the Crimean War. Drive past the downtown core to the coastal highway en route to Sevastopol. Visit the Panorama Museum and the monumental painting The Defense of Sevastopol depicting the Crimean War. It was nearby that Leo Tolstoy started his literary career and wrote Sevastopol Sketches. Re-board your coach to see Primorsky Park. Stroll along this seaside promenade to the striking ceremonial gate of the Count's Pier and the Monument to Scuttled Ships, which stands in the sea offshore. Enjoy some free time shopping for souvenirs and exploring on your own. Enjoy a Crimean-style lunch at a local restaurant before driving to the small town of Balaklava—once a secret Soviet Naval base and the base of the British troops in the Crimean War. Visit the underground gallery where the Soviet submarines were based before returning to Yalta.

Please note: Travel time to Sevastopol is approximately 1¼ hours each way.

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Capacity: 2 guests



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Yalta Private Touring - Full Day (Minibus)



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Yalta Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



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Capacity: 5 guests

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Yalta Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 8:45 AM, 12:30 PM
Approximately 4 hours - Price is per vehicle, not per person. See additional NOTES below.
Price \$474.00

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Capacity: 2 guests

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Yalta Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



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Capacity: 20 guests

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Yalta Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



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Yalta Sights & Concert at Chekovs House



Departs: 9:15 AM, 1:30 PM
Approximately 3 Hours
Adult \$64.00; Child \$34.00

Begin your tour with a short drive to St. Alexander Nevsky Cathedral, one of Yalta's most striking sights, built in Old Russian style and adorned with golden onion-shaped domes, open galleries and numerous decorative elements. The Byzantine-style interior is ornate, with the impressive gilded iconostasis, frescoes and icons painted by the Russian masters from Mstiora—the famous artistic trade center. The cathedral was devoted to the Russian Emperor Alexander II, Patron of St. Alexander Nevsky, and sanctified in the presence of the Czar's family in 1902. Next, take a gentle stroll along the seaside promenade, the Lenin Embankment, abounding with small open-air cafés, restaurants and boutiques. View the Chekhov

statue and the statue of the Lady with a Little Dog—a tribute to Chekhov’s story of the same name. Marvel at the picturesque panorama of Yalta Bay and take photos of your ship. Re-board the coach for the drive to the Chekhov House Museum often called the White Dacha. Anton Chekhov lived here for his last four years and wrote his famous plays, *Three Sisters and A Cherry Orchard* here, as well as numerous stories. He was very fond of gardening and you will see some trees that were planted by Chekhov himself in a small garden surrounding the house. Documents, photos and the writer's personal effects are displayed in the museum. The charming atmosphere of the house is enhanced by a concert of chamber music and songs from the 19th and 20th centuries, offered for your enjoyment at the adjacent exhibition pavilion.

Kusadasi (Ephesus), Turkey - Tuesday, October 11, 2011: Gateway to Ephesus, one of the best-preserved archeological sites in the classical world. Explore its grand colonnaded marble streets, the Celsus Library, the ancient Agoura and the Baths.

**A Taste of Kusadasi:
The Village of Sirince**



Departs: 9:00 AM
Approximately 6 Hours
Adult \$114.00; Child \$79.00

Your day will be full of surprises and discoveries of local culture. Depart for a day in Sirince village, the perfect synthesis of Turkish-Greek culture, stroll through the streets and see the beautiful, typical Greek houses. You will have time to purchase some local handicrafts that the local village ladies sell on the streets. Enjoy a short stop to taste some of the local wine. The village is famous for its local grape and other fruit wines, and features a charming church dedicated to St. John. Lunch will be arranged in a local home to taste and understand the real culture of the village. A fortune-teller will visit you after you have tasted your Turkish coffee to read your coffee cup! Yes, this truly is a slice of real village life. At the end of the day, you will have time for a carpet demonstration and shopping in Kusadasi.

Please note:

**Ancient Ephesus & the Virgin
Mary's House**



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$84.00; Child \$59.00

Begin this tour with a visit to the house where Jesus' mother is said to have lived the last years of her life. The site has been officially declared a Catholic shrine and was visited by Pope Paul VI in 1967, Pope John Paul II in 1979, and Pope Benedict XVI in 2006. Next, continue to Ephesus for a visit to the Great Theatre dating back to the Hellenistic period. In the 1st century AD, the theatre was reconstructed and expanded by the Romans to a seating capacity of 25,000. This is also the place where St. Paul preached to the Ephesians. It is still used for performances today, and the acoustics are excellent. The Marble Road, which runs between the theatre and the Celsus Library, is part of a sacred walkway that you will take to reach the Celsus Library and Hadrian's Temple. The temple was dedicated in AD 118 to Hadrian, Artemis and the people of Ephesus. This impressive Corinthian-style temple has beautiful reliefs on the porch, and the Ephesians believed that the Medusa head on the porch would protect the city from its enemies. Return to Kusadasi to enjoy the traditional Turkish experience of sipping apple tea while watching a myriad of colors unfold before your eyes during a carpet demonstration. Those interested in purchasing a carpet can do so with confidence. Those not wishing to stay can walk directly back to the ship, or remain in

town for browsing in the shops.

Please note: Although this tour is designed not to involve uphill walking, there is extensive walking at the site. Wear comfortable nonslip shoes.

Ephesus



Departs: 8:30 AM, 12:30 PM
Approximately 3½ Hours
Adult \$69.00; Child \$44.00

A visit to Ephesus is a visit to one of the best preserved ancient cities in the world. Ancient historians believed that the Amazons founded Ephesus, but now it is believed to have been the Hittite city of Apasa. With your guide, you will see the Odeon, where the advisory council held its meetings and the Baths, as well as many other columns, monuments and ruins, including the Celsus Library and Great Theatre. Return to Kusadasi for shopping and a Turkish carpet demonstration, or head directly back to the ship.

Please note: Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect dense crowding and congestion at the sites.

**Ephesus & Terrace
Houses**

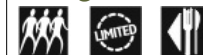


Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$129.00; Child \$79.00

Visit the ruined city of ancient Ephesus, founded by the Carians and Lelegs. You will see the glorious Celsus Library façade, restored and reconstructed in the 1970s, the Great Theatre, and Temple of Hadrian. Then, you will visit the Terrace Houses located opposite Hadrian's Temple—a newly excavated section of Ephesus. The wealthy and important people of Ephesus used these houses, which are finely decorated with mosaics and frescoes giving a true impression of the ancient lifestyle. Back in Kusadasi, disembark for shopping and a carpet demonstration or return directly to the ship.

Please note: Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect dense crowding and congestion at the sites.

**Family Fun Ephesus & Sirince
Village with Private Guide**



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 6 Hours
Adult \$169.00; Child \$119.00

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the Hittite city of Apasa. With your guide, you will see the Odeon, where the advisory council held its meetings, and the Baths. Other columns, monuments and ruins include the Celsus Library and the Great Theatre. In Sirince Village, experience the perfect synthesis of Turkish and Greek culture, and world-famous Turkish hospitality. Stroll through the streets where the houses are kept in Greek style on the outside while the interiors are distinctly Turkish. There will be time to shop for handicrafts and souvenirs if you wish. Lunch is served at a local village restaurant where you will enjoy an array of Turkish specialties accompanied by locally produced wines. Return to Kusadasi for shopping and a Turkish carpet demonstration, or head directly back to the ship.

Please note: Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect crowding at some locations. Your group must consist of 4 to 10 people.

Kusadasi Private Touring - Full Day (Minibus)



Departs: 8:30 AM
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Price \$2,299.00



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Capacity: 10
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Kusadasi Private Touring - Half Day (Minibus)



Departs: 8:30 AM, 12:30 PM
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Panoramic Kusadasi & Museum



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Adult \$64.00; Child \$39.00

Visit the house of the Virgin Mary, declared a place of pilgrimage in 1892 by the Archbishop of Smyrna. Archaeological evidence shows that the little house believed to be that of Jesus' mother dates from the 6th century, but that its foundations were from the first century AD. From a distance, your guide will point out the locations of Selçuk Castle on Ayasuluk Hill, the Great Theatre of Ephesus, and the remains of the Temple of Artemis. The latter was one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. You will also visit the Ephesus Museum. This small museum in Selçuk boasts an incredible collection of Hellenistic and Roman statues, carved reliefs and artifacts unearthed from the ruins of Ephesus. The famous statue of Artemis (the Greek goddess of fertility; twin sister of Apollo) is housed there. Light refreshments will be served at a local weaving village before you return to the ship.

Please note: Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect crowding at some locations.

The Best of Ephesus



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 7 Hours
Adult \$149.00; Child \$124.00

Begin this tour with a visit to the house of Virgin Mary, where Jesus' mother is said to have lived the last years of her life. The site has been officially declared a shrine of the Roman Catholic Church and was visited by Pope Paul VI in 1967. Then, visit ancient Ephesus, one of the most magnificent and best-preserved archaeological sites in the world. See the Odeon Theatre, the Market Basilica, Curetes Street, Bath, Celsus Library, Marble Street and the Great Theatre with a seating capacity of 25,000 people. You will also visit the Basilica of St. John and the Museum of Ephesus. Head back to Kusadasi for lunch at a five-star hotel with spectacular views of the sea. A folkloric show will entertain you during lunch. Returning to Kusadasi you can choose to shop in town, see a Turkish carpet demonstration, or return to the ship.

Please note: Expect dense crowding and congestion at the sites. Bring sunscreen and a hat as shade is limited.

Three Ancient Cities: Priene, Didyma & Miletus



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 6½ Hours
Adult \$119.00; Child \$74.00

This tour visits Priene, brimming with ancient history and magnificent architecture, and best known for its 4th-century Athena Temple bankrolled by Alexander the Great.

Visit the temple and the 5,000-spectator theatre built in the 3rd century, along with a gymnasium and a stadium at Anatolia. Continuing to Didyma, you'll see the majestic Temple of Apollo—considered to be one of the great monuments of antiquity, built in 560 BC. Journey back in time via the Sacred Way of Didyma, en route to Miletus. Lions, sphinxes and statues of priests once flanked this ancient road. Miletus itself is the last stop, with ruins of a theatre, thermal baths and a stadium. Stay in Kusadasi to shop, attend a Turkish carpet demonstration or return directly to the ship.

Please note: Tour includes a Turkish lunch with unlimited local drinks at a restaurant in Didyma overlooking the temple.

Piraeus (Athens), Greece - Wednesday, October 12, 2011: The port of Piraeus is your gateway to the wonders of Athens, including the Acropolis, Constitution Square, Hadrian's Arch, the Olympic Stadium and more.

Ancient Corinth & Canal



Departs: 8:00 AM
Approximately 5 Hours
Adult \$69.00; Child \$34.00

Visit the famous Corinth Canal, which is four miles long, 70 feet wide and has sloping sides 170 feet in height. It connects the Ionian and Aegean seas to provide a shortcut. Your next stop will be Ancient Corinth. The ruins that lie in this area are a surprising mix of an ancient 6th-century BC Greek city and a 44 BC Roman city—the latter was built after Julius Caesar placed a colony on the desolate site. See the ruins and excavations of both, including a Christian Basilica, the starting lines of a Greek racetrack, a sacred spring with its bronze lion's-head spouts and the elaborate Roman fountain of Peirene.

Athens & The Acropolis



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 3½ - 4 Hours
Adult \$74.00; Child \$39.00

Milton Athens was “the eye of Greece, mother of arts and eloquence.” Your visit today will begin with the most famous temple of the Ancient City—the Parthenon, dedicated to Athena, the patron goddess of Athens. Walking up a winding path towards the Acropolis, you will pass through the Propylaea, and see the Erechtheum temple and the Porch of the Caryatids in the distance. Reinforced by the hand of man, the natural fortress of the Acropolis stands 230 feet above the city. You cannot help but be in

awe of the view below. On a drive through the city, some of the highlights include Constitution Square, the Royal Palace where the Evzones keep watch in their traditional costumes, the Temple of Zeus and the Olympic Stadium.

Please note: This tour involves a considerable amount of walking with an uphill climb to the Parthenon. The marble steps are slippery, especially when it rains. Wear comfortable, rubber-soled shoes. Shade is limited; please dress accordingly. Bring a hat and wear sunscreen. Expect dense crowding at the site.

Panoramic Athens



Departs: 9:10 AM
Approximately 3 Hours
Price \$54.00

The remains of ancient Athens constitute one of the brightest jewels of the Mediterranean—a city that stood for more than 25 centuries. You will pass the Arch of Hadrian, the statue of Lord Byron, and the Temple of Olympian Zeus, which took 700 years to complete. Continuing on towards Constitution Square, view the former Royal Palace where the Evzones National Guard keep watch in their traditional costume over the Tomb of the Unknown Warrior. See the all-marble Olympic Stadium built for the modern Olympic Games in 1896. Pass by the National Gardens and drive along University Street, whose numerous neo-Classical buildings include the University and the Library. A photo stop will be made at the foot of the Acropolis. Shopping time is allowed at

the end of the tour.

Please note: There is a walk of 180 - 300 yards from the ship to the motor coach.

Piraeus Private Touring - Full Day (Car)



Departs: 8:30 AM
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Piraeus Private Touring - Full Day (Minivan)



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Piraeus Private Touring - Half Day (Car)



Departs: 9:00 AM
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Piraeus Private Touring - Half Day (Minivan)



Departs: 9:00 AM
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Price \$884.00

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The Best of Athens



Departs: 8:40 AM
Approximately 7 - 7½ Hours
Adult \$199.00; Child \$99.00

If you are visiting Athens for the first time, this outing provides an excellent introduction to one of the great cities of the ancient world. Visit the Acropolis, a symbol of the glory of ancient Greece. History opens before you as



you reach the Propylaea, one of the masterpieces of classical architecture, serving as the entrance to the complex of buildings. You'll see the Temple of Athena Nike (Wingless Victory), and the Erechtheum with its classical Porch of Maidens, the Caryatids. Stand in awe as you visit what is considered the most perfect example of classical architecture in the world—the Parthenon—designed as a shrine to Athena and at one time housing a massive gold and ivory statue of the warrior goddess. Re-board your coach and head towards your lunch venue. You will enjoy a Greek buffet also allowing you to relax for some time. Then, you'll head to the National Archaeological Museum, which boasts the world's finest collection of Greek antiquities. The highlights include the golden mask of Agamemnon, Minoan frescoes unearthed at Akrotiri, and the superb bronze Poseidon. Complete your introduction to Athens with a scenic drive around the city, passing some of the most important landmarks of the city. Watch for the Marble Olympic Stadium, where the Olympic Games were revived in 1896, Hadrian's Arch and the former Royal Palace. Your coach will park close to the Plaka (Old Town) area, and you'll disembark for a guided walking tour of the historical center of Athens. Free time will be available for shopping and watching everyday life in Greece before you return to the port.

The New Acropolis Museum & Acropolis Visit



Departs: 8:45 AM
Approximately 6½ Hours
Adult \$189.00; Child \$94.00

Your visit today will begin with the most famous temple of the Ancient City—the Parthenon, dedicated to Athena, the patron goddess of Athens. Walking up a winding path towards the Acropolis, you will pass through the Propylaea, and see the Erechtheum temple and the Porch of the Caryatids in the distance. Reinforced by the hand of man, the natural fortress of the Acropolis stands 230 feet above the city. You cannot help but be in awe of the view below. Then, for the first time ever, visit the surviving treasures of the Acropolis, which will be seen together in one place in the New Acropolis Museum. Works previously held in storage, in other Athenian museums, and museums abroad are brought together within one museum close to the original location. The collections on display are finds of the Acropolis, Post Parthenon and Roman Period and the excavation site when the new museum was built. The highlight of the Museum is the display of the Parthenon Frieze, located on the top floor. Upon completion of the guided tour of the new museum you will proceed on your scenic drive of Athens seeing along the way the Parliament, the tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the Stadium utilize for the modern Olympics en route to your lunch venue for your meal. Afterwards, return to the ship.

Please note: This tour does not operate on Mondays.

Transfer to Athens



Departs: 9:15 AM
Approximately 4 Hours
Price \$49.00

This transfer is intended for those who would like to explore Athens on their own. It consists of a 40-minute motor coach ride from the ship to the city center. You will be dropped off at a central location, and your escort will show you to the Old Town (Plaka) area and advise you of the pick-up time for the return journey. You will have approximately two hours and twenty minutes to shop and explore on your own.

Please note: Guide service, taxi transfers, entrance fees and lunch are not included in the transfer price. It will be your responsibility to be at the drop-off point at the given return time. On Sundays most shops are closed, with the exception of some souvenir shops.

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Athens & The Acropolis with Airport Transfer (with prepaid transfer voucher)



Departs: 8:30 AM
Approximately 4 - 4½ Hours
Adult \$55.00; Child \$30.00

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Athens & The Acropolis with Airport Transfer (without prepaid transfer voucher)



Departs: 8:30 AM
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General Information

guides, services & transportation:

In certain interesting but off-the-beaten-track places, professional guides and vehicles are at a premium. The best available are engaged. For all tours other than the Signature Collection, it is exceptional for drivers of public hire vehicles to speak any language but their own and it is not always possible to obtain air-conditioned buses or taxis in many ports. However, we do our utmost to find the very best excursion packages for your touring pleasure. Guests who leave during a tour for which transportation is included must thereafter provide for their own transportation and services at their own expense. Transportation standards vary from country to country.

self-guided excursions:

Guests who do not join these prearranged shore excursions must rely on whatever transportation is available in each port. If you choose to devise your own excursion, we suggest that you remind the driver or tour escort of the ship's sailing time. Of course, the ship's facilities are fully available to guests while in port.

conditions:

Shore excursions are "Non-Holland America Line Services" for the purposes of your Cruise Contract. This means that shore excursions are not owned or operated by Holland America. Refer to your Cruise Contract for a full statement of your rights and obligations as well as those of the Owner of the Ship, Holland America Line Inc. and certain other persons and entities with respect to Non-Holland America Line Services. In particular, please note that you are assuming the entire risk of utilizing Non-Holland America Line Services subject only to whatever terms or arrangements are made by you or on your behalf with the third party furnishing the Non-Holland America Line Services.

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about pricing, refunds & cancellations:

Rates and descriptions are current as of the printing date. Prices are subject to change without notice and descriptions may vary from the actual tour provided. All cancellations that are made less than 5 days prior to cruise departure are subject to a 10% cancellation fee. There will be no exceptions. In addition, if you cancel your tour reservation after the booking deadline stated in the Shore Excursion Planning Form on board, or if you cancel a Signature Collection private vehicle tour, a 100% cancellation fee will apply since transportation and services will have already been arranged.

cancellation of overland adventures and overnight tours:

The cancellation policy for Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours is (with no exceptions):

- 30 days before tour date: 25% penalty
- 14 days before tour date: 50% penalty
- Within 14 days: non-refundable

Please note that the Cancellation Protection Plan covers pre-booked Shore Excursions, including Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours, if cancellation is made up to 24 hours prior to commencement of cruise. Tours cancelled within 24 hours prior to commencement

of cruising or while on board are not covered by the Cancellation Protection Plan and are subject to the above penalties. In the event a complete tour is cancelled by Holland America Line or the tour operator, pre-booked refunds will be handled on board. Very shortly after each booking deadline/cancellation date, e-mails are sent from the ship to the agencies concerned, informing them of our definite requirements for meals, seats on aircraft, number of automobiles and motor coaches, etc., and commitments are made. If notice of cancellation is received after the booking deadline/cancellation date, a refund can be assured only if the ticket is resold. Guests are encouraged to pre-purchase shore excursions. We recommend speaking with the Shore Excursion Manager on board if you have any questions about your physical ability to take part in any shore excursion. Should you opt not to take the tour following this discussion, full reimbursement will be made provided the cancellation is made within 24 hours of boarding the ship. For Overland Adventures and Overnight Tours, due to the in-depth nature of the adventures, most areas are not accessible to wheelchairs and require a considerable amount of activity.