

# MYSTICAL DELIGHTS OF GREECE FOR CHERESE (LATE BIRTHDAY TRIP)

Featuring - Athens , MYKONOS, SANTORINI

18 Jul, 2024 - 28 Jul, 2024

<b>DURATION</b> 9 Nights / 11 Days	<b>GROUP SIZE</b> 4 People	<b>AIRPORT</b> Los Angeles	<b>PRICE STARTING FROM</b> Twin Occupancy Price Per person - \$ 4,999.00 Single Supplement Price Per Person - \$ 1,469.00
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## Overview

Greece, a mesmerizing country located in southeastern Europe, is a land of ancient wonders, rich history, captivating mythology, and breathtaking natural beauty. With its deep-rooted heritage as the birthplace of Western civilization, Greece is a destination that entralls visitors from around the world. At the heart of Greece lies Athens, its capital city and a living testament to its historical significance. Here, you can explore iconic landmarks like the Acropolis, home to the magnificent Parthenon, and delve into the fascinating world of Greek mythology at the Acropolis Museum. Strolling through the bustling streets of Athens, you'll discover a vibrant mix of ancient ruins, modern architecture, charming neighborhoods, and bustling markets. Beyond Athens, Greece boasts a collection of stunning islands scattered throughout the azure waters of the Aegean and Ionian Seas. Santorini, with its iconic blue-domed churches, dramatic cliffs, and breathtaking sunsets, offers a romantic escape like no other. Greek cuisine is a delight for food lovers, with its fresh Mediterranean flavors, olive oil, feta cheese, and aromatic herbs. Indulge in traditional dishes like moussaka, souvlaki, and tzatziki, and savor the delectable sweetness of baklava and loukoumades. Pair your meals with local wines, retsina, or ouzo for a truly authentic culinary experience.

## ACCOMMODATION

CITY	HOTEL NAME	NO. OF NIGHTS
Athens	The Stanley Hotel	3 Nights
SANTORINI	El Greco Resort & Spa	6 Nights



## Tour Price Includes -

- ◆ 09 Nights' Accommodation in listed hotels or similar based on DBL / TWN sharing basis.
- ◆ Daily Breakfast
- ◆ 1 Dinner in Athens
- ◆ Half-day Athens city tour
- ◆ Santorini Highlights tour
- ◆ Wine Tasting tour in Santorini
- ◆ Round trip Ferry tickets - Piraeus to Santorini
- ◆ Entrance fees during the sightseeing tour
- ◆ All transfers and sightseeing as per the itinerary
- ◆ Transport in private / scheduled touring vehicles
- ◆ Services of English-speaking driver/ guide for all transfers and sightseeing
- ◆ International airfare ex-Los Angeles
- ◆ Airport taxes and fuel surcharge
- ◆ All local applicable taxes

## Tour Price excludes

- ◆ All other meals
- ◆ All other sightseeing or Services
- ◆ Gratuities for meals, tourist guides, drivers
- ◆ Beverages during the meals
- ◆ Visa fee
- ◆ Travel Insurance
- ◆ Personal expenses such as alcoholic and other beverages, telephone calls, and laundry
- ◆ Covid Testing RTPCR Fee if applicable
- ◆ Any other services or Items not mentioned above as included.
- ◆ Local city taxes of around EUR 4 to EUR 5 per day are to be paid directly at hotels upon check out

# ITINERARY

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DAY 1 | 18 Jul, 2024

Depart Los Angeles [-/-]

Prepare yourself! You are leaving today for Athens to start your magical journey to Greece

DAY 2 | 19 Jul, 2024

Athens - Arrival [-/-]

Upon arrival in Athens, claim your bags and proceed toward the arrival hall. Our representative will meet you and assist you with your transfer to the hotel. (Standard check-in time is 3:00 pm). Our local representative will assist you with a smooth check-in.

Check in at the hotel and catch up on your rest. You can unwind or tour the city throughout the remaining part of the day.

Overnight in Athens

DAY 3 | 20 Jul, 2024

Athens Sightseeing [B/-]

Today, after the luscious breakfast at the hotel, you have the opportunity to observe the striking contrasts that make Athens such a fascinating city

Travel back in time to the thriving empire of ancient Greece, begin with a Panoramic drive of the city visiting the Panathenaic Stadium (modern Olympic Games), the Prime Minister's residence (ex Royal Palace) guarded by the Evzones in their colorful uniforms, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, the Hadrian's Arch, the Parliament and the memorial to the Unknown Soldier, the Academy, the University, the National Library, the Constitution Square (Syntagma).

Continue with a guided tour of the Acropolis, the Propylea, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion, and the Parthenon

The rest of the day is free for leisure, immerse yourself in the city's vibrant atmosphere. Take a leisurely walk through the charming neighborhood of Plaka, known as the "Neighborhood of the Gods." Explore its narrow streets lined with neoclassical houses, browse through souvenir shops, and stop by cozy cafes and tavernas for a drink or traditional Greek meal.

Overnight in Athens

DAY 4 | 21 Jul, 2024

Athens - Santorini [B/-]

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast. Later this morning check-out and proceed to Piraeus port for your ferry to Santorini, the Eden-like Island where blue-domed rooftops and gentle ocean waves complement the bright white buildings and rocky hillsides. A picturesque landscape and iconic destination, Santorini's charms reveal themselves during your 2-night stay, where we'll spend the next day exploring the island's dramatic beauty. Stroll through the volcanic island's quaint cliff-top towns. Blue-domed whitewashed façades cling dramatically to the multi-colored cliffs providing a spectacular backdrop for exquisite sunsets

Overnight in Santorini

DAY 5 | 22 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Day free at leisure [B/-]

Today is free at leisure in Santorini. Embrace the island's breathtaking beauty and immerse yourself in its unique charm. Start your day by visiting the enchanting village of Oia, renowned for its stunning sunsets and whitewashed buildings. Take a leisurely stroll along the narrow streets, admire the blue-domed churches, and browse through boutique shops and art galleries or spend the evening in the capital of Santorini, Fira. Explore the bustling streets filled with shops, cafes, and restaurants. As the day draws to a close, find a cozy spot along the caldera and witness the magical sunset. The mesmerizing hues of the sky, reflecting on the sea and illuminating the white-washed buildings, create a truly unforgettable sight. Capture the moment and savor the tranquility of the setting sun.

Overnight in Santorini

DAY 6 | 23 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Santorini Highlights tour [B/-]

Experience the tour's initial destination at Santorini Caldera and gain insights into its formation. Then, journey through the scenic countryside to the renowned village of Oia, a favorite subject of

photographers in Santorini. Explore the charming village of Imerovigli, perched on a higher cliff, offering an incredible view. Make a brief stop at Firostefani to marvel at the iconic Blue Dome Church, often featured in Santorini's postcards. Ascend to the summit of Prophet Ilias, the island's tallest mountain, towering 2,000 feet above sea level.

Discover either the village of Megalochori or Pyrgos, as per your preference. If interested, you can take an optional visit to the Akrotiri Archaeological Site to explore the excavations. Additionally, you have the choice to visit Estate Argyros or Venetsanos Winery for a taste of the local wine. Enjoy breathtaking panoramic views, take a refreshing swim at the picturesque red or black sandy beaches, and indulge in relaxation throughout the journey.

Overnight in Santorini

DAY 7 | 24 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Day free at leisure  
[B/-/-]

Today is a designated day in Santorini, you have the freedom to enjoy it at your leisure. This means you are not bound to any specific itinerary or scheduled activities, allowing you to explore the island at your own pace and according to your preferences. You can use this day to relax on the beautiful beaches, take leisurely strolls through charming villages, savor local cuisine at your chosen restaurants, or engage in various optional activities available on the island. It's an opportunity to make the most of your time in Santorini based on your personal interests and desires. Enjoy the day at your leisure!

Overnight

DAY 8 | 25 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Wine Tasting tour  
[B/-/-]

Embark on your tour with a visit to Venetsanos Winery, situated in a truly awe-inspiring location, offering unparalleled vistas of the caldera and volcanic islands. Marvel at its unique architectural design, constructed from top to bottom, as you savor three of their exceptional wines.

Next, delve into the world of winemaking at the wine museum in Mesa Gonia. Housed within a natural labyrinth, this one-of-a-kind museum lies eight meters

below ground and stretches 300 meters long. It represents twenty-one years of dedication by the Koutsogiannopoulos Family. Explore the various stages of the winemaking process, from ploughing in the vineyards to grape harvesting, stomping, weighing, and the use of machinery throughout history up to modern techniques. Treat your taste buds to the family's renowned volcanic wines.

Conclude your journey at Oia and Sun Spirit Bar, renowned for being one of the best sunset-watching spots. Unwind and savor your wine in this picturesque setting as you witness the sun descending into the depths of the sea.

Overnight in Santorini

DAY 9 | 26 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Day free at leisure  
[B/-/-]

During the morning in Santorini, you have the freedom to enjoy it at your leisure. This means there are no scheduled activities or fixed plans, allowing you to explore the island on your terms and at your own pace. You can use this time to relax, take a leisurely stroll, visit local attractions, or simply soak in the beauty of Santorini. It's a perfect opportunity to start your day in a relaxed and unhurried manner, enjoying the charm and serenity of this stunning island. Make the most of your free time and savor the morning at leisure in Santorini or pre-book our suggest add-on

### **Optional - Sunset Caldera Cruise with Dinner - USD 125 Per person**

Soak up breathtaking views of the Santorini Caldera on a sunset sightseeing cruise from the port of Athinios. Sip on welcome drinks and savor the flavors of authentic Greek cuisine with a buffet dinner served onboard. After pickup, go to the port of Athinios by bus. Then, hop on board the King Thiras and enjoy a welcome drink. Sail under the caldera as your captain takes you to the best spots to enjoy the view and take spectacular pictures of the volcano. Next, savor a delicious buffet dinner prepared and served onboard by the crew. Before the sun starts setting into the sea, sail to a spot to catch the sunset of Santorini. After watching the sunset, head back to Athinios port where the bus will be waiting to take you back to the starting point of the excursion.

DAY 10 | 27 Jul, 2024

Santorini - Athens [B/-/D]

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Athens. Upon arrival in Athens, you will be transferred to your hotel.

Enjoy some free time for some last-minute souvenir shopping. Athens truly comes alive at night and so we invite you to join us for an evening of fairy-tale wanderings around the most iconic neighborhoods of the city ending with a delicious light dinner of Greek mezedes

Overnight in Athens.

DAY 11 | 28 Jul, 2024

Athens - Departure [B/-/-]

Today you will be transferred back to the airport for your return flight back home.

We wish you a safe flight and hope to work on your future trips with Voyages Hub!

## Payment Policy and Insurance

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**Deposit: US\$ 500 per person [Non-refundable / Non-transferrable]**

**Deposit Date: Oct 15, 2023**

50% Deposit: 20th Jan 2024

Full Balance: 19th Apr, 2024

(Once the deposit is paid, the travelers can then pay any amount on any date. Travelers to ensure that the payment deadlines are met as above)

## INSURANCE

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**We encourage everyone who books a VOYAGES HUB TOURS package, regardless of age or tour choice, to obtain a travel protection plan. While you intend to take that once-in-a-lifetime trip, illness, family emergencies, and other factors can derail your best-laid plans.**

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## Cancellation Policy -

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- ◆ From the date of booking to 180 days before departure: \$500 per person Non-Refundable / Non-transferrable Deposit + interruption insurance cost (if purchased)
- ◆ 179-90 days before departure: 50% of the tour price per person
- ◆ 89 days or fewer before departure: **No refund is available.**

**Note:** A person becoming single as a result of the roommate's cancellation must pay the single supplement

All payment cut-off dates are firm, and missing deadlines without approved extensions will result in cancellations without refunds being offered.

### PLEASE NOTE

Voyages Hub reserves the right to levy a surcharge commensurate to the fuel increase at the time of operation of this movement.



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