

JOURNEYS OF PAUL & JOHN

INCLUDING A 4-NIGHT AEGEAN CRUISE

APRIL 2 - 14, 2018

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**SPACE IS LIMITED
SO REGISTER EARLY!**



Day 1, MON, APR 2

Depart USA for Thessaloniki.

USA/THESSALONIKI

(meals aloft)

Day 2, TUE, APR 3

Arrive in Thessaloniki and transfer to the **Met Hotel** for dinner and overnight.

THESSALONIKI

(meals aloft,D)

Day 3, WED, APR 4

Thessaloniki was named for Salonike, step-sister of Alexander the Great. Here Paul preached with success (Acts 17:1-9) and wrote the early letters to his beloved Macedonians (1 Thess. 1:6-10; 2:7-12). We view the old city ramparts and the Galerius Arch which rises over the famous Via Egnatia. Then we drive to Philippi, named for Philip II (the father of Alexander) and later made a Roman Colony in honor of Julius Caesar. Here Paul and Silas preached the gospel for the first time in Europe and were imprisoned. And here the first believers in Europe, including Lydia, were baptized in the Gangites River (Acts 16:13-34). To these people Paul addressed his wonderful letter about Christ our model. We visit the historic market place, basilica, prison, and theatre and then return to Thessaloniki for dinner and overnight.

THESSALONIKI/PHILIPPI

(B,D)

Day 4, THU, APR 5 THESSALONIKI/BEREA/METEORA

This morning we tour Thessaloniki's Hagia Sophia church, constructed in the 9th century as a copy of Hagia Sophia in Istanbul. We also walk around the Roman Agora where Paul preached next to the Jewish quarter of those days. We then drive to Berea, visited by Paul, and see the excavations of the ancient Jewish community, the residents of whom Luke described as "noble" (Acts 17:11). We tour Meteora, which lies amid striking mountainous scenery. Perched atop huge rocks stand ageless monasteries where we can see exquisite specimens of Byzantine art. The greatest of the monasteries is the richly endowed 14th century Grand Meteoron. We also see the simpler Convent of Aghios Stefanos, with its flower-filled courtyards and ancient cloisters. We travel to the **Hotel Amalia** for dinner and overnight.

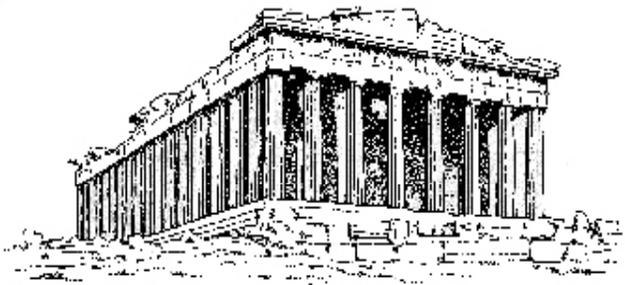
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Day 5, FRI, APR 6

We depart Kalambaka this morning and drive south to Delphi. Site of the famed Oracle, Delphi's prestige extended far beyond the boundaries of the Hellenic world. On the slopes of Mount Parnassus, in a landscape of unparalleled beauty and majesty lie the ruins of the Sanctuary of Apollo Pythios. We visit the treasury of the Athenians, the Temple of Apollo and the museum containing such masterpieces of ancient Greek sculpture as the bronze charioteer and the famous Athlete Aghias. From here we transfer to the **Hotel Amalia** in Delphi for dinner and overnight.

DELPHI

(B,D)



The Parthenon, Athens

Day 6, SAT, APR 7

Today we drive to Olympia. In modern times, the Olympic flame is lit here by reflection of sunlight in a parabolic mirror at the restored Olympia stadium and then transported by a torch to the place where the games are held. We tour the extensive park-like ancient ruins, seeing the stadium that once held 20,000 spectators and that hosted the shot put events in the 2004 Olympics. Dinner and overnight at the **Hotel Amalia** in Olympia.

OLYMPIA

(B,D)

Day 7, SUN, APR 8

Today we enjoy the unique experience of being in Greece on Orthodox Easter. We begin our day with a picturesque drive through Peloponnese to the seaport town of Nafplio. One of the most beautiful and romantic cities in Greece, it was the first capital of the newly born Greek state between 1823 and 1834. We have some free time to explore the medieval Old Town, wandering along cobblestone alleys and admiring the well-preserved neoclassical mansions. Lunch is included - a traditional Easter feast of lamb, red eggs, and other specialties. Easter eggs are dyed red to represent the blood of Christ, shed on the cross, while the hard shell of the egg symbolizes the sealed tomb of Christ - the cracking of which symbolizes his resurrection from the dead. After lunch we continue to Athens for check-in at the **Metropolitan Hotel**. Dinner is included at the hotel this evening.

NAFPLIO/ATHENS

(B,L,D)

Day 8, MON, APR 9

This morning we board our cruise ship in the Port of Piraeus (Athens). We arrive in the afternoon at the world famous Greek island of Mykonos. Mykonos combines the dazzling white beauty of a typical Cycladic island with a sophisticated jet-set atmosphere. Stroll at leisure through the white-washed, flower-decked alleyways to the church of Paraportiani, and along the waterfront to the famous windmills.

PIRAEUS/MYKONOS

(B,L,D)

Day 9, TUE, APR 10

We arrive this morning at Kusadasi, Turkey and journey to Ephesus, which had become the capital city of the Roman Province of Asia by the time John wrote the Book of Revelation to the churches there. Walk through history in a city founded as early as the 10th century B.C. and in the magnificent excavations see streets lined with wonderful public buildings such as the Baths of Scholastica, the Library of Celsus, the Temple of Hadrian, the Basilica of St. John and the great Theatre. We then sail to the former Roman prison island of Patmos where John received his "Revelation." Here we visit the Grotto named for his book and the Monastery of St. John which houses ancient manuscripts including one of the Gospel.

EPHESUS/PATMOS

(B,L,D)

Day 10, WED, APR 11

The Colossus of Rhodes, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, once dominated the strategic harbor entrance. Later it served as a crucial outpost for the Crusaders in many of their ill fated journeys to Israel during their conflicts with the Muslim conquerors. Today we visit Lindos and climb to

RHODES

the top of the ancient acropolis standing 122 meters above the sea, overlooking St. Paul's Bay. Enjoy some free time in Lindos village and then return to Rhodes city. Return to the ship for lunch, or dine on our your in town. Enjoy the afternoon in Rhodes to explore on your own, perhaps to view its fortifications, the Street of the Knights with medieval stone mansions, the Palace of the Grand Master and the Hospital of the Knights (now a museum). There are also art shops as well as many lovely beaches. (B,L,D)

Day 11, THU, APR 12 HERAKLION/SANTORINI

The largest of the Greek islands, Heraklion (Crete) is well-known for its archaeological sites. *You may wish to take an optional excursion to the Palace of Knossos, the residence of the ruling house and also an administrative and religious center for the whole region. The buildings (a labyrinth complex) covered an area of 22 square miles. The high standard of Minoan civilization 4000 years ago, displayed here through architecture, frescoes and the perfect plumbing system, surprise modern visitors.* We travel on to the island of Santorini, widely considered to be the lost continent of Atlantis. Off the entrance of the bay of Santorini there is the only active volcano in the Eastern Mediterranean. After you have strolled through the narrow streets you can enjoy the fascinating and marvelous sunset. (B,L,D)

Day 12, FRI, APR 13 CORINTH/ATHENS

After a morning arrival of our cruise ship at the port of Piraeus, we drive to Corinth, the capital of the Roman province of Achaia and the city of Paul's extensive personal ministry and challenging letter writing. The Acro-corinth rises 1700 feet above the ruins and the Market Place is still laid out as it was in Paul's day with its stone Bema (judgment dais) where Gallio refused to condemn Paul (Acts 18). Nearby in a prominent place is the Temple of Apollo with its Doric columns. A superb collection of Corinthian artifacts greets the visitor in the museum. This afternoon we proceed to Athens. We visit the Acropolis with the Parthenon shimmering in its ageless grace and unmatched design and the unique Erechtheion (the only double temple). Nearby we climb the Areopagus (Mars Hill), where Paul addressed the philosophic court about Jesus and the resurrection (Acts 17:22-34). Our sightseeing also features a panoramic tour including Embassy Row, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the National Palace, the House of Parliament, and the University. We check into the **Metropolitan Hotel** late this afternoon with dinner included at the hotel this evening. (B,D)

Day 13, SAT, APR 14 ATHENS/USA

We transfer to the airport for our return flight to the USA. (meals aloft)

All sites listed in the itinerary will be covered but the sequence and days may be altered to adjust to religious holidays, special closings of sites, air schedules, etc. Hotels listed subject to confirmation. This tour is not recommended for those who have mobility limitations since it includes significant amounts of rigorous walking on uneven terrain. If a passenger is unable to get on and off the bus and walk without the assistance of another individual, the passenger must bring someone with them to assist them. Please note that the Americans With Disabilities Act is not applicable outside the USA and facilities in other countries may be sharply limited.

TOUR CONDITIONS

PRICE OF 13-DAY TOUR:

\$4,499 from Columbia

(per person, based on double occupancy and standard interior cabin on cruise)

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DEVIATION ITINERARY: Any adjustment in standardized air or land itinerary will carry a \$100 fee (for each change) in addition to any additional expense required. This fee is applicable for research projected and/or accepted. **To ensure efficient handling of these requests, Dehoney Travel, Inc. will require that a tour deposit be received before a deviation request can be processed.** If deviating from the group tour program, there will be no refund for any service not used.

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MEALS AND SIGHTSEEING: As listed in the day by day itinerary (B, breakfast; L, lunch; D, dinner); three meals daily on board ship. Full sightseeing with luxury buses, English-speaking guides, and entrance fees to places visited as described in the itinerary are included in the tour.

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All cancellation notifications must be made in writing to Dehoney Travel, Inc. Please allow 4 weeks for cancellation refund processing.

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April 2 - 14, 2018 with Rev. Stuart Condra

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