



Stay Local in Athens Longer

3-Night Pre-voyage Land Journey

Program Begins in: Athens

Program Concludes in: Athens

Available on these Sailings:

Quest 14-Apr-2020
 Journey 18-Jul-2020
 Journey 3-Oct-2020
 Quest 15-May-2021
 Pursuit10-Jul-2021
 Pursuit14-Sep-2021
 Journey 13-Oct-2021
 Pursuit2-Nov-2021

Quest 23-Apr-2020
 Journey 1-Aug-2020
 Pursuit24-Oct-2020
 Pursuit19-Jun-2021
 Pursuit20-Jul-2021
 Pursuit28-Sep-2021
 Pursuit16-Oct-2021
 Journey 6-Nov-2021

Journey 12-May-2020
 Journey 12-Sep-2020
 Quest 1-May-2021
 Pursuit26-Jun-2021
 Pursuit3-Aug-2021
 Journey 29-Sep-2021
 Pursuit27-Oct-2021

Selling price from: \$ 2,899 USD per person, double occupancy
 Call 1-855-AZAMARA to reserve your Land Journey

Considered the birthplace of Western civilization, Greece’s influence still resonates today in the fields of architecture, science, engineering, and philosophy. Greece offers a myriad of experiences, landscapes and activities. Athens—the capital city and homeland to gods, goddesses and some of the world’s greatest philosophers and athletes—brims with iconic ancient temples, and also hosts a number of glorious parks and beaches. Your stay in Athens includes a panoramic tour of the city, taking in the major highlights, including the Acropolis, the new Acropolis Museum, the Panathenaic Stadium, and the Parthenon, before heading on a food-focused market tour of bakeries, cheese stalls, spice vendors, and more. Your journey then continues outside of Athens to Mycenae, Nafplio, and Epidaurus, sightseeing, visiting a family-run vineyard, and concluding with a special evening at the Benizelou Mansion and concludes with an evening at a local tavern, with dinner and a Greek folklore show.

All Passport details should be confirmed at the time of booking. Sales of this program close 90 days prior: book early to avoid disappointment, as space is limited.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Corinth Canal, **Mycenae with its Cyclopean Walls and Lion's Gate, Epidaurus**
- Benizelou Mansion Museum
- The Acropolis, Hadrian's Arch, Panathenaic Stadium, Temple of Olympian Zeus
- The New Acropolis Museum
- Varvakios Central Food Market, colorful Plaka and Monasteraki Flea Market
- Special dinner and drinks at a local restaurant in Plaka with folkloric presentation

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Day 1

Upon arrival in Athens, you'll be greeted and shown to your hotel. Enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure to begin exploring, do a little shopping, or find a quiet place for a cocktail. Regroup at the hotel where dinner will be served this evening.

Day 2

Today, you'll head out of the city to Mycenae, the Homeric city of Atreides, the city "rich in gold." Visit the Lion's Gate, the Cyclopean Walls, and the Royal Tombs before proceeding to a local winery to learn about the wines and sample a variety of them. Then, after lunch, depart for Nafplio, a picturesque town nestled at the foot of a cliff, and on to Epidaurus to visit the Theatre (4th century B.C.). Tonight, enjoy a special evening at the Benizelou Mansion, one of the oldest houses in Athens. Recently restored and opened as a museum, the home gives visitors a feel for life in the city as it was before the founding of the Greek state. After, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 3

Enjoy a full-day exploration of Athens that takes in Hadrian's Arch, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, the Panathenaic Stadium, and Athens' piece-de-la resistance, the Acropolis. From here you'll progress to Athinas Street, a popular part of town that's famous for its houseware and food stores. It's then onto Varvakios Central Market, filled with vendors selling fresh meat and seafood. After lunch walk through the Monastiraki flea market and the narrow picturesque streets of the old city of Plaka, Athens's oldest and most picturesque neighborhood. After, you'll be taken back to your hotel. The balance of the day is at your leisure. At night a special dinner with folkloric dancing in a local restaurant in Plaka is arranged for your enjoyment

Day 4

After breakfast at your hotel, you'll be met and taken to the airport for your onward flight.

WHAT YOUR LAND JOURNEY PRICE INCLUDES:

- Arrival airport transfers to your hotel (all flight details must be confirmed 60 days prior or transfers are voided and non-refundable)
- 3-nights of accommodation at InterContinental Athenaeum Hotel, Athens or similar – Superior room
- Guided sightseeing in air-conditioned vehicle (exceptions may apply)

- Services of Professional English-Speaking Guide(s) and/or Tour Director as detailed in your itinerary
- Meals and beverages, as noted in your itinerary
- All planning, handling and operational charges, including entrance fees to the venues as noted in your itinerary
- Gratuities

NOT INCLUDED:

- Any item we mention in itinerary as being optional or on your own account
- International and regional airfare, unless otherwise stated
- Meals other than those mentioned in itinerary
- Excess baggage fees imposed by airlines or storage fees charged by hotels
- The cost of personal items such as laundry, telephone calls, Wi-Fi, and additional incidentals, etc.
- Optional and additional exploration not included in itinerary
- Cost of obtaining passports or required visas where necessary. Contact your travel professional or the appropriate Consulates and/or Embassies to determine if you have proper documentation prior to commencement of travel.
- Transport between your home and home airport/port/station
- Travel Protection Insurance

IMPORTANT NOTES: This Land Journey involves a moderate amount of walking that may be strenuous at times. You will be required to walk up/down inclines and stairs, over paved, cobbled, and unpaved surfaces. We suggest you wear flat, non-slip walking shoes. This Land Journey is recommended to guests who are able to walk for extended periods, at a moderate pace. Guests who utilize a wheelchair may not be able to participate in all activities as described. If you require special assistance of any kind, please advise Azamara® or your travel professional at the time of booking.

Purchase your flights to Athens through Azamara. If booking independently, ensure you have the correct city and arrival date prior to reserving your flights. Azamara is not responsible for any disruption to your Land Journey due to independently-booked air issues.

All programs have a limited capacity and are available on a first-come basis. A minimum number of guests is required to operate this Land Journey. Should that minimum not be met, the program will be repriced and guests will have the option to cancel or repurchase at the new selling price. Cancellation penalties begin 120 days prior to sailing and will include any non-refundable air costs. Please read the full details of your Land Journey contained in your final guest documents, emailed to you approximately 30 days prior to your cruise. If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding your Land Journey, please contact us at 1-855-AZAMARA (292-6272)

This description is a general overview of the highlights of this Land Journey. Your Land Journey is operated by **Rhapsody Travel** and their local representative. The local representative will do everything possible to ensure that all of the sites described here are visited, though the tour sequence is subject to change. Closure of some sites due to local or national holiday observances, flight schedules, weather or other factors may affect the Land Journey, and the local representative reserves the right to substitute other sites if necessary. All programs are priced per person, based on double occupancy and by departure date, and may vary from the price indicated on this document. Single occupancy pricing may be available upon request but cannot be guaranteed. All pricing is subject to change. Book early for the best price.

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