



Departing Monday, June 24, 2024

# 12-day Greece Land and Sail Tour

with 7-day Turkey Extension



Starting at \$4,650 (single +\$2,150; discount for 3 in a cabin)  
Cabin upgrades available.

## PLUS EXTENSION

7-day Turkey land - \$2,150 (single +\$510)

(Prices do not include flights and travel protection insurance)

Flights: approx. \$1,500 (available 11 months before departure)

Travel Protection Insurance: approx. 8% of total cost

ONLY 25 CABINS – SPOTS ARE VERY LIMITED  
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## **5-day Greece Land Tour**



### **Highlights**

- Private arrival and departure transfers from airport/port in Athens
- Accommodation for 2 nights in Athens, 2 night in other location, in selected hotels sharing double occupancy in standard double room on bed and breakfast basis
- Full day, guided Athens tour visiting Plaka, Acropolis and the new Acropolis museum
- Three day, guided tour visiting : Mycenae, Epidaurus, Olympia and Delphi
- Professional, licensed English speaking guide
- Transportation with private AC vehicle
- All entrance fees for the guided tour included in the itinerary
- All service fees and local taxes
- 24-hour assistance telephone service

*Visiting: Athens, Delphi, Epidaurus, Mycenae*

### **Greece Land Itinerary**

**Monday, June 24, 2024**

Departure day

**June 25**

#### **Day 1: Athens - Arrival**

Arrival at the Athens airport. Welcome by our representative, assistance with custom formalities and transfer to your Athens hotel. Day at leisure to explore the city

**June 25**

#### **Day 2: Classical Greece - Mycenae, Epidaurus, Olympia and Delphi**

Private guided tour of Athens visiting the most important sites of the city, the Acropolis and the new Acropolis museum. This tour gives you an opportunity to observe the striking contrasts that make Athens such a fascinating city.

Our expert guides will take you to see the Panathenaic Stadium where the first Olympic Games of modern times were held in 1896 (short stop).

Continue and pass by the Prime Minister's residence (ex Royal Palace) guarded by the Euzones in their colorful uniform, 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). On the Acropolis visit the Architectural Masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens: The Propylaea, the Temple of Athena Nike, the Erechtheion and finally "the



harmony between material and spirit", the monument that "puts order in the mind", the Parthenon. Continue and visit the place where at last the statues found their home and admire the wonders of the classical era: The new Acropolis museum.

Afternoon at leisure. In the evening dinner in a traditional tavern in Mikrolimano. (fish food) (b, d)

### **June 26**

#### **Day 3: Classical Greece - Mycenae, Epidaurus, Olympia and Delphi**

Morning at leisure. In the afternoon Private guided tour to Sounion to visit the Temple of Poseidon. Drive along the coastal road, passing the wonderful beaches of Glyfada, Vouliagmeni & Varkiza to the most Southern point of Attica, Cape Sounion, where the white marble pillars of the Temple of Poseidon stand.

On the way, you have a splendid view of the Saronic Gulf and the little islands offshore.

After visiting the Temple of Poseidon, you have time to walk at leisure on the rocky promontory of Sounion. In the evening dinner in a traditional tavern in Plaka with live Greek music. (b, d)

### **June 27**

#### **Day 4: Classical Greece - Mycenae, Epidaurus, Olympia and Delphi**

Organized guided 3-day classical tour of Greece visiting: Mycenae, Epidaurus, Olympia and Delphi.) Accommodation for 2 nights in standard double rooms on half-board basis Return to Athens. (b)

### **June 28**

#### **Day 5: Athens - Departure**

In the morning enjoy a private guided tour of Athens visiting the most important sites of the city, the Acropolis and the new Acropolis museum.

After the tour we'll take a private transfer to Piraeus to embark the cruise ship.



## **8-day Greek Island Cruise Tour**



### **M/S GALILEO MOTOR SAILER**

*The 48 meter M/S Galileo is a classic steel hull motor sailer, with spacious and well-appointed interiors renovated in 2020.*

**GENERAL INFORMATION:** Length: 48 m (157 ft)

Launched:1997 | Rebuilt: 2007 | Renovated:2020

Cabins: 24

Capacity: 49 passengers

Crew: 16-18

Cat C: standard rate (3 total)

Cat B: + \$700 pp (12 total)

Cat A: + \$1,500 pp (upper deck) (9 total)

Visiting: Athens, Poros, Poliegos, Folegandros, Santorini, Paros, Delos, Mykonos, Syros, Kythnos





# CRUISE ITINERARY - AT A GLANCE

## June 28

Embarkation

Day 1 | Friday: Marina Zeas (Athens) - Poros

## June 29

Day 2 | Saturday: Poliegos - Folegandros

## June 30

Day 3 | Sunday: Santorini

## July 1

Day 4 | Monday: Antiparos - Paros

## July 2

Day 5 | Tuesday: Delos - Mykonos

## July 3

Day 6 | Wednesday: Syros

## July 4

Day 7 | Thursday: Kythnos - Marina Zeas (Athens)

## July 5

Day 8 | Friday: Marina Zeas (Athens)



# CRUISE ITINERARY - DAY BY DAY



Day 1 | Friday

## **Marina Zeas (Athens) - Poros**

Embarkation between 2:00-3:00 pm. Enjoy a welcome drink and meet your crew and fellow passengers. Sail for Poros for a short 3 hours visit, before set sail to Poliegos. Overnight at sea.



Day 2 | Saturday

## **Poliegos - Folegandros**

Morning arrival in Poliegos, a very small island known for its amazing beaches. Morning swim stop followed by a BBQ on deck. Afternoon sailing to Folegandros, one of the most amazing and less known islands in the Aegean Sea. Walk the amazing Upper city and dine at one of the traditional Greek tavernas.



Day 3 | Sunday

## **Santorini**

Morning arrival at Santorini (occasionally at anchor) to explore its unique capital Fira. Optional excursion to Akrotiti excavations and a tour of the villages, including the small beautiful village of Oia know for its breathtaking view over the caldera. Overnight in Santorini.



Day 4 | Monday

## **Antiparos - Paros**

In the morning you will enjoy a swim stop in an enchanting bay of Antiparos. Early noon arrival in Paros. Visit Parikia and the quaint village of Naoussa. Time to have a fun night and show us your dancing skills during our famous Greek night. Overnight in Paros.



Day 5 | Tuesday

## Delos- Mykonos

Optional morning tour to the unique archaeological site of Delos, antiquity's most sacred island. Later on, we stop at one of Mykonos beautiful bays for swimming off the ship before sailing into the port of Mykonos. The island of the jet setters is yours to explore and the night is young. Overnight in Mykonos.



Day 6 | Wednesday

## Syros

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After a morning swim we will arrive in Syros, the capital of the Cycladic islands where you can enjoy one of its beautiful sandy beaches or walk-through town and enjoy the unique architecture of the buildings. Overnight in



Day 7 | Thursday

## Kythnos - Marina Zeas (Athens)

Marina Zea.

In the morning we will arrive in Kythnos where you will enjoy a swim in Kolones bay and will then set sail for Marina Zea where we will arrive in the late afternoon via Cape Sounion, the temple of Poseidon. Overnight in



Day 8 | Friday

## Marina Zeas (Athens)

Disembarkation after breakfast.

Catch a flight home or continue to Turkey for a week of exploring its diverse cultures, beliefs, nature, and history. Turkey is a culture-rich country with a fascinating blend of East and West.



## **7-day TURKEY - EXTENSION**

**Cost: \$2,150 (single +\$510)**



### **Highlights**

- Private arrival and departure transfers from/to airports in Istanbul, Izmir and Kayseri
- Accommodation for 4 nights in Istanbul, 1 night in Kusadasi and 1 night in Cappadocia (cave hotel), in selected hotels sharing double occupancy in standard double room on bed and breakfast basis
- Full day, guided Istanbul tour visiting Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia, the Blue Mosque and Hippodrome and the Grand Bazaar
- Full day, guided tour visiting the Spice Bazaar (Egyptian Bazaar), Bosphorus boat trip, Underground Cistern
- Round trip economy air tickets from Istanbul to Izmir, from Izmir to Cappadocia and from Cappadocia to Istanbul
- Guided Ephesus tour visiting the Artemission Temple and the House of Virgin Mary. Lunch included
- Guided Cappadocia tour visiting the three sisters fairy chimneys, the Kaymakli Underground City, the Pasabag fairy chimneys, the Goreme open air museum and the Uchisar Rock Castle
- Professional, licensed English speaking guide
- Transportation with private AC vehicle
- All entrance fees for the guided tour included in the itinerary
- All service fees and local taxes
- 24-hour assistance telephone service

*Visiting: Istanbul, Hipodromme, Blue Mosque, Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace, Grand Bazaar, Cappadocia, Underground cities, Goreme, Uchisar and Valleys in Cappadocia, Ephesus, the House of Virgin Mary, Artemission Temple (Optional additions: St. John's Basilica, the Museum and Sirince)*



## Turkey Itinerary

**July 5**

### **Day 1: Arrival at Istanbul**

Arrival at Istanbul Int'l airport. Welcome and briefing by our representative who will meet you at the airport with your name on a company sign. Private transfer to the hotel for overnight stay in Istanbul

**July 6**

### **Day 2: Full-day Istanbul tour**

After breakfast, at approximately 09:00am, pick up from your hotel and your journey begins in Istanbul, the only city in the world situated on two continents. Byzantium, Constantinople, Istanbul - its three names span more than 2,600 years, nearly 1,600 of them as the capital of two of the greatest empires the world has known; the Byzantine and the Ottoman. We visit the Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia, the Blue Mosque and the Hippodrome, where chariot races and the Byzantine riots took place. Visit the Grand Bazaar for shopping. Overnight in Istanbul (B)

**July 7**

### **Day 3: Full-day Istanbul tour - Bosphorus boat trip**

After breakfast, at approximately 08:30am, pick up from your hotel and start our tour by first visiting the Spice Bazaar (Egyptian Bazaar). The air here is filled with the enticing aromas of cinnamon, caraway, saffron, mint, thyme and every other conceivable herb and spice. Continue with a Bosphorus boat trip; a traditional excursion by boat along the waterway separating Europe and Asia. The shore is lined with old wooden villas, marble palaces, fortresses and small fishing villages. Afternoon visit to the Underground Cistern. Overnight in Istanbul (B)

**July 8**

### **Day 4: Istanbul - Ephesus tour**

07:15am pick up from your hotel and transfer to Istanbul airport for a 09:10am morning flight to Izmir. Arrive in Izmir airport at 10:00am. Met by your tour guide and drive to Ephesus (a 45 minutes drive). First visit the Artemision Temple, one of the seven wonders of the Ancient World. Then on to visit Ephesus, one of the 12 cities of Ionia (an ancient Greek district on the western coast of Asia Minor) located near Izmir. Known in antiquity for its sacred shrines, notably a famous temple (one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World) to goddess Artemis, or Diana, the city was also an important center of early Christianity. After Ephesus, lunch will be served in the garden of a local handicraft center. Here you can see some of the traditional carpet weaving techniques used and enjoy viewing some splendid displays of beautiful carpets. After lunch visit the House of Virgin Mary. This house is located on the Aladag mountains, 5 miles away from Ephesus. During the 3rd Ecumenical Council of 431 in Ephesus, it was claimed that Mary came to Ephesus with St. John in 37 A.D. and lived there until her death in 48 A.D. After the discovery of the house, the Archbishop of Izmir declared it a place of pilgrimage in 1892. On July 26, 1967 Pope Paul VI visited this place and prayed here. Transfer to your hotel for overnight in Kusadasi (B)

**July 9**

### **Day 5: Kusadasi - Cappadocia**

08:00am. Pick up from your hotel and transfer to Izmir airport for your flight to Cappadocia via Istanbul. Arrive in Kayseri airport where you will be welcomed by your guide. Transfer to your



hotel. At approximately 15:00pm start your private Cappadocia tour. First visit the Three Sisters Fairy Chimneys in Urgup most popular as seen on advertisements. Then we head on to Pigeons Valley. Pigeons have been always important for Cappadocian people. That is why people carved some pigeon houses to keep them in certain places. You will see that the houses for the pigeons are like the houses for the people. We then descend into the center of the earth in the Kaymakli Underground City, one of the largest and deepest among 200 others in Cappadocia. Overnight in a cave hotel (B)

## **July 10**

### **Day 6: Cappadocia tour - Istanbul**

After breakfast we start our second day private Cappadocia tour. Drive to Devrent Valley, take a walk through this lunar landscape where different rock formations can be seen. Seeing the best examples of the fairy chimneys at Pasabag Fairy Chimneys Valley, we drive further to Avanos Town, which is famous for its tile and pottery workshops. After lunch our next stop is Goreme open air museum, where you will enjoy the fantastic rock churches and beautiful frescos from various centuries decorating the walls of the churches. We then drive to the Uchisar Rock Castle, which is the highest and the most dominant point, giving us a breathtaking panorama. We end the day visiting Esentepe Windy Hill for a panoramic view and for taking photos. Transfer to the airport for your flight back to Istanbul. Arrive in Istanbul and transfer to your hotel for overnight (B)

## **July 11**

### **Day 7: Istanbul - Departure**

After breakfast check out from the hotel and private transfer to Istanbul Int'l airport for departure



## SHIP & CABINS



### Category C

LOWER DECK - 1 DOUBLE OR 2 LOWER BEDS

The Category C cabins are located on the Lower Deck and have portholes. The cabins are air-conditioned and fitted with flat-screen TVs, mini fridge, central music, internal telephone, safe deposit boxes, hair dryer & en suite bathroom with shower.



### Category B

LOWER DECK - FLEXIBLE BEDDING CONFIGURATION.

The Category B cabins are located on the Lower Deck and have portholes. The cabins are air-conditioned and fitted with flat-screen TV, mini fridge, central music, internal telephone, safe deposit boxes, hair dryer & en suite bathroom with shower.



### Category A

UPPER DECK - 1 DOUBLE OR 2 LOWER BEDS.

The Category A cabins are located on the Upper Deck and have large Portholes. The cabins are air-conditioned and fitted with flat-screen TV, mini fridge, central music, internal telephone, safe deposit boxes, hair dryer & en suite bathroom with shower.



## TERMS & CONDITIONS

### Cruise:

#### 1. Cruise Fares:

All fares are quoted in US Dollars or Euro and are per person based on double occupancy. US \$ cruise fares apply for US and Mexico countries and passport holders, and Euro rates apply for all other nationalities.

#### 2. Fares Include:

Shipboard accommodations, ocean transportation all meals and on board entertainment as specified in the cruise program selected.

#### 3. Fares do not include:

Port charges, fuel surcharge, travel insurance, transfers, optional air/sea or land programs (unless noted), shore excursions, airport facility charges, taxes/fees, nor do they include items of a personal nature such as alcoholic beverages, soft drinks, gratuities, gift shop purchases, medical services, phone calls, Wi Fi charges etc. All onboard charges are in Euros.

#### 4. Port Charges, Fuel Surcharge and Airport Taxes

Port charges and fuel surcharge are in addition to the cruise fares. Payment for port charges must be made at the time the final payment is made.

#### 5. Guarantee of Fares

Passengers with confirmed bookings under deposit, or who have made final payment, shall be protected in the event of a price increase, except in the event of major exchange fluctuations or in case of exceptional rise of fuel costs or government new taxes requiring changes in port taxes or a fuel surcharge. However, excluding the above, Variety Cruises reserves the right to increase all prices for new bookings, without prior notice, including port charges, fuel surcharge, insurance and taxes/fees.

#### 6. Single Supplement Rates

For single occupancy cabin reservations, a 30% to 75% single supplement is applicable for on the fare per person in twin cabin, depending on cruise program. Single space is capacity controlled.

#### 7. Deposit and Payment

To secure your reservation, a deposit of 25 % of the cruise fare per person is required within 7 days of booking. Final payment is required 60 days prior to departure. All payments may be made by either check (US passengers only), Visa, Master Card, or American Express. All final payments by credit card requires the signature of the credit cardholder. Please make checks payable to Variety Cruises. All reservations are subject to cancellation if payments are not received by the due date. Group policies may differ.

#### 8. Administrative Charge for Cruise and Land Tour

An administration fee of 50\$/35€ is required for any changes made to reservations including both a cruise and a pre or post land package. In addition, any costs incurred for changes in land arrangements will be the responsibility of the passenger. Sailing dates cannot be changed within the penalty period.

#### 9. General Cancellations and Refunds

If a cancellation occurs, the following charges will apply:

240 days to 120 from embarkation: €120/ USD\$ 140 administration fees (per cabin)\*

119 to 90 days from embarkation: 15% of the cruise fare

89 to 60 days from embarkation: 25% of the cruise fare

59 to 30 days from embarkation: 50% of the cruise fare

29 to 00 days from embarkation: 100% of the cruise fare

Cancellations must be confirmed by VARIETY CRUISES in writing in all cases.

Refunds will normally be made to the booking party. Variety Cruises can only be responsible for refunding amounts actually received. If cancellation fees are charged by pre/post hotels, or services suppliers they will be deducted from any refund made. No refunds will be made to passengers who do not board the ship or passengers who cancel after the start of the cruise. We recommend the purchase of travel insurance.

#### 10. Children Discounts

Children discounts apply to children 5-17 years old, sharing a triple cabin with two paying adults. Port taxes are not discounted.

Children 5-10 years old: 50% discount on the gross per person twin cabin fares

Children 11-17 years old: 35% discount on the gross per person twin cabin fares

For Family offers, please visit <https://www.varietycruises.com/variety-stories/family-offers>

#### 11. "FORCE MAJEURE" definition:



"Force Majeure" means and includes war, or warlike conditions, terrorist activities, breakdown, fire, perils of the seas, storms, "foundering" or other weather related occurrences, earthquake, flood, vandalism, destructive acts of God, or of government, political disturbances, legislative enactments, embargo, riot, civil commotion, regulatory interference, strikes, lockouts, shortages, industrial and labor disputes and all other causes beyond the reasonable control of Variety Cruises.

#### 12. Cruise Itinerary Change

Variety Cruises Ltd. reserves the right at its sole option and discretion and that of the Captain of the ship, without liability for damages or refund of any kind, to alter or deviate from the ship's advertised or ordinary itinerary or route, either this is caused by weather conditions, Force Majeure, assisting other ships in distress, saving of life at sea or other extraordinary conditions. Such does not entitle passengers for any claims or refunds. Variety Cruises will however ensure that passengers access their port or disembarkation on time for their outwards flights.

#### 13. Sailing Cancellation

Variety Cruises guarantees all departures with a minimum participation of 12 passengers. In the unlikely event that such would be required, the cancellation of a departure will be notified at least 60 days prior to the sailing date and alternative sailing dates will be offered to the passenger.

Variety Cruises may, for unforeseeable, unavoidable or unusual circumstances beyond their control including but not limited to Force Majeure, cancel any sailing at any time and Variety Cruises's only liability will be to refund to the passenger the amount it has received for the cruise ticket/contract and any other pre or post land tour or excursions package purchased from Variety Cruises.

#### 14. Vessel Substitution

Variety Cruises may operate the cruise program with another vessel as long as this vessel is of the same or higher standard. Passengers offered a suitable alternative cruise program are not entitled to any refund.

#### 15. Cruise Interruption

During the cruise should the vessel sustain any breakdown in machinery, or be disabled by fire, grounding or collision disrupting the cruise itinerary for more than 48 hours, and if no substitute vessel or arrangement is offered, passengers will be entitled to a refund proportional to the cruise days not operated. No further claims will be accepted.

#### 16. Independent Contractor / Limit of Liability

Variety Cruises Ltd liability and responsibility does not extend beyond the vessel; any arrangements made by or for passengers either before boarding or when disembarking are at the passenger's own risk. Variety Cruises Ltd does not own or control any ground transportation or hotels. As a convenience to our passengers, Variety Cruises may sell tickets for shore excursions or arrange other services which are operated by independent contractors, but as a result of these activities and services Variety Cruises assumes no liability of the actions or omissions of such contractors.

Any and all Excursions included within the itinerary may be subject to minimum or maximum numbers of participants. Excursions are subject to availability. Variety Cruises has no liability for any land based arrangements. Excursions, lecturers and personalities may vary from those advertised.

Subject to the "Liability" clause below, Variety Cruises shall not be liable for any loss or damage, including but not limited to, loss of enjoyment, disappointment, or distress for changes to, or cancellation of any Excursions, lecturers and personalities.

Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing, the guests, unless otherwise provided herein, will have the option to utilize equipment provided by Variety Cruises and to participate in various sports and recreational activities and expedition excursions off, under, around, about and in the environs of the Vessel and locations visited during the cruise. These activities may include but are not limited to zodiac transfers, kayaking, snorkeling, hiking and extensive walking ("Off-Vessel Activities").

All guests acknowledge that:

(a) there are risks and dangers involved in the participation in Off-Vessel Activities and that these are potentially dangerous activities that can result in serious injury or death;

(b) Variety Cruises can in no way guarantee the safety or welfare of the guests in any Off-Vessel activities and that Variety Cruises is merely providing equipment and instruction to enhance the guests' enjoyment;

(c) The guests shall knowingly and voluntarily assume the risk of and shall indemnify Variety Cruises against any claims made by him or on his behalf as a result of using equipment provided by Variety Cruises and participating in Off-Vessel Activities;

(d) The guests shall acquire the training and skill necessary to participate in Off-Vessel Activities and shall follow the rules, guidance, directions and procedures of Variety Cruises; and

(e) Variety Cruises shall accept no responsibility for the guest's failure to abide by governmental rules, regulations and restrictions and Variety Cruises rules, guidance, directions and procedures concerning Off-Vessel Activities.

#### 17. Guest Responsibilities

All guests must comply and the Guest shall procure that all other guests comply with and abide by the terms and conditions of this ticket/contract, the national and international rules and regulations, as well as all orders and directions of the Master and other officers of the Vessel. The officers on board the Vessel have the right to use all reasonable means to enforce such rules, regulations, orders and directions including, but not limited to, the removal of guests from the Vessel. If it appears to the staff or crew at any time during the cruise that guests are or are becoming for any reason unfit to travel or likely to endanger the health, safety or comfort of anyone on board then the Master or duly authorized representative may refuse to embark or disembark the guests at any port or place, transfer



the guests from one suite to another, or otherwise deal with the guests as may be necessary. In such circumstances the guests shall not be entitled to any refund or compensation and shall be liable to pay any fines, losses or compensation due to any party. All guests must be at Variety Cruises designated pier in the initial port of embarkation site at least one (1) hour before the appointed time for sailing. No guests shall pay, nor receive any general average contribution with respect to any property. Each guest agrees to fully indemnify and hold harmless Variety Cruises and any other Indemnatee against any damages, liabilities, losses, penalties, fines, charges or expenses incurred or imposed upon Variety Cruises and any other Indemnatee as a result of any act, omission or violation of law by the guest or any minor for whom the guest is responsible.

All guests must be eighteen (18) years of age or older to purchase or consume alcohol. Variety Cruises reserves the right to refuse to serve anyone who in the sole judgment of the Master or the Officers of the ship may be under the influence of alcohol, or for any reason necessary in their judgment to preserve the health and safety of guests and employees.

All guests must attend all mustering drills while on board the Vessel. This is an exercise that is required by law and is held for guests' safety. A failure by any guests to attend a mustering drill may result in disembarkation of any such guest from the Vessel without any recourse to, or liability of Variety Cruises.

All guests shall allow Variety Cruises, the Master and the Vessel's officers, in their sole discretion, in order to ensure the safety of the passengers, the Vessel and crew, the right to search a guest and any guest's suite/stateroom or property in order to investigate any reported incident, whether involving a crime or personal injury, sickness or damage to property and they may preserve evidence of any reported incident in order to comply with any requests from law enforcement authorities and to carry out any investigation aboard the Vessel.

All guests will be required to complete a "Guest Information Form" prior or upon boarding. No questions may be left unanswered. No guests may be permitted to board the Vessel or embark on the cruise if complete information has not been provided. The "Guest Information Form" requests the following information: Full name of each guest, as per their passport details, Telephone numbers (landline and mobile) Email addresses Home addresses Contact information of family or other in the event of an emergency (Carrier must be able to reach each guest's emergency contact at any time of day. Carrier must, therefore, be provided with all information to allow Carrier to do so (such information should include the name, address, electronic mail address (if available) and phone number (including a mobile phone number if available) of a parent, guardian, spouse, domestic partner, or other person to contact in the event of an emergency).

All guests must possess their passport valid for SIX (6) months beyond the return date of their trip and any necessary visas (visas for Excursions are sometimes required for certain countries). All guests are responsible for determining which travel documents, visas, vaccinations and medications are required for the ports of call and sites on the advertised itinerary and for obtaining the same at their own cost and Variety Cruises shall not be liable to provide such information to guests. If Variety Cruises, as a courtesy to guests, provides information or advice as to necessary travel documents, visas and vaccinations, guests must verify such information with the appropriate government authorities. If the government in a scheduled port of call denies guests from entering, going ashore or disembarking due to the nature or content of their passport or visa or for any other reason whatsoever, guests understand that he/she may not be permitted to embark, disembark or go ashore in that country and that carrier cannot be held responsible if the guest is unable to embark the Vessel as scheduled, the guest is disembarked during the voyage or the guest is required to stay on board during the call.

The Guests must report to Variety Cruises in writing, at the time the reservation is made or, if the condition arises subsequent to the reservation, immediately, any of the following medical or health conditions which may apply to him or to any other guest: a) any physical or mental condition that may require special care, medical treatment or assistance; b) any physical or mental condition which may render a guest unfit for travel; c) any condition which may constitute a risk or danger to the health, safety or comfort of the guest or to anyone else on board the Vessel, d) any physical or mental condition requiring oxygen for medical reasons.

The medical services and medication on board the Vessel is extremely limited and all guests are required to bring an adequate supply of any specific medication needed. It is therefore recommended that guests have full travel insurance to cover any medical costs incurred on board. Variety Cruises has no liability whatsoever for any treatment, diagnosis, advice, examination or other services provided by any medical personnel or other service providers on board the Vessel and at any ports of call. If any guests fail to obtain and to have such documents, and the guest may be required to disembark during the voyage, then Variety Cruises will not provide a refund or otherwise be liable to any guests for such disembarkation.

#### 18. Liability

Subject to the provisions of the Conventions and Regulations referred to in here below, Variety Cruises accept responsibility for death, injury or illness caused by the negligent acts and or omissions of it and any of its direct employees. Variety Cruises limit its liability, where applicable, by the Conventions and Regulations mentioned here below. In any event, Variety Cruises is not responsible for any improper or non-performance which is: a) wholly attributable to the fault of the guests; b) attributable to the unforeseeable or unavoidable act or omission of a third party unconnected with the provision of any services to be provided by its direct employees, c) attributable to an unusual or unforeseeable circumstance beyond the control of Variety Cruises the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all due care had been exercised, including (but not limited to) an event of force majeure; or d) attributable to an event which Variety Cruises could not even with all due care have foreseen or forestalled.

For claims not involving personal injury, death or illness or which are not subject to the Conventions and Regulations referred to in here below, Variety Cruises liability for improper performance of the ticket/ Contract shall be limited to a maximum of twice the ticket/contract price which the affected guest paid (not including premiums and amendment charges).

All carriage (by land, air and sea) is subject to the terms and conditions of carriage of the actual carrier. These conditions of carriage may limit or exclude liability, are expressly incorporated into the ticket/Contract and also form the terms and conditions of separate contracts between the guests and the particular carrier as contained in that carrier's ticket which is provided to the guest before the scheduled departure date. Copies of these terms and conditions are available on request from Variety Cruises.



Carriage of passengers and their luggage by sea and the liability of carriers in the event of accidents is governed by the Athens Convention 1974 as subsequently amended or modified (the "Athens Convention"). So far as applicable, the Athens Convention is expressly incorporated into these Terms and Conditions and any liability of Variety Cruises for death or personal injury or for loss of or damage to luggage arising out of carriage by sea shall be determined accordingly. In most cases, the Athens Convention limits the carrier's liability for death or personal injury or loss of or damage to luggage and makes special provision for valuables. The Athens Convention presumes that luggage has been delivered undamaged to the guests unless written notice is given to Variety Cruises (as carrier): a) in the case of apparent damage, before or at the time of disembarkation or redelivery; or b) in the case of damage which is not apparent or of loss, within 15 days from the date of disembarkation or redelivery or from the time when such redelivery should have taken place. Any damages payable by Variety Cruises up to the Athens Convention limits shall be reduced in proportion to any contributory negligence by the guest and by the maximum deductible specified in Article 8 (4) of the Athens Convention. Copies of the Athens Convention are available from Variety Cruises on request.

Carriage of passengers and their luggage by sea and the liability of carriers in the event of accidents is governed by EC Regulation No. 392/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 April 2009 on the liability of carriers of passengers by sea in the event of accidents as subsequently amended or modified ("Regulation A"). Passengers' rights when travelling by sea and inland waterway are governed by EU Regulation No. 1177/2010 of the Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 concerning the rights of passengers when travelling by sea and inland waterway and amending Regulation (EC) No. 2006/2004 as subsequently amended or modified ("Regulation B"). (Regulation A and Regulation B shall, where the context permits, be referred to as the "Regulations".) The Regulations are expressly incorporated into these Terms and Conditions and any liability of Variety Cruises for death or personal injury, or concerning the rights of passengers in relation to non-discrimination, cancellation or delay shall be determined accordingly. The global limitation of liability available under Article 5 of Regulation A and the Exceptions and special conditions, and Exemptions available under Articles 8 and 20, respectively, of Regulation B, shall apply in respect of any damages payable by Variety Cruises or to reduce or exclude liability as appropriate. Copies of the Regulations are available from Variety Cruises upon request. Insofar as Variety Cruises may be liable to guests in respect of claims arising out of carriage by sea, Variety Cruises shall be entitled to all the rights, defenses, immunities and limitations available, respectively, under the Athens Convention, and nothing in these Terms and Conditions shall be deemed a surrender thereof.

Insofar as the cruise or any part of it may be performed on a vessel not owned by Variety Cruises, it is agreed that Variety Cruises, shall at all times nevertheless be deemed a vessel owner for the purposes of the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976, whether as amended by the Protocol of 1996 or otherwise and as in force in any relevant jurisdiction from time to time, and so entitled to limit liability

Any liability in respect of death and personal injury and loss of and damage to luggage which Variety Cruises may incur to guests, whether under the Ticket/Contract in accordance with these Terms and Conditions or otherwise, shall always be subject to the limits of liability contained in either the Athens Convention or Regulation A. 12.10 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in these Terms and Conditions, Variety Cruises shall not in any circumstances be liable for any loss or anticipated loss of profits, loss of revenue, loss of use, loss of contract or other opportunity nor for any other consequential or indirect loss or damage of a similar nature. Variety Cruises shall not be liable for any indirect, special or consequential damages.

#### 19. Complaints and Claims

All guests must raise any complaints, including, without limitation, any failure to provide a service forming part of the Cruise or any Additional Service paid or any property damage or loss or injury, illness or death of a guest, immediately with Variety Cruises and confirm this in writing at the earliest possible opportunity. If any complaint arises during the Cruise which might give rise to a claim it must be notified immediately to the Vessel's staff and written notice must be given to Variety Cruises as soon as possible and in any event within two (2) months (or, if a shorter period is prescribed under the applicable international convention then within that period) from the date on which the service was performed or when it should have been performed or when the property damage or loss or injury, illness or death occurred. Within one (1) month of receipt of the complaint, Variety Cruises will give notice to the Guest that his complaint has been substantiated, rejected or is still being considered. Variety Cruises will provide the final reply to the complaint within two (2) months of receipt of the complaint. In any event, unless a longer period is provided for by force of law, proceedings in respect of any claim must be brought within six (6) months of the end of the cruise, failing which Variety Cruises shall be under no liability to the guests.

#### 20. Law & Jurisdiction

This ticket/contract and all disputes or claims whatsoever shall be governed exclusively, in all respects and without regard to the conflict of law principles, by the Greek Laws and Greek Courts.

### Land Tours:

Rates shown are valid from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014 or until superseded by another publication. All prices are quoted per person in US Dollars and are based on tariffs and exchange rates in effect at the time of printing (November 2013). The rates are subject to change without prior notification, if major currency fluctuation and/ or unforeseen economic circumstances so necessitate.

Domestic or regional air ticket rates may change at any point in time before ticketed. Quotes reflect most probable domestic or regional air ticket rates, however they may change when ticketed in which case possible adjustments may have to be accounted for in the quotes provided.

The travel products and services being purchased may be subject to additional surcharges, cost increases, and fees imposed by individual travel suppliers or government entities after the purchase date. I understand that I may be charged these post-purchase



amounts for reasons varying from currency exchange fluctuations to fuel surcharges and new travel taxes. I consent to these post-purchase price increases, and I authorize Destination Greece to charge my credit card for these amounts.

#### Hotels / Accommodation

As specified in itineraries or similar. All accommodations are based on two persons sharing a twin-bedded room with a private bath or shower. Single rooms, if available, are at supplement. Please note that some hotels on certain islands and in the countryside reflect a simpler standards as hotels in Athens. In small towns visited on excursions, the best hotels available are used (mixed categories). Rates include service charges and taxes. Destination Greece reserves the right to substitute any hotel with another of similar category prior to departure or during the tour.

#### Meals

As specified in itinerary (B=breakfast, L=lunch, D=dinner). Breakfast in Greece Continental or American style. In Israel: Fully Israeli-style. Included lunches or dinners are fixed menu (table d'hotel). On multi day cruises, all meals are included with open menu (a la carte) All meals are included on the Mediterranean cruises.

#### Transfers / Transportation

Transfers between airport / piers / hotels are included as per tour itinerary, provided that the passengers do not alter their arrival or departure dates. Otherwise, passengers should make separate transfer arrangements either on their own or through Destination Greece at an extra cost. Depending on the size of the group, land transportation may be effected by private car, van, mini-bus or full-size air-conditioned motorcoach.

#### Baggage

On all tours, portage is limited to two normal-sized pieces per person. Total dimensions may not exceed 106 inches combined measurement (height + length + depth). No one piece may exceed 62 inches. On overnight motorcoach excursions it is recommended that each passenger carry only one suitcase and a carry-on piece of luggage. Destination Greece or its authorized representatives cannot accept responsibility for loss of or damage to baggage or belongings. Baggage insurance is strongly recommended.

#### Sightseeing and Tours

All, tours as described in itinerary, will be provided aboard a deluxe air-condition motorcoach, with an English speaking guide. All entrance fees included. Some places may charge an additional fee to allow visitors to take photographs. At times, some of the features described may be temporarily unavailable due to unusual or unforeseen circumstances: or, during local or national holidays abroad, access to certain facilities, such as museums, sightseeing tours and shopping may be limited. In such instances and wherever possible, itinerary adjustments are made by Destination Greece to minimize the inconvenience to our customers.

#### Passenger Documentation

The passenger's acceptance of the passenger ticket contract constitutes acceptance of the conditions and information in this brochure. Each passenger should also be aware that there might be some variation from the original itinerary on any cruise or land tour

#### Reservations and Deposits

A deposit of 30% per booking is required in order for Destination Greece to proceed securing services requested. Balance is due 45 days prior to clients' arrival. The daily exchange rate of Euro to USD will be used for deposits as well as for final payment as provided by the European Central Bank on the date each transaction. In some cases, such as heavy cruise sailing dates, full payment maybe required immediately. Payment for bookings made 25 days or less prior to departure must be paid in full by cash, credit card, or bank check only. If express document shipment is required due to late payment, the expense shall be borne by the passenger. A \$70.00 processing fee will be charged for bookings made within ten days before departure date, as well as for any changes after your initial booking has been confirmed.

#### Credit Card Payments

Major credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, AMEX) may be accepted for payment.

#### Cancellations

All cancellations are subject to a \$200.00 per person handling and administration fee. Air, ferry and/or hydrofoil tickets are not refundable once issued. Additionally, cancellations received less than 45 days prior to departure are subject to additional penalties (levied by suppliers), shown below.

#### Additional Cancellation Fees

Days prior to departure:

44-31 days: 15% of remaining tour cost

30-15 days: 35% of remaining tour cost

14-7 days: 50 % of remaining tour cost

6-1 days: 100 % of remaining tour cost

#### Refunds

Any claim must be fully documented and submitted in writing to Destination Greece, within 10 days after your return from tour. No refund can be issued abroad. In all cases of refund, the amount will reflect any expenses incurred by Destination Greece, cruise lines or tour operators. No refunds will be considered for unused parts of the program.



#### Important Notes

Destination Greece reserves the right to change any hotel or ship listed to one of similar category

All rates are based on tariffs and exchange rates in effect at the time of publishing of this document and are subject to adjustment with or without prior notification in the event of changes therein

No refund can be considered or made for any unused services or for any absence or deviation from the tour

No refund can be considered or made for non-utilization of confirmed hotel accommodations

Destination Greece shall not be liable for damages in any amount greater than the amount paid to Destination Greece by each individual passenger

#### Not Included in Tour Prices

Features that are not specifically mentioned in this document are not included. These include items of a personal nature, tips, passports, visas, visa-handling fees, baggage insurance, laundry, alcoholic beverages, mineral waters, after-dinner coffees or teas, or food other than specified meals etc. Domestic air transportation within any country is not included unless specified in itinerary. Also not included are shore excursions during Greek cruises, port taxes, or high season cruise supplements.

#### Possible Changes

Destination Greece reserves the right to substitute any hotel or cruise ship listed with one of similar category. Tour and cruise companies reserve the right to modify their itineraries. No refund can be considered in the event of absence or deviation from the tour, unless specific arrangements have been made at the time of booking the tour. Accidents en route may require trip interruption; Unexpected and unforeseen local conditions beyond the control of Destination Greece may force the company to alter or curtail the itinerary of the tour in order to secure the passenger's safety health and enjoyment. In such cases, Destination Greece will endeavor to provide comparable substitutes or to effect refunds; any savings realized for such changes will be passed on to the traveler and any resultant expenses will be borne by the traveler. Destination Greece strongly recommends the purchase of comprehensive travel insurance (accident, baggage, trip interruption, etc.) which can be obtained through either Destination Greece or your travel agent.

#### Responsibility

Destination Greece act only as agents for the various companies, owners or contractors providing the means of transportation, accommodations and other services. All terms and conditions under which means of transportation or other services are offered or provided, and the issuance and acceptance of such tickets, shall be deemed to be consent to further condition that Destination Greece shall not be or become liable or responsible in any way in connection with such means or transportation or other services or any loss, injury or damages to, or in respect of any person or property however caused or arising, or to be otherwise responsible for any damages for any other cause whatsoever. No cruise line is to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are abroad their ship. The passenger's ticket in use by cruise line, when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the cruise line and the purchasers of the tickets and/or passenger.

Neither Destination Greece nor its affiliates or representatives shall be liable or responsible for any additional expenses nor liability sustained or occurred by the tour member as a result of any of the foregoing causes. The tickets, coupons, tariffs, rules or contracts currently in use by any carrier, hotel, restaurant or other contractor rendering services shall constitute the sole contract between such contractor and the tour member. No carrier shall be responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers is not on aboard its own conveyance. The right is reserved to cancel or change itineraries or substitute services without notice and to decline, accept, or retain any participant as a member of these tours at any time. The right is reserved until the time of departure to change the rates and fares referred to in this brochure without prior notification due to changes in current tariffs, fluctuation of exchange rates or fuel surcharges. All disputes and matters shall be litigated, if at all, in and before a court located in Columbus Ohio, USA to the exclusion of the courts of any other county or state. The issuance and acceptance of ticket and/or other documents in connection with a service provided by Destination Greece is considered acceptance of the above terms.

In view of statutory or contractual limitations that may apply to personal injury or property damage losses, THE PURCHASE OF COMPREHENSIVE TRAVEL INSURANCE IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED

#### Force Majeure

Destination Greece will be released of its obligations or suspend performance thereof and will not be legally or financially responsible in the event that it should be impossible to carry them out due to force majeure; force majeure may involve - without been limited to - total or partial destruction of establishments, strikes, social unrest, acts of God, etc. In such a case Destination Greece is not obliged to return payments or deposits already received for the services that Destination Greece is unable to provide. In such a case no compensation claims can or will be filed to cause any financial or other legal Destination Greece obligation or liability.

#### Health Considerations and Disclosure Requirements

If you have a physical disability, mental or other medical condition that must require special attention or treatment, this must be reported to Destination Greece and the cruise line in writing at the time you make your reservation. All passengers must be self-sufficient. Any disabled passenger must travel with a companion during the tour and / or cruise and in case of emergency. All expenses which may be incurred as a result of any physical disability, mental condition or other medical condition shall be the sole responsibility of the passenger. Disabled passengers and companions must sign a statement releasing Destination Greece and the cruise line of any and all responsibility associated with their disability relative to the use of shipboard facilities and in the event of any emergency.



#### Privacy Policy

Destination Greece relies on 128-bit encryption technology and SSL secure server connections in order to guarantee our clients maximum security for their personal and payment data. The data you enter are encrypted/transmitted to a secure server using the latest Internet transaction technology, so as to ensure maximum efficiency. All client, credit card and payment data is securely handled in strictest confidence. Destination Greece holds your privacy in high regard and no information is sold to other companies. No information is shared beyond the point necessary to provide the requested service. Please note that for certain Services (i.e. tours, cruises), some passenger/client information (such as names and passport numbers) has to be provided to the Service Provider, as required by Law.