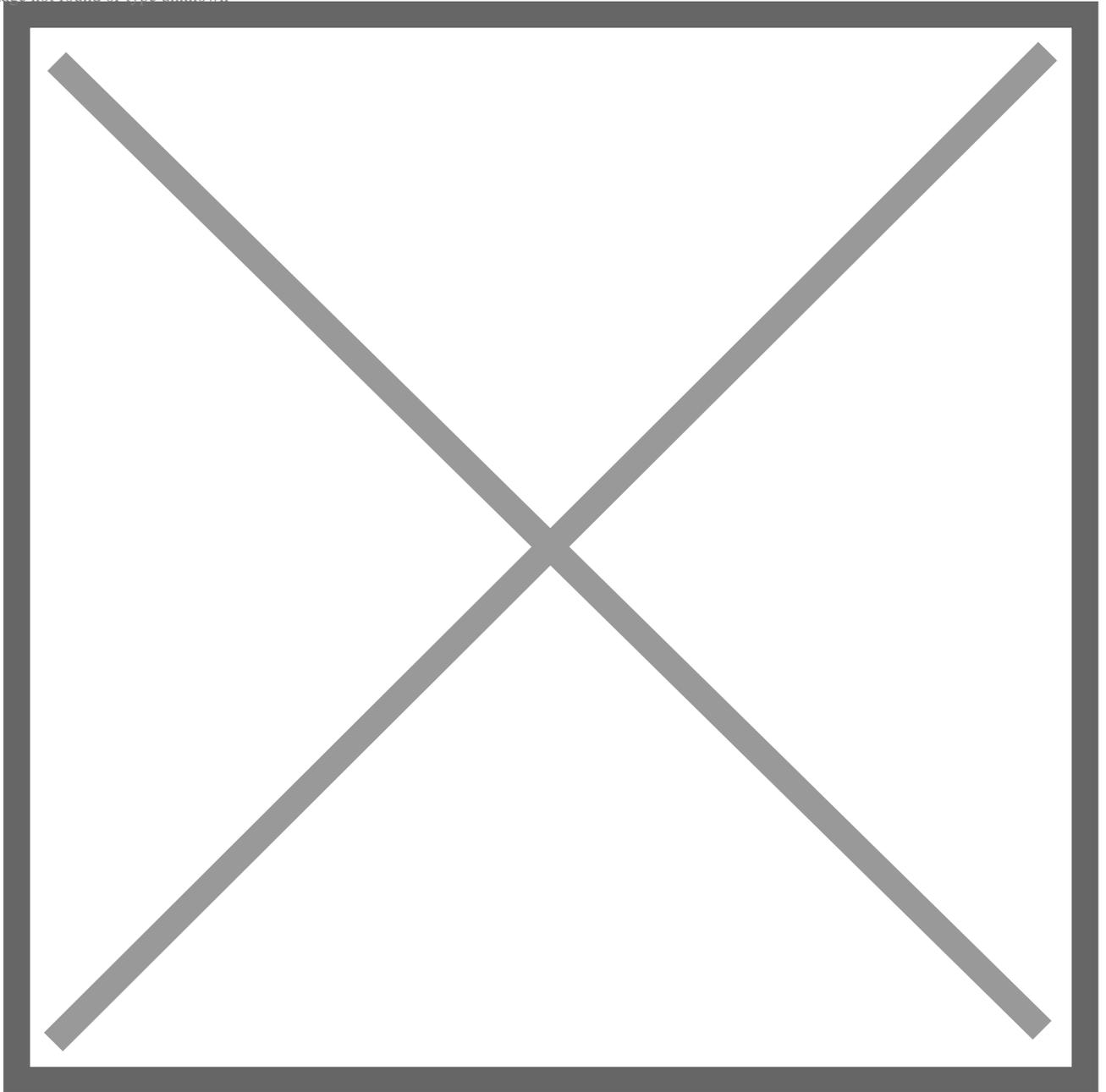


## **Full Itinerary & Trip Details**

# **7 Day Turkey Asian Special Tour**

A full week of a great vacation from Aegean Region to Central Anatolia where you will be visiting the world's best reserved historical site Ephesus, a hot spot for Christian Pilgrims: Virgin Mary House and onto Pamukkale where historic marvels mixed in with a magical natural formations of travertines and hot springs to rest upon to feel the healing all over your body & soul. Konya housing Mystic Mevlana (Rumi) ,the unique and yet the strange rock formations and subterranean dwellings of Cappadocia, the capital of Turkey and the country's second largest city after Istanbul; Ankara are also in this great journey

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**PRICE STARTING FROM**

€0 €0

**DURATION**

7 days

**TOUR ID**

22705

## **ITINERARY**

### **Day 1 : Arrival Izmir-Kusadasi**

Lunch and Dinner Included Upon arrival, meet with the local guide and proceed for lunch in Kusadasi. Next, visit one of the World Seven Wonders – The Ruins of Ephesus, world’s finest archaeological sites, where we visit the Arcadia way, the splendid façade of the Library of Celsius and see the amphitheatre, which is still used for concerts. After the tour proceed to Dinner and check-in at the hotel.

## **Day 2 : Kusadasi - Pamukkale**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included After breakfast, Visit the House of Mary Later (or Meryem Ana Evi in Turkish) is a place where, according to the beliefs of many people Mary, the mother of Jesus, spent the last years of her life. She was supposed to arrive at Ephesus together with St. John and lived there in the years 37-45 CE until her Assumption (according to Catholic doctrine) or Dormition (according to Orthodox belief). Proceed to visit the Leather Fashion House and enjoy a fashion show there with drinks served. Transfer to Pamukkale (Cotton Castle). Visit Hierapolis, the ruins of the biggest Necropolis (graveyard) of the ancient world, Roman Baths, Basilica and calcium cliffs. Next to The Travertines, one of the UNESCO listed World Heritage Site, a magical and spectacular natural site unique in the world famous for its fantastic white lime cascades formed by hot mineral springs. Tonight you may enjoy a free hot spring bath in your hotel (please bring your own swimming wear). Dinner at the hotel before check-in.

## **Day 3 : Pamukkale - Konya - Cappadocia**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included After breakfast, depart for Cappadocia via Konya Arrive Konya for lunch and stop by to visit the Mevlana Museum, home of the whirling dervish. Drive to Cappadocia and dinner in hotel

## **Day 4 : Cappadocia**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included The region known in ancient times as Cappadocia is the setting for some of nature's most bizarre wonders. The unique and yet the strange rock formations and subterranean dwellings of Cappadocia provide unforgettable sets of experiences, memories and photographs. Visit Underground City of Kaymaklı, which is built by first Christian people to protect themselves from Romans during troubled times and are linked by underground tunnels to other cities, Continue to the UNESCO listed World Heritage Site -Göreme Openair Museum, where you can see the church in the region with its paintings date back to the 5th century. Proceed to Uchisar Hill and Pasabag to have a magnificent and unrivalled view of Cappadocia. Later, visit to Pottery Workshop and Turkish Carpet Factory with drinks served. Dinner at the hotel.

## **Day 5 : Cappadocia - Ankara**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included Depart for Ankara, the capital of Turkey and the country's second largest city after Istanbul. Lunch at local restaurant then visit the Anatolia Civilization Museum, an exceptional museum with its unique collection, has Anatolian archaeological artefacts and artefacts from the Palaeolithic Age to the present. On the way to hotel, panoramic view of Ankara. Dinner and overnight.

## **Day 6 : Ankara - Istanbul**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included Depart for Istanbul, forms the financial centre of Turkey and confidently straddles the borders between Asia and Europe as it has for millennia: this is the result when you mix ancient Christendom, a medieval metropolis and the modern Middle East. Situated on either side of the Bosphorus, Istanbul is one of the largest cities in the world. Lunch on arrival, Then Visit Grand Bazaar – one of the largest covered bazaar in the world. A likely labyrinth with innumerable shops selling practically everything under one roof. Stroll along Taksim Square before Dinner. Overnight at the Hotel.

## **Day 7 : Istanbul - Airport**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included This morning, take a Cruise on the Bosphorus Strait at an unforgettable excursion starts between two continents, Europe and Asia. The cruise will take you along the Bosphorus, past the Europeans style palaces of the great Ottomans, Dolmabahce and Beylerbeyi, as well as the

beautiful wooden kiosks of the 19th century, mansions and modern villas, which form the elegant sections of the city. Next, visit to Topkapi Palace, built as official residence and the seat of government during Ottoman Empire. It is today a museum palace with a wide collection of Ottoman artefacts including imperial jewels, porcelain, armour and weapons lunch at local restaurant then continue city tour bring you to Blue Mosque which is the largest mosque in city and one of the most prominent landmark of Istanbul. Continue to Hippodrome Square, former centre of sportive and political activities of Constantinople. Next to The Church of the Holy Wisdom - St. Sophia Church, is a former Eastern Orthodox Church converted to a mosque, now is a magnificent museum. Dinner and send to airport for flight back to home.

## **Includes**

- 1 night hotel in Ankara
- 2 nights hotel in Cappadocia
- Guided Istanbul city tour
- Guided Ankara City tour
- Guided Cappadocia Goreme Open Air Museum Tour
- Guided Cappadocia Underground City Tour
- Professional English - speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air - conditioned, non - smoking coach
- Guided Istanbul Bosphorus cruise
- Guided Ephesus tour
- Guided Pamukkale tour
- Guided Konya tour
- 7 local lunches
- 1 night hotel in Istanbul
- 1 night hotel in Kusadasi
- Arrival airport transfer from Izmir airport
- Guided tour in Cappadocia
- 1 nights hotel accommodation in Pamukkale
- 6 breakfasts
- Guided Virgine Mary House
- Return airport transfer to Istanbul Airport
- Hotel room taxes
- 6 dinners

## **Excludes**

- International flights
- Insurance: All types
- Turkey entry visa
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry
- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
- Domestic flight from Istanbul to Izmir
- City tax
- Tipping

- Please Note: Domestic flight price for adult travelers is approximately Euros: 50,00 for one way and for under 2 years old, approximately Euros: 20,00 as an insurance policy.

## **Routes**

## **Available On Dates**

18 May, 2020 - 31 March, 2022    Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

## **Hotels**

SILVER TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS Pullman Hotel or Ramada Hotel Golden Horn 4 Star Comfort Ada Class Hotel Pam Thermal Hotel Best Western Hotel 2000 or Bera Hotel Ankara 5 Star Suhan Hotel or 5 Star Pressia Hotel GOLD TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS The Marmara Pera Hotel 5 Star Suhan 360 Hotel Pam Thermal Hotel Best Western Hotel 2000 or Bera Hotel Ankara Cappadocia Cave Resort & Spa or Wyndham Hotel Kayseri or Gamirasu Cave Hotel