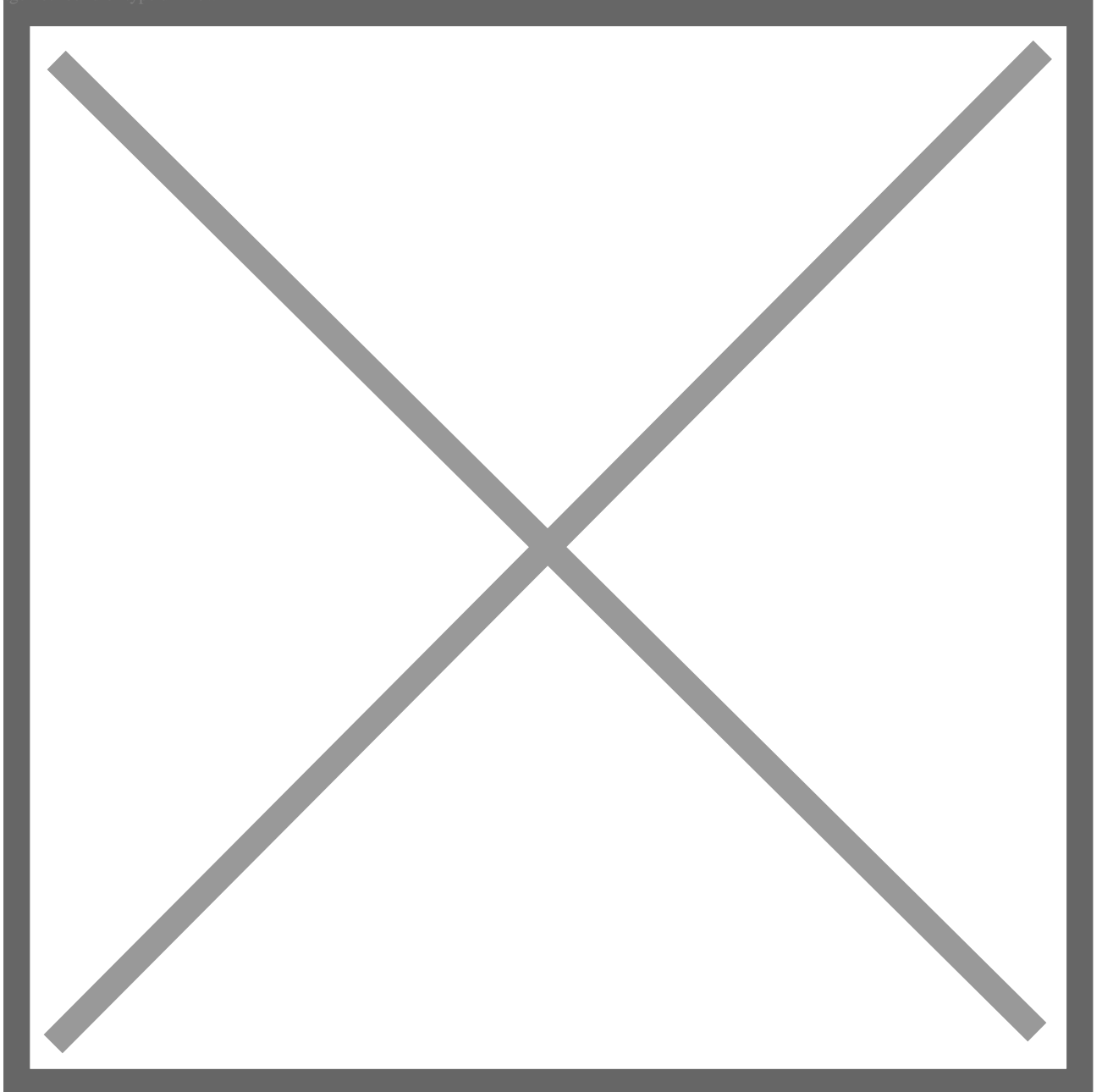


## Full Itinerary & Trip Details

# 12 Day Bodrum Dalyan Ephesus And Pamukkale Tour

Welcome to our Bodrum Vacations! Includes a Hamam, village tour and a Turkish night out. We also visit Dalyan, Ephesus, Pamukkale, with a boat trip and a day out on a Jeep safari.

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**PRICE STARTING FROM**

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**DURATION**

12 days

**TOUR ID**

22941

## ITINERARY

**Day 1 : Bodrum – Arrival Day**

Dinner Included

You will be transferred from Bodrum airport or Bodrum bus station to your hotel. On arrival we will check you into the hotel where your accommodation has been reserved for the night. You will be given your room key and the rest of the day is yours to enjoy and explore Bodrum.

**Day 2 : Hamam - Turkish Bath in Bodrum**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

Hamam, that's the word for the Turkish bath - surely an unforgettable part of your holiday and the massage is the best part. On the marble slab the guest will receive a pummeling from head to toe, let the expert scrub of all those dead cells, relax again, and then drift away while the masseur straightens out all those knots and tense bits. All you have to do then is to wash your hair and put on loads of sun cream before emerging. After that you can relax with a Cay (Turkish tea) and you feel reborn. All rest of the day free and enjoy party and explore Bodrum.

**Day 3 : Optional Daily Dalyan Tour**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

Dalyan is a very popular small town not spoiled by buildings. The wonderful 7 kilometer sandy Iztuzu Beach, which is accessible by a 45 minutes boat trip, is one of the last nesting areas for the Caretta caretta, Sea Turtles. Between May and September, the female turtles come to the beach to lay their eggs, to keep check on them from time to time and finally to take their babies to the sea. Caunos, the ancient city near modern Dalyan, was founded around the 9th century BC. Once it was a Mediterranean city port, but over the centuries, the silt from the Dalyan River choked the harbor and today the town lies several kilometers from the sea. Caunos is famous for its rock-cut tombs. These were graves for the kings and important people of the city. Since the Pagan people of the area believed in resurrection, they put lots of food, money, jewellery and other valuable items in holes at the entrance of the tombs, but because of grave robbers, nothing is now left today.

**Day 4 : Bodrum - Free Day**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

The day is yours. You don't have to wake up early, enjoy the sunshine and take in the views and natural magnificent beach & clear sea and explore the city, shop in the local markets, relax on the beach or enjoy one of the many day trips you have to choose from. These include Aqua Park, scuba diving, fishing tour and many more

## **Day 5 : Bodrum Village Tour**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

Village Tour: Bodrum overflowing with boutiques, bars, cafes, and restaurants is considered as a sophisticated resort yet some 20 minutes away a rare opportunity to visit a un spoiled mountain village and experience rural Turkish life, almost unchanged for centuries. Meet the humblest peasant whose generosity and kindness never fails to surprise and shows a hospitality that is long forgotten. Visit the teahouse, the mosque and some local houses where you will experience delicious Turkish Cuisine and local spirits. In the end, you will see an impressive display of local handmade kilims and carpets made by villager women. After the tour transfer back to your hotel. Overnight in Bodrum.

## **Day 6 : Daily Ephesus Tour**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

After breakfast in the hotel you will depart for our guided tour of Ephesus - one of the seven ancient wonders of the world. These are only a few words that may describe Ephesus. However, no one could adequately describe Ephesus with words; one has to see Ephesus to appreciate it. A visit to Ephesus, one of the largest and best-preserved ancient cities in the world, is necessary for those who are interested in archaeology and culture. Ephesus is 185 kilometers away from Bodrum. An approximately three hours' journey through the cotton fields will bring you to this unique ancient site.

At 07:00 am Departure for Ephesus. 08:30am Stop for an open-buffet breakfast with homemade marmalades, eggs and cheese from the village and the view of beautiful Lake Bata. 11:00am Visit the house of Virgin Mary and the ruins of the ancient city of Ephesus. 2:00pm will have a lunch break. At 4:00pm leave for Bodrum.

## **Day 7 : Optional Boat Trip**

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

A day at sea with lunch included and served on board. We set out at approx. 11:00am to cruise the turquoise seas of the Bodrum coastline. We will visit several of the most beautiful bays where you can swim and snorkel in crystal-clear water or simply relax in the mild breeze, enjoy the stunning views and perfect your suntan to the sound of the gently lapping waves. At the black island, half an hour from Bodrum, you can bath in the grotto where the warm mineral waters flowing out of the rocks are believed to beautify the complexion. Back on land at approx. 5:00pm.

## **Day 8 : Bodrum - Free Day**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

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## **Day 9 : Daily Pamukkale Tour**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

After breakfast we depart the hotel for our guided tour of the breathtaking white calcium cliffs of Pamukkale. You can bathe in the heated waters and visit the ancient ruins also found here. Pamukkale is 285 kilometers away from Bodrum. An approximately four and a half hours' journey through forests and country villages will take you to this beautiful place. At 07:00am leave for Pamukkale. 09:00am Stop for a breakfast break. At 11:30am Visit the ancient city of Hierapolis, walk on the snow? Ice? Mirage? Clouds? The beautiful cascades and swim in a spa. At 2:00pm try some delicious samples of the Turkish cuisine. 3:00pm leave for Bodrum.

## **Day 10 : Optional Turkish Night**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

If this is your first time in Turkey and you have never experienced a Turkish Night, we strongly recommend you go to one! Belly Dancers, Turkish folkdance, Turkish food and wine, a lot of music and dancing. The program usually starts at 20:30 and goes on until midnight. Turks really know how to have fun all together. Great Turkish style entertainment for everyone. Join us for an evening of eastern promise; sample the local cuisine, local meze and drinks. You will be amazed the folk dances from all over the country and be entranced by the belly dancers in addition traditional Turkish hospitality.

## **Day 11 : Optional SUV**

Breakfast and Dinner Included

Driving in Suzuki Jeeps, our 130 km route is mostly OFF-ROAD and includes the most spectacular views and countryside of the entire region. Leaving Bodrum at approx. 10:00, we head east of the Bodrum Peninsula. After a coffee break at Ciftlikkoy, we reach the highest peak of the Peninsula affording a magnificent panorama. Continuing through Etrim and Mumcular villages, we arrive at the sleepy hamlet of Mazy for lunch and a swim in the gorgeous bay. We take in the pine forests and mountain scenery on our return journey to Bodrum for approx. 5:00pm

## **Day 12 : Bodrum - End of Tour**

Breakfast Included

After breakfast check out from the hotel. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another our tour. Have a safe trip back home and thanks for choosing us.

## **Includes**

- Professional English - speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- 11 dinners
- Turkish Bath

- Arrival transfer from Bodrum airport or Bodrum bus station
- Transportation in a fully air-conditioned, non-smoking coach
- Hotel room taxes
- Guided Daily Pamukkale tour
- 11 breakfasts
- Return transfer to Bodrum Airport or Bodrum bus station
- Guided Daily Ephesus tour
- 11 nights hotel in Bodrum
- Guided Bodrum Village tour

## 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
- 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.
- OPTIONAL Traditional Turkish Night
- OPTIONAL Boat Trip including lunch
- OPTIONAL Dalyan Tour

## Routes

## Available On Dates

9 July, 2020 - 31 March, 2022     Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

## Hotels

SILVER TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS or Similar Salmakis Beach Resort & Spa or Azko Hotel  
 GOLD TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS or Similar Le Meridien Hotel Bodrum or  
 Kempinski Hotel Bodrum