

Full Itinerary & Trip Details

6 Day Dalaman City & Cooking Tour

Dalaman is a great city for Holidays, Cultural and Historical tours. Dalaman is also one of the best holiday places of Turkey. You can also explore footprints of Lycian Civilization. You can see many Ancient Rock Tombs in Dalyan. Every year Caretta Caretta Turtles lay their eggs on Iztuzu beach in Dalyan. Dalyan is a vacation spot mostly preferred by national and international holiday-makers. Its natural beauties, natural richness, historical texture, lake, river and beaches are all considered to be unique all over the world. It attracts many holiday-makers from 81 provinces of Turkey and from many continents of the world especially from Europe every year. If you would like to see something different in your life and if you like cooking or want to learn how to cook, we offer you very special itinerary to learn very good Turkish cuisines with smiley and friendly Turkish people. In this tour package you will not only have a chance to taste local foods but also you will learn how to cook them.



PRICE STARTING FROM

€ 315 € 315

DURATION

6 days

TOUR ID

23295

ITINERARY

Day 1 : Dalaman Arrival Day

Meet at the Dalaman Airport and transfer to your hotel. You will be given your room key and the rest of the day is yours to explore Dalaman. Overnight in Dalaman.

Day 2 : Dalaman City Tour

Breakfast Included

Pick up from your hotel and depart to beginning point of tour where boats are waiting.

First stop will be Rock Tombs which have reached today from Lycian Civilization. Some places reveal the glory of history in a concrete way. When looking at magnificent Rock Tombs that have survived thousands of years up to now against the cruelty of time, bearing secrets and mystery of history to future, you can't take your thoughts of as if the rocks begin to talk. The tombs, shaped by delicately carving on rocks rising at an angle of 80 degrees at many points, are pushing the boundaries of the mind. According to the archaeologists these tombs are a sign of the richness and power of the ancient city of Caunos.

The next stop will be Caunos Ancient City. The city according to a myth was founded in the 4th century B.C. by one of the twin children of Miletos, named Kaunos, at the Caria-Lycia border. The rock tombs, positioned towards the landscape, are what grab attention the most in Kaunos, which was a coastal city during the archaic age. There are tens of monumental rock tombs carved in rocks for kings and noblemen in Dalyan and its close vicinity.

The next destination will be Iztuzu Beach. During the day people swim, walk, lie in the sun to the sound of the crumping waves but at night a barrier comes down and the beach is claimed back by nature, in particular by hundreds of loggerhead *Caretta Caretta* Sea Turtles, one of the oldest surviving species in the world, which lay their eggs there you may have the chance to see *Caretta Caretta* Sea Turtles. The last stop will be Koycegiz Lake. The lake was formed about 7500 years ago, when the entire eastern part of the Mediterranean was afflicted by earthquakes. The lake is fed by the Namnam and Yuvarlakçay rivers and a number of mountain brooks. The water of brooks, melting water and fresh water wells, mixes with warm sulfurous water that is released from a fault and mildly brackish, oxygenated water that flows upriver with the rising tide. The depth of the lake varies from 20 to 60 meters. The lake is abundant with fish. We will have free time there about 1 hour. After the tour transfer back to your hotel in Dalaman.

Please Note: *Caretta Caretta* Turtles lay their eggs there from May to September. You may see on these dates.

Day 3 : Ghost Town Kayakoy & Faralya Tour

Breakfast and Lunch Included

Pick up from your hotel and depart to Kayakoy.

First stop will be Kayakoy. Visit to ghost town of Kayakoy, The Ghost Town Kayakoy village in Turkey stretches along the hillside not far from the ruins of Lycian city Karmylassos (or another Lycian settlement since according to some sources there is no proof that it was exactly Karmylassos) in 7 km from Fethiye. So what is Kayakoy Ghost Town history? In the XVIII century Greeks arrived here from Dodecanese Islands and founded a town here, its name was Levissi. In this quite a large town with about 3.500 homes the Greeks lived for centuries.

In 1923 when the city had about 6,000 Greeks the "population exchange" was started between Greece and Turkey the Greeks were forced to leave the town. Kaykoy Ghost Town in Turkey was recognized as one of the World TOP 10 Ghost Towns according to National Geographic - a world leader in

geography, cartography and exploration. The next stop will be Faralya which is natur beauty with green and sea sand. The place became a very famous last year. Turkish people call it as butterfly's valley., like a paradise. You may have the chance to swim there. We will have time there about 2 hours.

Day 4 : Cooking Lesson & Shopping Tour

Breakfast and Lunch Included

After breakfast, we take our guests from the hotel and depart to a local restaurant for your professional cooking lesson. You participate in your first Turkish cooking lesson:

Although Dalaman is some district rich in natural beauty, it is also famous for its cuisine. Dalaman is famous with Tarhana Soup and vegetables food. Okra,Pea,Spinach. Sea foods are very important for Dalaman cuisine. Especially Blue Crabs is very famous. Another important food is the Stuffed Zucchini Flowers, which made with spices and rice wrapped in Zucchini Flowers. After lunch you will depart to city center for free time and shopping before returning to your hotel.

After the tour drop back to your hotel. Overnight Dalaman.

Day 5 : Turkish Bath Tour & Free Time

Breakfast Included

After Breakfast, we will pick you up from hotel to Hamam (Turkish Bath). Turkish Bath is quite a popular part of Turkish culture and it is being practiced all around the country therefore it will be nice to experience this activity. Depending on your wish and the available hours of Hamam. After the Hamam we will depart to city center for free time and shopping before returning to your hotel. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Overnight in Dalaman.

Day 6 : Dalaman- Airport Transfer - End of Tour

Breakfast Included

After breakfast the day is yours till your departure transfer to Dalaman Airport. We will transfer you to Airport and you will flight back home.

We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another our Turkey Tour. Thank you for choosing us.

Includes

- Professional English - speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air - conditioned, non - smoking coach
- 2 lunches
- 5 breakfasts
- Guided Cooking Tour
- Guided Turkish Bath Tour
- Hotel Room Taxes, Tours & Transfer Taxes
- Arrival transfer from Dalaman Airport to Hotel in Dalaman
- 5 nights hotel in Dalaman
- Guided Dalaman City Tour

- Guided Kayakoy & Faralya Tour
- Return transfer from Hotel to Dalaman Airport

Excludes

- 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: Tips for guides and drivers
- 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.
- International Flights and Domestic Flights

Routes

Available On Dates

29 September, 2020 - 31 March, 2022 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Hotels

SILVER TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS Dalaman Lykia Resort Hotel GOLD TOUR PACKAGE CATEGORY HOTELS Castle Resort&Spa Hotel Sarigerme