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LEGENDARY TURKEY from Istanbul to the Turquoise Coast

September 10-24, 2021

15 days for \$4,692 total price from Houston
(\$4,295 air, land & cruise inclusive plus \$397 airline taxes and fees)



Exotic sights, scents, and sounds reign in this fascinating land where Europe and Asia meet. From Istanbul, magnificent “Empress of the World,” to ancient ruins, stunning landscapes, and the dramatic Turquoise Coast where we board privately chartered “gulet” yachts for a distinctive four-day voyage, Turkey engages and beguiles, offering us an unparalleled small group experience.

ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Day 1: September 10, 2021

Depart U.S. for Istanbul

Days 2-5: September 11-14, 2021

Istanbul

Day 6: September 15, 2021

Assos/Troy

Days 7-8: September 16-17, 2021

Izmir

Days 9-12: September 18-21, 2021

Turquoise Coast cruise

Days 13-14: September 22-23, 2021

Antalya

Day 15: September 24, 2021

Depart Antalya for U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Exotic Istanbul, including Blue Mosque, Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia
- Private Bosphorus cruise
- WWI battlefield of Gallipoli
- Ruins at ancient Troy, Pergamum, Ephesus
- Rustic village of Sirince
- Four-night “Blue Voyage” aboard privately chartered *gulet* yacht
- Cruising to secluded coves and hidden sites
- Opportunities for swimming, snorkeling, hiking
- Sunken Baths of Cleopatra
- Ancient site of Perge
- Antalya’s acclaimed Archaeological Museum

Legendary Turkey, Continued:

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from listed city
- 13 nights' accommodations: 9 nights in Deluxe and unrated hotels; 4 nights aboard privately chartered *gulet* yacht
- 30 meals: 13 breakfasts, 9 lunches, 8 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout your trip
- Luggage handling for one bag per person
- Gratuities for dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers



*Pricing:

\$4,692 air, land, & cruise inclusive from Houston. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of \$397, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land only price is \$3,495; airport arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$795. A 5-day/4-night post-tour “Cappadocia & Konya” extension is available for \$895 total price (single travelers please add \$175). *Please note: This trip involves considerable walking on uneven or cobblestone streets and at sites of ancient ruins. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to the fullest.*

***PLEASE NOTE:** Your \$500 per person deposit secures your space(s) on this tour. This deposit is fully refundable up until 95 days prior to departure, when final payment will be due. Meanwhile our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, will be in touch with you when the tour brochure with a detailed day-by-day itinerary is available. At that time, you will have two weeks to decide whether you would like to confirm your booking or to cancel. Once your booking is confirmed, the cancellation penalties as outlined in the brochure will apply. You will then receive a complete confirmation packet.

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

To pre-register for this tour, please call our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., directly at 888-370-6765. You may also mail your registration form and deposit check to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., One Newton Place, 275 Washington Street, Suite 300, Newton, MA 02458. For more information, please e-mail travelingowls@rice.edu, or call 713-34-TRIPS.

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$_____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person(s). This secures my/our space on the following tour:
Legendary Turkey, September 10-24, 2021.

Room preference (subject to availability when tour details and brochure are finalized):

☐ Double occupancy (standard) ☐ I desire a single room (limited availability)

Guest 1: _____ Guest 2: _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home () _____ Cell () _____ E-mail _____

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