

Athens Mythology [5 days] from €719

Under the sky of **Attica**, you will be amazed by the **Acropolis** and the **Parthenon**, the great creations of the golden age, and you'll feel the unique charm of the **New Acropolis Museum**, one of the greatest in the world. Enjoy activities, local specialities of **Greek cuisine**, **shopping** and **nightlife**.

Highlights:

Athens (Acropolis, Parthenon, Acropolis museum, Monastiraki, Thissio, Temple of Olympian Zeus, the historical centre)

Argolis (Agamemnon Tomb, Mycenae archaeological site, Theatre of Epidauros)

Delphi (Sacred way, Oracle, Temple of Apollo)

>> **Daily Departures from April 14th to October 6th**

A complete package that includes 4 nights of accommodation with breakfast, transfers and visits.

Itinerary

Day 1 Arrival in Athens

Arrival at Athens airport - Reception by our assistant and transfer by luxurious car to the centre of Athens - Check in at your hotel in Athens or Glyfada.

For tonight we propose you an **Athens by night** optional tour. Your evening begins with a short panoramic drive through the city centre and on the slopes of the sacred hill you will be able to see, admire and take photos of the illuminated Acropolis. Then a pleasant walk through the narrow picturesque streets of Plaka will bring you to a typical Greek Tavern where you will enjoy your dinner and live Greek music.

Day 2 Panoramic tour of Athens

After your breakfast, we will start the tour around the sites of Athens. 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 (Old Royal Palace) guarded by the Evzones in their colourful 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 the mind in order", the Parthenon.

Continue and visit the place where the statues found their home and admire the classical era's wonders: The Acropolis Museum.

The evening is free. We recommend taking a tour to enjoy the beautiful sunset in Cape Sounion. Overnight in Athens.

Day 3 Athens - Full Day Argolis

After breakfast, we will take the coastal road to the **Corinth Canal** (a short stop for photos). Continue with a visit to the **Theatre of Epidaurus** famous for its remarkable acoustics. Then proceed to the town of **Nafplion** (short stop) and drive on to **Mycenae** and visit the Archaeological site and the tomb of Agamemnon. Lunch during the visit.

Overnight in Athens.

Day 4 Athens - Full Day Delphi

After breakfast, we will drive towards **Delphi**.

Layers of myth and history enhance the natural magnificence of Delphi. It is told that Zeus sent two eagles in opposite directions to determine the fulcrum of all existence. When they met at Delphi, he proclaimed it the "navel of the world". The Delphic oracle was an important spiritual and religious centre from the 6th century BC to the 4th century AD and rewarded the god-fearing with credible, if ambiguous, prophecies. Ancient pilgrims expressed their gratitude in the form of dozens of magnificent offerings that came to light during excavations. Like a worshipper in ancient times, you'll walk up the Sacred Way to the majestic Temple of Apollo, which was decorated by Athenian sculptors. Pythia issued her prophecies from its inner sanctum. The temple is surrounded by monuments dedicated to the ancient Greek city-states, leaders and ordinary people and the whole place still exudes unique energy. Stand before it and look carefully at the ruins. They date from a temple built in 330 BC on the foundations of an earlier Doric temple erected in 505 BC. North of the sanctuary you'll find the theatre, where music and drama



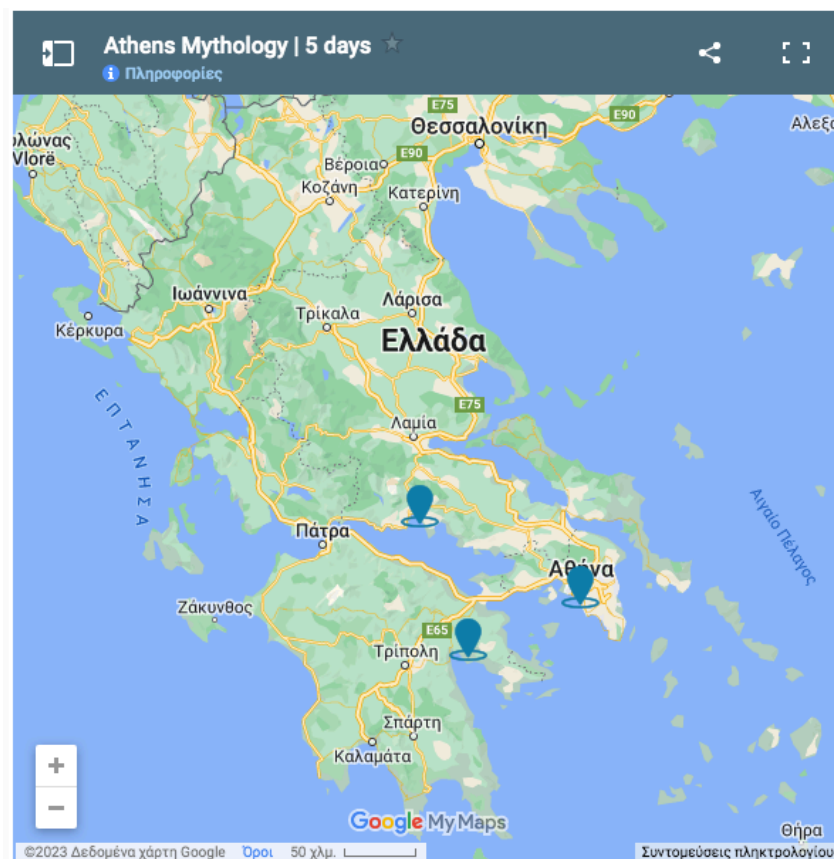
contests were held. Walk even higher and you'll come to the Stadium, where the Pythian Games took place.

Lunch during the visit. On the way back we will make a short stop in the village of **Arachova**.

Overnight in Athens.

Day 5 Athens – Departure

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to the Airport for the departure flight back home.



Your package includes:

- Arrival and departure transfers
- 4 nights accommodation at a 4* hotel with breakfast
- Athens City Tour
- Argolis Tour
- Delphi Tour

Your package excludes:

- City tax
- Personal expenses (meals, drinks, tips)
- Optional excursions and visits
- Entrances
- Anything that is not mentioned in the included section

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Price List

Departures are from Athens & include 4* Hotels on B&B basis.

Departure Day	Double Per Person	Single Per Person	Child Price (below 12)
14 Apr 2023	€889	€869	€569
21 Apr 2023	€889	€869	€569
28 Apr 2023	€889	€869	€569
05 May 2023	€719	€919	€579
12 May 2023	€719	€919	€579
19 May 2023	€719	€919	€579
26 May 2023	€719	€919	€579
02 Jun 2023	€719	€919	€579
09 Jun 2023	€719	€919	€579
16 Jun 2023	€719	€919	€579
23 Jun 2023	€719	€919	€579
30 Jun 2023	€719	€919	€579
07 Jul 2023	€759	€959	€619
14 Jul 2023	€759	€959	€619
21 Jul 2023	€759	€959	€619
28 Jul 2023	€759	€959	€619
04 Aug 2023	€759	€959	€619
11 Aug 2023	€759	€959	€619
18 Aug 2023	€759	€959	€619
25 Aug 2023	€759	€959	€619
01 Sep 2023	€759	€959	€619
08 Sep 2023	€759	€959	€619
15 Sep 2023	€759	€959	€619

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