NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

BEST OF GREECE & THE GREEK ISLES

In the Steps of St. Paul

11 DAYS: OCTOBER 17 - OCTOBER 27, 2023

Visiting

ATHENS * CORINTH * MYKONOS * EPHESUS * PATMOS CRETE * SANTORINI * DELPHI * KALAMBAKA * THESSALONIKI INCLUDING A 3-DAY CRUISE TO THE GREEK ISLES & TURKEY

Hosted by

REV. CLIFFORD AND MRS. LOIS WINTER

\$4199 PER PERSON FROM CHICAGO

(Air/land tour price is \$3679 plus \$520 government taxes/airline surcharges)



QUALITY TOURS SINCE 1949



Dear Traveling Friends.

We have toured Greece three times, and we're ready to go once more!

Join us to behold the absolute beauty of the Parthenon, hear Apostle Paul's speech on Mars

Hill where it was first proclaimed (Acts 17), and walk among ancient Philippi's ruins. You'll thrill to these and more priceless experiences.

This tour awakens appreciation of Greece as the Cradle of Western Civilization and the birthplace of democracy.

Following the Apostle Paul's footsteps, you'll visit Corinth and other sites recorded in The Acts of the Apostles and Paul's New Testament Epistles.

NAWAS is our Christian Tour Company of choice with over 70 years of quality experience. The guides they provide are superb. This will be our 18th tour with them.

We'll visit Delphi, Kalambaka, and Meteora with its monasteries perched atop other-worldly rock pinnacles. Be ready for the fast-paced bustle of modern Thessaloniki. Archaeological sites will reveal ancient splendors. Daily devotions will highlight Paul's missionary work.

The three-night Aegean Sea cruise will take us to Mykonos Island, to Kusadasi the gateway to Ephesus with its stunning library façade, and to Patmos where God inspired John to write the Book of Revelation. And don't forget Crete and Santorini!

There will be time for shopping and for some lunches on your own. NAWAS tours are very well- structured, keeping you safe, informed, and secure with expert leadership.

Hotels are reserved, all transportation arranged, most meals provided, and round-trip airfare from Chicago included. Government taxes and airline surcharges are also included. Your tips will be collected in advance and distributed by us according to Nawas' guidelines, eliminating guesswork and giving you peace of mind.

International travel is back, as evidenced by our four successful trips abroad in 2022.

This is a once-in-a-lifetime trip, so send your deposit of \$600.00 to reserve your place.

Call 316-461-2593 with any questions.

Greece beckons... and so do we!

Your Hosts, Lois and Clliff Winter

TOUR FEATURES:

- Round trip airfare from Chicago
- ♦ \$520 government taxes & airline surcharges
- ♦ \$168 port charges/cruise gratuities
- Accommodations on the land portion at first class/select hotels based on two persons sharing in twin bedded rooms with private bath
- Accommodations on board the cruise in inside cabins with two lower beds & private facilities
- Breakfast and dinner daily on land portion; all meals on board the cruise including a standard drinks package
- Services of professional English-speaking guides
- ♦ Comprehensive sightseeing
- All admission fees, porterage and hotel service charges
- ♦ Transfers to/from airports by private motor coach including meeting/assistance and porterage

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

CHICAGO/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

Depart today from Chicago on board your overnight transatlantic jet flight.

ARRIVE ATHENS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

Arrive Athens where you will be met and escorted to your waiting motor coach for transfer to your hotel. Balance of day at leisure. (D)

ATHENS/CORINTH/ATHENS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19



After breakfast, drive along the Sacred Way of Elusinian Mysteries, passing the Island of Salamis. Cross the Corinth Canal, which connects the Aegean and Ionian Seas. See the Isthmus where boats were once dragged

over land from one sea to the other. Arrive Corinth, the most important city in the days of St. Paul. The vigorous and mostly Gentile Church he founded here in 50 AD caused him much grief and prompted him to write at least two letters to them. Visit the ruins of the ancient city where St. Paul worked with Aquila and Priscilla. See the remains of first century shops, the agora where St. Paul's trial by Gallio took place, the Fountain of Peirene, Temple of Apollo and the Bema.

This afternoon, embark on a tour of the city where you will see the Royal Palace, the Stadium and Temple of Zeus, the Theatre of Dionysius and the Agora (marketplace) where Paul spoke and Socrates' prison. Visit Mars Hill and the Acropolis with the famous Parthenon. (B,D)



Santorini

ATHENS/CRUISE/MYKONOS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

Drive to Lavrion and board your fine cruise ship for a three-day Aegean Sea cruise. Sail to Mykonos, the St. Tropez of the Aegean. Walk around the glistening town. The houses, streets, even the sails of the windmills are all awash with white. Relax at a sidewalk cafe or taverna. Sail on to Kusadasi. (B,L,D)

KUSADASI (EPHESUS)/PATMOS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

Arrive at the Turkish resort of Kusadasi, where you will have an **included excursion** to the magnificent city of Ephesus. You will walk the marble streets and see the fabled Temple of Artemis, another Wonder of the Ancient World, the Stadium and the Library of Celsus. Afterwards, cruise to the island of Patmos, where you will have the opportunity to take an optional excursion to the Monastery of St. John where John received inspiration for the Book of Revelation. Sail on to Heraklion, Crete. **(B,L,D)**

HERAKLION (CRETE)/SANTORINI SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

Morning arrival in Heraklion, Crete, the southernmost of the Greek Isles where you will have an **included excursion** to visit the Palace of Knossos, discovered in 1900 by Arthur Evans. This was the kingdom of King Minos, the site of the legendary Minotaur, later slain by Theseus, and you can see the underground corridors of the Labyrinth. Then sail to Santorini, one of the most fascinating islands in the Aegean, with its rugged, volcanic cliffs topped by brilliant white houses in the town of Thera. The view from the town is spectacular, looking down into the beautiful bay to the still active volcanic island only a few miles away. Return to your cruise ship for the journey back to Athens. (B,L,D)

ARRIVE ATHENS/DELPHI/KALAMBAKA MONDAY. OCTOBER 23

Morning arrival in Lavrion. Drive on the national highway through Thebes, Levadia and the picturesque village of Arachova to Delphi. Visit the Museum to see the famous Bronze Charioteer along with other statues. In the afternoon visit the Temple of Apollo, the Theatre, the Athenian Treasury, and the Castalian Spring. Drive via Larissa, Lamia and Trikala to Kalambaka. Overnight in the Kalambaka area. (B,D)

KALAMBAKA/THESSALONIKI TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

Visit Meteora to see the "Hanging Monasteries" perched on top of unusual rock formations. Drive through Kozani to Veria, then on to visit the tomb of Philip of Macedonia in Vergina. Continue via Edessa to Thessaloniki where you will see the Rotonda, Triumphal Arch of Galerius, and the seafront promenade with the White Tower. Overnight in Thessaloniki. (B,D)

THESSALONIKI

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

Drive to Amphipholis where you will see the famous Lion Statue. Continue to Philippi, where Marc Anthony defeated Brutus and St. Paul first preached the Gospel in Europe. See the archaeological site (Forum-Romanum), the ruins of two Basilicas, the theatre, the Prison of St. Paul and St. Lydia's Baptistry. Visit Kavala before returning to Thessaloniki for the night. (B,D)

THESSALONIKI/ATHENS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

Drive to Athens via the Valley of Tempi and Thermopylae. (B,D)

ATHENS/CHICAGO

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

Your adventure is over as you board your flight back to Chicago. (B)

(B) ~ Breakfast (L) ~ Lunch (D) ~ Dinner



Library of Celsus ~ Ephesus

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit.

- A \$600 deposit is due with your reservation
- Final payment is due at NAWAS 110 days prior to departure date

TOUR-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

For terms and conditions please visit: www.nawas.com/terms-and-conditions

Taxes/Airline Surcharges: In effect on August 25, 2022.

Hotel Service Charges/Taxes: In effect on August 25, 2022 (excluding hotel tourist taxes).

Airfare: In effect on August 25, 2022

Land Costs: Based on estimated 2023 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on August 25, 2022 and a minimum of 32 or more participants per coach.

Customer Reviews:

"It's been my extreme pleasure to benefit from your invaluable assistance with my tours — 97 so far — for the past 28 years. I wouldn't dream of letting anyone else handle the many details involved in making these difficult, exotic itineraries a success, as evidenced by my many repeat clients and their referrals. Your superb attention to detail, your honesty, and your friendship are greatly appreciated. You can count on Nawas being my 'one and only' for many years to come." --Ms. M.B., California

"As always, the arrangements for our pilgrimage by Nawas were excellent. To a person, those on the tour were filled with praise for the trip. Everything was A+." --Monsignor R.S., Utah

"You people make this easy. Everything was out-standing. Those who have been on other trips have come to expect quality and they get it!" --Father P.T., Ohio

Family Owned for 73 Years: Nawas International Travel was founded in 1949 by Mr. Yousef Nawas. He created our faith-based tour company with a vision of offering specially designed programs of spiritual enrichment and superior quality. Mr. Nawas made travel affordable so that the faithful of all walks of life could partake. Though Mr. Nawas has since passed on, Nawas International Travel remains under the guidance of his family and continues to serve thousands of travelers every year. With our global network, affordable prices and expert tour directors combined with years of group travel expertise, we guarantee the highest quality tour and services.



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11 DAYS GREECE & GREEK ISLES PILGRIMAGE * RESERVATION FORM *

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

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Rev. & Mrs. Clifford A. Winter 114 N. Vantage View Circle Wichita, KS 67212-3310 Tel: (316) 461-2593 Email: loiswinter@yahoo.com		•	□ single room (\$995 extra per person) □ outside cabin on cruise (\$300 per person sharing) Enclosed is my check for \$ as Deposit (\$600 per person) for person(s)	
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