

Island Life® Ancient Greece and Turkey

aboard the exclusively chartered, small ship

Five-Star LE BOUGAINVILLE

October 3 to 11, 2023 or October 10 to 18, 2023 featuring study leaders Linda Harper (Oct. 3) and Barbara Horlbeck (Oct. 10)

Destinations including: Delos EARLY BOOKING Mykonos SAVINGS UP TO \$4,200 **Ephesus** PER COUPLE! Pátmos SEPTEMBER 3, 2023 BOOKBY Lindos Santorini

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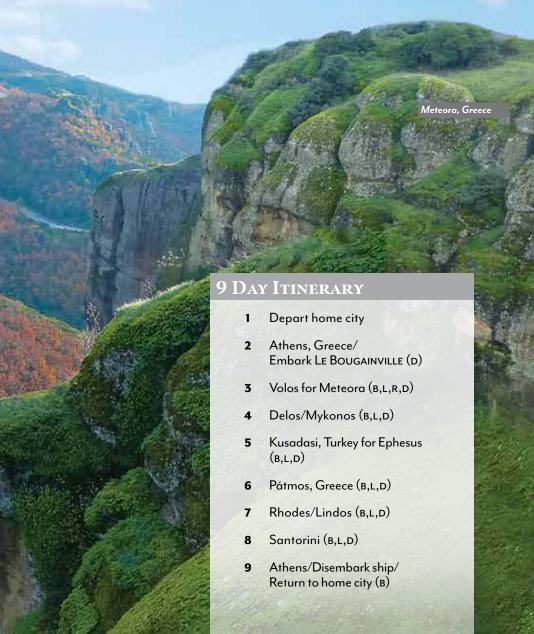
Highlights include:

- Visit up to six UNESCO World Heritage Sites, showcasing the cultural and architecture of ancient Greece and Turkey.
- Call on islands steeped in myth and history—Delos, Mykonos, Pátmos, Rhodes, and Santorini.
- Walk through legendary ruins of Ephesus and Meteora—two UNESCO World Heritage Sites—and Turkey.
- ◆ Exclusive ISLAND LIFE® with local residents who will discuss contemporary life.



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Dear National Trust Traveler:

Journey to the cradle of Western civilization and the classical world on this Aegean voyage exploring the preserved treasures and mythical landscapes of ancient Greece and Turkey. Cruise to fabled halcyon islands from antiquity aboard the exclusively chartered, five-star LE BOUGAINVILLE. This elite small ship has only 92 suites and staterooms, each with a private balcony.

Our epic tour calls on Delos, Mykonos, Pátmos, and Rhodes—ancient destinations steeped in myth and history—along with Santorini. Sail Turkey's sun-drenched coast to visit Ephesus, the most spectacularly preserved Greco-Roman city in the world. Tour the scenic wonder of Meteora and walk through the Sanctuary of Asklepios at Epidaurus, where the history of early Hellenic and Roman natural healing practices are engraved onto the ancient stelae.

Learn more about Turkey and the contemporary ISLAND LIFE® forum on the Greek Isles, where you will meet and engage with local residents during the best time of the year.

An excellent value where all accommodations, meals, and an excursion every day are included. Make your reservations while space and early booking savings are still available! Book with Confidence! No cancellation fees for new bookings until 96 days prior to trip departure.

for the Countryside Institute she provided oversight for communities in three counties to

Sincerely,

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Meg Annacone-Poretz
Director, National Trust Tours

Study Leaders



Linda Harper is an arts and cultural heritage advocate believing that each plays a role in our daily lives and are valued assets to local economic development. Linda was on the NTHP National Main Street program's management team working with over 200 communities. As the director for Exchange Programs

Other opportunities to travel with National Trust Tours and Gohagan & Company:

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implement sustainable environmental and economic programs. Most recently she served as the CEO for Cultural Tourism for Washington, D.C., promoting the embassies, monuments, arts and neighborhoods as an integral part of the city's economic development plan. Her background in historic preservation, cultural tourism and community engagement will help each traveler better understand the flavor and significance of our stops along the way. (October 3 departure)



Barbara Horlbeck, M.A., is an arts and culture professional with extensive global experience. She is an independent researcher, lecturer, writer, and adjunct instructor of art history. Also, she has created and teaches innovative virtual and in person college-level art history courses. As Founder of Arts and Influences, Barbara developed the successful

Food for Thought Lecture and Lunch Series and created a series of in-depth seminars covering a broad range of topics from "Arts of the Medieval World," to "Collectors, Collections, and the Modern Museum." As a docent at the Minneapolis Institute of Arts, Barbara has led tours for educators, specialists, and the general public for 15 years. She has traveled in more than 35 countries, including five continents and the North Pole. Barbara will help travelers focus on developing a deeper understanding of our artistic and cultural legacy while placing works of art and architecture within their rich historical context. (October 10 departure)

The safety and well-being of our travelers remains our highest priority. Cruise lines and some other providers of services (as well as, potentially, some countries) require all passengers traveling on our programs to present confirmation of a full COVID-19 vaccination, and, as well, passengers may have to produce evidence of a recent negative COVID test. All our staff are committed to adhering to all health and safety protocols from the start of your trip to the end as directed by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, overseas health officials as well as those protocols mandated by your cruise company (if applicable) and other suppliers of services. Detailed protocol information tailored to your travel program will be mailed to you along with additional pre-departure information.





Cradle of Western Civilization

The Roman writer Cicero (106 to 43 B.C.) observed of Athens that "wherever you set your foot, you encounter some memory of the past." In Greece and Turkey, the stories of antiquity come to life. St. John the Apostle is believed to have penned the Book of Revelation on Pátmos; the legend of the lost utopian city of Atlantis lives on in Santorini; and it is on these mythological islands that Odysseus sought redemption in the Underworld and where Orpheus retrieved his first love. Visit to the Hellenistic Grand Theater in Ephesus, walk the Sacred Way of Delos, and discover ancient Akrotiri—the "Minoan Pompeii." Enjoy exclusive cultural enrichments, including a folklore performance, a culinary demonstration, and the ISLAND LIFE® forum with residents of Pátmos who will share their candid perspectives about life today.



DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

Home City/ Athens, Greece Day 1 and Day 2

Depart and arrive the next day in Athens, Greece, and embark the five-star LE BOUGAINVILLE.

Volos/Meteora **Day 3**

Arrive in Volos and enjoy an excursion to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Meteora. One of the most important complexes of Greek Orthodox monasteries, Meteora's monasteries are built on natural sandstone massifs and date to the 14th and 15th centuries.

Attend the Captain's Welcome Reception and Dinner this evening.

Delos/Mykonos **Day 4**

This morning, visit the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Delos the legendary birthplace of Artemis and Apollo. Walk along the Sacred Way to the Sanctuary of Apollo, a spectacularly rich archaeological site with remains of three separate temples from the fifth and sixth centuries B.C. See the legendary Terrace of the Lions, dedicated to Apollo, where hand-carved marble statues guarded the island for nearly 2,600 years. After lunch on board the ship, explore the island of Mykonos, where according to ancient legend, its craggy hills and clefts were formed from the petrified

bodies of giants defeated by Hercules.

Kusadasi, Turkey for Ephesus **Day 5**

Arrive in Kusadasi and drive to Ephesus, a vast archaeological site of Greek, Roman and Byzantine ruins including the restored and reconstructed Celsus Library and the Grand Theater.

Visit the Terrace Houses and the Ephesus Museum, which contains findings from this ancient city.

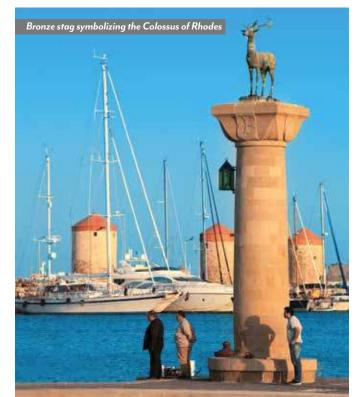
Pátmos, Greece **Day 6**

On the island of Pátmos, tour the Greek Orthodox Monastery of St. John, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. See the Cave of the Apocalypse, where St. John the Apostle most likely wrote the Book of Revelation in A.D. 95.

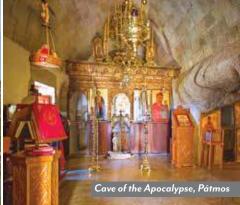
This afternoon, meet and engage with local residents who will discuss daily life on the islands during the ISLAND LIFE® forum.

Rhodes/Lindos **Day 7**

Dock in Rhodes at the wall of Rhodes Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and visit the 14th-century Palace of the Grand Masters. Enjoy an optional excursion this afternoon to the ancient village of Lindos. See the Church of Panagia and its







clifftop acropolis or indulge in an afternoon at leisure in Rhodes. Enjoy a performance of traditional Greek music and dance this evening aboard the ship.

Santorini

Day 8

Be on deck as the ship cruises into the port of Santorini,

beneath which some believe to be the legendary lost city of Atlantis. Tour the Minoan ruins of Akrotiri, held intact by layers of pumice and ash for over 3,500 years. Visit the Museum of Prehistoric Thera, which houses finds excavated from Akrotiri.

Continue to the town of Fira. then take a cable car to the

pier and reboard the ship for lunch. Enjoy time at leisure in Santorini.

Athens/Home City Day 9

Disembark and continue on the Thebes and Delphi Post-Program Option or transfer to the airport for your return flight home.



ALWAYS INCLUDED WITH GOHAGAN & COMPANY

- ◆ Transfers and luggage handling ◆ Hospitality desk abroad if your arrival(s)/ departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).
- ◆ Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
- ♦ Complimentary bottled water in your suite or stateroom and on excursions.

- aboard the ship.
- ♦ Experienced Gohagan & **Company Travel Directors** at your service.
- ♦ Complimentary use of an audio headset during guided excursions.
- Automatic \$250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

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Luxury Small Ship, Innovative Design

LE BOUGAINVILLE represents a new generation of five-star small ships, combining revolutionary design and a new standard of luxury for unparalleled cruising. Dock in smaller ports inaccessible to larger ships, where authentic cultural experiences and majestic scenery await you. Complimentary alcoholic/nonalcoholic beverages and wi-fi access are available throughout the cruise. All meals on board ship are included.

Elegant Suites and Staterooms, 100% with Private Balconies

Each of the 92 five-star staterooms and suites (up to 484 square feet) features a private balcony. Grand Deluxe Suites and Owner Suites have spacious private terraces. Accommodations offer two twin beds or one queen bed, individual climate control, a private bathroom with shower, and luxury hotel-style amenities.





Category	LAND/CRUISE RATES excluding taxes Per person, based on double occupancy	Early Booking Savings through Sept. 3, 2023	Rate after Sept. 3, 2023*
8	Deluxe stateroom with a picture window, single door onto private, partial-wall balcony. <i>Deck 3, midship.</i> (limited availability)	\$4,995	\$5,745
7	Prestige stateroom with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 4, midship.	\$5,695	\$6,545
6	Prestige stateroom with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 5, midship and aft.	\$6,395	\$7,355
5	Prestige stateroom with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 6, midship and aft.	\$6,995	\$8,045
4	Deluxe suite with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 3, midship. (limited availability)	\$7,995	\$9,195
3	Deluxe suite with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 4, midship. (limited availability)	\$8,695	\$9,995
2	Deluxe suite with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 5, midship.	\$9,395	\$10,795
1	Deluxe suite with sliding glass door, private balcony . Deck 6, midship.	\$9,995	\$11,495
Prestige Suite II	Two-room Suite, expansive sliding glass door, larger private balcony , two bothrooms, two closets, large sitting area with sofa. $Deck 5$, $midship$. (limited availability)	\$10,995	\$12,645
Prestige Suite I	Two-room Suite, expansive sliding glass door, larger private balcony , two bathrooms, two closets, large sitting area with sofa. $Deck6$, $midship$. (limited availability)	\$11,695	\$13,445
Privilege Suite	Large Suite with expansive sliding glass door, larger private balcony , sitting area with sofa. <i>Decks 5 and 6</i> , <i>aft</i> . (limited availability)	\$12,495	\$14,365
Grand Deluxe Suite	Extra-large, one-bedroom Suite and separate sitting room with sofa, expansive sliding glass door, spacious private terrace , full bathroom with tub and separate shower, additional half bath. <i>Deck 6</i> , <i>aft</i> . (limited availability)	\$13,395	\$15,405
Owner's Suite	Extra-large, one-bedroom Suite and separate sitting room with sofa, expansive sliding glass door, $\mathbf{spacious}$ private terrace with outdoor Jacuzzi, full bathroom with tub and separate shower, additional half bath. $Deck$ 5, aft . (limited availability)	\$13,995	\$16,095
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Single supplements apply across all categories at 160% of the per person double price.

Port taxes are an additional \$450 per person. Additional fuel surcharge fees may apply. Customers will be notified of any fuel surcharge fee prior to final payment. This fee will then be charged and collected by the vessel operating company while onboard.

LE BOUGAINVILLE has been specially contracted for this program and the deck plan is available online at www.nationaltrusttours.com.

^{*} Register now. Early booking savings WILL expire on September 4, 2023.



Pre-Program Option

Athens and Cape Sounion October 1 to 4, 2023 or October 8 to 11, 2023

Begin your journey with an immersive experience in the ancient city of Athens. Explore the monumental Acropolis—a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the perfectly proportioned Parthenon, a graceful example of Doric architecture. Tour the archaeological treasures of the Acropolis Museum and enjoy the colorful neighborhood of Plaka, the oldest section of Athens. Discover the idyllic coves and sparkling Aegean waters of Cape Sounion and follow the ancient route of Pericles to the Temple of Poseidon—where 15 of the original 34 Doric columns are remarkably still standing. Accommodations are for two nights in the luxurious HOTEL GRANDE BRETAGNE.

Price per person, based on double occupancy: \$995 Price per person, based on single occupancy: \$1,345



Post-Program Option

Thebes and Delphi

October 11 to 13, 2023 or October 18 to 20, 2023

Extend your journey with a two-night itinerary exploring Delphi, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and Thiva, or Thebes—featuring a visit to the Archaeological Museum of Thebes, where exhibits span from the Neolithic era to the end of the Ottoman rule. Tour Delphi, visiting the Delphi Archaeological Museum, and walk on the Sacred Way to see the Treasury of Athens, the Temple of Apollo, the theater, and the impressive stadium. Spend one night in the DOMOTEL ANEMOLIA HOTEL and one night in the SOFITEL ATHENS AIRPORT HOTEL.

Price per person, based on double occupancy: \$745 Price per person, based on single occupancy: \$945

Further details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.

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