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DAY 2: ATHENS (PIRAEUS), GREECE

Explore legendary Athens, one of the world's oldest cities. Built around the ruins of the Parthenon, Athens is set between its rich modern present and its astounding past. Enhance your experience with an optional Go Next Athens Pre-Cruise Program.

DAY 3: SANTORINI. GREECE

In Santorini, indigo-domed churches and chalk-colored homes cling to stony cliffs along the caldera. Black sand beaches dotted with pebbles abut deep, azure waters, and breathtaking rock formations climb from the volcanic floor.

DAY 4: RHODES, GREECE

Etched with a rich heritage from many cultures, Rhodes has a wealth of eclectic architecture and historic sites. Admire the idyllic scenery of the largest of the Dodecanese on the eastern edge of the Aegean Sea.

DAY 5: PAPHOS, CYPRUS

A city of historic beauty, Paphos delivers modern flair, beachside elegance, and a bounty of ancient sites. Don't miss the Paphos Archaeological Park, which includes four immaculately preserved Roman villas with elaborate mosaic-tiled floors.

DAY 6: ASHDOD/JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

Uncover the history of tourist-friendly Ashdod. Visit Jonah's Hill, where the biblical prophet is said to be buried, or head inland to explore noteworthy sites in and around Jerusalem, like the Mount of Olives or the Garden of Gethsemane.

DAY 7-8: HAIFA/JERUSALEM, ISRAEL

A center of arts and culture, Haifa is filled with museums and showcases a beautiful garden in the Bahá'í World Centre. The city is also a great home base from which to explore biblical treasures like Nazareth and the Sea of Galilee.

DAY 9: CRUISING THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA

DAY 10: HERAKLION, CRETE, GREECE

From the stately Church of Agios Titos to the sturdy sixteenth-century Koules Fortress, Crete's capital city is teeming with history. Remnants of an ancient civilization are on display at the renowned Palace of Knossos—a true masterpiece of Minoan architecture.

DAY 11: GYTHIO, GREECE

A wall of pastel-colored houses hugs the slopes of Mt. Koumaros in Gythio, a petite fishing town that was once the port of ancient Sparta. Striking ruins and stark countryside vistas draw visitors to nearby Mystras, a UNESCO World Heritage site rich in Byzantine history.

DAY 12: ZAKYNTHOS, GREECE

Wander through the Solomos Square in Zakynthos and take in its post-Byzantine treasures, or visit Aghios Dionysios, which contains a relic of Saint Dionysus. Perhaps venture to Navagio, a secluded, otherworldly beach with stunning blue waters and the remains of a shipwreck.

DAY 13: CRUISING THE IONIAN SEA

DAY 14: CATANIA, SICILY, ITALY

Catania displays a youthful vibrancy in trendy taverns, bistros, and boutiques. In the heart of the city lies Piazza del Duomo, designed by celebrated architect Giovanni Vaccarini and surrounded by elegant baroque buildings.

DAY 15: SORRENTO/CAPRI. ITALY

Delight in the seaside promenades and vibrant southern Italian culture of Sorrento. Travel to visit the nearby ruins of Pompeii or view the Roman ruins at Punta del Capo. Close by, Italy's island Capri offers stunning panoramas and ancient villas.

DAY 16: ROME (CIVITAVECCHIA), ITALY

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