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OCTOBER 22 -  
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THREE  
GREEK  
ISLANDS:

Crete,  
Santorini &  
Naxos

Aliza Green  
Culinary &  
Cultural Tour

9 nights  
small group  
\$5975 per  
person  
sharing  
\$975 single  
supplement

# Three Greek Islands 2021: Aliza Green Culinary & Cultural Tour

## DAY 1: Friday, October 22, 2021, DEPARTURE

Departure from the US for Athens and onto Crete. *Airfare is not included.*

## DAY 2: Saturday, October 23, 2021, ARRIVAL HERAKLION, CRETE | D

Assistance and transfer to Enagron Eco-Hotel, Axos, 3 nights. Welcome dinner at Enagron.

## DAY 3: Sunday, October 24, 2021, DISCOVER CRETAN GASTRONOMY | B L D

Cretan culinary workshop learning simple techniques to prepare iconic dishes of the Cretan diet. In the afternoon, visit Enagron's farm, gardens, vineyard, orchard, and stables.

## DAY 4: Monday, October 25, 2021, CRETAN MOUNTAINS & RETHYMNO | B L D

Travel by jeep into the mountains to visit a shepherd. Afternoon guided walking tour of Rethymno, a charming seductive city. Spot Venetian and Turkish architecture. Dine at a local taverna.

## DAY 5: Tuesday, October 26, 2021, HERAKLION, CRETE: MINOAN CIVILIZATION | B L D

Departure to Heraklion and Knossos, the Minoan capital of Crete with the Palace of King Minos. Prepare lunch with a local chef. Archeological Museum. Guided walking tour of Heraklion. Cretan cuisine dinner at Peskesi. Hotel Capsis Astoria 4★, Heraklion, one night.

## DAY 6: Wednesday, October 27, 2021, SANTORINI: PREHISTORIC CIVILIZATION | B L

In the morning, 2-hour ferry ride to Santorini. Guided tour of Akrotiri, explore the ruins, visit the Prehistoric Museum to learn about the ancient city prior to the eruption of Santorini's volcano about 3,600 years ago. Visit Oia to view the sunset. Hotel Greco 4★, 2 nights.

## DAY 7: Thursday, October 28, 2021, | THE REAL SANTORINI | B L

6-hour tour exploring Santorini: walk the narrow streets of Megalochiri, sample wines at a family Canava (winery). Cook local dishes at Mrs. Maria's kitchen for lunch. Evening free.

## DAY 8: Friday, October 29, 2021: CALDERA BOAT TRIP & NAXOS | B D

Travel by caique (wooden boat) to the island of Thirassia to view the caldera surrounded by five islands. Travel back to Naxos by ferry. Dinner at a local taverna. Check-in to centrally-located Hotel Xenia 3★, 2 nights.

## DAY 9: Saturday, October 30, 2021, NAXOS: ISLAND CULINARY EXPERIENCE | B L

Naxian cooking class taught by local chefs followed by lunch featuring local specialties prepared with ingredients from their gardens, flocks, and bakery. Afternoon guided walking tour of Naxos. Evening free to explore Naxos.

## DAY 10: Sunday, October 31, 2021, FERRY TO ATHENS & PANORAMIC CITY TOUR | B D

Ferry for Athens, arrival about 3:00 pm, followed by a panoramic city tour to see the highlights of Athens. Check-in to Pallas Athens Hotel 4★, one night. Farewell dinner at Michelin-starred Varoulko and meet with Chef Lazarou (if his schedule allows).

## Day 11: Monday, November 1, 2021, DEPART FOR HOME | B

Breakfast at your hotel and check out. Transfer to Athens International airport for your departure flight back to the US (*or extend your stay in Athens--we can help*).

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore enchanting Crete, Santorini and Naxos with their diverse culture, history and cuisine
- Cooking classes on three islands world-renowned for simple, seasonally delicious and outstandingly healthy food
- Stay at an eco-hotel on Crete with their own farm and beautiful views of the mountains
- Travel by ferry between the islands and back to Athens
- Guided visits to ancient archeological sites: Knossos, Crete's Minoan capital with the Palace of King Minos and Santorini's Bronze-Age Akrotiri
- Stroll through the Venetian village of Pyrgos and the narrow streets of Megalochori to discover the charm of Santorini's past
- Taste local Santorini wines at the family Canava (winery)
- View the world-famous sunset at Oia on Santorini
- Travel by caique (wooden boat) to Thirassia to see the volcano crater
- Farewell dinner at Michelin-starred Varoulko in Athens

## SERVICES INCLUDED

- Expert commentary, culinary advice and background by Chef Aliza Green
- Professional English-speaking local guide for the visits in the program
- All culinary activities and excursions in the program.
- Three cooking classes (Crete, Santorini and Naxos) and wine tasting (Naxos)
- English-speaking assistance for airport arrival and departure and port transfers
- All entrance fees to museums and archeological sites
- All ferry boat tickets according to the program
- Luxury, private coach for transfers and excursions
- All health and safety precautions taken, must be vaccinated to join the tour



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