



Romantic Getaway to Spetses
&
Hydra Island, Nafplio & Mycenae

02 Nights



Summary

The 3 day romantic getaway is the best way to explore the cosmopolitan Islands of Saronic gulf combine a visit at traditional seaside town of Nafplio and the archaeological site of "Golden City" of Mycenae and Ancient Epidaurus. Walk between the narrow streets full of traditional mansions, taste the local delicious food and feel as local during this 3 day escape from Athens. This trip is ideal for couples!

Wild Discovery Advantages

- A proven expertise in organizing successful holidays
- Experienced and knowledgeable staff
- High quality service & strong commitment to customer satisfaction
- Permanent assistance from Wild Discovery Head Office at any moment
- Attention to details that make the difference

Overview

Interest: couples-family-group

Level of Comfort: 5/5

Minimum # of passengers: none

Maximum # of passengers: none

Information about the destination

- **Currency:** Euro
- **Language:** Greek
- **Dialing Code:** +30
- **Recommended vaccine :** none
- **Banks & currency exchange:** many banks in the airport will exchange currencies, all rates are similar.

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Day 1: PRIVATE CORINTH, MYCENAE, EPIDAUROS & NAFPLIO TOWN

Our driver will pick you up from your Hotel at 08.30 (or from Athens airport) and we will make a short stop at the breathtaking Canal of Corinth with the amazing view of the 6 km length and 80m height! Our next stop will be at Ancient Corinth to walk at the same paths that the famous personality of Apostle Paul walked. We will be at the Ancient Mycenae, the center of Greek civilization, home to the kingdom of mythical Agamemnon. Visit the Cyclopean Walls, the famous Lion's Gate and the "Atreus King Tomb"! Afterwards, we will have our last stop at the Ancient Theatre of Epidaurus of the 15.000 spectators and the breathtaking acoustics.

The most relaxing part of the tour is upon our arrival at the one of the most beautiful towns of Greece and the first capital city at the Modern Greek history, the seaside town of Nafplio, early in the afternoon! You can have a traditional Greek lunch here and then walk next to the coast, or you can visit the Castle of the Town, with the 999 steps (!) and the amazing view, or take a taxi boat to visit the small island of Bourtzi, in the middle of the city's harbor, the fort on the sea and Nafplio's trademark!

After a delicious lunch in Nafplio drop you off at "Costa Port" to get a local boat to reach at Spetse Island for overnight

Day 2: SPETSES ISLAND - HYDRA ISLAND

Spetses island full of attractions, local food, and preserved history all around the island. Spetses is characterised by the traditional island architecture the well-preserved old mansions narrow streets where beautiful balconies are adjacent to each other. This historical island which held a major role in the independence war of 1821. In Spetses it can also be found massive pine trees which make this island not only unique because of its geomorphology but also because the island is car-free! As cars are not allowed in all the main areas, this factor contributes to a peaceful feeling immersing you into a completely different environment to what you are used to. A romantic getaway for the day (or longer) will make you want to explore the whole island either on foot, by horse-carriages. Exploring Spetses you will immediately notice its cosmopolitan character, the well-preserved old mansions with its distinctive island architecture and beautiful balconies. Here are many sites that are worth a visit:

The House of Bouboulina, The mansion of Hatzigiannis Mexis, The Church of Panayia Armata; this rural church was built 1824. Other sites that are worth a visit are the War Memorial of the Spetses Navy, the Clock in Rologioú Square, and the Anargyreiou Korgialeneios School.

History-wise you can also stroll around "Dapia port", the new port and continue to the old port of Spetses. This relatively small island is ideal as all the sites are concentrated. Also we suggest you get a traditional horse-carriage that departs from the waterfront for a lovely ride around the town.

At the afternoon you will get the ferry to the cosmopolitan island of Hydra depart at about 18.00 where you will reach after 1 hour. Overnight at Hydra

Day 3: HYDRA ISLAND - ATHENS

Hydra is one of the most romantic destinations in Greece, built on a slope overlooking the Argosaronic gulf. Who cares if there are barely any beaches? You can always find a slab of sunbaked rock from which to leap rock from which to dive into the clearest water in the world. Car-free and protected by a preservation order, Hydra has always been the artists' muse of the Greek Islands. Traditional stone mansions, narrow cobblestoned streets, secluded squares and above all the banning of cars and the use of around 500 donkeys as means of public transportation, explain the reason why Hydra preserved its distinctive atmosphere through the passage of time.

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You can walk along the waterfront, the heart of the town, where you will encounter several monuments, churches, canons, museums, traditional mansions, statues of famous heroes, shops and cafes, while picturesque winding streets lead you to neighborhoods located at the upper part of the town. At the afternoon you will take the ferry at about 18. back to Piraeus port after 2 hours, where our driver will meet you and transfer you to your hotel in Athens.

This is a product sheet elaborated in order to give you a quick overview of our package with details pertaining to hotels, flights and proposed tours. This is not a tailor made quotation and should you wish to have specific details reviewed to better suits your need please do not hesitate to contact one of our travel consultants or visit one of our branches.

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