

11 Days

The 7 Churches of the Revelation

(& Patmos)



Follow the letters of Apostle Paul to the 7 Churches in Turkey.

DAY 01: U.S.A / ISTANBUL. Tour members will gather at the ticket counter at the airport two hours prior to their departure to Europe. Dinner and breakfast will be served in-flight.

DAY 02: ISTANBUL. Meet on arrival at Istanbul's new airport and transfer to the hotel for overnight.

DAY 03: ISTANBUL. Full day city tour of the mosque of Soleiman the magnificent, Hippodrome, the Blue mosque, St. Sophia and the Topkapi Palace. Return to hotel for overnight.



DAY 04: ISTANBUL / BURSA. Morning departure to Bursa. Visit the biblical site Nicca en route, where the Christianity was announced to the world as an official religion during the reign of Emperor Constantine in the 4th century. Visit the historical Islamic monuments on arrival at Bursa,

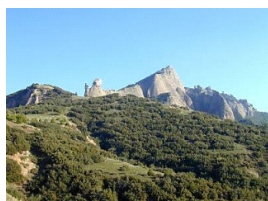
1 Free for every 15 paying passengers!

This Program Includes:

- ✦ Roundtrip air transportation from New York
- ✦ First class hotels throughout
- ✦ Land transportation via deluxe motor coaches
- ✦ Breakfast and dinner daily
- ✦ Professional English speaking guides
- ✦ Entrance fees to all sites on itinerary

the first capital of Ottoman Empire. Dinner and overnight. Here you can enjoy the thermal baths, for which Bursa is famous for, before having dinner in your hotel.

DAY 05: BURSA / THYATIRA / SARDES / PAMUKKALE. Morning departure to Thyatira, where one of the mother churches was located. Continue to

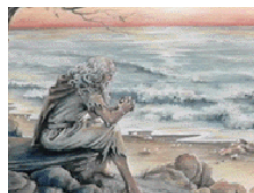


Sardes, to visit the temple of Artemis, and the Synagogue in Gymanasium. Proceed to visit Philadelphia. Dinner and

overnight in Pamukkale, famous with its thermal pools and white travertine terraces.
DAY 06: PAMUKKALE / KUSADASI. Morning visit of Hierapolis, and then departure to visit biblical Laodicea, then proceed to Ephesus, to visit the shrine of Virgin Mary, the excavated site of Ephesus and the basilica of St. John. Dinner and overnight in Kusadasi.

DAY 07: KUSADASI / PATMOS. We depart this morning by ferry to Patmos;

considered a holy island for the Christian religion it was here in Patmos where John the Divine, while in exile, wrote the Apocalyptic Revelations which constitute the last part of the new Testament. Our tour takes us up to the monastery of St. John which still keeps its character of a medieval fortress. Inside the walls you will be able to admire the Byzantine wealth of the Christian Orthodox religion while from its ramparts you will have the most stunning panoramic view of the luminous sea.



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DAY 08: KUSADASI / SMYRNA / PERGAMUM / IZMIR. Departure to visit ancient Smyrna, one of today's important harbor cities of Turkey. Proceed to Pergamum to visit the asclepion, the medical center of the ancient world.

Continue to Izmir, the third largest city in modern Turkey, long a center for Jewish and Christian communities. It was one of the Seven Churches of Asia (Rev 2:8-11). You'll see



the Agora, the colonnaded commercial center where Roman statues can still be seen. Overnight at our hotel.

DAY 09: TROY / CANNAKALE. This morning we visit the ancient city of Troy, with its' 4000 years old history which recalls the epic struggle of the Illiad. Continue on to Cannakale. Dinner and overnight at our hotel.

DAY 10: CANNAKALE / ISTANBUL. After breakfast, visit Cannakale, and continue on to Istanbul. The rest of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight at our hotel.

DAY 11: ISTANBUL / U.S.A. Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to airport for your return flight home.

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