Nawas International

# GREECE & TURKEY IN THE STEPS OF PAUL & JOHN

12 Days: April 27 - May 8, 2020

visiting

Athens • Corinth • Delphi • Kalambaka Thessaloniki • Kavala • Canakkale • Pergamum Izmir • Pamukkale • Ephesus • Istanbul

hosted by

# Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mauldin

\$3699 from Atlanta (Air/land tour price is \$3219 plus \$480 government taxes/airline surcharges.)



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Hi Friends,

Linda & I are delighted to host a tour to biblical sites in the lands of Greece and Turkey. "In the Steps of Paul and John in Greece and Turkey" is scheduled for April 27 - May 8, 2020. We want to take this means to invite you to travel with us!

Upon our arrival in Athens,

Greece, our itinerary is packed with biblical sites, starting with Athens, Corinth and on up to Delphi. We continue northward through what was Macedonia, but today is Grecian territory, visiting biblical sites of Berea, Thessalonica, and Philippi. Then on to Amphipolis and then to Neapolis, thus seeing all the sites mentioned in connection with Paul's 2nd and 3rd Journeys in biblical Achaia and Macedonia!

We are then to cross the Aegean Sea, and in western Turkey visit Troas and Assos. Then we will begin our visit of the cities of the **Seven Churches of Asia**, to whom Jesus wrote specific letters through the apostle John (Rev. 2-3). Jesus referred to Pergamum as the place where Satan had his throne, but God had his people there also! While at Laodicea, we will also see Colossae and Hierapolis (Col. 4:13). Ephesus is where Paul labored 3 years (Acts 20:31), and it was his teaching here that resulted in the establishment of many of the churches of Asia (Acts 19:10).

The tour will conclude in historic Istanbul. The archaeological museum will be a high point of interest as will be the world's largest bazaar, 4,000 shops under one roof!

Our USA point of departure and return is Atlanta. We have some excellent prices: \$3,699.00 per person roundtrip. Here is a breakdown of pricing: air/land tour price is only \$3,219; government taxes/airline fuel surcharges are currently \$480, making the total \$3,699.00. Additionally I will collect \$150 per passenger for tips which I will distribute among our guides, drivers, hotel staff & porters, etc.

Value of touring Greece/Turkey. When folks think of the Bible lands, most of us first think of Israel, and for good reason! But in addition to the many events that took place there, so much of the divine narrative is situated in Greece and Turkey. All of the cities of the Seven Churches are in Turkey. The focus of Paul's 2nd Journey was Greece. In the 3rd Journey Paul was 3 years in Ephesus, which today is in Turkey. Every serious student would benefit from our tour; preachers, elders, teachers (both men and women) will especially be able to make use of this biblical study tour!

I hope you will join us on this tour. Contact me at leon. mauldin@gmail.com or my cell: 256-339-0755. Please share this info with friends!

Kindest Regards, Leon Mauldin

# **TOUR FEATURES**

- Round trip airfare from Atlanta.
- \$480 government taxes/airline surcharges.
- Accommodations at first class/select hotels, based on two persons sharing in twin-bedded rooms with private bath.
- Breakfast and dinner daily.
- Services of a professional tour escort.
- Comprehensive sightseeing throughout.
- All admission fees, hotel porterage where available and hotel service charges are included.
- \$100,000 automatic flight insurance\*

\*Subject to policy terms and limitations

# YOUR DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

# MON, APR 27 - ATLANTA/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

Depart from Atlanta International Airport today on board your overnight transatlantic jet flight. Your adventure begins!

# **TUE, APR 28 - ARRIVE ATHENS**

Arrive in Athens where you will be met and escorted to your motor coach for transfer to your hotel. (D)

# WED, APR 29 - ATHENS - CORINTH

Early this morning, depart for Corinth, where Paul was centrally located for his ministry. The vigorous Gentile Church that he founded here in 50 AD prompted him to write at least two letters to them. Visit the ancient ruins of the city where Paul worked with Priscilla and Aquila. See the remains of the first century shops, the agora where Paul's trial by Gallio took place, the Fountain of Peirene, the Temple of Apollo, and the Bema.

This afternoon, return to Athens and see the Royal Palace, the Stadium and Temple of Zeus, the Theatre of Dionysius and the Agora (marketplace) where Paul spoke and Socrates' prison. Visit Mars Hill and the Acropolis with the famous Parthenon. (B,D)

# THU, APR 30 – ATHENS/DELPHI/KALAMBAKA

Depart Athens this morning and drive on the national highway through Thebes, Levadia and the picturesque village of Arachova to Delphi. Visit the archeological site in Delphi which has the Temple of Apollo, the Tholos, the theater, the stadium, the Treasuries of the Athenians and the Syphnias. Also visit the Castalian Spring and the Delphi Museum to see the famous Bronze Charioteer and other statues. Drive to Kalambaka for the night. (B,D)

# FRI, MAY 1 - KALAMBAKA/VERIA/THESSALONIKI

This morning, depart for Meteora to view the "Hanging Monasteries". These impressive ancient monasteries are suspended between earth and sky, atop huge granite rocks. Drive through the beautiful countryside of Northern Greece

and visit Veria (Ancient Berea). Continue on to Thessaloniki for the night. Paul preached in Thessaloniki during the winters of 50-49 AD and wrote epistles to the ancient Thessalonians. See the ramparts of the city, the triumphal Arch of Galerius starting the Via Egnatia, once a strategic artery of the Roman Empire, and the seafront promenade with the White Tower. We spend the night in Thessaloniki. (B,D)

# SAT, MAY 2 - THESSALONIKI/PHILIPPI/KAVALA

Today, continue your tour of Thessaloniki with a visit to the Roman Market, Theater, Museum at Thessaloniki and Baths. Jason's House is now called the Church of Agios Nikolaos Orfanos. The site where the monastery of Vlatadon was built is believed to be the location where Jason's house once stood and where Paul was accommodated during his visit to Thessaloniki. Next, drive to Philippi where Paul delivered his first sermon in Europe, sowing the seeds of Christianity. We will make a brief stop at Amphipolis to view the location of the newly discovered tomb and visit the archaeological museum there. We will then continue onto Philippi, where Paul baptized Lydia as the first Christian convert in Europe. The Roman forum, completely excavated, is from after Paul's time. Among the ruins, located on the rocky ledge above the town's main road is the prison where Paul and Silas were confined. Continue into the modern port city of Kavala, ancient Neaopolis, where Paul first set foot in Europe accompanied by Silas, Luke, and Timothy. Overnight in Kavala. (B,D)

# SUN, MAY 3 - KAVALA/TROAS/ASSOS

This morning cross into Turkey and drive through the First World War Battlefields of Gallipoli. Cross by ferry to the Asia Minor side. Continue to Troas, where Paul met with disciples on the 1st day of the week to break bread. Then we will continue on to Assos, the seaside town also visited by Paul, where we will visit the Temple of Athena. Overnight in Assos. (B,D)

# MON, MAY 4 - ASSOS/PERGAMUM/IZMIR

Today, drive to Pergamum (modern day Bergama) and visit one of the Seven Churches of Revelation. Here, view the ancient ruins of the famous temples dedicated to the healing gods of Asklepios and Serapis, along with the Acropolis, the Temple of Athens, and the Trojan Temple. This city was considered diabolical by early Christians because of the many pagan temples located here. Next we will visit the museum at Bergama. From Pergamum continue to Thyatira (Akhisar) for a brief stop. Then continue to Izmir, ancient Smyrna, and one of the Seven Churches of Revelation. Smyrna is hidden under modern Izmir, but you will view the archeological remains of the Agora. (B,D)

### TUE, MAY 5 – IZMIR/SARDIS/PHILADELPHIA/ LAODICEA/COLOSSAE/PAMUKKALE

This morning drive to Sardis, site of a third Church of Revelation. Visit the Temple of Artemis, the recently constructed gymnasium and the largest Synagogue in Asia Minor. Continue to ancient Philadelphia, also one of the Seven Churches of Revelation and see the remaining walls. On to Laodicea, another one of the Seven Churches of Revelation and then to Colossae. End in Pamukkale. (B,D)

### WED, MAY 6 – PAMUKKALE/HIERAPOLIS/ EPHESUS/ISTANBUL

This morning, visit the ruins of Hierapolis and the natural pools. Next, drive through the meandering Valley to Ephesus, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and the First Church of Revelation. Ephesus was the capital of Roman Asia Minor and Paul preached and taught here for over two years. View the magnificent harbor and the great amphitheatre which seated nearly 25,000 people. See Marble Street, the Library of Celsius, a gymnasium and the Temple of Hadrian. You will also see the Temple of Diana, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and the site of the scene of religious riots. St. Paul founded the Church here and was also imprisoned in Ephesus. Also visit the Basilica of St. John, whose later life and death are associated with Ephesus and the museum of Ephesus in the nearby city of Selcuk. Following this tour, transfer to the Izmir airport for an early evening flight to Istanbul. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel for the night. (B,D)

# THU, MAY 7 - ISTANBUL

Today, your sightseeing of Istanbul today will include a visit to the Topkapi Palace, home of the Ottoman Sultans with visits to the Treasury containing jewel encrusted thrones, the world's largest emerald and the famous Topkapi Dagger. Then, on to St. Sophia, originally a Christian Basilica conceived by Constantine and rebuilt by Justinian, turned into a Mosque in 1453, and in 1920 made into a museum by Ataturk for all to enjoy regardless of creed. You will also see the legendary Blue Mosque with its six minarets and dome of 109 feet. Next, visit the Archaeological Museum which houses the sarcophagus of Alexander the Great and other Biblical artifacts. Finally, stop at the Grand Bazaar, a labyrinth of over 4,000 shops displaying everything from souvenirs in copper and onyx to precious jewelry, antiques and Oriental carpets. End the day with a relaxing boat ride on the Bosphorus. Overnight in Istanbul. (B,D)

# FRI, MAY 8 - ISTANBUL/ATLANTA

This morning, transfer to the airport for your flight to Atlanta, arriving home with memories of a fantastic journey! (B)

B=Breakfast D=Dinner

# A word about NAWAS . . .

**NAWAS INTERNATIONAL** has pioneered Christian Tours to the far corners of the world for over 70 years. We offer you the essential ingredients for a successful tour.

**EXPERIENCE:** There is no substitute for 70 years of planning tours. Our contacts, guides, knowledge of the area, and background guarantee you the highest quality service at affordable prices.

**RELIABILITY:** For more than 70 years, we have won an international reputation for reliability. We deliver what we promise. And that is essential for a successful trip.

# GENERAL CONDITIONS

#### RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT:

Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of \$500 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Your initial deposit payment shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions. Space is limited and offered on a first-come basis. Final payment is due at Nawas Travel 100 days prior to departure date.

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FLIGHT INSURANCE: Automatic one hundred thousand dollars flight insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed passenger, subject to policy terms and limitations.

LAND ONLY/DEVIATIONS: Passengers wishing to do their own air arrangements or wishing to deviate from the group itinerary must advise Nawas in writing no later than 110

days prior to departure. For air deviations, a \$100 nonrefundable fee per person will be charged on all deviations in addition to any extra airfare that may be incurred. Air deviations are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines.

BAGGAGE: Airlines may now charge baggage fees for checked luggage on international/domestic flights based on the policy of each carrier. The maximum number of pieces of luggage, the weight allowance and baggage dimensions may also vary by airline from the U.S.A. to overseas/domestic destinations and beyond. Many carriers require that checked luggage in economy class not exceed 50 lbs. with a combined length, width and height of 62 inches. Regulations vary for business/first class passengers. Airline policies regarding baggage are subject to change at any time without prior notice. It is the responsibility of each passenger to check with their airline prior to departure for baggage information, regulations and compliance. Please refer to your electronic airline ticket receipt once received with the final tour documents. Nawas is not responsible for additional fees imposed by air carriers regarding baggage. Due to space limitations on Nawas motorcoaches, Nawas can only allow one piece of luggage per person plus a carry-on bag with total dimensions of 45 inches which fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of you. Wheeled carry-on bags are not permitted due to limited motorcoach capacity. Nawas Travel accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to the tour members' baggage or personal belongings at any time. Baggage insurance is recommended and is available upon written request.

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special attention or care must advise NAWAS in writing at the time of reservation. A physically able companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, drivers or other tour, hotel or ship personnel are not able to provide such assistance. NAWAS is not responsible for any denial of services to the disabled participant by air carriers, cruise ships, hotels, restaurants or other independent suppliers. Certain countries/destinations involve extensive walking. Be aware that outside the U.S. the Americans with Disabilities Act is not applicable and facilities for disabled individuals are limited. NAWAS is not responsible for any passenger requiring special medical equipment.

#### THE TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

Passport fees, visa fees (if any), hotel tourist taxes (to be paid locally), phone calls, valet/laundry service, wines, liquors, mineral water, after dinner coffee or tea, tips to escort, guides, drivers and waiters, sightseeing, meals and other services not specifically mentioned, excess baggage and all other items of a purely personal nature.

**CANCELLATIONS:** Written cancellations received by Nawas Travel up to 100 days prior to departure, refunds will be made less a \$200 per person cancellation fee. From 99 to 70 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a \$500 per person cancellation fee. From 69 to 31 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a cancellation fee of 50% of the total tour price per person. From 30 days up to and including the day of departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a 100% cancellation fee of the total tour price per person. No shows are subject to a 100% cancellation fee and reservations will be cancelled. Nawas reserves the right to cancel your tour reservation and retain your deposit if final payment is not received by the due date. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. No refunds will be given for any unused services while on tour.

#### INSURANCE: Nawas strongly recommends trip insurance. Insurance for trip cancellation, medical evacuation, medical emergencies, baggage, etc. is available for purchase. An insurance pamphlet/ application will be sent upon written request. Please refer to insurance policy for complete details.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** The airfare used is based on nonrefundable bulk group fares in effect on March 25, 2019. Airlines reserve the right to increase fares without prior notice. Tour members will be required to pay any airfare increases and international surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 12 persons departing from the same gateway city.

Land costs are based on estimated 2020 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on March 25, 2019 and a minimum of 32 or more participants. While we have made the best possible estimates of what we expect costs to be in 2020, we cannot guarantee actual prices, exchange rates and airfares. Any increases in land costs or airfares that may occur will be collected from each passenger prior to departure. We reserve the right to increase the cost of the tour consistent with normal increases should the group fall below 32 persons, and/or in the event of fluctuations in exchange rates. All prices are based on rates of exchange listed above and while every effort will be made to hold them firm, they are subject to change.

Please note that healthcare/medical costs outside the U.S.A. are not covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary health/medical coverage for overseas travel.

STATE DEPARTMENT/GOV'T AGENCIES: On occasion, a U.S. or foreign government agency, such as the U.S. State Department (www.state.gov), Center for Disease Control (www.cdc.gov), etc., may issue a travel advisory, warning or alert for a destination or surrounding area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to these agencies to obtain the most current and up-to-date information. The terms and conditions of your tour program, including cancellation policies, cannot be altered based on any occurrence whatsoever and/or any travel advisory, warning or alert issued in the U.S. or foreign countries where your tour is scheduled to visit, including but not limited to war/terrorism, disease, or natural disasters. Cancellation penalties remain in full effect and no exceptions can be made.

RESPONSIBILITY: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SERVICE, INC. (NAWAS), and their agents act only in the capacity of agents in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and transportation, whether by railroad, motor bus, motor car, cruise vessel, boat, air or any other means. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, NAWAS is not liable for any damage, loss (including but not limited to personal injury, loss of enjoyment, distress, death and property loss), expense or inconvenience caused by any act, omission or default of any supplier providing tour services or by any other person or reason whatsoever or by any delays or changes in the itinerary, or the acts and omissions of the tour leader/host or travel agent. NAWAS assumes no liability or responsibility for any injuries, inconveniences, illness, irregularity or incidental damages occasioned by circumstances beyond the control of the tour operator, or by any person or reason whatsoever, including but not limited to events such as strikes, revolts, wars, terrorism, disease, natural disasters, closures of airports, hotels, or included sites, default or omission of any common or private carrier. NAWAS reserves the right to cancel the tour at any time, to operate the tour with a substitute tour leader at any time, to decline or not retain any person as a member of the tour for any cause at any time. Nawas reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary if needed including deleting and adding cities and changing the sequence of the itinerary, or whenever in Nawas' sole judgment as conditions warrant, or if Nawas deems it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the tour. The airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their plane or conveyance. The passage contract in use by the airlines concerned, when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the purchasers of this tour and/or passengers. The services of any IATA/ARC air carrier may be used in connection with this tour.

\*California Residents: Please read the enclosed disclosure required by the Sellers of Travel Act before booking.

Exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any and all disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by NAWAS shall be in the state court sitting in San Mateo County, California, and you expressly agree not to challenge the jurisdiction or venue of such court or to assert that such court is not a convenient forum. All disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by NAWAS shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of California, without regard to its conflicts of law provisions. Payment of deposits by tour participants indicates acceptance of the above terms and General Conditions. The venue for any dispute is San Mateo County, California. The laws of the state of California will apply.

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# 12 DAYS GREECE & TURKEY RESERVATION FORM

Please read the all-inclusive tour features and conditions. Then complete this handy form. Book early!

# MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

MAIL TO: Mr. Leon Mauldin 480 County Road 540 Hanceville, AL 35077 Tel: (256) 339-0755 Email: leon.mauldin@gmail.com

# Accommodation Desired:

| □ double room sharing with             |
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| □ single room (\$900 extra per person) |
| Enclosed is my check for \$ as deposit |
| (\$500 per person) for person (s)      |

# Passenger #1:

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Signature Passenger #1

Date

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PLEASE INCLUDE A CLEAR PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR PASSPORT WITH THIS RESERVATION FORM

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#### days prior to departure. For air deviations, a \$100 nonrefundable fee per person will be charged on all deviations in addition to any extra airfare that may be incurred. Air deviations are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines.

BAGGAGE: Airlines may now charge baggage fees for checked luggage on international/domestic flights based on the policy of each carrier. The maximum number of pieces of luggage, the weight allowance and baggage dimensions may also vary by airline from the U.S.A. to overseas/domestic destinations and beyond. Many carriers require that checked luggage in economy class not exceed 50 lbs. with a combined length, width and height of 62 inches. Regulations vary for business/first class passengers. Airline policies regarding baggage are subject to change at any time without prior notice. It is the responsibility of each passenger to check with their airline prior to departure for baggage information, regulations and compliance. Please refer to your electronic airline ticket receipt once received with the final tour documents. Nawas is not responsible for additional fees imposed by air carriers regarding baggage. Due to space limitations on Nawas motorcoaches, Nawas can only allow one piece of luggage per person plus a carry-on bag with total dimensions of 45 inches which fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of vou. Wheeled carry-on bags are not permitted due to limited motorcoach capacity. Nawas Travel accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to the tour members' baggage or personal belongings at any time. Baggage insurance is recommended and is available upon written reauest.

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special attention or care must advise NAWAS in writing at the time of reservation. A physically able companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, drivers or other tour, hotel or ship personnel are not able to provide such assistance. NAWAS is not responsible for any denial of services to the disabled participant by air carriers, cruise ships, hotels, restaurants or other independent suppliers. Certain countries/destinations involve extensive walking. Be aware that outside the U.S. the Americans with Disabilities Act is not applicable and facilities for disabled individuals are limited. NAWAS is not responsible for any passenger requiring special medical equipment.

#### THE TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

Passport fees, visa fees (if any), hotel tourist taxes (to be paid locally), phone calls, valet/laundry service, wines, liquors, mineral water, after dinner coffee or tea, tips to escort, guides, drivers and waiters, sightseeing, meals and other services not specifically mentioned, excess baggage and all other items of a purely personal nature.

**CANCELLATIONS:** Written cancellations received by Nawas Travel up to 100 days prior to departure, refunds will be made less a \$200 per person cancellation fee. From 99 to 70 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a \$500 per person cancellation fee. From 69 to 31 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a cancellation fee of 50% of the total tour price per person. From 30 days up to and including the day of departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a 100% cancellation fee of the total tour price per person. No shows are subject to a 100% cancellation fee and reservations will be cancelled. Nawas reserves the right to cancel your tour reservation and retain your deposit if final payment is not received by the due date. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. No refunds will be given for any unused services while on tour.

#### INSURANCE: Nawas strongly recommends trip insurance. Insurance for trip cancellation, medical evacuation, medical emergencies, baggage, etc. is available for purchase. An insurance pamphlet/ application will be sent upon written request. Please refer to insurance policy for complete details.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** The airfare used is based on nonrefundable bulk group fares in effect on March 25, 2019. Airlines reserve the right to increase fares without prior notice. Tour members will be required to pay any airfare increases and international surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 12 persons departing from the same gateway city.

Land costs are based on estimated 2020 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on March 25, 2019 and a minimum of 32 or more participants. While we have made the best possible estimates of what we expect costs to be in 2020, we cannot guarantee actual prices, exchange rates and airfares. Any increases in land costs or airfares that may occur will be collected from each passenger prior to departure. We reserve the right to increase the cost of the tour consistent with normal increases should the group fall below 32 persons, and/or in the event of fluctuations in exchange rates. All prices are based on rates of exchange listed above and while every effort will be made to hold them firm, they are subject to change.

Please note that healthcare/medical costs outside the U.S.A. are not covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary health/medical coverage for overseas travel.

STATE DEPARTMENT/GOV'T AGENCIES: On occasion, a U.S. or foreign government agency, such as the U.S. State Department (www.state.gov), Center for Disease Control (www.cdc.gov), etc., may issue a travel advisory, warning or alert for a destination or surrounding area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to these agencies to obtain the most current and up-to-date information. The terms and conditions of your tour program, including cancellation policies, cannot be altered based on any occurrence whatsoever and/or any travel advisory, warning or alert issued in the U.S. or foreign countries where your tour is scheduled to visit, including but not limited to war/terrorism, disease, or natural disasters. Cancellation penalties remain in full effect and no exceptions can be made.

RESPONSIBILITY: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SERVICE, INC. (NAWAS), and their agents act only in the capacity of agents in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and transportation, whether by railroad, motor bus, motor car, cruise vessel, boat, air or any other means. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, NAWAS is not liable for any damage, loss (including but not limited to personal injury, loss of enjoyment, distress, death and property loss). expense or inconvenience caused by any act, omission or default of any supplier providing tour services or by any other person or reason whatsoever or by any delays or changes in the itinerary, or the acts and omissions of the tour leader/host or travel agent. NAWAS assumes no liability or responsibility for any injuries, inconveniences, illness, irregularity or incidental damages occasioned by circumstances beyond the control of the tour operator, or by any person or reason whatsoever, including but not limited to events such as strikes, revolts, wars, terrorism, disease, natural disasters, closures of airports, hotels, or included sites, default or omission of any common or private carrier. NAWAS reserves the right to cancel the tour at any time, to operate the tour with a substitute tour leader at any time. to decline or not retain any person as a member of the tour for any cause at any time. Nawas reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary if needed including deleting and adding cities and changing the sequence of the itinerary, or whenever in Nawas' sole judgment as conditions warrant, or if Nawas deems it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the tour. The airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their plane or conveyance. The passage contract in use by the airlines concerned, when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the purchasers of this tour and/or passengers. The services of any IATA/ARC air carrier may be used in connection with this tour.

\*California Residents: Please read the enclosed disclosure required by the Sellers of Travel Act before booking.

Exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any and all disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by NAWAS shall be in the state court sitting in San Mateo County, California, and you expressly agree not to challenge the jurisdiction or venue of such court or to assert that such court is not a convenient forum. All disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by NAWAS shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of California, without regard to its conflicts of law provisions. Payment of deposits by tour participants indicates acceptance of the above terms and General Conditions. The venue for any dispute is San Mateo County, California. The laws of the state of California will apply.

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