

EXPLORE TURKEY PACKAGE 10-17 JULY 2019



ISTANBUL -CAPPADOCIA

HIGHLIGHTS PROGRAM

- Private English speaking guide and driver along the journey.
- Domestic flight to Cappadocia by Turkish Airlines.
- 3 nights 5 stars hotel in Istanbul and 2 nights 5 stars cave hotel, Cappadocia.
- Turkish night and belly dance show in Cappadocia.
- Admire the breathtaking architecture and decor of the Hagia Sophia, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Visit the Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace, both gorgeous monuments from the Ottoman Empire.
- Hear about the role of the Hippodrome in the days of the Byzantine Empire.
- Enjoy magnificent views on a relaxing cruise along the Golden Horn and Bosphorus Strait
- Free day in Taksim Square (with guide), where you can design the last day journey in Istanbul.

FLIGHT DETAILS

TURKISH AIRLINES

ROUTES	FLIGHT DETAILS	TIME
Bangkok – Istanbul	TK69	23:00-05:20+1
Istanbul - Cappadocia	TK2010	06:40-08:15
Cappadocia - Istanbul	TK 2027	11:20- 13:05
Istanbul - Bangkok	TK64	20:15-09:50+1

PACKAGE PRICES

HOTEL	NUMBER OF PERSON	TRAVELLING ON 12-19 JUL 19
		8 DAYS 5 NIGHTS
		(TWIN/DOUBLE ROOM)
		PRICE PER PERSON (THB)
Istanbul, Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center ★★★★★ Cappadocia, Dream Cave Hotel ★★★★★	2 persons	59,500
	3-4 persons	52,500
	5-6 persons	47,500
	7-8 persons	45,000
	9-10 persons	43,500
	Single Supplement	8,500

INCLUDES	EXCLUDES
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Roundtrip air ticket Bangkok – Istanbul – Bangkok By Turkish Airlines. 2. 5 nights accommodation with daily breakfast 3. Service of local tour guide for visits and tour mentioned in the itinerary by private vehicle. 4. Meals as mention in itinerary. 5. Entrance fees, parking, local taxes, highway charges. 6. Tips for portages in and out at hotels and tips for local restaurants 7. Travel accident insurance 8. VAT 7% 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gratuity to guide and driver (Free Decision By Guests) 2. Personal Expenses 3. Visa Expenses if required 4. All the service not mention in the program. 5. Withholding Tax 3%

ITINERARY

DAY 1 : Suvarnabhumi Airport

20:00 Self check-in at Suvarnabhumi Airport, counter Row U of Turkish Airlines in the Departure Hall on the 4th floor, Entrance no. 9

23:00 Fly to Istanbul by Turkish Airlines Flight TK69 (Duration 10 Hours)

* Direct flight to Turkey full services, 2 meals served on board.



DAY 2 : Arrive - City Walls - Hippodrome - Blue Mosque – Hippodrome - Suleymaniye Mosque

05:20 Arrive at Istanbul International Airport. English speaking local guide will greet you at the entrance.

06:00 Welcome to Istanbul, the magic city gateway to Aegean and Mediterranean Coast, land of fascinating history and beauty.

07:00 Starting with Istanbul City Walls, it boasts several impressive castles a fortification. Massive walls of ancient Constantinople, built by the Emperor Theodosius II over 1500 years ago, are in many places still standing.

Visit the Blue Mosque (Sultan Ahmet Camii) was built opposite Haghia Sophia for sultan Ahmet I between 1609 and 1616 by Sedefkar Mehmet Ağa, who was one of Sinan's apprentices. The mosque was part of a complex comprising an hospice, an hospital (insane asylum), a soup kitchen, an open air market street, rental rooms and mansions, a hammam. Still remain today.



12:00 Lunch at Seven Hill Restaurant (Seafood menu) enjoy the spectacular panoramic views to the Bosphorus, Hagia Sophia Museum and Blue Mosque.

Visit of the Hippodrome, was the center of the city's public life during centuries. Its construction was started by Roman Emperor Septimius Severus in 203. It was enlarged and richly embellished by Constantine the Great and after him, many emperors rivaled to adorn it.

14:00 Visit Suleymaniye Mosque, this 16th-century mosque is not only the largest active mosque in Istanbul, but also one of the city's most symbolic. the Süleymaniye Mosque is the largest and most imposing mosque in all of Istanbul.



Dinner at Kebab House Restaurant (Turkish Cuisine)

Check-in to Hotel Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center

DAY 3 : Fly to Cappadocia - Avanos pottery village - Uchisar - Evel Eye Tree

05.00 Early departure from hotel to Istanbul International Airport.

06.40 Domestic Flight TK2010 to Kayseri Airport by Turkish Airlines.

08.15 Arrive at Kayseri Airport, Meet with your guide and welcome to Cappadocia, region of exceptional interest, because of the fantastic and almost unreal character of its landscapes, because of its history and because of the way of life of its populations. Cappadocia has been declared by the UNESCO to be one of the Eminent Cultural Heritages of the World.

09.00 Drive to Avanos pottery village located on the banks of the Kızılırmak, old Halys River, which is the longest river within Turkey. Kızılırmak means "red river" because of the presence, in this region, of iron ore that colors the silt which is collected inside caves

Then Visit of one of the numerous shop sand workshops where it is usually possible to try your hand at making a pot.



12.00 Lunch at Aydede Restaurant (Turkish Cuisine)

13.30 Visit the town of Uchisar, situated at the highest point of the region and also the biggest and the most beautiful fairy chimney of the region where you may enjoy a unique panoramic view over Cappadocia.



Have a chance to take nice photos with Evel Eye Tree.

Enjoy the Goreme Sunset view.

18.00 Dinner with Turkish Show & Belly Dance. Including Unlimited Alcoholic and Non Alcoholic Drinks at Halay Han Cave Restaurant.

Transfer to Dream Cave Hotel, Check-in and have a good night in Cappadocia.

DAY 4 :

Option Tour - Kaymakli Underground City - Goreme Open-Air Museum

05:00

Optional 1 : Hot Air Balloon (book advance 7,800 baht per persons or buy the option with your local guide in US dollar)

A balloon flight is the best way to admire the beauty of Cappadocia, a place with sensational sunrises above fairytale-like landscape. You can enjoy endless panoramic view sand breathtaking sights while drifting smoothly over unique rock formations and beautiful valleys. In a hot-air balloon there is no sense of motion, you are slowly gliding over the magnificent landscape without feeling the windor movement. After the flight you have hundreds of photo sand even more memories that will last a lifetime.



Optional 2 : Safari Tour, jeep safari around cappadocia (book advance 3,500 baht per persons or buy the option with your local guide in US dollar)

The most exciting adventures in Cappadocia is discovering the region in an off-road vehicle. Our off road tour offer you great land Rover jeep vehicles for unique views of the valleys, historical churches . We take you to the hard-to-find places and away from the crowds for spectacular views and the excitement of traveling off-road in best landscapes of Cappadocia

07.00

Back to hotel for breakfast

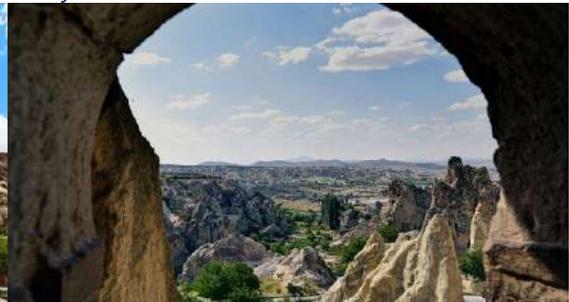
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Visit of Kaymakli Underground City. Kaymaklı is an underground city with vast proportions: common rooms, dormitories, chambers, bathrooms, kitchens, storagerooms, winecellars with winepress, stables, chapel sand graves were organized on eightlevels.

Lunch

at Old Greek House Restaurant (Turkish Cuisine)

Visit of Goreme Open-Air Museum. A religious community used to live in this valley. Monks carved churches and monastic building sout of the rocks. The splendid decoration painted by artists adds to the picturesque architecture decoration. The churches which can be seen there date back to the second half of the 9th century and afterwards, and frescoes were painted around the 11th century.



Back to Dream Cave Hotel and dinner at hotel

DAY 5 :

Turkish carpet shop – Fly back to Istanbul - Hagia Sophia - Topkapı Palace

Morning

Breakfast at hotel.

09.00

Discover the history and tradition of Turkish carpets in traditional Turkish carpet shop.



10.00

Transfers to Kayseri Airport.

11.40

Depart to Istanbul by flight TK2027.

13.25

Arrive at Istanbul, meet your guide and transfer to restaurant.

14.00

Lunch at Chang Cheng Restaurant (Chinese food)

15.00

Visit the Hagia Sophia, the present basilica is the third to have been built on this site: the first one, which was erected by Emperor Constantine I's son Constantius II and whose dedication ceremony took place in 360, was connected to Hagia Irene with which it formed the Megale Ecclesia (the Great Church). It was partially burnt down in the uprising of 404.



16:00

Visit of the Topkapı Palace (Topkapı Sarayı) was, after the Old Seraglio, the second to be built after the Conquest, between 1465 and 1478. Successive sultans added new parts and made the palace more attractive.



18.00

Dinner at Chang Cheng Restaurant (Chinese food)

Check-in to Hotel Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center

DAY 6 : Cruise on the Bosphorus - Grand Bazaar – Spice Bazaar

Morning

Breakfast at hotel.

09:30

Enjoy your Cruise on the Bosphorus. The Bosphorus is a 31km/20miles long strait between Asia and Europe, linking the Black Sea to the Marmara Sea. Its average depth is 50m/ 164 ft and its width varies between 1 and 2.5 km / 0.5 and 1.5 miles. Its narrowest part (700m / 2.300 ft) is situated between the Rumeli and Anadolu Fortresses. Because the level of the Black Sea is a little higher than that of the Marmara Sea, this causes strong currents on the surface and under water. Another current is caused by the difference of salt rate between the two seas. Two suspension bridges link the two shores: "Atatürk Köprüsü" inaugurated in 1973 and "Fatih Mehmet Köprüsü" inaugurated in 1988.



12:00

Lunch at Mio Galata Restaurant (Seafood)

13:00

Visit of the Grand Bazaar (Kapalı Çarşı), a covered trade center (bedesten) that was built between 1455 and 1461 by Mehmet II the Conqueror, and later enlarged with "hans". Following fires and earthquakes, the bedesten was restored several times. It is a huge labyrinth composed of thousands shops and hundreds workshops. Most of them are grouped according to their speciality: jewels, copper items, carpets, leather, clothing, souvenirs.

Then

Visit of the Spice Bazaar (Misir Çarşisi) built in 1664, was part of the Yeni Cami complex. Medicinal herbs and spices from the territories of the empire and other countries used to transit through Egypt.

16:00

Visit of Dolmabahçe Palace. Located on the European shore of the Bosphorus, Dolmabahçe Palace became the new official residence of the sultans in 1856. The artificial site of the palace whose name means the "filled gardens", was obtained by filling a small bay of the Bosphorus where a summer palace, destroyed by a fire, had been previously built. Influenced by Western civilization, sultan Abdülmecit, between 1844 and 1853, had this very eclectic palace built by the architect Garabet Balyan who combined baroque and Turkish renaissance styles.

18:00

Dinner at Citadel Restaurant (Turkish Cuisine)

Transfer to hotel

DAY 7 : Free day in Taksim Square – Back to Bangkok

Morning
10:00

Breakfast at hotel.
Check-out, guide will pick you up and transfer to Taksim Square. Taksim Square, named after the historic Ottoman water reservoir "maksem" (1732) standing on its west side, from where water was distributed to fountains in Galata and Beyoglu. In the center of the square rises the Italian sculptor Pietro Canonica (1928), depicting Atatürk and his comrades-in-arms (Ismet Pasha, Fevzi Çakmak Pasha and others). On the east side of the square stands the Atatürk Culture Center (the Opera of Istanbul). Beneath the square and Taksim Park is the main terminal of the new metro system.



Lunch

Enjoy the Famous Street Food Selection on Istiklal Street By your own.
Walk to the medieval Galata Tower gives a fairytale feeling to the hilly Beyoelu district, on the north part of the Golden Horn. Topped by a conical tiled steeple and gold finial, the 67 meter high stone tower was built by the Genoese in 1348. Explore the outdoor observation place at the top for a marvelous panorama reaching to Sultanahmet, have dinner or a snack at the tower-top restaurant.



17:00

Transfer to the Airport.

20:15

Depart to Bangkok by flight TK64, Turkish Airlines

DAY 8 :

Bangkok

09:50

Arrive at Bangkok with

The accommodation

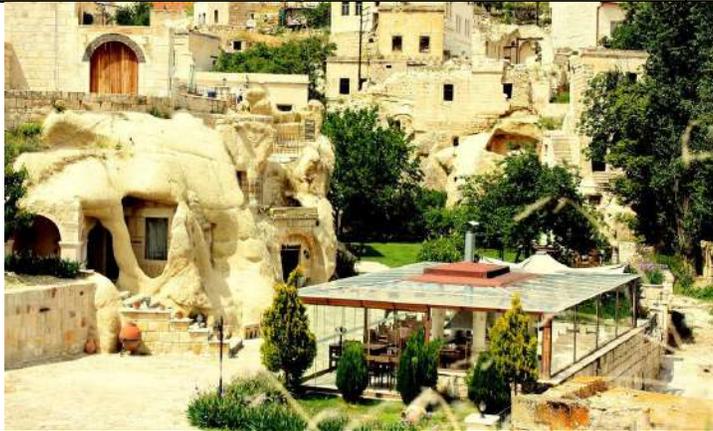
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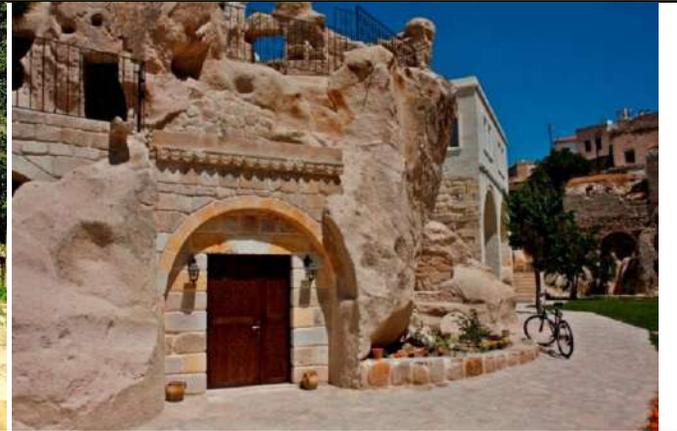
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Cappadocia



Dream Cave Hotel



Reservations

Please send the copy passport of all passengers and traveling date to checking the availability.

**All reservation will be on request: you will not receive an immediate confirmation. You will receive a confirmation by e-mail as soon as all service (hotels, transports etc.) included in the selected package tour are confirmed. The confirmation will be sent between 24-48 hours after the reservation has been made (Monday-Friday).

Payment options

Full payment is required within 3 days after receive the confirmation.

Bank Transfer -The payment should be made to our account in Thailand. Bank details are clearly noted in all the invoices. Clients are responsible for Bank Transfer charges.

Credit Card payment -The payment can be made by Visa (or) Master credit card with 2.5% credit card charge. If full payment has not been received by the specified date, we reserve the right to cancel all bookings.

Travel document

The travel documents, voucher and air ticket, will be sent to you by e-mail within 24-48 hours after we have received your full payment.

Special request

The special requests cannot be guaranteed. We will not be held liable for failing to comply with any special requests.

Conditions

1. This program is applicable within 30 June 2019 and minimum 2 person of travelling
Important Note
The compulsory gala dinners and peak season surcharges may apply during peak periods surrounding the public holidays of Christmas and New Year and Water Festival - these surcharges will be confirmed at the time of booking.
2. All prices are based on currency rates of exchange in effect at the time of quotation. All tours and itineraries are based on airlines/hotel/ tour policies, schedules and operational conditions at the time of quotation.
3. All prices are subject to change without prior notice due to currency fluctuation, fuel prices and/or unforeseen economic circumstances.
4. Reservation and settlement must be completed 31 days prior to traveling date. Booking is non-refundable after ticket issued. Last minute booking made less than 31 days prior to travel must be paid in full as soon as you receive our written confirmation.
5. The reserves the right to change these cancellation conditions depending on airlines, hotels or etc cancellation policies. We will inform you in writing in case the above conditions need to be modified.
6. The whole or part of tour price cannot be refunded once the program has been started.
7. Package price cannot be refunded in case of immigration Thai and/or Cambodia refuse passenger's entry or exit.
8. We take no responsibility for travel arrangements as a result of flight cancelation, delay or postponement for any reason. In such an event, the company will always try to assist as much as possible.
9. Any program amendment may cost extra charge. Passenger must be responsible for that cost.
10. Passenger need to be in good physical health in order to participate fully on this trip. When selecting your trip please make sure you have read through the itinerary carefully and assess your ability to cope with our style of travel.
11. Passenger must responsible for personal use such as: medicine, credit card, cash etc.
12. Reservation signified, your acceptance of all conditions stated above.
13. All prices are subject to change without prior notice.

Remark

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