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DATE	DETAILS
21 April	 Depart Canada and travel to Greece.
22 April	 in Athens, Greece Welcome to Athens! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and traveling companions, then enjoy a welcome dinner with wine at your hotel to celebrate the start of your upcoming spiritual journey. [D]
23 April	 Athens-Thessalonika Head north to Thessalonika this morning for guided sightseeing. Named after Alexander the Great's sister, it figures prominently in the New Testament. This was the center of Apostle Paul's activities in northern Greece—where he preached, founded a church, and to whom he wrote his two Thessalonians epistles. [B,D]
24 April	 Thessalonika. Excursion to Philippi & Kavala Today begins along Paul's route via Amphipolis, a wealthy city in ancient Macedonia where a large number of Christian churches were built in the 5th and 6th centuries. Next, travel to Philippi, a busy Roman colony with an impressive library and theater. It was here that Paul preached and established the first church in Europe, and to whom he wrote his Philippians epistle while imprisoned in Rome. Continue to Kavala, ancient port of Neapolis. [B,D]
25 April	 Thessalonika–Veria–Kalambaka This morning, stop in Veria (called Berea in the New Testament), where Paul and Silas were sent by friends after being accused of treason in Thessalonika. Visit the BEMA OF APOSTLE PAUL, where he preached the gospel to the local community, then continue to Kalambaka, home to the awe-inspiring Meteora monasteries. [B,D]
26 April	 Kalambaka-Meteora-Athens A real highlight is in store today. Situated atop soaring cliffs and rock faces, the Meteora monasteries create one of the most inspirational sites in the world. Visit the HOLY MONASTERY OF VARLAAM, the second-largest of the monasteries, and the HOLY MONASTERY OF ST. STEPHEN, which was bombed by the Nazis during WWII but later was reconstructed by nuns. Here you will be introduced to the many historical and religious treasures. Return to Athens for an overnight. [B]
27 April	 Athens-Lavrion/Piraeus (Embarkation)-Mykonos Awaken refreshed this morning and ready to begin your 3-night CRUISE around the Greek Isles and Turkey. Head first to mountainous Mykonos with its iconic windmills and brilliant whitewashed houses. Watch for Petros the Pelican, the island's most famous resident since 1954! [B,L,D]

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28 April	 Kusadasi, Turkey-Excursion to Ephesus-Patmos, Greece Visit the Turkish port of Kusadasi for an included excursion to the RUINS OF EPHESUS, the former capital of the Roman province of Asia. Walk in the footsteps of Apostle Paul, who lived and preached here, and meditate on what life must have been like for the early Ephesian Christians in this pagan society. Also see the House of Mary, where the Virgin Mary is said to have spent her last days. Continue your cruise to the island of Patmos, the "Jerusalem of the Aegean," and visit the MONASTERY OF ST. JOHN and the CAVE OF THE APOCALYPSE, where John the Evangelist received the visions that he recorded in the Book of the Revelation during his exile. [B,L,D]
29 April	 Cruising: Crete, Heraklion–Santorini First port of call today is Heraklion on Crete. An included excursion is available to nearby KNOSSOS, the center of the 3000 BC Minoan civilization and historic site of mythology's tales about the Minotaur and the labyrinth. Afternoon call (weather permitting) at Santorini, the "Black Pearl of the Aegean." An optional shore excursion takes you up to the cliff-top village of Oia for one of the world's most glorious panoramic views. [B,L,D]
30 April	 Lavrion/Piraeus (Disembarkation)-Corinth-Athens Disembark and travel to Corinth to visit the EXCAVATIONS where Apostle Paul worked for 18 months with tent-makers Aquila and Priscilla. Learn about this ancient city-state and its early church, which was the recipient of Paul's two Corinthians epistles. Return to Athens for sightseeing that visits the ACROPOLIS with the Parthenon and AREOPAGUS, where Paul delivered his famous sermon about the identity of the "Unknown God." Tonight, join your traveling companions for a final evening of fellowship and celebration at a farewell dinner with wine at your hotel. [B,D]
01 May	 Athens Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning. [B]

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- Includes round-trip airfare from Winnipeg, guide/host, transportation, quality accommodations, tour, entrance fees, 3-night cruise and meals as noted in the above itinerary. A \$300 deposit (per person) required by October 15, 2017; final payment due by Feruary 8, 2018.
- ** Not included: \$125 gratuity, travel insurance, and optional excursions.



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