

Journeys of Discovery Travel
Heart and Soul of Greece and Santorini
with Jenniffer Weigel

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Re-connect with your own purpose, passion and power as you explore the heart and soul of ancient Greece and enchanting Santorini!

Are you in the process of discovering your soul's divine purpose? Perhaps you're re-creating and re-designing your life? Or maybe you're drawn to explore sacred places with healing energies that have been around for centuries? Join Jenniffer Weigel and other enlightened, kindred-spirits as she guides you on the path to the timeless legends of ancient Greece.

Evoke the adventures of Homers heroes, while lively harbors and charming towns showcase today's vibrant Greek culture. Dazzling white-washed villages and lively ports are a backdrop to ancient sacred sites that continue to lure travelers and scholars since ancient times. The Acropolis, perched on a high hill in the center of Athens is stunning. The mountains outside Athens hold the mysteries of the Oracle at Delphi and Santorini captivates you with its connection to Atlantis. In addition to the fabulous food and wine, you'll be embraced by the locals as you absorb the beauty and energy of ancient sacred sites such as the Temple of Zeus, the Acropolis, and the Temple of Poseidon. (Not to mention, the sunsets on Santorini are said to be the most beautiful anywhere in the world!) Get ready for an uplifting adventure for the heart, soul and spirit.



Jenniffer (Jen) Weigel is an award winning broadcast journalist who won an Emmy for her on-camera reporting for CBS. In addition to her television reporting, she spent years as a columnist and radio host, and has written four books about spirituality, and published several audio books based on her popular podcast series "I'm Spiritual, Dammit!" Jen has spent the last twenty years interviewing gurus, healers, doctors, mediums and psychics trying to "bridge the gap between the mystical and the medical". She also hosted the Emmy nominated food show "Taste" for NBC where she traveled America sampling great food and wine. Learn more about Jen through her website: www.jenweigel.com

Tour Itinerary

Day 1: May 14, 2019 Tues.

Evening departure USA for Athens, Greece.

Day 2: May 15 Wed. Group transfer airport to hotel is at 11 AM. Group Welcome Dinner

Morning arrival and transfer to the hotel. Settle in, rest and enjoy lunch on your own. Jen will host a Group Orientation and Introductions from 3 – 4:30 pm. Afterward enjoy an easy walking tour with your private guide and visit Lycabettus Hill which offers an incredible panoramic view of Athens. From the hill you can see some monuments of ancient Athens, such as the Temple of Zeus and the Panathenaic Stadium. With the help of the telescope (which is on the hill) one can see up to Aegina Island, if the sky is clear. We will end up in the famous Plaka area and enjoy a Group Welcome Dinner at a local restaurant.

Overnight: [Royal Olympic Hotel](#)

Day 3: May 16 Thursday Meals: B,L,D / City tour and Cape Sounion Temple of Poseidon

Today enjoy a morning tour of Athens, named after Athena - protector of female wisdom. Visit the Royal Palace and the Panathenian Stadium, Temple of Zeus, and Hadrians Arch. The Acropolis reveals architectural masterpieces of the Golden Age of Athens, the Propylae, Temple of Athena Nike, Erechtheion and finally the "harmony between material and spirit, the Parthenon. After lunch enjoy a scenic drive along the coastal cliffs and beaches of the Aegean Sea to Cape Sounion and The Temple of Poseidon. The Temple of Poseidon, surrounded in myth and mystery, is perched on the craggy rocks above Cape Sounion and is one of the most famous archaeological sites in all of Greece. Overnight: **Royal Olympic Hotel**

Day 4: May 17 Friday Meals: B,L,D / Full day tour to Delphi

This morning we begin a scenic drive into the mountains to visit the mystical and breathtaking site of Delphi; believed to be the "navel" (omphalos) of the world and where Apollo's most important and famous oracle, Pythia, was located. Apollo's sanctuary was built by Cretans who arrived at Kirrha, the port of Delphi, accompanied by the God Apollo in the form of a dolphin. Follow the Sacred Way up to Apollo's Temple, where his oracle priestess delivered her oblique prophecies. Marvel at the beauty of the landscape and consider the never-ending search of mortal people for truth and the true meaning of life. We will visit the exquisite Delphi Museum, full of masterpieces including the bronze "Charioteer"; one of the very finest examples of classical Greek sculpture. Return to Athens: Royal Olympic Hotel

Day 5: May 18 Sat Meals: B, L,D Santorini Island

After breakfast we board the morning ferry to the most enchanting and beautiful of all the Greek islands, world famous Santorini. Upon arrival we check into the Daedalus Hotel, surrounded by fragrant gardens and palm trees and only a stone's throw away from the central square of Fira. This relaxing hotel enjoys a peaceful location next to the renowned Caldera of Santorini, away from the hustle and bustle of the city center. After lunch enjoy a panoramic tour of the island of Santorini ending in Oia, which is where you can see the most stunning sunsets in all of Greece. After dinner Jen will facilitate a group discussion to explore the Heart and Soul Connections you have made so far and offer insights in how to move beyond self-doubt and fear.

Overnight: [Daedalus Hotel](#)

Day 6: May 19 Sun Meals: B,L / Dinner on your own Visit to local Santorini Vineyards and wine tasting

The volcanic soil and the special climate of Santorini give a unique taste to the local wines, famous all over the Mediterranean basin and currently exported to many countries of the world. Vinsanto, Nychteri and Mezzo are just some of the local varieties that can be found in many restaurants on the island. Delight your taste buds as you explore the magical world of vineyards and wine-making traditions of Santorini wines. Learn about the local grape varieties and the viticulture of Santorini while you take in the beauty of family owned vineyards, fantastic views from high atop the Cliffside and the scenic volcanic landscape. Afterward enjoy lunch and then return to the hotel. This afternoon you can accompany your guide on a walking tour of Fira town, the capital of Santorini or chill out and relax around the hotel pool. Overnight: Daedalus Hotel Santorini

Day 7: May 20 Mon Meals: B / lunch and dinner on you own

Today is yours to do exactly as you please for shopping, tours to historical sites and landmarks, beach time, sunset cruise or just relax by the pool. Your guide can offer optional tour suggestions and assist you with bookings. There is much to see and do in Santorini and something high on the list would be a visit to Ancient Akrotiri, said to be part of the Lost City of Atlantis. Overnight Daedalus Hotel.

Day 8: May 21 Tues Meals B, Group Farewell Dinner / lunch on their own

After breakfast we transfer to the port and travel back to Athens on the ferry. After checking into the Royal Olympic Hotel the afternoon is yours to enjoy some shopping in the Plaka area, just a 5 minute walk from the hotel. The Plaka is full of wonderful shops and restaurants where you can enjoy lunch and do some people watching. Jen will facilitate a closing group discussion from 5 – 6:30 before your Farewell Dinner at a local Greek restaurant. Overnight: Royal Olympic Hotel

Day 9: May 22 Wed Meals: B

This morning the group will transfer to the airport for your flight back to your home city. You will not leave the magic of Greece behind as you have connected with the Heart and Soul of this captivating land which has guided you back to the connection with your own Heart and Soul Purpose. You have new like-minded Soul Friends to share with and keep that connection alive and strong. Welcome Home!

Tour Cost Per Person: \$3,267.00
based on a minimum of 10 guests / double occupancy
Single supplement for a private room: \$545.00

Includes:

Private tour bus, personal driver and Greek, English speaking local guide
All meals as listed in the itinerary
Lodging in 4+ star noted hotels or similar
Ferry Athens to Santorini / Santorini to Athens
All group tours and activities as noted in the itinerary
All archeological site entrance fees as noted in the itinerary
VAT taxes and all local taxes

Not included:

International airfare to Athens, Greece
Tips to guides, drivers and hotel staff
Meals not specifically noted in the itinerary
Beverages with meals / any alcoholic beverages
Personal items, room service, phone calls, laundry etc.
Anything not specifically noted in the tour itinerary
Travel insurance

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