



## Easter in Zakynthos

### ***Excursion itinerary***

#### Day 1: Chalkida - Kyllini - Zakynthos

We depart at 05:30 in the morning from our city, where we will continue with a stop for coffee and rest, heading to Kyllini where we will board the ship to Zakynthos. The capital is built at the foot of the Mochalies hill. The starting point of the tours can be the square of Agios Dionysios and the museum. Stroll through the streets and visit the historic church of Faneromeni. The most beautiful walk is Andreas Lombardou Street - the famous Strata Marina. From there you will reach Solomos Square, which is full of statues of famous personalities, the library and the cultural center. Check in at the hotel and rest. Meet again in the evening for the procession of the Epitaph. One of the special features of the island is that the Epitaphs are made of wood and decorated with gold leaf. Procession of the Epitaph without the procession of the Epitaphs. Return to the hotel and stay overnight.

#### Day 2: Laganas - Chora

After breakfast, we board the bus with high spirits and head to Chora and specifically the Church of St. Mark with the throwing of clay jugs during the First Resurrection. The procession of the Crucified Christ crosses the city, creating a special emotion, and ends at Solomos Square where the Metropolitan blesses the clergy and the people with the Crucified Christ, thus completing the ultimate religious ceremony. Additionally, the first Resurrection is connected to the Gloria custom where the faithful express their joy by banging pots and chairs, while at the same time, from the houses, clay pots are thrown, mimicking the noise in the New Testament.

#### Day 3: Laganas - St. Lazarus Church (Chora)

After breakfast, we will have free time to explore and enjoy the Easter meal. In the afternoon, the Vespers of Love and the procession of the imposing icon of the Virgin Mary of Galanusas and the icon of the Resurrection take place at the Holy Church of Saint Lazarus. Free time. Return to the hotel and overnight stay.

#### Day 4: Zakynthos - Kyllini - Chalkida

After we have our breakfast and have collected our luggage, we board the bus heading to the port of Zakynthos where we can take a last walk and do some shopping before leaving behind the beautiful images we experienced. Boarding the ship for our return!

#### Included:

- Tours and excursions with luxury air-conditioned coaches.
- 3 Overnight stay at a selected 4\* hotel
- 3 Breakfast
- Meals on Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter
- Tour leader/escort.
- Ferry ticket in economy class
- VAT
- Liability insurance coverage

#### Not Included:

- Personal expenses
- What is mentioned as optional
- Entrance to Archaeological Sites, Museums, etc.
- Travel insurance 25€ pp
- Accommodation tax 3€ / room / night

Boarding Points	Price/person	Time
People's Park (Cantina)	330,00€/person	05:25
Bourko	330,00€/person	05:30

**\*The tourist services provided to you and the related costs are detailed in the Package Travel Contract. If you cannot be present in person (booking by phone, email, etc.), you will receive the Contract by email (in this case, you have the right to withdraw from the contract within 14 days from the date it was sent to your email, taking into account the related cancellation fees mentioned in Article 11.**

\* The program may be modified to better accommodate conditions (Weather, delays, etc.).

\* Prices will be adjusted according to timely notification in the event of fuel, ferry ticket, accommodation, etc. price increases.

\* We kindly ask you to arrive at the boarding points on time (30 minutes earlier) to avoid delays

\* To boarding and gathering times must be observed for the program to function properly.

\* Food consumption is not allowed on the bus

\*In case of late arrival at boarding points, the bus will depart without the agency being responsible, and no refund will be made.

**Seats on the bus are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.**

**All travelers are informed with SMS or phone calls with detailed departure information one day before the trip**



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