

Mountains of Greece September 15th-22nd, 2024

Greece, has become a huge part of my life. I really enjoy sharing it with my groups. I have spent months walking its foot paths, exploring every village I end up in and getting to know the people living there.. This has become my home! I have guided now over a decade of treks and paddling tours throughout Greece. I am going to show you what I believe are some of the best parts and some of the most beautiful scenery around. My roots run deep since my Grandparents and Mother were born and raised there and lived there, for a great portion of their lives. I feel to really appreciate and see Greece, the best way is not by sitting in a large tour bus looking out the windows and getting off and on from time to time, but to walk the amazing streets and footpaths and paddling its beautiful coastline. I have spent my time trekking from one village to the next, viewing the true Greece. This trip will be all encompassed in the mountains of Mainland Greece. I believe it is one of the most amazing trips you will ever go on.

The Zagahoria Village Trek thru the Vikos Gorge and climbing to Drakolimni Lake! Sleepy Villages nestled beneath pine-clad towering peaks, valley floors are covered in prolific wild flowers. Here in the Zagoria Villages you can hike through the deepest gorge in the world in Vikos-Aoos National Park!



We will start our journey from Vitsa Village where we will spend the first two nights trekking each day 6 hours plus. We will then end our stay in Vitsa with dinner at the famous "Mushroom Man's, (Kanela & Garifalo).

We will then leave Vitsa, and from this point on we will trek from Village to Village and staying only, one night at each and seeing all of the Zagahoria. Detailed stays will be available closer to the trip start date and are flexible due to weather.



We will spend one night up at the Astraka Refuge way up high above the villages. Here we will hike to Drakolimni Lake. This is one of my most favorite places on the planet. Our last night stay will be in the village of Tsepelovo, with a farewell dinner. At the end of this day you will have realized we have not left any stones unturned! This truly is my favorite hiking in Greece!

Included:

-8 Days/7 nights accommodations based on DBL occupancy in guest houses

Single occupancy is available for an additional fee

- -All meals while on the tour \mathcal{B} -L-D
- -snacks
- -guides and safety equipment
- -All ground transportation while on the tour



Not included:

- *Transfers to and from Athens Airport are not included in the tour, but we will arrange for your transfer to our meeting spot in the mountains once the pricing is available.
- -all alcoholic beverages and sodas are not included in the tour -personal expenses
- -trip insurance
- -anything not mentioned in the above program
- **You will need to arrive to Athens no later than September 14th, 2024 from the USA and you cannot book your return flight home any earlier than September 23rd, 2024.
- ** Pricing for the Mountains of Greece is \$2700 per person, a deposit of \$1000 is due upon booking. All payments are non- refundable Payments are payable to Stef Woods please call to reserve your spot at 208-315-5536 space is limited to 12