

ALPINE MOTORBIKE TOUR

10 Riding Days (+2 rest day) /13 nights - 2.550km (1,580miles)

Greece is very well known for its large coastline that expands over 16.000 km. In addition to this, it's famous worldwide for its extremely large number of islands, with estimates ranging from somewhere around 1.200 to 6.000.

However, the fact is that Greece is a mountainous country, with hundreds of mountains and thousands of peaks. According to official data from the <Hellenic Federation of Mountaineering & Climbing>: which included hill elevations of higher than 300 meters, the land that is appropriate for farming and use, is not more than 25-30 % of Greek Land. 35% of land is between the 300 meter altitude and up to 800 meters, while 31% is over 800 meters. With such a vastly rocky surrounding, Greece has 413 mountains that are over 1000 meters (3, 000 feet) high.

According to the same source, there are also 53 mountains in Greece over 2000 meters high. Furthermore, 138 are between 1500 and 2000 meters και 222 are between 1000 and 1500 meters. Greece's highest mountain, Mount Olympus, at an altitude of 2918 meters(9,573 feet) is isolated just south of the city of Katerini.

Greece's mountains are a continuation of the Balkan mountain range, which are also the eastern extension of Central Europe's Alps. This vast Alpine mountain range system, in the shape of a bow, is by far the greatest in Europe. Starting from South-East France and crossing almost half the continent, through many countries, it ends on central west Greek land, forming the famous mountain range of Pindos. At Pindos, you will find the Vikos Gorge that is listed as the deepest gorge in the world by the Guinness Book of Records, in terms of its greatest width:depth ratio.

Within this astonishing mountainous landscape, which spreads through hundreds of traditional villages, delicious taverns offering home-made food, and thousands of unknown curvy – full of hairpins – mountain roads, you will find lakes, waterfalls, rivers, old stone bridges, free range cows, goats and pigs and virgin forest scenery. You will find exquisite beauty through 1500 meter or more high routes and passes, which will ensure a unique riding experience.

This is a special tour totally dedicated to Greek Alpine routes, aimed at the non-compromising motorbike rider.



We provide:

- Overnight accommodation in elegant & spacious hotels or traditional high quality guesthouses
- Daily breakfast
- Daily snacks & coffee breaks
- Evening dinners, including a glass of wine
- Tour Leader on motorcycle
- Motorcycle rental
- Full motorcycle insurance (third party liability & comprehensive), plus road side assistance
- Executive medical care & travel insurance
- Fuel and road tolls
- Scheduled attractions and visiting tickets
- Airport pick-up / drop off in Athens
- Briefing package outlining the trip details - i.e. safety tips, notes about attractions and sights, hotel information and route features
- A MotoVoyager memorandum

* Support Van at extra charge upon request

Alpine Tour Overview

12 days vacations

- Arrival in Athens, welcome dinner
- Acropolis – Bafi Refuge -Athens
- Athens - Nafpaktus
- Nafpaktus - Kremasta lake
- Kremasta Lake – Ioannina
- Ioannina rest day
- Ioannina – Nymfaio
- Nymfaio – Olympus
- Olympus – Kalabaka
- Kalabaka/Meteora rest day
- Kalabaka - Lake Plastiras
- Lake Plastiras – Delphi
- Delphi - Athens, farewell dinner

