Santorini

Santorini is considered to be the most sought after place for a romantic getaway in Greece, since there are not many places in the world where you can enjoy exquisitely clear waters while perched on the rim of a massive active volcano in the middle of the sea! Amazing views, romantic atmosphere, wild landscapes and a mysterious aura will embrace your arrival! A chic island which perfectly combines the dark volcanic beaches with the cliff hanging whitewashed houses and unforgettable sunsets.

A trip to Santorini is a dream for anyone who has seen at least one photo of the island’s famous Caldera and sunset.
Afternoon suggestion
Walk in the most scenic village of Oia!

Take some time to visit the multicolored and cosmopolitan village of Oia. Stroll its small streets, shop at leisure at the various boutique shops, or choose to enjoy cocktails and a nice dinner at one the suggested restaurants!

The traditional village of Oia is located on the north part of Santorini, high above on a cliff of the caldera and it is known for its view of the Caldera and sunset, and its traditional small cave houses that are built into the side of the cliffs. Oia is the first settlement in Greece identified as preserved.

Starting from your hotel, a walk through the scenic small paths will leads you to the Castle, the spot where people from all over the world arrive in order to admire the famous sunset! On the way, you will pass through churches with blue domes, whitewashed cave houses, small cafes, restaurants and shops. Late this afternoon you can stop at a restaurant in Oia where you will taste local Santorini wines and have dinner under the stars!
Unfold Santorini’s beauty and history as you embark on the Discover Santorini tour. Santorini is a place of astonishing beauty, but its human history, archeology and past are no less mesmerizing. Travel back in time with a visit to the Akrotiri excavation site, walk along the ruins of the ancient city, home of an incredible civilization preserved by the ashes of the great eruption. The archaeological sites, the volcanic beaches and the tranquil villages are part of the tour that will take you from Ancient Santorini to the medieval era and then to the age of its ascendancy, in the 18th century.

During the tour you will also walk through the whitewashed houses and winding streets of a traditional village, stroll on the black beach and visit a family owned wine estate for wine tasting and light meal.

*Duration: 5 hours approx.*
DAY 1, in the afternoon:
Caldera Sunset Cruise

Today you will discover the beauties of the island on a cruise with a private catamaran. You will start to visit the Red and the White Beach. Red Beach is irresistible for its impressive red rock formations, which form a breathtaking unique volcanic landscape. Next stop will be the nearby White Beach, another stunning seascape that you simply must not miss! Black sand, big grey and white pebbles and gigantic white rocks form a bizarre setting like you’ve never seen before. After a relaxing dive you will enjoy a short sailing to the Hot Springs for swimming. At sunset you will enjoy traditional delicacies and local wine!

Duration: 5hrs

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DAY 2 – in the morning: Shopping tour

Fira is located on the north-west of the island of Santorini, along the crest that overlooks the caldera. Since the early 19th century Fira has become the capital of the notorious volcanic island of Santorini. It is typically Cycladic in style. The small streets are filled with all kinds of shops, jewelries, cafe, restaurants, bars and night clubs. The visit to the picturesque market of Fira is a pleasant walk and your escort will take you to the best shops of the island. Private viewing of the best jewelry shop of the island can also be arranged for you!
DAY 2, in the afternoon:
Santorini Wine Experience

You have heard about the world famous indigenous grape varieties of Santorini! You probably know the Vinsanto wine! But there is more! More flavors and delicious explosions to enjoy! Come along as we take you on a complete wine journey of Santorini!

Taste and admire the real spirit of Santorini! This experience is your chance to explore the magic world of the Santorini volcanic wines. Enjoy a stimulating tasting experience under the guidance of our experienced sommelier or wine expert, visit three carefully selected wineries, learn all about the varieties and the viticulture of Santorini and, for the first time, taste wine directly from the barrels. This tour is ideal for all travelers as it gives the opportunity to its participants to explore and learn in an entertaining way, all there is to know about the wine culture of the island! The only thing you need to do is share with us the feelings that the tastes of Santorini wines create to your palate and your heart!

*Duration: 5 hours approx.*
DAY 3

Private Cruise & Trekking to Folegandros

*Enjoy the ultimate experience of the Aegean Sea on your private boat!*

This morning you will embark from the port of Amoudi, close to Oia to start your cruise to the island of Folegandros. It is a small island, that has become fashionable, but remains an untouched piece of true Greece. On the account of the simple and relaxing atmosphere that reigns all around the island, we like to distinguish it as the "island of Peace". During your cruise you will have the opportunity to swim in the emerald waters, snorkel in the caves of the island, visit the best beaches that are only accessible by boat and visit the island. Folegandros landscape is varied, and includes tall cliffs and a large cave. You will hike from Livadaki beach to Folegandros’s lighthouse, enjoy a lunch with local products in exceptionally beautiful area and meet the donkeys of Folegandros! You will also visit the "capital" of the island, Chora, which is built on the edge of a 200-metre high cliff, wonder around the narrow paved streets and the Kastro, climb the Panagia rock with its panoramic view of the Aegean. In the afternoon you will return to Santorini. Before disembarkation, you will admire the worldwide famous sunset with a glass of wine!

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Your accommodation
Canaves Oia Suites

Canaves Oia, with its contemporary hotel suites & hotel rooms in Oia, artistically combines the majestic view of the Caldera with the luxury accommodation in Santorini and the minimal design. The Canaves Suites section is decorated in the traditional island style, with antique furniture and objet d’art, while the Canaves Oia section is pervaded by modern touches of minimalism.

www.canaves.com
Your 3 days Santorini Trip

Cost of the trip: from 10500€ for 2 persons on double occupancy rooms

Included
• Your 3 nights hotel stay at Canaves Oia Suites, on a Superior Suite Plunge Pool with Caldera Sea View
• Breakfast
• Tours and English speaking guides
• Luxury Car transfers to and from the airport
• Luxury Car transfers for activities (tours, cruises) as mentioned above
• Private cruise cost
• VAT

Not included
• Meals if not mentioned
• Tipping
• Domestic flights cost to and from the Island

All above program - including accommodation - is subject of availability and please feel free to contact our “on site” concierge designer to assist you customizing your trip at: zoek@originalsenses.gr
Thank you and Farewell!