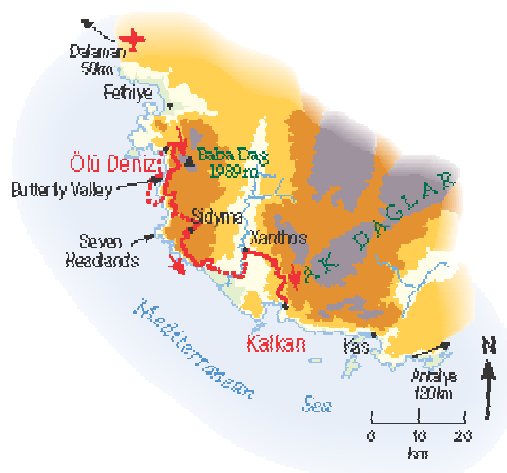


TURKEY– THE LYCIAN COAST

Ölü Deniz via Dalaman centre-based – one-hotel - group guided walking tour



A coastline of stunning panoramas, of dramatic ancient history, of ruins and dazzling turquoise lagoons make Turkey's Lycian coast a beautiful, fascinating and much sought after destination to explore.

- Turquoise lagoons and dazzling white beaches
- Dramatic coastal scenery and idyllic rural countryside
- Ancient ruined cities, Lycian tombs and Corinthian temples

These centre-based classic walking 7-night holidays are designed to be flexible. Up to two different guided walks will be offered each walking day, varied according to length and degree of difficulty and each group's abilities. If you are new to walking, start at the easiest level, where the pace is the gentlest and we have plenty of stops to enjoy the views and to rest. As your holiday progresses you may feel confident to try a more challenging level, or stick to the same level - it's entirely your choice.

Accommodation: The MONTANA PINE RESORT is a superb four-star resort hotel is situated high on the hillside above Ölü Deniz with stunning views of the surrounding area. There are 159 attractive en-suite rooms and an extensive range of facilities including three outdoor pools, bars, shop, gym and tennis court.



Cost per person: AU\$1390 per person twin share Single room supplement AU\$280

Departs: 27 Apr; 4, 11, 18, 25 May; 14, 21, 28 Sep; 5, 12, 19 Oct 2009

Tour includes: 7-nights in comfortable hotel room with ensuite bathrooms, 7-breakfasts, 7-evening meals, services of experienced walk leaders, 5-guided day walks and a free-day midweek.

Not Included: Airport transfers from Dalaman (these can be pre-booked at extra cost – we recommend you take these - please ask for details when booking), meals & drinks not mentioned & personal expenses. Local transport is not included in the cost of your holiday.

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Suggested itinerary – Tour starts & ends at Ölü Deniz

Day 1: Arrival day – plan to arrive at the hotel mid-afternoon or at least in time for dinner. For those requiring a transfer we can arrange these at a set departure time from Dalaman Airport – at extra cost - ask for details

Day 2: Visit Fethiye’s bustling market, then walk through the fields across the promontory and take a boat to explore beautiful Gemiler Island.

Day 3: Admire the magnificent white beach and the ancient ruined city of Patara, reached via peaceful pine forests and the historic Roman aqueduct.

Day 4: Walk along the Lycian Way, noted as one of the top ten walks in the world by the Sunday Times, with Baba Dağ (Father Mountain) providing a stunning backdrop.

Day 5: Free day - sail across Fethiye’s stunning Bay of Twelve islands and enjoy an alfresco lunch or simply relax by Ölü Deniz’s turquoise lagoon or one of the hotel’s swimming pools.

Day 6: Follow the old trading paths to the deserted Greek village of Kayaköy, the inspiration for Louis de Bernieres’ Birds Without Wings, then descend down pine clad slopes to Ölü Deniz’s lagoon.

Day 7: Enjoy a day of outstanding coastal views and traditional villages as we follow the Lycian Way from Faralaya to Kabak and return by boat via Butterfly Valley sea conditions permitting.

Day 8: Tour departs after breakfast – transfers to Dalaman are available (at extra cost)

Please Note: This itinerary should give you a good feel for the walks at this resort but is subject to change. Each year we listen carefully to the views of our guests and make improvements to our walking programmes. Further information will be sent to you prior to your holiday; however your walking leaders will make the final selection of walks.

Local transport to and from walks: Local transport is not included in the cost of your holiday. Please allow 150 Turkish Lira (approx AU\$130) for your local transport to and from walk areas (payable locally in Euros), excluding your free day.

Footpath Information

Both walks use paths and tracks which can be rough underfoot



Easier Walks: 8 to 11km with up to 300m of ascent in a day.



Harder Walks: 10 to 18km with up to 550m of ascent

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