



Crete, Greece Inn-to-Inn Hiking Tour

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Looking for the ideal walking tour? Come experience Crete with us! Nothing will compare to the scenery, hospitality and mouth-watering culinary delights of the southern most Greek island. After years of wishing we had more time to explore the exotic and famous Gorges of this ancient island, we have put together a fantastic adventure that will delight your senses.

Join us as we walk from the Highlands of Omalos to the Libyan Sea and along its rugged coast. We'll take plenty of time to admire the ancient Minoan, Byzantine, and Venetian ruins along the way and relax in the warm turquoise waters. Crete's inland mountains preserve traditional villages and magnificent natural beauty just a brief hike from the beaches and the modern amenities of the coast. This trip is van supported, allowing us to travel with a flexible itinerary and light packs.

Your journey will begin in Heraklion, Crete's largest city, where we will meet you and your fellow travelers at the airport. Our first stop will be the ancient ruins of Knossos where we will take a guided tour of this mystical and mythological palace. From here we cross the island to the beautiful sea-side village of Matala where we will spend our first two days.



After leaving Matala we will embark on some of Europe's best hiking starting with the Samarian Gorge, the largest Gorge in Europe with walls rising one thousand vertical feet at times. Along our tour we'll stay at small, traditional Greek villages that are accessible only by foot or boat. Our Inns will have windows or balconies overlooking the ocean, and our meals will be satisfying celebrations of each day's accomplishments. We've designed the trip to maximize your enjoyment while hiking. Many of our trails run along the beautiful Lybian Sea providing us with unparalleled scenery and magnificent sunsets every day and night. Hiking "Gorge-ous Crete" will leave you with a true sense of accomplishment, and memories to last a lifetime!

Trip Details

- 8 days, 7 nights
- Hiking
- Family-owned Inns
- From: Heraklion, Crete, Greece
- 2010 Price: \$2,195.00 (Single Supplement: \$475.00)
- 2010 Dates: May 23-30, October 5-12
- 2011 Dates: May 22-29, October 4-11
- Included: Guides, ground transportation, support vehicle, lodging, most meals, and entry fees to Knossos, Festos & Samarian Gorge
- Not Included: Air / ferry to Heraklion, lunches & drinks, personal clothing or accessories, full medical, baggage & trip cancellation insurance, airport taxes, gratuities for guides.

Skill Level 1
No Experience Necessary!!!



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