

Thursday, October 18th

Aphrodisias : Archaeological site and Museum and the typical village of Buldan

The city, named after the goddess of Love, Beauty and Fertility, has been discovered during excavations in 1904-1905. The first settlements would date from 5800 b.C. and the city knew her golden years in the IIInd-IVth century a.D. Later it was called Stravropolis (City of the Cross) and then by the Byzantines Caria, as capital of Caria. During invasions in the VIth and XIth centuries, she was slowly depopulated and at last completely abandoned. To be visited : temple of Aphrodisias, agora, hippodrome and museum with exceptional collection of sculptures (Aphrodisias used to be a worldwide known school for sculptures on marble of which some artifacts were found till in current Portugal.Â

In the afternoon, we will drive to the typical village of Buldan where you will enjoy free time to discover this village's famous handmade fabrics (mainly house linens)

Tour program:

08:30

Departure from the hotel

10:30

Arrival in Aphrodisias and visit

12:30

Lunch

14:00

Departure for Buldan

15:00

Free time in Buldan

16:30

Return to Kusadasi

18:30

Estimated arrival in Kusadasi

Price per person: 75.-EU

This price - based on a minimum of 12 participants - includes A/C vehicle, English speaking tour guide, entrance fees and lunch (drinks are not included)

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