



Lycia in 13 Days

Tour Type: Hiking & Trekking Tour

Duration: 13 Days / 12 Nights

Level: Easy-Moderate

Arrival Airport: Antalya Airport

Departure Airport: Dalaman Airport

Experience

Embark on a transformative 13-day journey along Türkiye's iconic Lycian Trail, a renowned hiking route weaving through ancient ruins, breathtaking landscapes, and the serene coast of the Mediterranean. Traverse among azure seas, limestone peaks, secluded coves & beaches, charming villages, pine forests, and olive groves, soaking in their unparalleled beauty.

Ranked among the world's top 10 hiking trails, this expedition immerses you into the heart of ancient Lycian civilization. Explore the ancient ruins of Olympos, Apollonai, Aperlai and Patara, each revealing a glimpse of Türkiye's fascinating history in their ancient Greco-Roman ruins, amphitheaters, and tombs.

Throughout your guided trek, seamlessly blend adventure and relaxation for a harmonious experience that captures the essence of Turkey's captivating landscape and rich history. Join us for an unforgettable journey along the Lycia Trail, where every moment promises discovery and wonder. BikeHikeTürkiye!

Highlights

- Explore Antalya's Old Town
- Hike the Lycian Trail
- Relax at Çıralı, Adrasan, Kaş, Patara, Kabak, Ölüdeniz Beaches
- Witness the Flaming Stone Chimera
- Discover Olympos, Apollonai, Simena, Aperlai, Patara Ancient Sites

- Boat tour to the Sunken City of Kekova
- Experience Kaş's streets and cuisine
- Hike the Seven Capes for stunning views
- Encounter nomadic life on the Lycian Trail
- Wander through Kayaköy's ruins

Day-to-Day Itinerary

DAY 1 Hello Türkiye!

- Arrive at Antalya Airport and take 30 minute transfer to Kaleiçi, the historical city center of Antalya
- Check into hotel in heart of Kaleiçi, explore the cultural tapestry of the city
- Explore Antalya Old if time allows
- Dinner at a local restaurant, savor rich flavors of Turkish cuisine

Meals: Dinner at local restaurant in Kaleiçi

Accommodation: Boutique Hotel in Kaleiçi

DAY 2 Hisarçandır-Göynük

- After breakfast take transfer to Hisarçandır to begin our hiking journey.
- Begin hike, walk through forest adorned with pine and cedar trees
- Continue hike with panoramic views of Antalya and the majestic Taurus mountains in the distance
- Descend into Göynük canyon, a natural wonder of the region where our trekking for the day ends
- Short Transfer to pansiyon in Göynük, where we enjoy a delectable dinner

Meals: Breakfast in Pansiyon/ Lunch in Village house/ Dinner at Göynük

Destinations: Göynük, Hisarçandır

Level/Duration/Elevation: Easy-moderate / 6 hrs 16km / +250 -1525m

Accommodation: Family-run hotel in Göynük

DAY 3 Yayla uzdere - Beycik

Enjoy hearty village breakfast and start trek from Yayla Kuzdere with steady climb along a stream bed, leading us to the lush pastures of Çukur Yayla.

- Begin ascent from Çukur Yayla through pine Forrests and cedar trees, marveling at glorious view of the majestic Tahtalı Mountain (Mount Olympos)
- After ascent to 1950m and breathtaking views, descend to the village of Beycik nestled at an altitude of 900 meters
- Take transfer to Çıralı, where our pansiyon for the night is. End the night savoring delicious local dinner

Meals: Breakfast in Yayla Kuzdere/ Lunch picnic/ Dinner in Çıralı

Destinations: Yayla Kuzdere, Beycik, Çıralı

Level/duration/elevation: Easy-Moderate/ 6hrs 15km/+990m -1130m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Çıralı

DAY 4 Olympos - Adrasan

- After a delightful breakfast, commence journey from Olympos Ancient City,
- Discover Olympos Ancient city, start hike for a captivating ascent of Musa Dağı, also known as Moses Mountain, which has an elevation of 650 meters.
- Hike and ascend through lush forrest with strawberry trees. Encounter ancient ruins and breathtaking views as we navigate this natural sanctuary.
- Picnic lunch near an old hut. The tranquil surroundings, nature and history around us create the perfect backdrop
- Descend through forrest, past farmhouses to the beautiful bay of Adrasan, where the shimmering waters of the Mediterranean welcome us.
- Check into Adrasan hotel and enjoy a peaceful and flavorful local diner

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Picnic lunch near old hut / Dinner in Adrasan boutique hotel

Destinations: Çıralı, Adrasan

Level/duration: Easy-moderate/ 6hrs 16km/ +750 m / -760 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Adrasan

DAY 5 Adrasan - Gelidonya Lighthouse

- After a hearty breakfast begin walk to journey
- Take path southwards, unveiling a remote and isolated coastline of unparalleled beauty and ascend to Kızıl Sirt, at an altitude of 450 meters, There we are greeted by panoramic views of the sea and green cliffs.
- Arrive at the lighthouse perched on the tip of Cape Gelidonya at an altitude of 200 meters, the sense of accomplishment is complemented by breathtaking views.
- Descend back to dirt road, where our transfer vehicle awaits ready to transport us back to Beymelek.
- Enjoy a delectable Turkish dinner and reflect on memories created during our trek through the wonders of Lycia

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch picnic/ Dinner in Beymelek hotel

Destinations: Kızıl Sirt, Beymelek

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 7hrs 17km / +700 m / -700 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Beymelek

DAY 6 Kapaklı - Simena

- After breakfast, transfer to Kapaklı, and begin a hike along the Lycian Way
- Continue our path through Simena, also known as Kale, a historic village. There we explore crusader castles, sarcophagi and rock-cut tombs
- Explore castle which offers outstanding views of Kekova's turquoise waters
- Return to pansiyon in Simena for dinner, which is situated on the shores with tranquil coastal coastal ambiance

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in local restaurant / Dinner in local coast restaurant in Simena

Destinations: Kapaklı, Simena

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 3.5hrs 9km / +150 m / -100 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Simena

DAY 7 Kılıçlı (Apollonia) - Aperlai

- Enjoy breakfast, and take transfer to charming village of Kılıçlı
- Start our exploration for the day, climbing the ancient Lycian city of Apollonia
- Descend from acropolis along old mule paths, by the seaside ruins of ancient Aperlai.
- Reach coast and take a cruise into the submerged ruins of the Sunken City, an underwater archaeological marvel
- Flavorful barbecue lunch on ship
- Take 50 minute transfer to Kaş, stay in boutique hotel for dinner

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in local restaurant / Dinner in hotel

Destinations: Kılıçlı, Aperlai, Kaş

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 3hrs 7km / +50 m / -400 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Kaş

DAY 8 Free Day in Kaş

- Enjoy a leisurely day to explore Kaş
- With ample opportunities for swimming, diving, and canoeing, you can immerse yourself in the refreshing waters of the Mediterranean or indulge in the vibrant marine life beneath the surface. Alternatively, you may opt for a more laid-back experience, enjoying some leisurely souvenir shopping or simply basking in the serene atmosphere of this charming harbor town.
- For dinner, option to explore seafood restaurant, live music and various clubs of Kaş

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in local restaurant / Dinner in local restaurant

Destinations: Kaş

Level/Length/ Elevation:

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Kaş

DAY 9 DELİKKEMER - Patara

- After breakfast, take 30 minute transfer to Roman aqueduct in Delikkemer

- Take a trip through history and time exploring the ancient aqueduct that spans a ravine
- Get to Patara, walking through ancient ruins and retracing ancient water pipes
- Enjoy flavorful meal in Patara, reflecting on the splendorous landscapes, cultural discovery, and beauty of Lycia
- Swimming and sunset on Patara Beach

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in local restaurant / Dinner in hotel Patara

Destinations: Delikkemer, Patara

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 3hrs 11km / +225 m / -340 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Patara

DAY 10: BEL-GEY- ALINCA

- Start day with breakfast in Patara
- After short transfer, begin journey from Bel inland, gradually descending towards the coast
- Hike through rugged terrain, caves and scenery near Alinca
- Reach Pansiyon in Alinca for dinner

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in Gey village / Dinner in terrain

Destinations: Bel, Gey, Alinca

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 6-7hrs 14km / +290 m / -310 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Patara

DAY 11: ALINCA - Kabak-Faralya

- Begin the day with a village breakfast in Alinca
- Hike through glorious panoramic views of the Yedi Burun (Seven Capes)
- Continue hike, descending through forested path into the cove of Kabak
- Enjoy lunch and a swim by the turquoise waters of the beach
- Take short transfer to Faralya, where our village home for the night contains views of the Butterfly Valley
- Dinner in Faralya

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in local restaurant / Dinner in hotel

Destinations: Alınca, Kabak, Faralya

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 6-7hrs 14km / +290 m / -310 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Faralya

DAY 12: Faralya - Ovacık

- Delightful Turkish breakfast at pansiyon in Faralya overlooking the butterfly valley
- Hike through charming villages of Kozağaç and Kirme, surrounded by natural beauty of the landscape
- Hike towards the Baba Dağı (Father Mountain), where we receive captivating views of the Aegean Sea and Ölüdeniz Lagoon
- Descend Baba Dağı (Father Mountain) down paved mule track and get historical glimpse of the region, passing through verdant land until we reach Ölüdeniz lagoon
- Take refreshing swim and lunch at the white beaches of Ölüdeniz lagoon
- Short transfer to Kayaköy where we stay for the night
- Final dinner at Kayaköy, celebrating our trip and reflecting on memories made in Lycia

Meals: Breakfast in hotel / Lunch in Kozağaç village / Dinner in Kayaköy

Destinations: Faralya, Kozağaç, Ölüdeniz, Kayaköy

Level / Length/ Elevation: Easy-moderate/ 5-6hrs 14km / +660 m / -680 m

Accommodations: Boutique hotel in Kayaköy

DAY 13: Goodbye!

- Breakfast and option for boat tour, exploration and paragliding depending on time
- Say goodbye to guides and take transfer from Kayaköy to Dalaman Airport

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

English speaking experienced Professional tour guiding service

Carraro Kifuka E-MTB

Technical support & spare tires

Helmet, Seat Cover

Water, snacks & lunch

WHAT'S EXCLUDED:

Gratuities for guides and drivers

Travel and health insurance

Visa if applicable