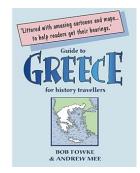
The Ultimate Guide to Greece for History Travellers



Are you a history enthusiast? Are you always on the lookout for destinations that offer a glimpse into the past? Look no further than Greece, a country known for its fascinating history, ancient ruins, and mythical tales. As a history traveller, Greece should be at the top of your travel bucket list.

Unveiling Greece's Rich History

Steeped in mythology, Greece is a treasure trove for history enthusiasts. From the majestic ruins of the Acropolis in Athens to the ancient city of Delphi, there is no shortage of historical sites to explore. Each site tells a unique story, offering a glimpse into the lives of ancient Greeks and their impressive achievements.



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Exploring Athens - The Cradle of Western Civilization

Start your journey in Athens, the birthplace of democracy and the cradle of Western civilization. Explore the Acropolis, a symbol of ancient Greece, and marvel at the iconic Parthenon. Wander around the Agora, the heart of the city where ancient Greeks gathered to discuss philosophy, politics, and trade. Don't forget to visit the National Archaeological Museum, home to a vast collection of ancient artifacts.

Delphi - A Spiritual Journey

Travel north to Delphi, a site known for its mystical vibes. Delve into the ancient ruins and visit the Temple of Apollo, where the Oracle of Delphi, a revered figure in ancient Greece, delivered prophecies. Situated on the slopes of Mount Parnassus, Delphi offers breathtaking views and a serene atmosphere that will transport you back in time.

The Ancient City of Olympia

One cannot explore Greece's historical sites without visiting Olympia, the birthplace of the Olympic Games. Walk through the ancient Olympic Stadium, where athletes competed for glory in the name of Zeus. Immerse yourself in the history and marvel at the Temple of Hera. Close your eyes, and you can almost hear the roar of the crowd and the thunderous applause.

The Mysteries of Knossos

Head to the island of Crete and unravel the mysteries of Knossos, the ancient Minoan civilization's capital. Admire the remnants of the Palace of Knossos, where the mythical Minotaur allegedly roamed the labyrinth. Let your imagination run wild as you explore this ancient archaeological site, piecing together the stories of a forgotten era.

The Spectacular Meteora Monasteries

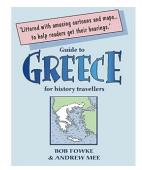
Greece's historical charm extends beyond ancient ruins. Visit the extraordinary Meteora Monasteries, perched atop towering rock formations. Admire the breathtaking views and explore the monasteries suspended in the air. These monasteries provide a unique insight into religious life and offer tranquility amidst the stunning natural scenery.

Discovering the Island of Rhodes

A visit to Greece wouldn't be complete without exploring the beautiful island of Rhodes. Roam the medieval streets of Rhodes Town and immerse yourself in the rich medieval history. Visit the impressive Palace of the Grand Master and walk along the city walls. Rhodes is a perfect blend of ancient and medieval history, nestled in the stunning Aegean Sea.

Greece is a paradise for history travellers, offering a glimpse into the past like no other destination. From ancient Athens to mystical Delphi, each historical site

holds stories waiting to be discovered. So, grab your travel guide and embark on a journey through time in this captivating country. Greece is waiting to be explored!



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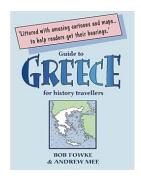
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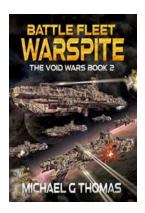
A rough guide to the history of Greece with maps and tourist tips, for those who want to be well informed but don't want to take too long over it. More fun than the brief histories at the front of most popular guide books and much shorter than most standard histories, it can be read on the flight or ferry over. It gives a clear

outline of modern Greek history as well as of the ancient period which most people already know about. The reader is taken on an easy journey from the remote past right up to the present day. There are cartoons, maps and eyewitness tips on where to go, and there's a simple timeline at the back and a list of rulers with their dates.



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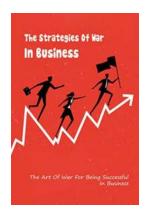
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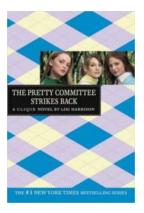
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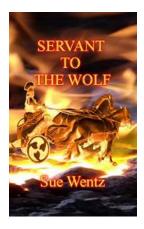
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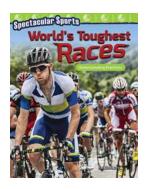
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