

PAPHOS

(Half Day)

Description:



The entire town of Paphos is a listed UNESCO World Heritage Site. Paphos was the capital of Cyprus for a long period of time in antiquity.

Once in Paphos our first stop will be at the Paphos harbour where a short time will be given for a visit to the Paphos Fort. This was originally built to protect the harbour, but was dismantled by the Venetians in 1570. During the 16th century, the Ottomans restored and rebuilt the fort after they captured the island.

We will then walk to the nearby Roman Villas of Dionyssos, where the guests will see the ploughshare which accidentally uncovered part of a mosaic pavement in 1962. This was the beginning of a series of excavations that finally revealed a total of 22 rooms, 14 of them with mosaic floors representing scenes of hunting and Greek mythology.

We will then drive by the Forty Columns - a Byzantine Fortification, which is located near the harbour. Our last stop in Paphos will be the 'Tombs of the Kings'. This area contains underground tombs carved out of solid rock, which date back to the 3rd century B.C.



Participation fee is inclusive of:

- Transfers in luxurious fully air-conditioned coaches.
- Officially C.T.O. licensed guides.
- Entrance fees to all sites.
- Program as described above.
- Organization and assistance by Easy Conferences.
- V.A.T. at 15%.