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Kosova ve Büyük Balkanlar Turu: THY ile 7 Gece Keyifli Seyahat

Süre	**7 Nights 8 Days**	**Kalkış**	**Istanbul**
Ulaşım	**Uçaklı**	**Başlangıç Fiyatı**	**699 € / kişi**

Tur Programı

Gün 1 — Day 1 — Istanbul – Skopje – Pristina – Prizren – Shkodra

We meet at the departure terminal of Istanbul airport 4 hours before our flight. We depart for Skopje at 08:30 on Turkish Airlines flight TK1003. After approximately one and a half hours of comfortable travel, we arrive at 08:00. After our arrival, we head to the capital of Kosovo, Pristina, with our private vehicle waiting at the airport. Upon reaching Pristina, we start our panoramic city tour to explore Kosovo's modern and historical aspects. During our tour, we will visit many valuable structures from the Ottoman period, including the Fatih Sultan Mehmed Mosque and the 18th-century Yasar Pasha Mosque. During this trip through the city’s historical heritage, we will visit the tomb of Ottoman Sultan I. Murad Hüdavendigâr, who was killed in the Kosovo Plain as a result of the 1389 Battle of Kosovo, allowing us to commemorate this significant historical event and its place in Ottoman history. After our tour in Pristina, we proceed to Prizren, known as the cultural capital of Kosovo. Upon arrival, we begin to explore the narrow streets of Prizren, which remind us of Anatolian Ottoman cities, filled with shop signs in Turkish. We will visit the Sinan Pasha Mosque, one of the most important structures of Ottoman architecture in the city. Other significant Ottoman works to be seen include the Halveti Tekke, Bayraklı Mosque, and Mehmet Pasha Bath. After our free time in Prizren, we start our journey to Shkodra in the evening. Upon arrival, we are transferred to our hotel and after having dinner, we retire to our rooms. Overnight stay at our hotel in Shkodra.

Pristina Tour INCLUDED! | Prizren Tour INCLUDED!

Skopje – Pristina: 90 km | Pristina – Prizren: 85 km | Prizren – Shkodra: 190 km

Total distance to be covered: 365 km

Gün 2 — Day 2 — Shkodra – Tirana – Ohrid

After our breakfast, we leave our hotel and head towards Tirana, the capital of Albania. In this beautiful city, rich in historical and cultural aspects, an impressive tour awaits us to discover Tirana, recognized as the center of Bektashism in Europe. Upon our arrival in Tirana, we visit the Ethem Bey Mosque, one of the city's most important symbols. This structure, whose construction began in 1789 and was completed in 1923, is one of Albania's cultural heritages. We take a short break at Skanderbeg Square, where we see the statue of Skanderbeg proudly rising in the center of the square. The Clock Tower, a symbol of Tirana built by Ethem Bey in 1821, is also one of the highlights of our tour. During this tour, Tirana's modern face and historical past will come together to create unforgettable memories. After some free time, we head towards Ohrid. Breathtaking views will accompany us along the way. Upon our arrival in Ohrid, we will conduct a tour introducing the historical city of Ohrid, which was one of the important bases of the Ottomans in the Balkans. Among the places we will see during our tour are the monument of Saints Cyril and Methodius, Byzantine monks believed to have developed the Cyrillic alphabet in the 9th century, and the Church of St. Sophia. We will also have the opportunity to stroll around the heart of the city, Chinar Square, and explore the old Turkish Bazaar from the Ottoman period. Here, you can visit the Halveti Tekke and closely feel the cultural texture of the city. Then, by visiting the New Bazaar and Ohrid Market, you will witness the daily life of the local people. Finally, Ohrid's famous lake and the lake's enchanting view will accompany our tour. After our tour, we have free time and transfer to our hotel. Overnight stay and dinner at our hotel. After dinner, you can enjoy the enchanting atmosphere of Ohrid in the silence of the night, take a short walk by the lake, or retreat to your rooms to rest.

Tirana Tour INCLUDED!

Shkodra – Tirana: 100 km | Tirana – Ohrid: 135 km

Total distance to be covered: 235 km

Gün 3 — Day 3 — Ohrid – Resne – Manastir – Skopje

After our breakfast, we set off for our tour of Resne and Manastir (Bitola), famous for their magnificent nature and historical richness. Our first stop is Resne, where we see the Palace of Resneli Niyazi Bey, an important figure who made a mark in Balkan history, panoramically. Resne offers a captivating atmosphere with both its nature and Ottoman traces. After a short break here, we head towards Manastir, once one of the most important cultural and trade centers of the Ottomans. Upon our arrival in Manastir, we visit the Military High School where the great leader Atatürk studied and the Atatürk Museum from the outside. In this enchanting city, we will also explore historical Ottoman artifacts such as the Turkish Bazaar, Bedesten, Ishak Pasha Mosque, and Yeni Mosque. While feeling the historical texture of Manastir, you will have the chance to take a pleasant walk in the nostalgic streets of the city. After our visit, we proceed towards Skopje, accompanied by lush green mountains. Breathtaking views of Macedonia will accompany us along the way. Upon our arrival in Skopje, our first stop is the Mustafa Pasha Mosque, one of the largest and most magnificent mosques in the city, built in 1492. Then, we visit the Murat Pasha Mosque, built in the 15th century. This mosque is particularly noted for its decorations and architecture from the Ottoman period. Continuing our tour, we will see Kapan Han and Sulu Han, located in the heart of Skopje. These structures, beautiful examples of Ottoman-era inns, were once important centers where merchants stayed and traded. Later, we visit the Stone Bridge, which has become a symbol of Skopje. This bridge, built in the 15th century, connects both sides of the Vardar River. Walking from the Stone Bridge, we will continue our tour by seeing the Turkish and Jewish neighborhoods along the banks of the Vardar River. During our riverside walk, we pass through Macedonia Square. This square is the largest and most central point of Skopje, surrounded by modern buildings. Here, we will encounter the statue of Alexander the Great and other monuments. Then, we see the Ottoman Bridge from the 15th century from the outside and visit the Davut Pasha Bath to once again feel the grandeur of the Ottoman period. We continue to explore the city by walking towards Skopje's Turkish Bazaar. Before reaching the bazaar, we see the Clock Tower, built in the 16th century and one of Skopje's symbolic structures. Here, we will visit the Sultan Murat Mosque and Isa Bey Mosque, which are among the early Ottoman-era mosques. These mosques are an important part of the city's Islamic heritage and stand out with their architecture. Finally, we give free time in the Turkish Bazaar. In this bazaar, you can find many products from traditional handicrafts to souvenirs. After enjoying your time in the bazaar, we transfer to Restaurant Gardenia for the Balkan Night. Afterwards, we are transferred to our hotel and then retire to our rooms. Overnight stay at our hotel in Skopje.

Dinner: An unforgettable dinner awaits you, accompanied by traditional Balkan music and local dance performances. While experiencing the fun and cultural side of Skopje with this special Balkan night, you will be hosted at Restaurant Gardenia, one of the region's most distinguished venues. With the best music and folklore of the Balkans presented live, our performers, consisting entirely of conservatory students and teachers, will transform this night into an authentic experience without playback. We will be happy to host you at our own Restaurant Gardenia in Skopje. Thank you for your understanding. Overnight stay at our hotel in Skopje.

Resne Tour INCLUDED! | Manastir (Bitola) Tour INCLUDED! | Balkan Night INCLUDED!

Ohrid – Resne: 34 km | Resne – Manastir: 31 km | Manastir – Skopje: 70 km

Total distance to be covered: 134 km

Gün 4 — Day 4 — Skopje – Matka Canyon - Niš

After our breakfast, we set off towards Matka Canyon, accompanied by lush green mountains. Are you ready to explore Matka Canyon, located among the enchanting forests and wide pastures of Vodno Mountain? This natural wonder, covering approximately 5,000 hectares, will take you to mystical monasteries from the Middle Ages and serene lake views. While walking on the rugged cliffs, you can observe the endemic plant and animal species of the region. For nature lovers, walking on green trails is the best way to be one with nature. After our Matka Canyon tour, we meet at the time determined by our guide and continue our journey to Niš. After our arrival in the evening, we are transferred to our hotel. Dinner and overnight stay at our hotel in Niš.

Matka Canyon Tour INCLUDED!

Skopje – Niš: 200 km

Gün 5 — Day 5 — Niš – Zlatibor – Mokra Gora – Višegrad - Sarajevo

After our breakfast, we head to Zlatibor, one of Serbia's important mountain tourism centers. After a short tour in Zlatibor, which welcomes visitors with its mountain views and lively center, we give free time. During this time, you can walk around, relax in cafes, and explore local products. After our tour, we reach Mokra Gora, located between Tara and Zlatibor mountains. In this area, noted for its green slopes, traditional wooden houses, and natural beauty, we take a short break to discover the peaceful atmosphere of the surroundings and take photos. After our visit to Mokra Gora, we will see Višegrad, located on the banks of the Drina River and noted for its historical texture. Here, we will see the Drina Bridge, built by Sokollu Mehmet Pasha and designed by Mimar Sinan, which is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. After taking a photo break around this historical bridge, we head to Sarajevo, the capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Upon our arrival, we will explore the city, which has been the cultural capital of the Balkans for centuries and is historically significant as the place where World War I began after Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria-Hungary was assassinated by Serbs in 1914. The city suffered great devastation during the 1992 war among Serbs, Croats, and Bosniaks, but Sarajevo has largely managed to preserve its beauty. During our panoramic city tour, we will see the famous Baščaršija, the historical Ottoman inn Morica Han, the Catholic Cathedral reflecting the city's religious cosmopolitanism, the Synagogue, Hüsrev Bey and Ferhadiye Mosques, the Latin Bridge where the assassination of Franz Ferdinand took place in 1914, the Old Library, and the western-style buildings that emerged during the city's 40 years of Austro-Hungarian rule. After our tour, we are transferred to our hotel. Dinner and overnight stay at our hotel.

Višegrad Tour INCLUDED! | Mokra Gora Tour INCLUDED! | Zlatibor Tour INCLUDED!

Niš – Zlatibor: 260 km | Zlatibor – Mokra Gora: 40 km | Mokra Gora – Višegrad: 25 km | Višegrad – Sarajevo: 110 km

Total distance to be covered: 430 km

Gün 6 — Day 6 — Sarajevo – Mostar – Blagaj – Počitelj – Sarajevo

After our breakfast, we leave Sarajevo. Our first stop will be Mostar, famous for its historical, cultural, and architectural richness. Here, we will see the Mostar Bridge, built in 1557 by Mimar Hayreddin, one of the students of Mimar Sinan, and considered one of the most beautiful examples of Ottoman architecture. This bridge was destroyed during the war in 1992 but was rebuilt in 2004 in accordance with its original form, thanks to the significant contributions of the Republic of Turkey, and has now become the symbol of Mostar again. Surrounding this bridge, which elegantly connects both sides of the Neretva River, we will have the opportunity to explore the historical bazaar and stone streets. After discovering the enchanting atmosphere of Mostar, we will visit the Koski Mehmet Pasha Mosque, one of the most important religious structures in the city. Here, we will examine the architectural details from the Ottoman period and enjoy the magnificent view of the Mostar Bridge from the courtyard of the mosque. Then, we head to Blagaj, known for its natural beauty and peaceful environment. Blagaj is an impressive settlement established at the source of the Buna River, the strongest water source in Europe, where history and nature intertwine. After a short free time here, we proceed to Počitelj, which carries the past to the present with its stone houses and historical texture. In Počitelj, known as the Turkish Village, we will have the opportunity to closely see the works built by the Ottomans in the 16th century and feel the unique atmosphere of the region. After our tour, we are transferred to our hotel. Dinner and overnight stay at our hotel.

Počitelj Tour Included! | Blagaj Tour INCLUDED! | Mostar Tour INCLUDED!

Sarajevo - Mostar: 120 km | Mostar - Blagaj: 12 km | Blagaj – Počitelj: 22 km | Počitelj - Sarajevo: 150 km

Total distance to be covered: 304 km

Gün 7 — Day 7 — Sarajevo – Belgrade

After our breakfast, we leave our hotel and start a pleasant journey towards Belgrade, the capital of Serbia. Throughout history, Belgrade has been one of the most important cultural and strategic centers of the Balkans, and today it stands out with its vibrancy, liveliness, and historical texture. In this enchanting city, we will have the opportunity to explore the intersection of Ottoman and European cultures. Upon our arrival in Belgrade, a panoramic city tour begins, during which we will discover the city's grandeur. Here, you can feel the historical atmosphere and explore the texture that brings together Belgrade's past and present. Then, we head to one of the most impressive points of the city, where the Sava River meets the Danube River. It will be a great pleasure to explore this area, which has been the focal point of many conquests and victories throughout history. While continuing to explore this ancient city, where Fatih Sultan Mehmed was wounded but whose conquest was destined for Kanuni Sultan Süleyman, you will encounter the Belgrade Fortress, which served as a supply center for the Ottoman navy. While tracing the traces of history in this fortress, we will see important points such as Kale Square and Stone Square. During our tour, we will visit the Tomb of Şehit Ali Pasha, one of the important figures of the Ottoman period, and the Bayraklı Mosque, one of the rare Ottoman structures still standing in Belgrade. During these visits, you will deeply explore Belgrade's rich history and gain insights into the cultural heritage left from the Ottoman period. At the end of our tour, we leave behind the history and lively atmosphere of the city and proceed to our hotel. Dinner and overnight stay at our hotel.

Sarajevo – Belgrade: 287 km

Gün 8 — Day 8 — Belgrade - Istanbul

After our breakfast, we leave our hotel. Free time until the time determined by our guide. After free time, we head to Skopje airport. After arrival at the airport and boarding procedures, we will fly to Istanbul Airport at 20:20 on Turkish Airlines flight TK1084. After a comfortable flight, we arrive in Istanbul at 00:10, concluding our tour. We bid you farewell, hoping to see you again on your next trip.

Balkan Special Cancellation Assurance Package: 50 Euro

(With the cancellation assurance package application, we offer our guests the right to cancel their reservations without penalty under any circumstances. With this application, it is possible to cancel your reservation up to 9 days before the tour departure date. In case of reservation cancellation, the entire tour fee will be refunded, while the cancellation assurance package fee and any additional service fees (Visa, insurance, etc.) will not be refunded.)

The specified cancellation assurance package does not apply to group reservations.

There are limited quotas for each tour.

Fiyata Dahil Olanlar / Olmayanlar

Dahil Olanlar

- Included Services:
- • Round-trip flight ticket from Istanbul Airport to Skopje / Belgrade – Istanbul Airport with Turkish Airlines.
- • Total of 7 nights accommodation in 4 and 5-star hotels: 1 night in Belgrade, 2 nights in Sarajevo, 1 night in Niš, 1 night in Shkodra, 1 night in Ohrid, and 1 night in Skopje.
- • Breakfasts provided in the mornings.
- • Dinners.
- • All transfer services included in the program.
- • Participation in the specified city tours.
- • Dinner and entertaining Balkan Night, enriched with folklore shows.
- • Pristina visit.
- • Prizren visit.
- • Resne visit.
- • Manastir visit.
- • Višegrad visit.
- • Mokra Gora visit.
- • Zlatibor visit.
- • Tirana visit.
- • Mostar visit.
- • Blagaj visit.
- • Počitelj visit.
- • Customs duties.
- • Mandatory professional liability insurance.

Hariç Olanlar

- Excluded Services:
- International exit tax.
- Travel insurance.
- Lunches.
- Hotel extras and personal expenses.
- City and hotel taxes: (City tax, checkpoint fees, local service fees, handling fees, bus entry fees, and operational service expenses, totaling 20 Euro per person, will be collected in cash by the guide on the first day of the tour).

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refunded. Refunds for additional services taken outside the tour will be made; while domestic connection flights will be refunded by the Agency, visa services and travel health insurance will not be refunded if used. If a visa applicatio...

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