Nature

A True Living Experience

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East Macedonia & Thrace
Come to East Macedonia and Thrace, where nature plays a leading role in a show that surprises and almost requires the visitor–spectator to discover this concealed location from the beginning. Some of the most untouched landscapes in Europe have been waiting for you for centuries now, with their unique biodiversity that includes over 60 species of mammals, 330 bird species and 2000 plant species. The dominant position on the reach natural canvas of East Macedonia and Thrace is occupied by its primordial mountains, the majestic Rodopi mountain range, Mount Falakro with its Ski Resort, Mount Pangeo with its vineyards, the Lekani Mountains, Popikio, the Thracian Meteora, as well as Mount Saos in Samothrace, the tallest insular mountain in Greece. The dense Dadia forest provides shelter for rare birds of prey like the black vulture, the white-tailed eagle and the black stork, the featured Frakto virgin forest, as well as the Aesthetic Forests at the Nestos River, the Beech trees in Xanthi, Western and Central Rodopi with their soulful aesthetics are suitable for hiking, Mt biking, horse riding and river sports. The National Parks that are formed at the Evros Delta and along the coastal zone that connects the Nestos Delta with the lakes at Vistonida, Ismarida and the cluster of smaller lakes, host countless species of flora and fauna – some of which are threatened with extinction – and are an unexplored habitat that is ideal for viewing rare bird species in their natural environment. The nature in East Macedonia and Thrace will enchant you any season that you choose to visit.
Drama

1. Fraktos Forest
2. Mount Falakro
3. Elata Forest
4. Agia Barbara Waterfalls
5. Kefalari

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Villages of Pangeo
Kotza Orman Riparian Forest
Nestos Delta

Kavala
Xanthi

1. Wild Horses
2. Canoeing – kayaking along the Nestos River
3. Leivaditis Waterfall
4. Haidous Forest

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Thracian Meteora
Medieval bridge on the Kompsatos River
Flamingos in the Ismarida cluster of lakes
Patermos
Evr
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1. Birdwatching of rare birds of prey
2. Eagle in Dadia Forest
3. Evros Delta
4. Perennial Olive Trees

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Thasos

1. Small gulf near Potos
2. Trypiti Beach
3. Olive groves in Thasos
4. Sakara Beach
5. Kazavita

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Plane tree Forest in Thernia

Goat in Samothraki
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