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ISPARTA



Isparta is located in Lakes Region of Mediterranean Region. Its neighbour cities are Afyonkarahisar on the north and north-west, Burdur on the west, Antalya on the south and Konya on the east.

When you visit Isparta, do not leave before eating oven kebab, Kabune (traditional rice dish) rice, irmik (semolina) dessert, buying Turkish delight, jam, cream and scents made of rose, famous Isparta weavings and miniature rugs.

Historical Buildings

Significant historical buildings of Isparta are Mimar Sinan (Firdevs Paşa) Mosque (1561), Kutlubey (Ulu) Mosque (1429), İplikçi (Hacı Abdi) Mosque (1569), Kavaklı Mosque (1782-83), Historical Bazaar and Üzüm Pazarı (Grape Bazaar) consisting 16 shops, Hagia Payana Church (1750) and Hagia Ishotya Church (1857-1860).

Prof. Dr. Turan Yazgan Ethnography Museum

The museum, which is at the entrance of Gökçay Picnic Area, exhibits folkloric features of Isparta City with 2.500 samples of traditional carpets and rugs. The museum has 10 floors and possible to watch city center from 10th floor.

Isparta Museum

The museum houses many historical pieces from 3.000 BC to present. The sections of the museum are Archaeology Section, Treasure Section, Ethnographic Assets Section and Carpets Section.

Lake Gölcük Nature Park

Lake Gölcük Nature Park, 12 kms away from Isparta City Center, is a nature wonder that meets recreation, entertainment and sportive needs of local people.



DAVRAZ

SKI CENTER



DAVRAZ CULTURE AND TOURISM PROTECTION AND DEVELOPMENT AREA

Mount Davraz, 2635 m, is located on the west of Lake Eğirdir in the Lakes Region.

Davraz Skiing Center, which is 26 kms away from Isparta City Center, offers 23 kms unique skiing tracks to professional and amateur skiers with its snow quality. There are 3 chairlifts, 1 tele-ski (t-bar), 2 babylifts and 3 hotels for accommodation in the skiing center.

Touristic aimed sport activities such as football, mountaineering, mountain biking, trekking, paragliding, jeep safari and camping can be performed on the mountain in summer season. Davraz which has convenient climate and geographical features is preferred as camping center by professional and amateur football teams of Turkey.



FROM ISPARTA
CITY CENTER

26 KM

SNOW THICKNESS

0,50 - 2,50 m

LENGTH OF TRACKS **25 KM**



LENGTH OF SKI SEASON
(DECEMBER - MARCH)

4 MONTHS

The district is 61 kms away from Isparta City Center and tourism activities such as mountaineering, trekking, cave tourism, jeep safari and hunting can be performed in its forests and mountains.

Zindan Cave

Zindan Cave, 2 kms on the northeast of the district center, is horizontally 765 m and whole cave is lightened. There are stalactites and stalagmites in the cave. The cave has a horizontal formation and it is easy to walk in the cave.



Zindan Cave & Roman Bridge

Places To Visit

- ☑ *Cybele and Eurymedon Sacred Area*
- ☑ *Roman Bridge*
- ☑ *Yaka Canyon*



Zindan Cave

The district is 24 kms away from Isparta City Center and its important touristic assets are Gazi Ertokuş Madrasa (1224), Demirel Complex, rose gardens of İslamköy Village.

Süleyman Demirel Democracy and Development Museum and Demirel Complex

Demirel Complex is located on İslamköy Village of Atabey District which is 21 kms away from Isparta City Center. The presents that were given to Süleyman Demirel during his prime ministry and presidency of the republic periods, platelets, caricatures, photos of building and inauguration of projects which has importance for the Turkey's development are exhibited in the museum. Monumental mausoleum of Süleyman Demirel is also on Çalocatepe Hill, İslamköy Village.

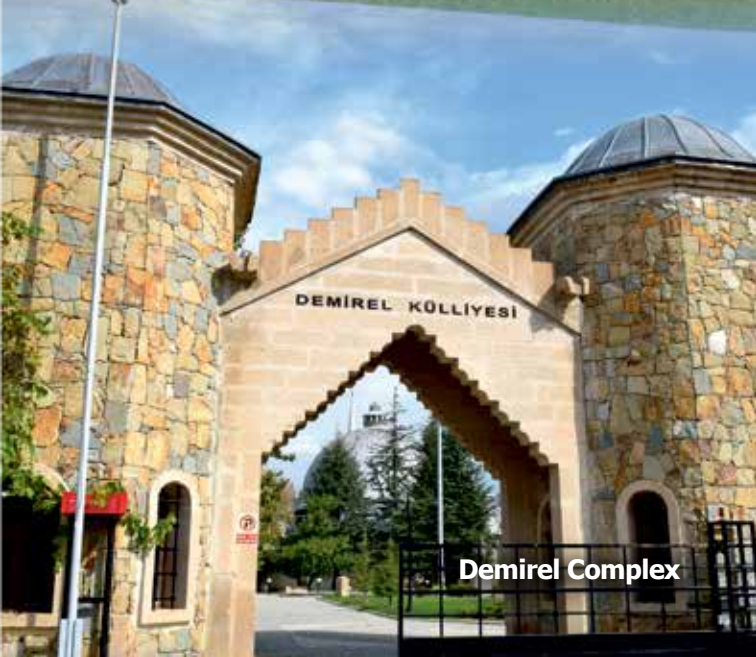
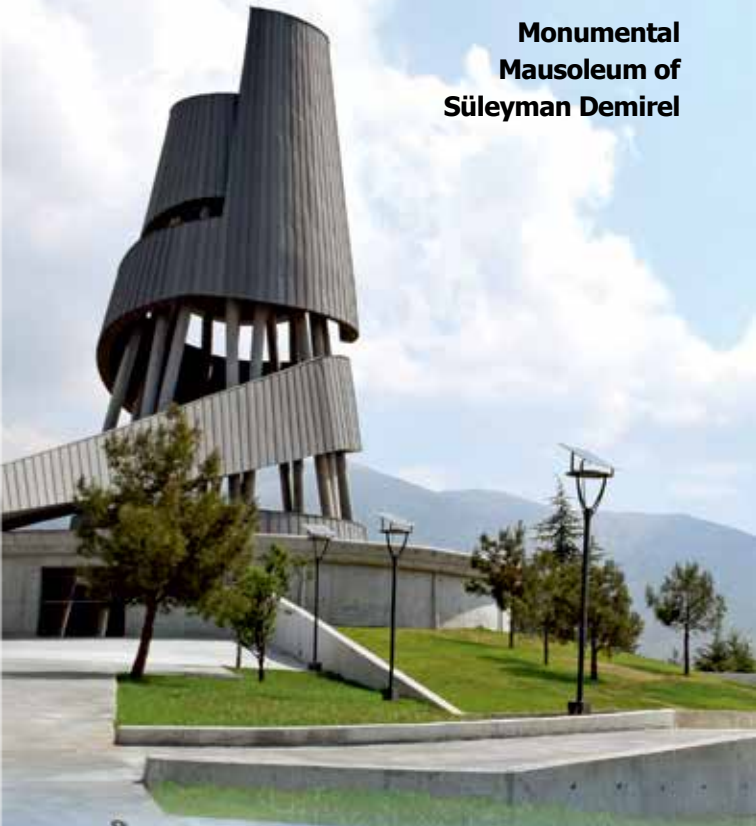


Gazi Ertokuş Madrasa

Places To Visit

- ☑ **Monumental Mausoleum of Süleyman Demirel**
- ☑ **Feyzullah Paşa Mosque**
- ☑ **Seleukia Sidera Ancient City**
- ☑ **Gazi Ertokuş Madrasa**

**Monumental
Mausoleum of
Süleyman Demirel**



Demirel Complex

Eğirdir is 34 kms away from Isparta City Center and bird watching, endemic plant watching, photo safari, trekking, mountaineering, jeep safari, paragliding, water sports, plateau, camping, caravanning and hunting activities can be performed in the district.

Lake Eğirdir

Lake Eğirdir, which takes various tones of blue in different times of day, surrounded by apple and peach gardens, famous for its clean beaches, is the fourth biggest lake of Turkey. Can Island and Yeşil (Nis) Island which extends into Lake Eğirdir, Altinkum Beach and Bedre Bay are the places worth to visit.



Lake Eğirdir

Places To Visit

- ☑ *Dünder Bey Madrasa*
- ☑ *Hızırbey Mosque*
- ☑ *Eğirdir Castle*
- ☑ *Hagia Stefanos Church*
- ☑ *Akpınar Village Viewing Terrace*
- ☑ *Barla Village*
- ☑ *Lake Kovada National Park*

Dünder Bey Madrasa



Sorkuncak Village

Gelendost District is 81 kms away from Isparta City Center. The most delicious apples of Turkey are cultivated in the gardens of Gelendost District which are around Lake Eğirdir.

Ertokuş Inn (Kudret Inn)

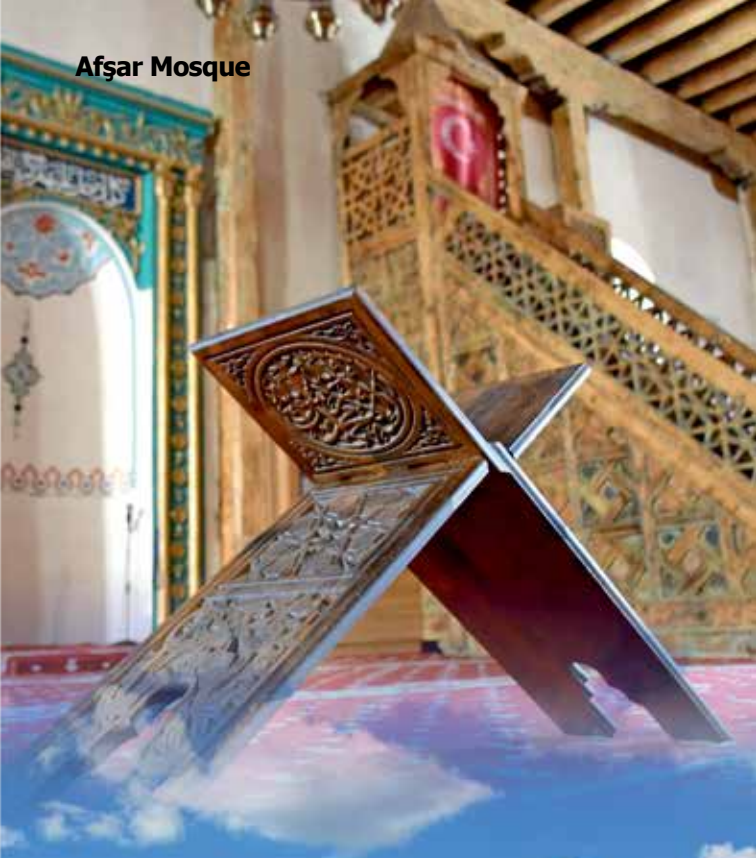
Ertokuş Inn, 60 kms away Isparta City Center, is in Yeşilköy Village of Gelendost District and was built by Mübarizeddin Ertokuş in 1223. The inn includes a covered and an open two sections.



Places To Visit

- Abdülgaffar Mosque*
- Afsar Mosque*
- Apple Gardens*

Afşar Mosque



Ertokuş Inn

Gönen District is 25 kms away from Isparta City Center and famous for its roses. The visitors can pick up roses which bloom in the mid-days of Mays and last till mid-days of June and take part rose festival in Güneykent Town.

Rose Gardens

Rose gardens are densely located on Güneykent Town which is 40 kms away from Isparta City Center. Souvenir items of the town are natural rose oil, rose water, rose jam, rose pickling lady figurines, saddlebags and laces. Two museums in Güneykent Town shed light the history of rose cultivation's history.



Places To Visit

- ☑ **Tomb of Yunus Emre in Gönen**
- ☑ **Tomb of Yunus Emre in Güneykent Town**
- ☑ **Mansion of Demirci Mehmet Efe in İğdecik Village**



Rose Gardens

Keçiborlu District, which is 41 kms away from Isparta City Center has 22 kms borders with Lake Burdur. Süleyman Demirel Airport is in the borders of the district.

Lavender Gardens

Lavender flower is cultivated in Kuyucak Village. Lavenders which bloom in the end of June, are harvested in August. It is highly recommended to visit the village in blooming time and taking photos in the purple lavender sea.



Places To Visit

- ☑ *The Mosque of Incesu Village*
- ☑ *The Fountain with Lion Relief of Incesu Village*
- ☑ *Rose Gardens*



Lavender Gardens

Senirkent District is 75 kms away from Isparta City Center and located on a valley which is on the west of Lake Hoyran that is the northern section of Lake Eğirdir.

The grapes of vineyards are delicious and traditional grape molasses and dried grapes of Senirkent are very famous.

Veli Baba Sultan Tomb

The tomb is in Uluğbey (old name İllegöp) Village which is 3 kms on the north of Senirkent. According to records, Veli Baba was born in Uluğbey in 1553. Family members of Veli Baba, his grandparents and uncle's grave are in the tomb.

Culture and art festival is held to commemorate Veli Baba Sultan in August every year.



Yörük Museum

Places To Visit

- ☑ *Mount Gelincik*
- ☑ *Yörük (Nomadic People) Museum of Akkeçili Village*
- ☑ *Vineyards*



Veli Baba Tomb

Sütçüler District is 101 kms away from Isparta City Center and endemic plant watching, photo safari, trekking, mountaineering, jeep safari, water sports, plateau, camping, caravanning and hunting activities can be performed in the rich geography of the district. It is possible to see historical, natural and cultural beauties all together in Sütçüler. Mulberry and Mulberry Syrup Festival is held in Sütçüler in July every year. When you come to Sütçüler, add your to do list buying mulberry syrup and thyme jam, trekking in Yazılı Canyon and eating fresh trout fish in Çandır Village.

Yazılı Canyon Nature Park

The canyon is 10 kms away from Sütçüler District Center and has importance with sanctuary and rock inscriptions where King Road also lies. St. Paul, who was one of the important early saints of Christianity, passed through the canyon while going to Pisidia Antiokheia from Perge.



Adada Ancient City



Yazılı Canyon

Places To Visit

- Adada Ancient City**
- Sefer Ağa Mosque**
- Sığırlık Castles**
- Beydili Village**



Yazılı Canyon

Şarkikarağaaç District, which is 118 kms away from Isparta City Center, has suitable areas for bird watching around Lake Beyşehir, trekking in Kızıldağ National Park, camping, caravanning and photo safari. It is known that sesame oil halva, köpük halva (a halva in form of foam), halva with sesame have been spreaded to all Turkey by masters of Şarkikaraağaç. Şarkikaraağaç Halva and Culture Festival is held every year.

Kızıldağ National Park

The national park, which is kms on the north of Şarkikarağaaç District Center and on 1840 meters altitude, is covered with blue cedar forests. Lake Beyşehir lies on the south of the park. Fresh and abundant with oxygen air of the park makes it a preferred place for treatment of respiratory diseases.



Kızıldağ National Park

Places To Visit

- ☑ **Lake Beyşehir**
- ☑ **Sultan Fatih Mosque
(Cami-i Kebir)**
- ☑ **Gedikli Mada Island**



Kızıldağ National Park

Uluborlu is 65 kms away from Isparta City Center. Cherry and Oil Wrestling Festival is held in July in cherry harvesting season.

Alaaddin Mosque (The Great Mosque)

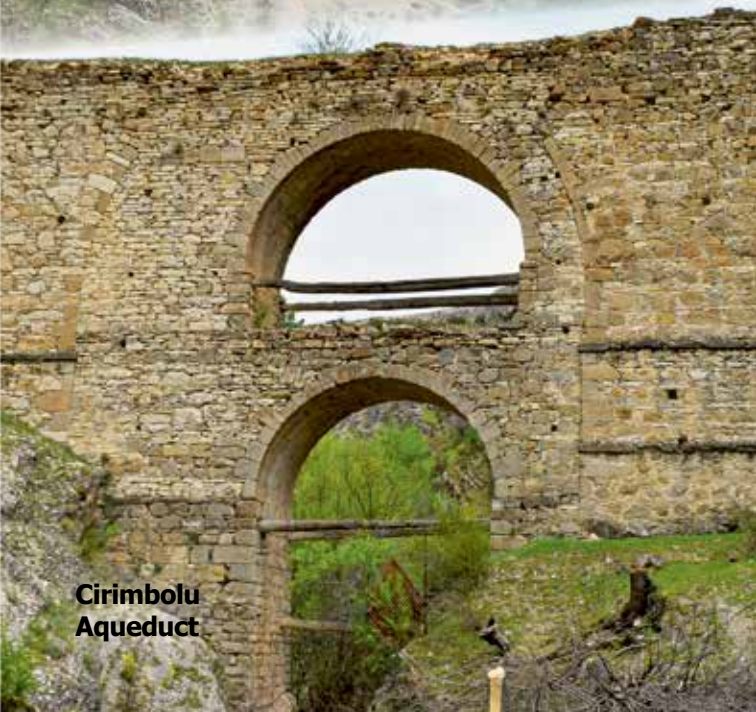
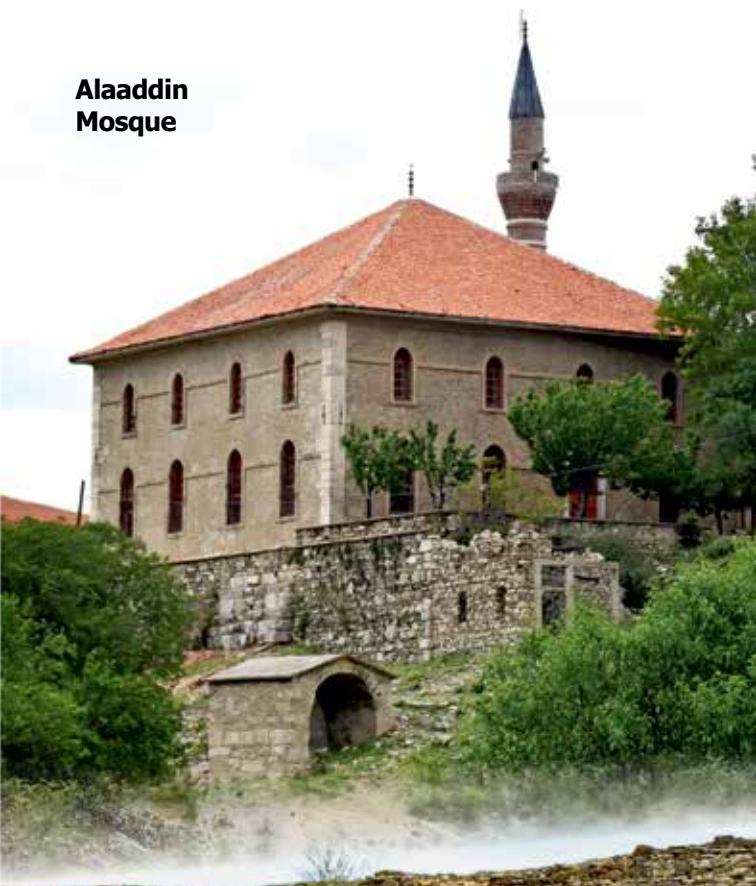
The mosque is in the old town. The daughter of Shah Tuğrul and granddaughter of Kılıç Arslan II had the mosque built in the reign of Sultan Alaaddin Keykubat in 1231. The mosque has three entrances on north, east and west and a minaret made of brick with single şerefe (minaret balcony).



Places To Visit

- ☑ ***Cherry Gardens***
- ☑ ***Apollonia Ancient City***
- ☑ ***Uluborlu Museum***
- ☑ ***Cirimbolu Aqueduct***

**Alaaddin
Mosque**



**Cirimbolu
Aqueduct**

It is possible to make a journey to history in Pisidia Antiokheia Ancient City, have a conversation in Çınaraltı Square, traditional arts such as felt crafts, leather crafts, miniature carts can be seen in Yalvaç District which is located on the south of Sultan Mountains and 105 kms away from Isparta City Center.

Pisidia Antiokheia Ancient City

The ancient city, which was founded in Hellenistic Age, is 1 km on the north of Yalvaç District Center and houses remains from Roman and Byzantium Ages. According to records St. Paul gave his first sermon in the ancient city and there is a church from 4C AD which was devoted to St. Paul. Augustus Temple, Churches, Theatre, Roman Bath, Tiberius Square, Propylon, Nymphaeum, colonnade and aqueduct are the partly preserved remains reached today.



Çınaraltı Square



Devlethan Mosque

Places To Visit

- ☑ *Yalvaç Museum*
- ☑ *Devlethan Mosque*
- ☑ *Çınaraltı Square*
- ☑ *Traditional Yalvaç Houses*
- ☑ *Yalvaç Taşevi Beach*
- ☑ *God Men Sacred Area and Temple*



Pisidia Antiocheia Ancient City

Yenişarbademli District is 110 kms away from Isparta City Center and endemic plant watching, photo safari, trekking, jeep safari, cave tourism, bird watching, mountaineering, plateau, camping, caravanning and hunting activities can be performed in the rich geography of the district.

Mount Dedegöl

On the mountain, which has 2998-meter peak, Lake Kara is worth to see. It offers suitable places and possibilities for trekking, camping and climbing. Hundreds of mountaineers of Turkey come to Melikler Plateau which is very close to Pınargözü Cave in May every year for Dedegöl Mountaineering Festival and climb to Mount Dedegöl.



Pınargözü Cave

Places To Visit

- ☑ *Pınargözü Cave*
- ☑ *Remains of Kubad-1 Abad Palace*



Mount Dedegöl and Melikler Plateau



TOURISTIC ACTIVITIES

- Mountaineering
- Trekking
- Orienteering
- Jeep Safari
- Photo Safari
- Mountain Biking
- Paragliding
- Skiing
- Canyoning
- Cave Tourism
- Climbing
- Endemic Plant and Bird Watching
- Health Tourism
- Belief Tourism



Tandır Kebab

LOCAL CUISINE

Traditional cuisine of Isparta is rich of bread, patties and deserts species in addition to vegetables, meat, grain based foods. Tandır Kebab (oven kebab), banak, sazan dolması (stuffed carp) are famous meals of Isparta Cuisine.



Banak



Sazan Dolması (stuffed carp)



Rose Gardens

Lake Eğirdir



FROM ISPARTA TO CITIES

Ankara	: 422 Kms	İstanbul	: 601 Kms
Antalya	: 128 Kms	İzmir	: 382 Kms
Burdur	: 51 Kms	Konya	: 264 Kms
Denizli	: 167 Kms	Nevşehir	: 487 Kms

HOTELS CERTIFIED BY TOURISM MINISTRY

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Hilton Garden Inn	* * * *	Isparta	+90 246 211 70 00
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Basmacıođlu Hotel	Boutique	Isparta	+90 246 223 79 00
Ramada Isparta Hotel	* * * *	Isparta	+90 246 220 20 00
Iyařpark Hotel	* * *	Isparta	+90 246 500 55 00
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Artan Hotel	* * *	Isparta	+90 246 232 57 00
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