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Golden Triangle with Serene Kerala

12 Nights / 13 Days

Meals

12 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 2 Dinners

Private Tour

Private Air-Conditioned Vehicle with English Speaking Driver

English Speaking Guide

Trip Route:

Delhi - Jaipur - Agra - Kochi - Munnar - Periyar - Backwaters Resort (Kumarakom) -
Backwaters Houseboat (Alleppey) - Kochi

Trip Summary

Day 1

Delhi, Welcome to Incredible India

Hotel Golden Grand - Standard - Hotel Golden Grand

Hotel ITC Welcomhotel Dwarka - Deluxe - ITC Welcomhotel Dwarka

The Lalit Hotel - Premium - The Lalit Boulangerie

The Imperial Hotel - Luxury - Patiala Peg - The Imperial

Day 2

Delightful Tour of Old and New Delhi

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 3

Delhi - Jaipur (Approx. 4 hours drive)

Evening with Local Family

Meals - Breakfast & Dinner Included.

Sarovar Premiere Hotel - Standard - Sarovar Premiere

Alsisar Haveli Heritage Hotel - Deluxe - Alsisar Haveli

Hilton Hotel - Premium - Hilton

Samode Haveli Hotel - Luxury - Samode Haveli Hotel Jaipur

Day 4

Jaipur, The Pink City Tour

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 5

Jaipur - Abhaneri - Fatehpur Sikri - Agra (Approx. 5 hours drive)

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Clarks Shiraz Hotel - Standard - Clarks Shiraz

Hotel Courtyard By Marriott - Deluxe

Trident Hotel - Premium - Trident

ITC Mughal Hotel - Luxury - ITC Mughal

Day 6

Taj Mahal Sunrise Visit

Agra - Delhi (Approx. 3 hours and 30 minutes drive) - Kochi (Cochin) by Flight

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Gokulam Park Hotel Kochi - Standard - Gokulam Park Hotel Kochi

Mãi House Heritage Hotel - Deluxe - Mãi House Heritage Hotel

Fragrant Nature Hotel, Kochi - Premium

Kochi Marriott Hotel - Luxury - Kochi Marriott Hotel

Day 7

Explore Cochin (Kochi)

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 8

Kochi - Munnar (Approx. 4 hours drive)

Meals - Breakfast Included.

The Leaf Hotel - Standard - The Leaf Munnar Resort

The Tall Trees Resort - Deluxe - The Tall Trees Resorts

Fragrant Nature Hotel, Munnar - Premium - Fragrant Nature - Munnar

Chandys Windy Woods Hotel - Luxury - Chandys Windy Woods 5 Star Resort Munnar

Day 9

Munnar Sightseeing

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 10

Munnar - Periyar, Spicy & Wild (Approx. 3 hours drive)

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Merryweather Hotel - Standard - Merryweather Resort Thekkady

Elephant Court Hotel - Deluxe - Elephant Court Hotel Thekkady

Amaana Plantation Resort - Premium - Amaana Plantation Resort

Hills & Hues Resort - Luxury - Hills & Hues

Day 11

Periyar - Backwaters Resort (Approx. 4 hours drive)

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Punnamada Lake Resorts -Standard - Punnamada Lake Resorts

Lake Palace Resort, Alleppey - Deluxe - Lake Palace Resort, Alleppey

Gokulam Grand Resort & Spa - Premium - Gokulam Grand Resort & Spa

Kumarakom Lake Resort - Luxury - Kumarakom Lake Resort

Day 12

Backwaters Houseboat (Approx. 1 hours drive)

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included.

Standard Exclusive Houseboat

Deluxe Exclusive Houseboat

Premium Exclusive Houseboat

Luxury Exclusive Houseboat

Day 13

Houseboat - Kochi (Approx. 2 hours drive), Departure

Meals - Breakfast Included.

Inclusions

Exclusions

Booking Policy

Cancellation Policy with Standard - Deluxe - Premium Hotels

Cancellation Policy with Luxury Hotels

Day 1

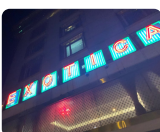
**Delhi, Welcome to Incredible India**

You will be greeted & assisted by our representative at Delhi international airport and later transferred to your hotel to check in.

Remaining time is at leisure till next day.

Note: Hotel check-in is at 2pm.

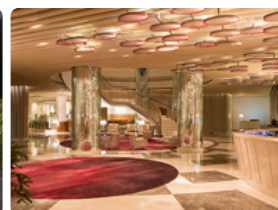
Note: Only transfers provided today.

**Hotel Golden Grand - Standard****Hotel Golden Grand**

W-1/10, New Delhi, Delhi, IN, 110008

**Hotel ITC Welcomhotel Dwarka - Deluxe**

Aerocity Location





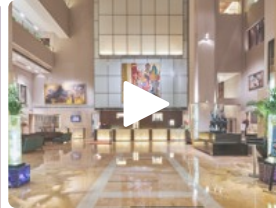
ITC Welcomhotel Dwarka

Dwarka, Delhi, Delhi, IN
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The Lalit Hotel - Premium

Delhi Central Location in Connaught Place



The Lalit Boulangerie

Fire Brigade Lane, New Delhi, Delhi, IN



The Imperial Hotel - Luxury

Connaught Place - Delhi Central Location



Patiala Peg - The Imperial

The Imperial, Janpath Road, Delhi NCR, 110001

Day 2



Delightful Tour of Old and New Delhi

Your day would begin after a leisurely breakfast at the hotel. Post breakfast, you get yourself ready for a personalized guide tour, which begins from the Old and Historic Delhi.

The first halt is **Jama Masjid** and **Red Fort**. Then the guide will arrange a **cycle rickshaw tour**, which will let you catch a closer insight of old era and the very illustrious **Anarkali Bazaar of Chandni Chowk**. At Chandni Chowk, we would further take you to **Khari Baoli Spice Market** – the largest spice market of Asia, which is a true delight for eyes.

Later, you will visit the **Humayun's Tomb** and the **12th century Qutab Minar**.

Afterwards, the imposing boulevards and buildings such as **Rashtrapati Bhawan (President's Residence)**, the one-time imperial residence of the British viceroys and **India Gate** will be experienced from the vehicle.



Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 3



Delhi - Jaipur (Approx. 4 hours drive)

After breakfast, proceed to Jaipur.

On arrival, check-in at your hotel and have a relaxing afternoon.



Evening with Local Family

Spend evening with the local family. It's a great way to have a **local experience in Jaipur**. You will experience a great insight into the lifestyle of Indian family.

You can take part in **cooking with the local family**. Get a taste of true Indian hospitality thanks to this cooking lesson and meal in the home of a local family. You will learn few local dishes and how to prepare them with fresh ingredients.

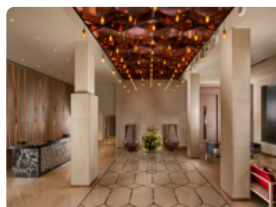
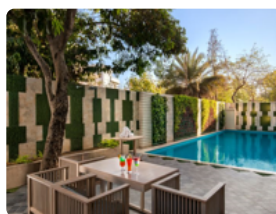
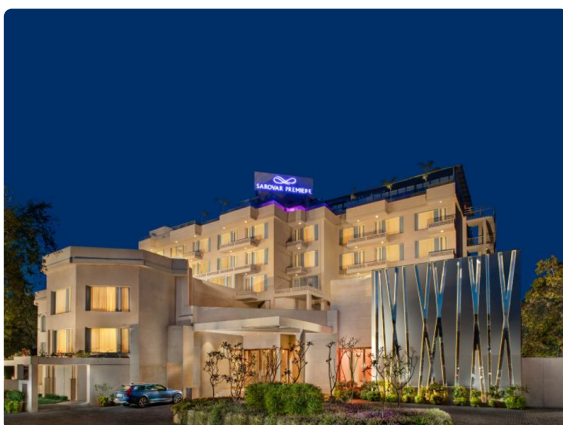
End the experience by enjoying your meal, accompanied by lots of lively conversation, with the family. Return to your hotel and live a memorable night.



Meals - Breakfast & Dinner Included.



Sarovar Premiere Hotel - Standard

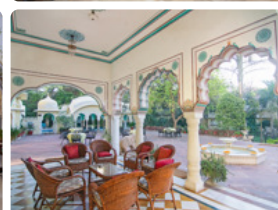
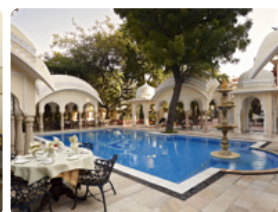
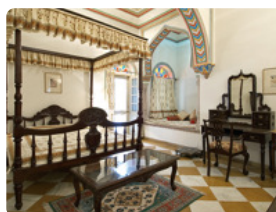


Sarovar Premiere

Sahakar Marg, Tonk Rd, Lalkothi

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Alsisar Haveli Heritage Hotel - Deluxe

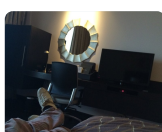
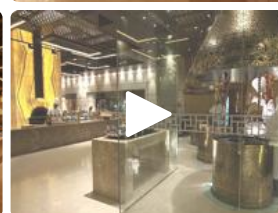
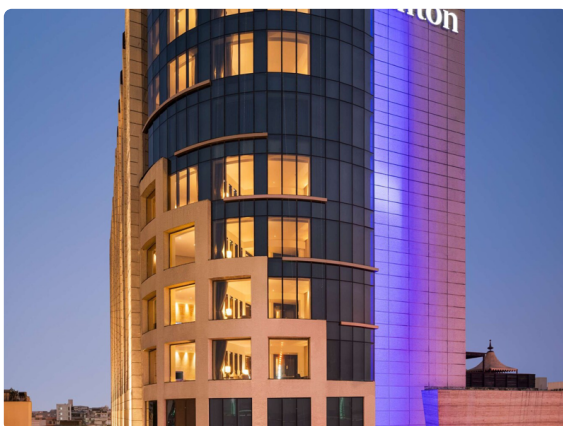


Alsisar Haveli

Sansar Chandra Road, Jaipur, RĀJASTHĀN, IN, 302001

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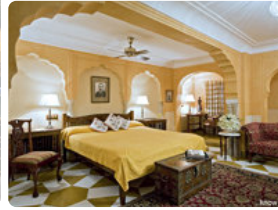
Hilton Hotel - Premium



Hilton

42 Geejgarh House Hawa Sadak, Jaipur, RAJASTHAN, IN, 302006

Samode Haveli Hotel - Luxury



Samode Haveli Hotel Jaipur
Gangapole ., Jaipur, Rājasthān, IN

Day 4



Jaipur, The Pink City Tour

Enthralling, historical Jaipur, Rajasthan's capital, is the gateway to India's most flamboyant state, Rajasthan. Renowned globally for its colored gems, the capital city of Rajasthan combines the allure of its ancient history with all the advantages of a metropolis. Since the color pink was symbolic of hospitality, Maharaja Ram Singh of Jaipur painted the entire city pink. The pink that colors the city makes for a marvelous spectacle to behold.

The morning is fresh as ever for you, and this is when you will have an excursion to **Amer Fort**. This palace is laid out over four layers and sits beside the shimmering Maota Lake.

Later visit the **Maharaja's City Palace** (the home of the erstwhile royal family) and **UNESCO-listed Jantar Mantar space observatory**.

Afterwards stop for picture at **Hawa Mahal** (the Palace of winds).



Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 5

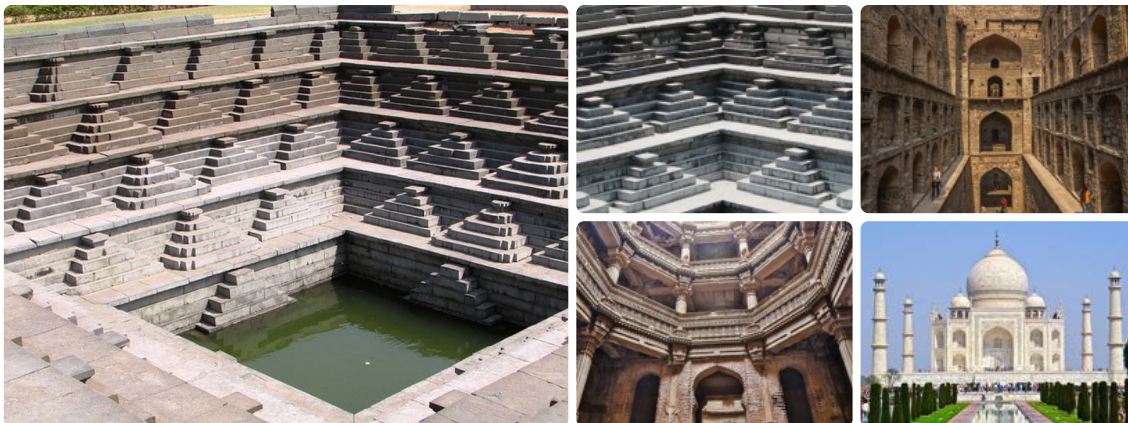


Jaipur - Abhaneri - Fatehpur Sikri - Agra (Approx. 5 hours drive)

After breakfast checkout from the hotel and drive towards Abhaneri. The Chand Baori is a **stepwell** built over a thousand years ago in the Abhaneri village of Rajasthan. It is one of the largest stepwells in the world and one of the most beautiful ones.

Later drive towards **Fatehpur Sikri-a UNESCO World Heritage Site**, a perfectly preserved red sandstone ghost town, which was once the capital of Mughal Empire built in 1569 and deserted when its water supply failed.

Later, take a road trip to Agra – the Old Capital of Mughals.



Meals - Breakfast Included.



Clarks Shiraz Hotel - Standard



Clarks Shiraz

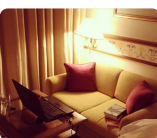
54 Taj Road, Āgra, Uttar Pradesh, IN, 282 001
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Hotel Courtyard By Marriott - Deluxe



Trident Hotel - Premium



Trident

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+91 562 223 5000

ITC Mughal Hotel - Luxury



ITC Mughal

Taj Ganj, Āgra, Uttar Pradesh, IN, 282001
+91 562 402 1700

Day 6



Taj Mahal Sunrise Visit

At dawn, visit the incomparable **Taj Mahal** – one of the seven wonders of the world and symbol of love, to observe the effects caused by the reflections of the changing colors of the rising Sun on this masterpiece. This momentary reflection of romance will captivate your heart by awe.

Return back to your hotel for a delectable breakfast, while a part of you is still living in romanticism.



Agra - Delhi (Approx. 3 hours and 30 minutes drive) - Kochi (Cochin) by Flight

After breakfast checkout from your hotel and at appropriate time you will be transferred to Delhi airport for your flight to Kochi.

Our representative will welcome you at Kochi Airport and assist you with your hotel transfer. Check-in at the hotel.

Rest of the evening is at leisure.



Meals - Breakfast Included.



Gokulam Park Hotel Kochi - Standard

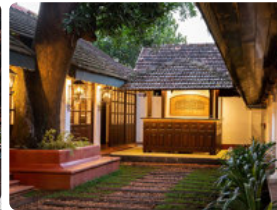


Gokulam Park Hotel Kochi

Banerji Road, Kochi, Kerala, IN, 682017

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Mãi House Heritage Hotel - Deluxe

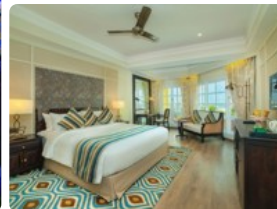


Mãi House Heritage Hotel

Kit Kat junction, TM Muhammad Rd

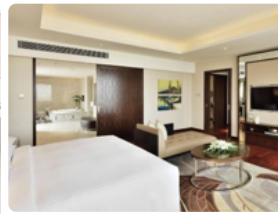
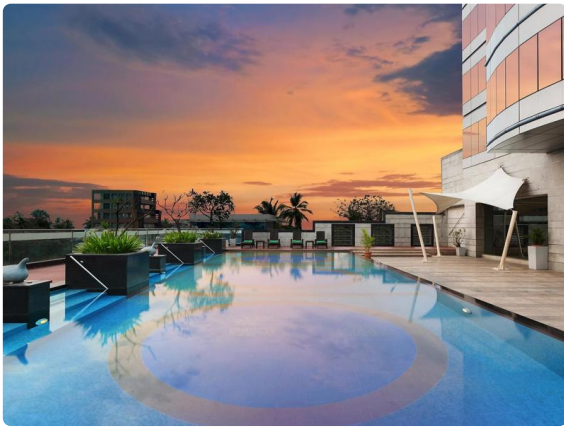
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Fragrant Nature Hotel, Kochi - Premium



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Kochi Marriott Hotel - Luxury



Kochi Marriott Hotel
34/1111 NH 47, Kochi, India

Day 7



Explore Cochin (Kochi)

This glorious day of the tour starts with a delicious breakfast followed by a guided sightseeing tour of Kochi/Cochin.

Explore **St. Francis Church- the oldest church in India**, the imposing **Santa Cruz basilica built by the Portuguese**, the heritage sites of **Fort Kochi** and **shop for antiques and spices**.

Chinese fishing nets, the Dutch Palace and Jewish Synagogue are other highlights of the tour.

You will have several opportunities to find prized souvenirs such as spices and antiques while shopping at Jew Street.

KATHAKALI DANCE

Add a cultural tinge to the evening with a Kathakali dance performance at a popular cultural centre in Fort Kochi. The, colourful dance is not merely a dance. It is an art form that comprises powerful storytelling with ritual, drama, and music.

Return to your hotel and live a memorable night.



Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 8



Kochi - Munnar (Approx. 4 hours drive)

Scenic drive from Kochi to Munnar is the highlight of the day. Have breakfast and head to Munnar, probably one of the most enchanting hill stations in South India.

Drive through lofty mountains of Western Ghats and admire the natural beauty of rolling hills and green valleys.

Rest of the evening is at leisure till next morning. Stay overnight at Hotel in Munnar.



Meals - Breakfast Included.



The Leaf Hotel - Standard

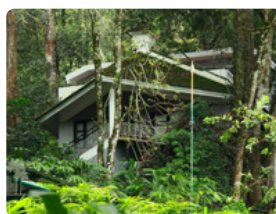


The Leaf Munnar Resort

Chithirapuram PO, Anachal - Amakandam



The Tall Trees Resort - Deluxe

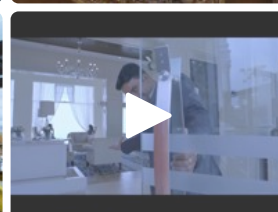
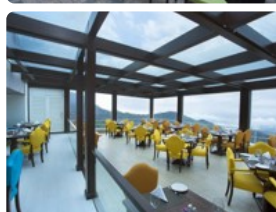
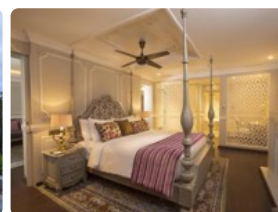


The Tall Trees Resorts

Munnar, Kerala, IN, 685612
04865 232 716



Fragrant Nature Hotel, Munnar - Premium

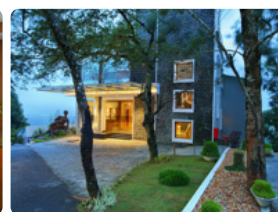


Fragrant Nature - Munnar

Munnar, Kerala, IN, 685612
04868 257 800



Chandys Windy Woods Hotel - Luxury



Chandys Windy Woods 5 Star Resort Munnar

Munnar, Kerala, IN, 685565

Day 9



Munnar Sightseeing

After breakfast, leave for **Eravikulam National Park** in the morning to see **Nilgiri Tahr**, a mountain goat found only in the Nilgiri Hills and the Western Ghats.

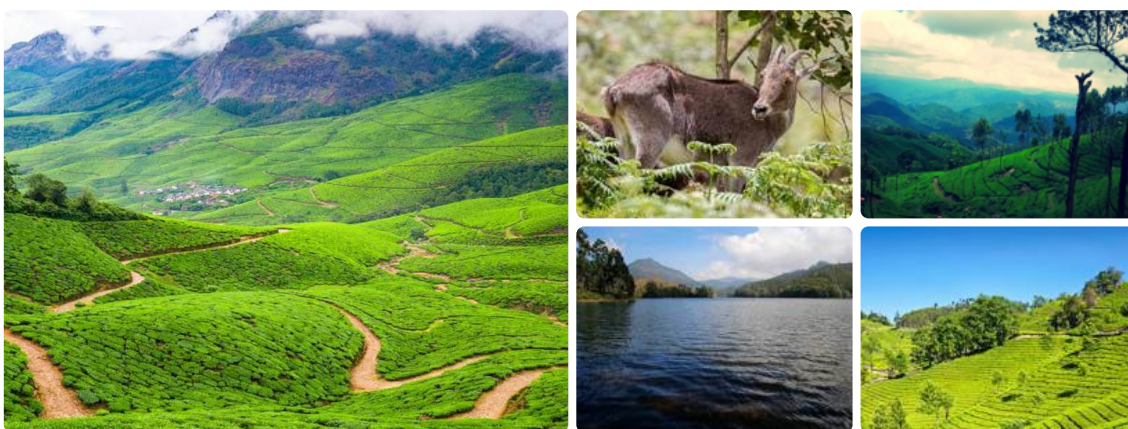
Eravikulam National Park (Closed for the months of February and March)

A wildlife park in the Kannan Devan Hills built to protect endangered animals such as the **Nilgiri Tahr**, a wild mountain goat species.

Offering a magnificent view of the nearby hills used as tea plantations, it's one of the best places in Munnar for taking photos.

Afterwards, proceed to **Mattupetty Dam** and capture the captivating views. Activities like **horse riding and boating** add more fun to your visit to the **Mattupetty Lake**.

Later visit the **Tea Estate**. A beautiful high-altitude tea garden located outside of Munnar, the Tea Estate is a stunning part of nature that any traveler has to see at least once! There is even an old factory on the plantation where you can watch how tea is made and buy some souvenirs.



Meals - Breakfast Included.

Day 10



Munnar - Periyar, Spicy & Wild (Approx. 3 hours drive)

After breakfast, the day starts with a scenic drive to **Periyar**.

On the way, visit the **Spice Plantation**.

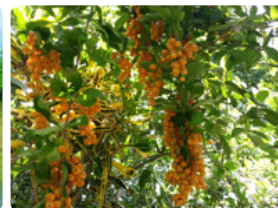
This visit will let you experience the process and hard work behind these flourishing plantation.

Get a chance to buy spices while you explore the spice gardens.

On arrival, check-in at your hotel and after brief refresh, visit the **Periyar National Park**.

Be a part of **wildlife boat ride** over the beautiful **Periyar Lake** in **Periyar National Park**, one of the prominent **elephants reserves** in India and admire the gorgeous natural surroundings.

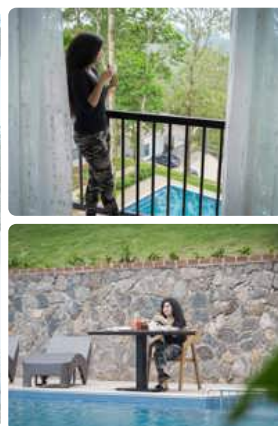
You can explore various species of animals and birds and might get a glimpse of wild elephants, boars and bison.



Meals - Breakfast Included.



Merryweather Hotel - Standard



Merryweather Resort Thekkady

PO, Kumily, Kerala, IN, 685509



Elephant Court Hotel - Deluxe



Elephant Court Hotel Thekkady

Thekkady, P.O. Idukki District



Amaana Plantation Resort - Premium

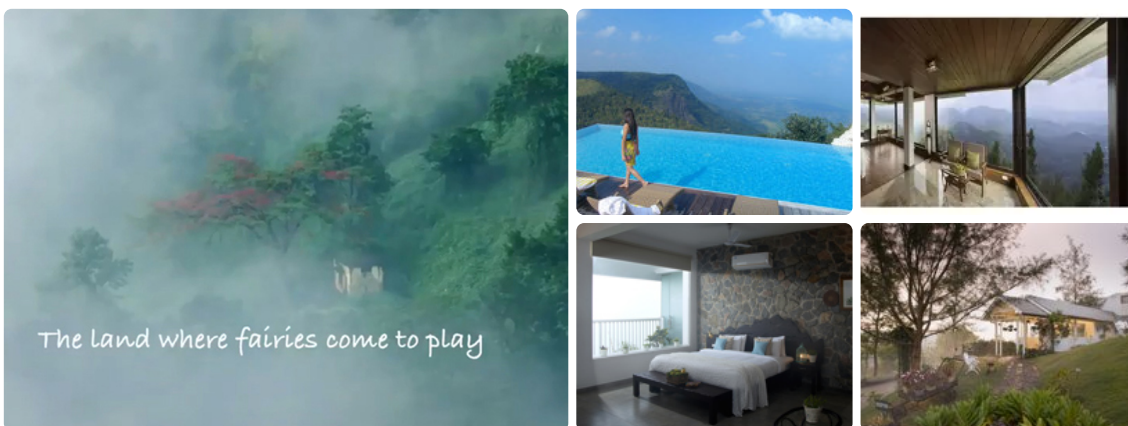


Amaana Plantation Resort

NH 220 Kottayam-Kumily Road, Periyar, Kerala, IN, 685533



Hills & Hues Resort - Luxury



Hills & Hues

2nd Mile, Thekkady, India

Day 11



Periyar - Backwaters Resort (Approx. 4 hours drive)

After breakfast, we will take you to your backwaters resort in **Alleppey**.

Today is all about relaxing at your backwaters resort on the banks on the backwater lagoons.

You can take part in different activities (**own expense**) offered by the resort like **Yoga, Ayurveda Massage, Canal Boating, Fishing, Cycling, Sunset Cruise, Kayaking** and many more.

Spend your day at leisure.



Meals - Breakfast Included.



Punnamada Lake Resorts -Standard



Punnamada Lake Resorts

Punnamada Lake Resort s, Alapuzha, Kerala, IN, 688006
+91 94471 33691



Lake Palace Resort, Alleppey - Deluxe



Lake Palace Resort, Alleppey

Alappuzha, Kerala, IN, 688011
0477 223 9701



Gokulam Grand Resort & Spa - Premium



Gokulam Grand Resort & Spa

Kumarakom Boat Jetty Road, Kumarakom, Kerala, IN, 686563



Kumarakom Lake Resort - Luxury



Kumarakom Lake Resort

Kottayam, India, Kerala, IN, 686 566
+91 481 252 4900

Day 12



Backwaters Houseboat (Approx. 1 hours drive)

After breakfast, at appropriate time we will transfer you to the **Backwaters Houseboat**.

Undoubtedly, this houseboat cruise in the backwaters is the most outstanding highlight of a holiday in Kerala. It will be a unique and exclusive experience in your lifetime.

You will be cruising along the village sides and paddy fields witnessing the core life of the Kerala villages.

Spend your afternoon and evening while sailing through the gorgeous backwaters of Kumarakom.

Stay overnight in the Houseboat.

Note: Houseboat only sails for 4-5 hours a day. Rest of the time is spent at the Jetty Point. Sailing time is subject to weather.

(Breakfast. Lunch and Dinner provided on the houseboat).



Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included.



Standard Exclusive Houseboat



Deluxe Exclusive Houseboat



Premium Exclusive Houseboat



Luxury Exclusive Houseboat



Day 13



Houseboat - Kochi (Approx. 2 hours drive), Departure

Today, at appropriate time you will be transferred to Kochi international airport for your flight for your onward journey.

Board your flight and fly back with memories to cherish for life. **Tour ends.**



Meals - Breakfast Included.



Inclusions

- Garlanding welcome at the Airport in Delhi.
- All arrival and departure transfers.
- Assistance at Airport on arrival.
- 01 Mineral water per person per day.
- **All applicable taxes.**
- **Entrance and Camera fees to the monuments and palaces.**
- **Sightseeing and experiences as per the itinerary.**
- Sightseeing by an exclusive deluxe air-conditioned Vehicle with chauffeur as per the itinerary.
- Accommodation at the specified hotels.
- Daily buffet breakfast during your stay at all proposed destinations.
- Services of English-speaking local tour guides during all sightseeing tours at Delhi, Agra, Jaipur and Kochi.
- Domestic flights as per the itinerary.



Exclusions

- Anything not mentioned or "optional" or "own expense" in the itinerary.
- Portage at Hotels and Airports.
- All Items of Personal Nature, Shopping, Tips, Insurance, Laundry, Liquors, Wine, Etc.
- Meals not specified in Itinerary.
- Tips for staff, guide & driver.
- International airfares unless specified.
- Optional, suggested, or unspecified activities.
- Insurance of any kind, Insurance and Medi claim.
- Visa costs.



Booking Policy

Once you've selected your desired tour, all you need to do is forward a **deposit of 20% plus air and train tickets costs per booking per trip to secure your place.**

Bank transfer to Commonwealth Account

or

All Major Cards Accepted (Surcharge may apply)

You won't need to pay your final balance until 60 days prior to your tour start date. If your booking is made within 60 days of the tour start date, then the full amount is payable at the time of booking.

Note: International and domestic airline tickets and rail tickets are subject to full payment at the time of booking and are subject to respective airline booking, and cancellation policies.

Cancellation Policy with Standard - Deluxe - Premium Hotels

- You can cancel right up to 30 days before the tour starts and we will refund your full **land deposit** and any progress payments made by you within 14 business days.
 - Note:** Cancellation and rebooking policies are only valid for land part of tour not **Safari Tickets, International and domestic airline tickets and train tickets.**
 - Note:** International and domestic airline tickets and train tickets are subject to full payment at the time of booking and are subject to respective airline and train operators policies for booking, rebooking and cancellation.
 - Note:** Safari tickets tickets are non-refundable.

From 30 days before tour start date:-

- If your tour is cancelled due to government travel restrictions, your deposit and any progress payments will be carried forward as full credit towards future travel with us with Zero fees.
- If you leave a trip for any reason after it has commenced, we are not obliged to make any refunds for unused services. Vibrant India Tours will endeavour to recover as much of your funds as we can on your behalf or negotiate a credit for future use.
- If you fail to join a tour, join it after departure, or leave it prior to its completion, no refund will be made. Vibrant India Tours will endeavour to recover as much of your funds as we can on your behalf or negotiate a credit for future use.
- If you have to amend or cancel the tour from 30 days before the tour start date to the end date of the tour, any cost arising from it will be your liability and payable by you within 24 hours of amendment.
- If the tour needs to be amended or cancelled due to sickness or covid related reason, we are not obliged to make any refunds for unused services. Vibrant India Tours will endeavour to recover as much of your funds as we can on your behalf or negotiate a credit for future use. Any cost arising from it will be your liability and payable by you within 24 hours.
- A cancellation or rebooking will only be effective when we receive written confirmation of the cancellation.
- For full cancellation & refund policy, visit <https://www.vibrantindiatours.com.au/terms-conditions>

Cancellation Policy with Luxury Hotels

- You can cancel right up to 60 days before the tour starts and we will refund your full **land deposit** and any progress payments made by you within 14 business days.
 - Note:** Cancellation and rebooking policies are only valid for land part of tour not **Safari Tickets, International and domestic airline tickets and train tickets.**
 - Note:** International and domestic airline tickets and train tickets are subject to full payment at the time of booking and are subject to respective airline and train operators policies for booking, rebooking and cancellation.
 - Note:** Safari tickets tickets are non-refundable.
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 - If the tour needs to be amended or cancelled due to sickness or covid related reason, we are not obliged to make any refunds for unused services. Vibrant India Tours will endeavour to recover as much of your funds as we can on

your behalf or negotiate a credit for future use. Any cost arising from it will be your liability and payable by you within 24 hours.

- A cancellation or rebooking will only be effective when we receive written confirmation of the cancellation.
- For full cancellation & refund policy, visit <https://www.vibrantindiatours.com.au/terms-conditions>