



LUXURY INDIA with STYLE

Delhi, Varanasi, Agra, Ranthambhore, Jaipur, Jodhpur & Udaipur
15 Nights / 16 Days

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Today you will board your flight to Delhi.

Day 2: ARRIVAL IN DELHI

Arrive Delhi, clear immigration and customs and proceed towards the visitor's gallery, where our representative will be holding a placard for you to assist and transfer you to your hotel.

Delhi, the capital of India has a fascinating history and a stimulating present. Delhi has been the seat of a power of a number of dynasties – the Rajputs, the Muslims invaders from the North, the Afghan dynasties followed by Tughlaqs, Sayyads, the Ladies and the Mughals, who continued the Imperial line, until British days. **The old city**, built by Shah Jahan in the 17th century, stands today as an epitome of the whole history of Indo-Islamic architecture. New Delhi, designed and constructed by Sir Edwin Lutyens and Sir Herbert Baker is a mixture of east and west. The public buildings in red sandstone are in the Mughal style. **New Delhi**, has a circular Parliament House and an imposing Central Secretariat in two blocks, which stand at the approaches to *Rashtrapati Bhavan*, the residence of the President of India. Delhi is today the political, economic and cultural capital of the world's largest democracy and has also become one of the greatest tourist centers of the world.

Overnight: The Oberoi Hotel New Delhi

The hotel is equipped with new, clean air technology which promises the cleanest air in the city. All rooms feature large picture windows which frame unmatched views of the Delhi Golf Course on one side and the historical Humayun's Tomb on the other. Rooms have teakwood floors, walk-in closets, luxury Italian marble bathrooms, complimentary high speed Internet for up to four devices, international television news channels and a selection of latest movies. A butler service and in room dining will be available 24 hours a



day. Wellness facilities include temperature controlled indoor and outdoor swimming pool, The Oberoi Spa and a 24 hour fitness centre. The threesixty° offers all-day dining restaurant, a contemporary Indian restaurant and a rooftop Chinese restaurant. There is also an open-air rooftop bar serving champagne, cocktails and tapas. The temperature controlled wine cellar at the Lobby level offers specially curated selection of fine wines and champagnes. The Club Bar serves a wide range of premium alcoholic beverages and the Cigar Lounge offers the finest selection of cigars.

Day 3: DELHI

Breakfast at the hotel.

Later, meet your local guide in the hotel lobby and depart for a guided sightseeing tour of **Old Delhi** to visit:

Jama Masjid: this is one of the largest mosques in India, and a sight of historical importance. Begun in 1644, the mosque was not completed until 1658. It has three gateways, four angle towers and two minarets standing 40m high and constructed of altering vertical strips of red sandstone and white marble.

Enjoy a cycle rickshaw ride through the Chandani Chowk market. We then drive past the Red Fort (stop for photo from outside), built in red sand stone are the walls of Lal Quila. The Red Fort extends for 2 km and



varies in height from 18m on the river side to 33m on the city side. Shah Jahan started construction of the massive fort in 1638 and it was completed in 1648.

Later visit the **Raj Ghat**, the place where Mahatma Gandhi was put to rest.

Continue drive to **Connaught Place** - Connaught Place is a frenetic business and financial hub, centered on a ring of colonnaded Georgian-style buildings with global chain stores, vintage cinemas, bars and Indian restaurants. Stalls at Janpath Market sell saris, embroidered bags and trinkets.

Tour ends with a visit to 'Akshardham Temple & Water Show' with guide.

Akshardham Temple (closed on Mondays): The Akshardham Temple is one of the most recently built temples in Delhi. Constructed by the Bochasanvasi Aksharpurushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha (BAPS), it is situated on the banks of the River Yamuna. Delhi Akshardham Mandir was inaugurated in November'05 in the presence of President APJ Abdul Kalam. It is spread over an area of 100 acres and took about two years to complete.



Evening enjoy a multimedia water show – 'Sahaj Anand'

Show Timings: First show starts soon after sunset. (Currently 19:00 hrs) **Shows**: Two shows may be held during weekends or public holidays.

Duration: 24 minutes

Return to the hotel for a complimentary dinner.

Overnight: The Oberoi Hotel New Delhi Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 4: DELHI

Breakfast at the hotel.

This morning meet your local guide in the hotel lobby and depart for a guided half-day sightseeing tour of New Delhi to visit:

Humayun's Tomb (Tomb of Mughal Emperor Humayun) - built in the mid-16th century by Haji Begum, the Persian-born senior wife of Humayun, the second Mughal emperor, this is a wonderful early example of Mughal architecture.

Drive past India Gate (War memorial), the President's House which was once the Viceroy's Palace, Parliament House and Secretarial buildings.

Later visit the **Qutab Minar** - 234 feet high tower, the Qutab Minar itself is a soaring tower of victory that was started in 1193, immediately after the defeat of the last Hindu kingdom in Delhi. It is nearly 73m high and tapers from a 15m diameter base to just 2.5m at the top. The tower has five distinct stories, each marked by a projecting balcony. The first three storey are made of red sandstone, the fourth and the fifth of marble and sandstone.





Overnight: The Oberoi Hotel New Delhi

Meals: Breakfast

Day 5: DELHI - VARANASI Flight: 9W 2423 Dep. at 10:55 am and Arr. at 12:10pm

Early breakfast at the hotel.

8:30 am check out and meet your driver in the hotel lobby and you will be transferred to airport to board flight for Varanasi.

Arrive Varanasi and walk towards the exit hall where our local representative will be paging for you to assist and transfer you to the hotel.

Varanasi is the world's most ancient city and the home of Hinduism. The present name is derived from the fact that it is at the confluence of the two rivers *Varuna* and *Asi* that flow across the city. To the Hindus, **Varanasi** is the holiest city, with its array of shrines, temples and palaces rising in several tiers from the water's edge. Varanasi is one of the most fascinating cities in the east. It is also a city of fairs and festivals, celebrating about four hundred of them during the year. Since time immemorial, Varanasi has been a center of learning and the tradition is kept alive today by the Banaras Hindu University (BHU) founded in 1916.

After check-in proceed for excursion tour to "Sarnath" – The ancient Buddhist learning center of Sarnath. Here, Gautama Buddha preached his first sermon to his disciples as portrayed in Bernardo Bertolucci's film "Little Buddha." We then visit the Sarnath Museum (remains closed on Fridays) which houses some of the greatest treasures of Indian Buddhist art, including Lion Capital of Ashoka, the Sarnath museum has a small but awe-inspiring collection of Buddhist artifacts. Among the things to see is a beautiful sculpture of the Buddha from the





fifth century.

In the evening drive to the Ghat to see the **Aarti ceremony.** As the sun sets the temple priests perform Aarti, the sacred "light ceremony", on the banks Mother Ganges.

Overnight: Nadesar Palace

Over the years, royalty and celebrities have stayed in the luxurious and spacious rooms at Nadesar Palace. Featuring four-poster beds and traditional furnishings, all come with a flat-screen TV, DVD player and minibar. Large marble ancient Indian methods are used at Jiva Spa, which provides aromatherapy massage, body scrubs and other beauty treatments. The Palace Butlers can help guests arrange yoga classes, golf games and river cruises. A daily breakfast can be enjoyed at the sun terrace. There are also pool-side barbecue dinners in the evenings.



Meals: Breakfast

Day 6: VARANASI

05.30 am depart for a boat ride on the Ganges.

Early morning, boat ride on holy river Ganges – to see the ritual bathing and cremation. It is worth the effort at waking up before sunrise, a direct contact with life on the banks of the Ganges. This is a soul stirring experience as you witness the performance of various rituals, laundry & cremations in the background of the rising Sun.



We also have an opportunity to walk the narrow streets which are preserved as they were centuries ago and visit the famous Kashi temple.

Return to the hotel for breakfast.

Later depart for guided sightseeing tour to visit the largest and oldest university in north India - Banaras Hindu University (BHU). The university also has the huge Vishwanath temple which was built and maintained by the Birla family. The Banaras Hindu University has Bharat Kala Museum, which has a very rich collection of precious and rare historical manuscripts. Durga Temple, better known as the Monkey temple because of the large number of monkeys residing there. The temple was built in the 18th century. According to legend, the present statue of Goddess Durga was not made by man but appeared on its own in the temple. The architecture is of a Nagara style, which is typical of North India. The temple has a rectangular tank of water called the Durga Kund ("Kund" meaning a pond or pool.) The temple has multitiered spires and is stained red with ochre, representing the red colour of Durga. The Kund was initially connected directly to the river thus the water was automatically replenished. This channel was later closed, locking off the water supply, which is replenished only by rain or drainage from the Temple.

Also visit The temple "Bharat Mata Temple" is dedicated to Mother India. This temple is built in the Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapeeth. It was inaugurated by Mahatma Gandhi in 1936 so that the citizens

could respect Mother India in statue form which is built in marble. The statue is a replica of undivided India in three dimensions which has the mountains, plains and oceans in right proportion.

Overnight: Nadesar Palace Meals: Breakfast

Day 7: VARANASI – DELHI Flight: SG 2196 8:20am-10:25am DELHI - AGRA Drive: 220 kms/4 hrs (approx.)

Carry packed breakfast from hotel.

6:00 am check out and meet our local representative in the hotel lobby for your transfer to airport to board flight for Delhi.

Arrive Delhi, proceed towards exit gate and meet our local representative who will be paging for you to assist and you will depart by road to Agra.

Arrive Agra and check in at the hotel.

Agra, located on the banks of the river Yamuna, Agra is famous around the world as the 'City of the Taj'.

In the evening enjoy a complimentary sundowner at hotel.

Overnight: The Oberoi Amarvilas

Set 1.3 km from the Taj Mahal, this upscale, luxe hotel is also 4.2 km from the red sandstone Agra Fort and 4.7 km from Jama Masjid mosque. The chic, ornate rooms and suites all feature views of the Taj Mahal along with free Wi-Fi for upto four devices, flat-screen TVs and marble bathrooms. They also have sitting areas. Room service is available 24-hours. http://www.oberoihotels.com/hotels-in-agra/

Meals: Breakfast



Day 8: AGRA

5.30 am depart for **Taj Mahal** visit at the time of sunrise (Subject to weather condition).

The world famous **Taj Mahal** (**closed on Fridays**) during sunrise - symbol of eternal love, which stands on the banks of River Yamuna. It was built by the 5th Mughal Emperor, Shah Jahan in the year 1631 in memory of his wife, Mumtaz Mahal. It was completed in 22 years. The Taj Mahal is widely recognized as "the jewel of Muslim art in India"



and one of the universally admired masterpieces of the world's heritage. It is regarded by many as the finest example of Mughal architecture, a style that combines elements from Persian and Indian architectural styles. In 1983, the Taj Mahal became a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

That been said, the Taj is at its most alluring in the relative quiet of early morning, shrouded in mists and bathed with a soft red glow. As its vast marble surfaces fall into shadow or reflect the sun, its colour changes, from soft grey and yellow to pearly cream and dazzling white; it's well worth visiting at different times. This play of light is an important decorative device, symbolically implying the presence of Allah, who is never represented in anthropomorphic form.

The moods of the Taj vary from dawn to dusk. The Taj Mahal or the Crown of Palaces looks milky white in the soft light that characterizes early morning, while the afternoon sun makes it glisten bright and dazzling in the overhead sunlight, almost looking like a jewel against the opaque blue of the skyline and then comes a moonlit Taj breaking into the night sky, majestic and simply beautiful in a sense that cannot be put into words. It is at this time that it shines like a pearl. (A visit to the Taj Mahal at dawn or dusk is an unforgettable experience)

Return to hotel for Breakfast.

Later proceed with guide to visit Agra Fort:

Agra Fort - Agra is not only famous for the Taj Mahal but the impressive Mughal Red Fort known as the Agra Fort. The city built by Emperor Akbar and beautified with palaces and gardens by Jahangir is dominated by Agra Fort. The crescent-shaped fort is enclosed by its 20-metre high, 2.4 km long outer walls. The fort contains a maze of buildings forming a small city within a city. One enters the fort through the Amar Singh Gate, into the southern part of the fort which includes nearly all the buildings of tourist interest. Jahangir's palace commissioned by Akbar was the largest private residence in the fort. The Diwani-Aam (hall of public audience) and Diwan-i-Khas (hall of private audience) were built by Shahjahan for receiving audiences. Musamman Burj, an octagonal tower, stands close to Diwan-i-Khas.



Itmad-ud-Daula Tomb (also known as BABY TAJ) – The interiors of which are considered better than the Taj. One of the most beautiful Mughal tombs, Itmad-Ud-Daulah's Tomb was built by Nur Jahan, the Empress of Jahangir for her father in 1628. The tomb is a resting place of the powerful personality in Mughal Court, Itmad-Ud-Daulah, whose life is very interesting, formerly a very poor Persian merchant then named Mirza Ghiyas or Ghiyas Beg he became a minister and a trusted treasure in Akbar's court. After Akbar's death in 1605, his son Jahangir rose into power. Jahangir made Ghiyas Beg his chief minister and honored him



with the title of Itmad-Ud-Daulah, the Pillar of State. Later, Jahangir met a beautiful daughter of Ghiyas Beg named Mehr-Un-Nissa and married her. Mehr-Un-Nissa soon played a significant role in the Jahangir's

court and was called Nur Mahal, the light of the Palace. Owing to her influence, her father and brother were granted with privileges in the court. When Ghiyas Beg (Itmad-Un-Daulah) dies in 1622, Nur Mahal decided to build a mausoleum for him. Queen Mumtaz Mahal or the lady of the Taj was also from this prevailing family. The mausoleum is entirely made of white marble and graced with intricate decoration of inlay work, and marble-screen work belonging to the Islamic style. With its tranquil, small garden on the bank of Yamuna River, the tomb stands impressively elegant from a distance.

In the evening again depart to visit the world famous **Taj Mahal** during Sunset (subject to weather conditions).

Your guide will also take you to local market named 'Kinari Bazaar' - The narrow tapestry behind the Jama Masjid is an overcrowded maze of vibrant markets. The area is known as Kinari Bazaar as many lanes fan out from the Kinari Bazaar road. It is a colorful market dotted with a number of shops each specializing in different wares. Simply walking down the streets will be an experience to enjoy and cherish for the lifetime.

Overnight: The Oberoi Amarvilas Meals: Breakfast at the hotel

Day 9: AGRA - RANTHAMBHORE

Drive: 265 kms/5-6 hrs (approx.)

Breakfast at the hotel.

7:00 am check out and meet your driver in the hotel lobby and depart for Ranthambhore and upon arrival, check in at your hotel.

Ranthambhore National Park or Sawai Madhopur is known to have India's Friendliest tigers Assured of protection; these nocturnal creatures are seen often in the day. Sprawled on the Aravalli and Vindhya ranges of Rajasthan, Ranthambore National Park encompasses an area of 410 SQ km in which lives a healthy population of about 40 tigers. A large number of deer inhabit the area and leopards are occasionally sighted. Mammals: Tiger, Panther, Hyena, Jackal , Jungle Cat , Caracal , Sloth Bear, Sambar, Chital, Nilgai, Wild Boar, Chinkara,



Indian hare mongoose. Birds: Bonelli's eagle, crested serpent eagle, great Indian horned owl, grey partridge sandgrouse, quail, spurfowl, common peafowl, tree pie, paradise flycatcher, pheasant tailed jacana, painted stork, black stork, spoonbill, green pigeon and ducks.

Overnight: The Oberoi Vanyavilas

Set amid 8 hectares of gardens, this refined hotel featuring luxury tents is 1.8 km from the Shilpgram museum and 9 km from Ranthambore Fort. The elegant rooms in luxe tents with wood floors offer free Wi-Fi and air-conditioning (no TVs). All rooms have 4-poster beds, sitting areas and terraces, plus en suite bathrooms with free-



standing baths. Room service is also available.

http://www.oberoihotels.com/hotels-in-ranthambhore/

Meals: Breakfast

Day 10: RANTHAMBHORE

Tea coffee will be served in the lobby.

Early morning depart for your first park safari in the park.

Return back to hotel for breakfast and rest of the Morning is at leisure. In the afternoon depart for your second park safari.

Overnight: The Oberoi Vanyavilas

Meals: Breakfast

Day 11: RANTHAMBHORE - JAIPUR

Drive: 150 kms/3 hrs (approx.)

Breakfast at the hotel.

In time, check out, meet your driver and depart by road to Jaipur and check in at hotel.

Jaipur: The rose-pink capital of Rajasthan is surrounded on all sides by rugged hills, crowned with forts and enclosed by embattled walls. The Maharaja's palace stands in the centre of the city amidst lovely gardens. Houses with latticed windows line the streets, their rose-pink colour lending enchantment to the scene which is almost magical at sunset. Jaipur is aptly called the 'Pink City of India'. It takes its name from the famous Maharana Sawai Jai Singh, who founded the city in 1728.

Jaipur is noted for its craft men skilled in the art of cutting precious stones and famed for its garnets and rubies. It is equally well known for brass inlay work, lacquer work and the printing of muslines. The City Palace which now houses a museum containing rate manuscripts, paintings and an armoury; the Observatory with a sundial 90 ft. high; the Museum amidst the Ram Niwas Palace Gardens founded in 1876 with a large collection of antiques; the Palace of Winds a landmark of Jaipur made of pink sand stone and of unique design.

In the evening enjoy a unique experience at the resort: Experience a traditional 'aarti', the Hindu ritual of offering prayers by fire, at our 18th century Lord Shiva temple. Nestled upon a small island and reached by bridge across a beautiful lily pond, the temple is an indescribably tranquil location for guests to experience this traditional ceremony. Combine Aarti Puja ceremony with a private yoga session, for the ultimate Oberoi experience. Timing: 15 minutes, 8.00am and 6.30pm every day – subject to change due weather.

Later, enjoy a complimentary dinner at hotel.

Overnight: The Oberoi Rajvilas

The Oberoi Rajvilas is a royal resort set in a breathtaking thirty two acre oasis of beautiful landscaped gardens, filled with exotic birdlife. Built around an 18th century Shiva temple which affords chanting with a Hindu priest, meditation and morning yoga, The Oberoi Rajvilas is a haven of mystical peace and natural serenity.

http://www.oberoihotels.com/hotels-in-jaipur/

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner



Day 12: JAIPUR

Breakfast at the hotel.

8:30 am meet your local guide in the hotel lobby and depart for a guided full day sightseeing tour of Jaipur.

Proceed to visit the **Amber Fort** (the former capital of the Royal Rajputs). Ascend the fort on Elephant back or jeep ride. Few fail to be moved by the dramatic Rajput grandeur of this hilltop fortress-palace 11-km north of Jaipur. Set on the dry wrinkled Aravali Hills, and surrounded by fortified battlements, the palace straddles two sepia-hued tundra hills overlooking Maota Lake, and its sprawling crenellated walls lattice the surrounding hills.

In the afternoon visit Jaipur City:

Hawa Mahal or Palace of the Winds, a five-storied structure of pink sand stone with semi-octagonal and delicately honeycombed windows overlooking the main street of the old city. It was built in 1799 so that veiled royal woman could peer down unseen by the world through its 593 stone screens.

City Palace & Museum. The City Palace in the heart of the old city is a blend of Rajasthani and Mughal architecture. The center of the palace is a seven storied building called Chandra Palace, with fine views over the gardens and the city.

Solar Observatory - an astronomical treasure house, with solar devices that

still give accurate predictions.

Rest of the evening is free for independent activities.



Optional:

- Evening cultural program, cooking demo and dinner with Indian family.
- Sound & Light Show at Amber Fort with dinner at Nahargarh Fort A light and sound show at Amber Fort and a fine dining experience is this package introducing to you which brings forth some good moments in a beautiful location. Pick up from your hotel in the early evening around 6:00 PM and drive to Amber Fort, witness light and sound show and later drive to Nahargarh & enjoy dinner with eagle view of the pink city in a palace converted into a Hotel, Once Upon a Time in Nahargarh.

After dinner return back to hotel.

Overnight: The Oberoi Rajvilas

Meals: Breakfast

Day 13: JAIPUR - JODHPUR

Drive: 330 kms / 6-7 hrs (approx.)

Early breakfast at the hotel.

Check out, collect your **packed lunch from hotel** and meet your driver in the hotel lobby for your drive to Jodhpur.

Arrive Jodhpur and check in at hotel.

Jodhpur stands on a range of sandstone hills surrounded by a strong wall nearly 10 kms in length, with seven gates. Dominating the city is an eminence surmounted by a massive fortress. In olden days, the fortress must have been well-nigh impregnable, for the rocky base on which it is built is scraped on every side. Within the walls are royal palaces with priceless jewels and a striking collection of arms.

In the evening enjoy **Umaid Bhawan Palace** tour organized by hotel for resident guest-Maharaja Umaid Songhai who built this palace was fascinated with western lifestyles so he marshaled the services of a well-known Edwardian architect, Henry Vaughan Lanchester, a creditable equal of Edward Lutyens (architect of New Delhi) to construct a three hundred and forty seven roomed Umaid Palace. This was to become India last of the great palaces and the biggest private residence in the world.

Overnight: The Umaid Bhawan Palace

Every room at this hotel is air conditioned and is equipped with a flatscreen TV with satellite channels and DVD player. Certain rooms have a sitting area to relax in after a busy day. All rooms are fitted with a private bathroom. For your comfort, you will find bathrobes and slippers. The hotel has an outdoor pool and fitness center, and guests can enjoy a meal at the restaurant. There is also a hairdresser's at the property.



Meals: Breakfast & Lunch

Day 14: JODHPUR

Breakfast at the hotel.

Later proceed for guided half-day sightseeing tour to visit the imposing **Mehrangarh Fort,** within the walls is royal palace with priceless jewels and a striking collection of arms.

Jaswant Thada is an imposing marble memorial built in 1899.

Continue your drive to **Rohet** for lunch.



After lunch, enjoy Village Jeep Safari, Rohet's signature program and one of our main highlights.

This cultural safari was pioneered by the house of Rohet twenty seven years ago. It showcases rural India in its entire splendor. The 'Village Safari enables guests to experience life in the villages and offers an opportunity to interact with the local folk. Guests have called it the highlight of their trip to India, as the 'Safari' brings them up close and personal with the real India that lives in the villages. It takes them back to their roots and changes their very conception of India. The warmth of the people, the fantastic traditional costumes of the different communities with all the vibrant colors that Rajasthan is so famous for, the diversity amongst the different communities, and the peace and harmony in diversity that is the essence of India, the aesthetics of their beautiful rustic architecture and the incredible levels of hygiene, and most of all, the underlying spirituality that touches the core of the heart makes 'The Village Safari' the most memorable moment of the India experience for most.

In the evening enjoy a short walk through the local and vibrant bazaar of Jodhpur. The Sardar Market is located near the clock tower in the city and is quite famous for its textiles in different prints, leather footwear and artifacts. Apart from exploring the local markets, the astonishing arts & crafts will give you a brief overview about the city's true essence.

Overnight: The Umaid Bhawan Palace

Meals: Breakfast & lunch

Day 15: JODHPUR - UDAIPUR (via Ranakpur) Drive: 295 kms/6-7 hrs (approx.)

Breakfast at the hotel.

Check out and meet your driver in the hotel lobby for your drive to Udaipur en-route visit famous Ranakpur Jain Temple complex: These temples were created in the 15th century AD during the reign of Rana Kumbha and are enclosed within a wall.

Stop for lunch at a hotel in Ranakpur.

After lunch, continue on your drive to Udaipur.

Arrive Udaipur and check into the hotel.

In **Udaipur** the visitor finds his dream of India come true - for the city combines real beauty with picturesque associations of a great and glorious past. It stands in a valley, amid green hills on the banks of the wide, steel blue Lake Pichola. On little islands in the lake, from the water's edge, raise marble palaces of pure white that glisten like fairy castles. Crowning the ridge, in which the city clusters, along the shores of the lake is the palace of the Maharaja. Within the palace is all the magnificence of the east – peacocks in mosaic on the walls, floors inlaid with tiles of rare beauty, and roof gardens affording magnificent views of the panorama below.

Overnight: The Oberoi Udaivilas

Set amidst gardens and overlooking Lake Pichola, this luxury hotel is 2.4 km from both Jagdish Temple and the City Palace Museum. Bright, elegant rooms and suites feature flat-screen TVs, DVD players and sitting areas, plus minibars and iPod docks. Suites add dining rooms, living rooms and coffeemakers, as well as private pools and furnished courtyards with lake views. A 24-hour butler service is available. http://www.oberoihotels.com/hotels-in-udaipur/



Meals: Breakfast & Lunch

Day 16: UDAIPUR

Breakfast at the hotel.

Meet your local guide in the hotel lobby and depart for half day sightseeing tour of Udaipur to visit:

Sahelion Ki Bari (Queen's retreat for her friends), enjoy a drive around **Fateh Sagar Lake** - a man-made lake; **City Palace** - one of the most important attractions in Udaipur. It has several exotic palatial structures that enchant with their carved and fantastic walls, latticework, mirror work etc. Then proceed to visit the **Jagdish Temple** and **Gulab Niwas Garden.**



Later, stroll around the city and enjoy a private **boat ride** on Lake Pichola.

Visit the **Jag Mandir Palace**. The palace is built of granite and marble, spreading over four acres and is built almost in the middle of the lake. Visit the Borra Mahal, Khas Mahal and the courts, gardens and fountains.

In the evening enjoy a complimentary dinner at hotel.

Overnight: The Oberoi Udaivilas Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Day 17: UDAIPUR - DELHI

Flight: 9W823

12:55pm/2:10pm

Breakfast at the hotel.

10:00 am check out and meet your driver in the hotel lobby for your transfer to airport to board flight for Delhi.

Arrive Delhi, proceed toward exit gate, meet our representative who will be holding a placard of your name to assist and transfer you to your hotel.

Arrive and check into the hotel. Rest of the day free to relax.

Day use: Hotel JW Marriott Aerocity

The JW Marriott Hotel New Delhi Aerocity, located adjacent to Indira Gandhi International Airport, our hotel features exceptionally large accommodation with ultra-comfortable bedding and marble bathrooms, as well as 24-hour room service and modern technology. Choose among several outstanding onsite restaurants, including an all-day buffet eatery and exquisite Japanese fare at Akira Back. Book an indulgent treatment at Quan Spa, or relax at the outdoor pool and sip a refreshing drink. Additional amenities at our 5-star hotel include a modern fitness center and 24,000 square feet of immaculately appointed venue space - including one of the largest ballrooms in New Delhi.



Late evening at 10:00 pm, check out and meet our representative in the hotel lobby for your transfer to airport to board your flight for onward destination.

Day 18: DEPART DELHI

Flight: xx xxxx x:xxam-xx:xxpm

Depart New Delhi.

Bon Voyage...!

Note:

- ~ Airport check in for domestic flights is 2 hrs and International flight is 3 hrs prior to
- ~ Departure.
- ~ Driving distance/time is approx., which is subject to road conditions/traffic.
- ~ Flight schedule mentioned above is subject to change.
- ~ Hotel check in time 14:00-1500 hrs/check out 12:00 hrs

INCLUDED:

- ✓ A representative for assistance on arrival and departure transfers at airport.
- ✓ Total 16 night hotel accommodation in twin sharing room as per hotels/room category mentioned above.
- ✓ Buffet / fixed menu breakfast at all the hotels.
- ✓ o1 Packed lunch from Jaipur while driving from Jaipur to Jodhpur.

- ✓ o1 lunch in Rohet during village jeep safari near Jodhpur.
- ✓ o1 lunch in Ranakpur.
- ✓ All transfers, excursions and sightseeing will be by air-conditioned Toyota Innova vehicle including road tax, inter-state tax, parking, fuel surcharge as per program.
- ✓ English-speaking local guide for the sightseeing as per program.
- ✓ Entrance fee at all monuments for one visit only as per program.
- ✓ o1 Elephant ride or jeep ride to ascend to Amber Fort in Jaipur.
- ✓ o1 bottle per person per day packed drinking water available in the vehicle during sightseeing/ excursion/long drives as per program.
- ✓ Rickshaw ride in Delhi and Varanasi.
- ✓ Boat ride in Varanasi.
- ✓ o1 Private boat ride in Udaipur.
- ✓ o2 Park safaris by exclusive jeep in Ranthambhore.
- ✓ All currently applicable tax.

NOT INCLUDED:

- × Any Insurance.
- × Optional sightseeing you may choose while on any tour.
- * Any other meals or beverages, tipping, laundry, telephone/fax calls, camera/video camera fee at monuments, medical expenses, airport departure tax etc.
- × Airline excess baggage.
- ➤ Domestic/International flight/fare.
- * All the other services which are not mentioned in the inclusions.
- * Any Expenses arising due to circumstances beyond our control such as flight delays/ cancellations, natural calamities, etc.
- * Any increase in costs beyond our control such as fuel and airfare increase, additional Government levies and taxes etc.

Specials:

- Departure gift.
- Welcome kit with all relevant documents pertaining to the tour.
- 3 dinners for 2 persons on fixed menu/buffet (1 in Delhi, 1 in Jaipur and 1 in Udaipur on complimentary basis (subject to minimum 3 nights at each place at Oberoi Hotels).
- 1 sundowner for 2 persons in Agra on complimentary at Oberoi Amarvilas.
- Unique experience of traditional Aarti ceremony in Jaipur at The Oberoi Rajvilas.
- Participate in daily Yoga session at Oberoi hotels (subject to weather conditions).
- 25% discount on spa therapies.
- High speed internet access.
- Personalized butler services at all Oberoi hotels.

HOTEL CONTACT DETAILS:

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THE OBEROI AMARVILAS

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Phone: +91 562 223 1515

THE OBEROI VANYAVILAS

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THE OBEROI RAJVILAS

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TAJ UMAID BHAWAN PALACE, JODHPUR

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JW MARRIOTT AEROCITY, DELHI

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TERMS & CONDITIONS:

1. PRICE INCLUDES

Meeting/Assistance/Transfers/Porterage: Airport / Hotel round-trip transfers at all destinations and includes one suitcase per person.

Accommodation: In twin/double rooms with en-suite facilities.

Meals: Meals as per itinerary.

Guide: Professional English-speaking local guide(s).

Sightseeing & Entrance Fees: Vehicle size depends on number of travelers. Entrance fees as per itinerary. **Services Charges & Taxes:** All taxes charged by local governments on services, which are part of the program.

2. PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE:

Personal expenses: Telephone and data port charges at some hotels, meals and drinks, unless otherwise specified in the itinerary.

Tips: To guides, drivers and hotel personnel.

Insurance: Travel insurance is highly recommended and may be purchased at the time of deposit.

- **3. PAYMENT CONDITIONS:** A non-refundable deposit of \$300.00 per person is required at time of booking unless otherwise stated in your invoice. Tourcan Vacations office must receive final payment 60 days prior to departure. For bookings made within 60 days of departure, full payment is due. Some suppliers may require additional deposits. You will be advised at time of confirmation. The additional amount is non-refundable. If final payment is not received 60 days prior to departure the booking will be cancelled.
- **4. TERMS & CONDITIONS :** The purchase of packages, air only or tours (hereinafter referred to as the "Travel Services") offered by Tourcan Vacations constitutes a contractual agreement between Tourcan Vacations and the customer and implies your acceptance of Tourcan Vacations terms and conditions. Please ensure you read carefully and understand these terms and conditions prior to booking.
- **5. PRICES INDICATED:** Prices quoted in our website or by reservations staff are based on double occupancy and in Canadian dollars (\$CAN), unless otherwise indicated, and are based upon the prices of service providers, exchange rate, cost of fuel, taxes and other fees in force at time of preparation of the present brochure. All prices are valid upon date of publication and are subject to change without notice. Unless the customer has paid in full, all prices may be increased at any time and for any reason. Where there is an increase in the total price of the Travel Services after a deposit has been paid and the cumulative increase, except any increase resulting from an increase in retail sales tax or federal goods and services tax, is more 7 per cent the customer has the right to cancel the contract and obtain full refund.
- **6. RESERVATIONS/DEPOSIT/CONFIRMATION:** Reservations must be accompanied by a deposit or payment in full before they can be considered confirmed.
- **7. FINAL PAYMENT:** Final payment must be received by Tourcan Vacations 60 days prior to departure date. Reservations made less than 60 days prior departure date must be accompanied by payment in full. If final payment is not received within the required period, Tourcan Vacations reserves the right to cancel any such reservations without prior notice and levy applicable cancellation fees.

8. PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD:

Signed copies of Credit Card Authorization Forms must be in our possession before final documents will be issued.

9. CHARGES FOR CHANGES: Any changes to a reservation will be subject to a \$50 change fee outside of 65 days of departure. Within 65 days of departure cancellation penalties will apply. If any change made by one or more customers alters the basis of room occupancy, rates will be adjusted to reflect true room occupancy status.

Changes of customer names will be treated as a cancellation and cancellation fees will apply.

Charges will apply for any changes in customer reservations (subject to availability) subsequent to the departure date.

10. CANCELLATION CHARGES: Charges will apply in the event of any cancellation. Insurance premiums are non-refundable, in whole or in part, whether cancelled before or after the departure date. The day of departure is excluded when calculating cancellation or change fees. All cancellation fees must be calculated based on the total amount of the products and Travel Services purchased. Tourcan Vacations reserves the right to cancel a booking where any payment is not received by its due date (60 day prior to departure).

CANCELLATION BEFORE DEPARTURE DATE:

Up to 60 Days prior – loss of deposit*

59 to o Days prior- 100% penalty*

No refunds will be made for any used portion including hotels, sightseeing, cruises, transfers, meals, international or domestic flight with or without notice, unless cancelled or missed by the supplier.

*Plus any unrecoverable deposits paid to airlines or suppliers.

11. FLIGHTS AND CARRIERS

Customers acknowledge and accept the following

Changes: Flights offered by Tourcan Vacations are conducted in accordance with the applicable tariffs of the air carrier and pursuant to regulations set out by the Canadian Transportation Agency. All such flights and rates are also subject to approval by the relevant government authorities. Consolidations and changes in the published schedule, aircraft type, days of operation, air carrier providing air transportation and flight itinerary may be undertaken at any time and without prior notice, in accordance with the air carrier's tariffs.

Fares and Names: Fares and taxes may increase between the time of quoting, booking and tickets being issued. The fares quoted are subject to class availability and may have booking conditions attached. Tickets must reflect the passengers name as shown in their passport. If names are not reflected correctly boarding may be denied.

Schedule Check and Connecting Flights: Flight schedules are subject to change without notice. Customers having purchased air only must reconfirm their return flight within 24 to 72 hours prior to the scheduled take-off time. Tourcan Vacations undertakes to notify customers reasonably in advance through means it deems appropriate of any schedule changes resulting in the advancement or delay of the flight departure times or in case of cancellation of a flight. Whenever customers book connecting flights, they must allow sufficient time to make their connection. No control can be exercised over air carriers to guarantee flight schedules, which may be altered or affected by various circumstances. Tourcan Vacations will not be liable for any change of schedule or a missed flight connection, including any additional fees incurred and special, incidental or consequential damages (including the carriage of baggage) arising from the foregoing, whether or not it had the knowledge that such additional fees or damages might be incurred.

Airport check-in: It is recommended that customers arrive at the airport check-in counter at least 3 hours prior to departure. Failing this, their reservation may be cancelled and their seats assigned to other customers, with no right of recourse.

Seat assignment: unless already pre-assigned, staff at the air carrier's check-in counter conducts aircraft seating.

Other applicable conditions: Air transportation is subject to all applicable government regulations and is governed by the Montreal Convention, or the Warsaw Convention as the case may be, the applicable tariffs of the air carrier as well as the conditions of contract appearing on the airline ticket. Any amendments or changes to the applicable air carrier's general terms and conditions of carriage once filed with and approved by federal regulatory authorities, are not subject to additional public notice and are legally binding.

Refusal to transport: Removal of passengers: Tourcan Vacations shall not be liable for refusal by itself or the air carrier to transport a passenger nor for the cancellation of a reserved space or removal of a passenger due to, but not limited to, safety reasons, to prevent the violation of any applicable laws of any country or to prevent any hazard or risk to such passenger, to any other person or property, or to the flight.

12. VALIDITY OF TICKETS: Tickets are made out in the name of the customer and are not transferable. Tickets are valid only on the dates and flights indicated. Unused portions of tickets may not be used for travel on other flights and are not subject to refund at any time.

13. BAGGAGE:

Limits: Air carriers have individual rules and regulations with respect to baggage weight, size and number. Customers must consult with the travel agent for applicable restrictions.

Liability: The provisions of the Montreal Convention, or the Warsaw Convention as the case may be, the applicable tariffs of the air carrier, as well as the notice appearing on the passenger ticket and baggage check, govern the loss of and damage to baggage and establish the limits of air carrier's liability. Baggage lost or damaged while boarding or disembarking a ship must be reported to the Purser's office prior to the ship's departure from port or prior to leaving the local customs area. Passengers' baggage and property are transported, stored and handled at owner's risk at all times.

- 14. TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: It is the full responsibility of customers to obtain at their own expense all necessary travel documents required by all relevant government authorities, including all ports of call, and to comply with the laws thereof. Passports will be required for all air and sea travel to or from all destinations and may have to be valid for six months beyond the date of the expected return to Canada. Canadian Citizens born in certain countries may require a visa in addition to a valid passport. A permanent resident card will be required for permanent residents/landed immigrants who are not Canadian citizens. One (1) parent traveling with a child under age 18 may have to obtain a notarized letter of consent signed by the parent not traveling. Customers are responsible for checking which documents are required, and then make certain that they have the necessary documents in hand prior to departure. The carrier or relevant authorities, without further recourse or the possibility of a refund, may deny customers boarding privileges failing to provide the required documents. Entry to another country may also be refused even if the required information and travel documents are complete. No refund or replacement will be given for lost or stolen travel documents. Tourcan Vacations shall not be liable for any aid or information given by its employees or the travel agent in connection with obtaining any necessary travel documents or complying with any laws, whether given orally, in writing or otherwise, or for the consequences suffered by any customer resulting from his/her failure to obtain such documents or to comply with such laws.
- **15. CUSTOMER ADVISORY:** Some events are part of normal unpleasant occurrences, which can happen when traveling abroad. The customer realizes this, solely assumes the consequences thereof and agrees that Tourcan Vacations cannot be held responsible for any damages owing to such occurrences.

Living Standards: Customers are asked to bear in mind and accept that living standards and practices at the destination, and the conditions there with respect to the provision of utilities, services and accommodations, may differ from those found in Canada.

Service disruptions: Some services including water, electricity, air-conditioning, security, sanitary conditions, pools, food, beverages and other services or benefits may be suspended or interrupted partially or completely during the customer's stay. Likewise, depending on the occupancy rate of hotels, à la Carte dining may be replaced by buffet or vice-versa.

Food, water and beverages: The food, water and beverages may not be up to North-American standards. Accordingly, customers assume sole responsibility for any illness suffered while abroad or upon return owing to the quality of the food, water and beverages.

- **16. ROOM ALLOCATION:** Hoteliers are solely responsible for room allocation, in accordance with the category reserved by customers. Should customers choose to alter their room category upon arrival at destination (upon availability), they must make their own arrangements with the hotelier and assume all additional fees levied by them.
- 17. CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT CONDITIONS: Customers acknowledge and accept that hoteliers, in accordance with international standards, have specific check-in times, usually from 3 PM and check out by noon on the scheduled day of departure or by noon on the day immediately preceding a late night departure.

18. CUSTOMERS REQUIRING ASSISTANCE AND CARE WHILE TRAVELLING

All customers requiring special care, assistance, attention or treatment must advise Tourcan Vacations and the air carrier of any and all specific needs at the time of booking, in order to arrange air transportation, hotel and tour accommodations.

19. CHANGES TO TRAVEL SERVICES:

If Travel Services are no longer available prior to the departure date or subsequent to arrival at destination, Tourcan Vacations reserves the right to substitute them for comparable goods or Travel Services, or, alternatively, to cancel them.

Changes to itinerary: Tourcan Vacations and the participating tour operator reserves the right to cancel, alter or reschedule any timing, to omit one or more stops, to substitute alternative itineraries or to otherwise amend the content of the tour with or without prior notice to the passenger.

20. CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITY

Health: Customers, whose physical condition so requires, must ensure that they have a sufficient quantity of any required medication with them, and that they carry such medication in their hand baggage at all times. Customers must also consult competent medical authorities prior to departure about preventive medical measure as regards to the countries to be visited.

Activities: Tourcan Vacations cannot be held responsible for any accident or mishap occurring at the destination during the practice of activities in which the customers participate of their own free will and initiative.

- **21. FORCE MAJEURE:** Tourcan Vacations shall not be liable for failure in the performance of any of its obligations, including without limitation, for any loss or damage resulting from any delay, cancellation, loss of personal belongings, illness, bodily injury, accident, death, deterioration of Travel Services, inconvenience, loss of enjoyment, disappointment or frustration, either mental or physical, due to:
- * An Act of God or Force Majeure;
- * A war, revolution, insurrection, riot, blockage or any other unlawful act against public order or authority, including an act of terrorism or threat thereof;
- * Fire, flood, explosion, earthquake, epidemics, quarantine, storm, lightning, tornado or adverse weather conditions generally;
- * Accident to or failure of an aircraft or equipment used in connection therewith, loss of or hijacking of an aircraft, or any shortage of or inability to provide labor, fuel or facilities;
- * Any strike, lock-out, labor dispute or other industrial disturbance whether involving Tourcan Vacations' employees, the employees of its service providers or others upon whom Tourcan Vacations relies;
- * Any government order, regulation, action or inaction or any failure to obtain the approval of a government authority having jurisdiction in the circumstances as may be required to the conduct of operations hereunder or any government or legal restraint upon such operation;

- * Others upon whom Tourcan Vacations relies for the performance of the whole or any part of any Travel Services hereunder;
- * Any other causes beyond the reasonable control of Tourcan Vacations and any other event not reasonably to be foreseen, anticipated or predicted, whether actual, threatened or reported, which may interfere with the operations of Tourcan Vacations or of its service providers.
- **22. EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY:** Tourcan Vacations makes arrangements with air carriers, hotels, transfer operators and other independent parties to provide customers with Travel Services they purchase. Although Tourcan Vacations takes great care in selecting these service providers, it does not have any control over them and cannot be held responsible for their omissions, fault or negligence, or that of their employees, nor for any loss or damages suffered as a result thereof. Travel Services provided are subject to the conditions imposed by the service providers and their liability is limited by their tariffs, conditions of carriage, tickets, vouchers, international conventions and agreements.
- 23. ACTIVITIES NOT INCLUDED: Tourcan Vacations shall not be liable for the quality or safety of activities (such as excursions, optional tours, little extras and others) available at the destination that customers may wish to participate in and which are not included in the package, nor for any other representation made by the operator of any such activities. Any written or oral contract for all such activities shall be deemed to be made between customers and the operator of such activities and shall be undertaken at the customers' own risk of loss, damage or injury. Tourcan Vacations shall not be liable in any manner for any complaints or claims that may arise as a result of participation in any such activities which are offered by third parties over whom Tourcan Vacations has no control.
- **24. CONFIDENTIALITY:** Tourcan Vacations strictly complies with principles of confidentiality with respect to customers' personal information, including in accordance with the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act.
- **25. LAWS:** The laws of the province in which the Canadian gateway city is located govern this agreement. Any legal action instituted against Tourcan Vacations must be heard before the courts of this province. For the purposes of any such proceedings, the parties hereby agree to elect domicile in the judicial district of the Canadian gateway city in question. The voiding of one or other of the clauses hereto shall neither annul nor invalidate this agreement, which is known as the Terms and Conditions. Tourcan Vacations is registered as a wholesaler in Ontario.