# THE TOUR PROGRAM SPECIALY PREPARED FOR

 $Delhi \rightarrow Agra \rightarrow Ranthambore \rightarrow Jaipur \rightarrow Delhi$ 



#### **DETAIL ITINEARY**

#### 01 Oct'2023 (SUN) : ARRIVAL DELHI (FLIGHT - TBA)

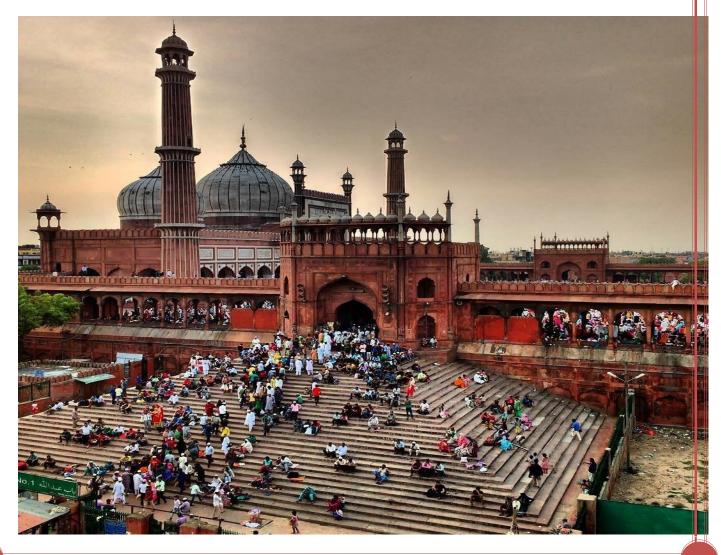
Welcome to Delhi, after clearing immigration and customs formalities; you will be met by our Indian representative for a traditional welcome 'Swagat' and transfer you to your hotel. By the time your check-in is organized, our representative would introduce the tour file to you and handover the tour documents.

(**Delhi-** This city has seen the rise and fall of many empires and each dynasty of Kings has left behind monuments and memories to commemorate the grandeur of bygone days. Very few cities in the world offer such diversity in architectural styles as Delhi. The Old city of Delhi today stands as an epitome of the whole history of Indo-Islamic architecture.) **Overnight stay at hotel.** 

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## <mark>02 Oct'2023 (MON): DELHI</mark>

Start your guided tour of Old Delhi with a rickshaw ride through Chandni Chowk and past the impressive Red Fort on our way to the center of the old city to Jama Masjid. Built by the Mughal Emperor Shah Jahan —who is perhaps better known for his eternal monument to love, the Taj Mahal — this beautiful red sandstone and white marble mosque is the largest and best-known in India.



Later we proceed on the sightseeing of New Delhi, with a visit to Mahatma Gandhi's memorial, the Raj Ghat, and India Gate, a stone archway designed by the famous British architect Sir Edwin Lutyens to commemorate the tens of thousands of Indian soldiers who were killed fighting for the British Indian Army in WWI. You will drive along the Rajpath passage in front of the European-style government buildings of the British era, including India Gate and the Presidential Palace, Then, make your way to the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Humayan's Tomb. Built by his grieving wife in 1562, the impressive red-sandstone Humayan's Tomb is a marvelous example of Persian-inspired Mughal architecture, and has been referred to as a prototype for the Taj Mahal.

## Guided Heritage Walk through Lodhi Garden

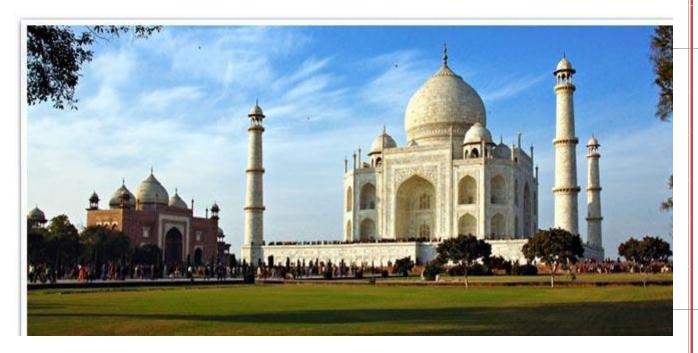
In the evening take a walk through the winding paths in the Delhi's most beautiful and popular park-Lodhi Garden and step back in time to understand how the Sayyid, Lodhi, Mughal and British Eras shaped the history and present blueprint of Delhi. This beautiful garden contains the elaborate royal tombs of Mohammed Shah and Sikander Lodi, as well as some smaller buildings and beautiful verandas dating back to the late-Mughal period.

Overnight stay at hotel.

## 03 Oct'2023 (TUE) : DELHI → AGRA (BY DRIVE 204 KMS / 3-4 HRS)

Begin your day with an early pickup from your hotel in Delhi and drive to Agra. As you start your royal journey from Delhi and make your way to Agra, you will witness a smooth and wonderful shift from the pages of history to an aura of devotion and finally, to the era of the Mughals!

(Agra Grew in prominence under the rule of the Mughal Empire in 1526, reaching its zenith between 1556 and 1658, under the successive rules of Akbar, Shah Jehan and Jehangir. Akbar's reign was memorable in the city's history when it became a leading centre of art, science, commerce and culture, drawing intellectuals and artists to its Darbars and Havelis.)



Arrive Agra and transfer to Hotel, Afternoon proceed to visit Agra Fort.

In the afternoon, you will proceed on tour of an impressive Agra Fort, a massive red sandstone and white marble fortress built on the banks of the Yamuna River by the Mughal emperor Akbar. You can see various styles of architecture in the design and detail of the fort, and can see the characters of the individual Emperors. The boldness of Akbar, the refinement of Jehangir's time, and the subtleness of Shah Jehan, who was imprisoned here for the last years of his life after his son usurped him from the throne.

#### Overnight stay at hotel.

#### 04 Oct'2023 (WED): AGRA → RANTHAMBORE (BY DRIVE 285 KMS / 5-6 HRS)

The Taj Mahal has become synonymous with Agra and India as a whole. The 17th-century mausoleum was built by Shah Jehan for his Empress, Mumtaz Mahal, and is thought to have taken more than 20,000 artisans 22 years to complete, led by legendary architect Ustad Ahamad Lahori.

At sunrise, visit one of India's top monuments, the Taj Mahal. Watch the sun hit the epic marble monument, bathing it in buttery shades of gold. Tour Shah Jehan's monument to love for more than three hours before returning to your hotel for breakfast.

Leaving Ranthambore we head south (approx. 5-6 hours) to Ranthambore National Park, one of the prime examples of Project Tiger's conservation efforts in Rajasthan.

The forest around Ranthambore was once the private hunting grounds of the Maharajas of Jaipur. The desire to preserve the game in this forest for sport was ultimately responsible for their conservation and subsequent rescue by Project Tiger.

Ranthambore National Park is home to tigers, leopard, nilgai, wild boar, sambar, hyena and Sloth Bear. **Overnight stay at hotel.** 



#### 05 Oct'2023 (THU): RANTHAMBORE

Today we will enjoy an early morning and a mid-afternoon Shared Jeep safari around the game reserve. During the safari there are no bathrooms, please keep this in mind.

**Please note**: Photo ID is required when visiting the Park. Please ensure you bring your passport to gain entry.

Overnight stay at hotel.

#### 06 Oct'2023 (FRI): RANTHAMBORE

Today again we will enjoy an early morning and a mid-afternoon Shared Jeep safari around the game reserve. During the safari there are no bathrooms, please keep this in mind.

**Please note**: Photo ID is required when visiting the Park. Please ensure you bring your passport to gain entry.

Overnight stay at hotel.

#### 07 Oct'2023 (SAT): RANTHAMBORE → JAIPUR (BY DRIVE 180 KMS / 3-4 Hrs)

After breakfast we drive to Jaipur (approx. 3-4 hours).

Jaipur was founded in 1727 as Mughal power within India was declining. The then Maharaja, Jai Singh, moved his capital from Amer Fort down onto the plain below. The city is now the capital of Rajasthan State and is commonly called the 'Pink City' because of the pink paint on all the buildings in the old city area. This was apparently done to imitate the magnificent, red sandstone buildings of the Mughals and in an attempt to impress the Prince of Wales when he visited Jaipur in 1876.

Upon arrival we check into our hotel.

Late Afternoon You leave for this amazing experience to spend some Time with Elephants. Walk with Elephants it's a small activity in which you have an amazing experience being up close to these beautiful creatures. You can give a nice bath to your elephant and Wash & Scrub them in the garden. Most lovable thing you can do is washing elephant in jaipur. We help you to achieve the unthinkable. Learn about the completely natural paint that is used to paint the thick elephant skin. Learn how to create a traditional painting for decoration. Imagine the joy of decoration by painting or you can makeup for elephant on such a large body. Also, get a chance to feed them while learning their feeding habits and what they enjoy most.

#### 08 Oct'2023 (SUN): JAIPUR

We start our tour of the Pink City with a stop off at the beautiful 18th-century Hawa Mahal—the Palace of the Winds—a uniquely beautiful and somewhat imposing five-story pink sandstone structure that was built to allow the royal ladies to watch street processions and festivities through its 953 windows without being seen by the people below.



Then, we continue onto the ancient capital, Amer, with the iconic UNESCO World Heritage-listed Amer Fort. Also known as the Amber Fort, this imposing hill-top fortress was built as the royal residence over a thousand years ago, and is famous for its iconic Indian-Muslim design and spectacular views of the city and lake below. Explore the Sheesh Mahal—mirrored palace—and the Jai Mandir—hall of glory—before finding a spot to people watch and bask in the historic opulence.

After exploring the fort, we head back to Jaipur, where we visit the City Palace with its perfect blend of Rajasthani and Mughal architecture, and which is still home to the royal family today. We end our city tour with a trip to the fascinating Jantar Mantar, a giant 17th-century Solar Observatory and astronomical treasure house.

## 09 Oct'2023 (MON): JAIPUR → DELHI (BY DRIVE – 265 KMS / 5-6 Hrs)

After breakfast you will be drive to Delhi. Meet upon arrival at Delhi Airport and transfer to Indira Gandhi International Airport to board flight for Home Country.

#### 10 Oct'2023 (TUE): DEPARTURE DELHI

Early Morning transfer to Delhi Airport and transfer to Indira Gandhi International Airport to board flight for Home Country

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In all hotels the Check-in time is 1400 Hours and Check-out is 1100 Hours at noon.

## THE PRICE SHEET

## PACKAGE COST IN USD (ONLY LAND COST)

**NET PRICE PER PERSON** 

US\$ 1855 Per Person

#### **Cost Inclusions:-**

- Accommodation for **09 nights** on Double / Twin sharing basis on Bed & Breakfast basis
- Airport transfers and sightseeing tours by air-conditioned Toyota Innvoa Crysta with driver.
- Local English speaking guides as per itineary
- Elephant ride/Jeep ride (Anyone subject to availability) at Amer Fort, Jaipur. (Shared basis, 2 pax on 1 elephant )
- Elephant Activity at Elephantastic
- Battery Van at Taj Mahal
- Entry tickets to monuments, mentioned above
- 04 Shared Jeep Safari at Ranthambore National Park
- Rickshaw ride at Delhi
- Government Taxes as applicable.

#### **Exclusions:**

- Airfares (International / Domestic)
- Expenses of personal nature, tipping, laundry, telephone/fax calls, alcoholic beverages.
- Entrance for camera and video camera fee at monuments, medical expenses, insurance etc.
- Any other services not mentioned in the inclusions.
- Any air fare, VISA
- Any Tipping to Driver, Guide, Airport Representativa
- Meals, other than those mentioned in cost inclusions.
- Bank Charges USD 20 Extra on total invoice

## **Special Note:**

- Hotel Check-in 1400 hrs / Check-out time 1100 hrs noon (subject to hotel management policy).
- Please note we have based the quotation on current rate of exchange, In case on any currency fluctuations, prices will be changed accordingly.
- Amendment in local Government taxes, or any fuel hike, we reserve the right to adjust the tour price accordingly.