VIETNAM

with PHU QUOC

9nights 10days

HIGHLIGHTS

Phu Quoc **[special attraction]**

- *Evening tour to Grand World*
- *Phu Quoc sightseeings – Pearl farm/Pepper Farm, Ho Quoc pagoda, Coconut prison , Sao Beach and Sunset Town*
- *2- way cable car ride to Hon thom Island.*

Vietnam

- *Learn the history of Vietnam revolution and about the sacrifices of their patriots and leaders of World War II as you visit the several Monuments, palaces, tunnels, museums in the* ***historical city tours of Hanoi and Ho chi Minh city .***
- ***Cruise through the mighty Mekong River*** *and explore the natural beauty of unique geographical features and people and their cultural alongside its bank.*
- *Witness the Vietnamese unique architectural marvel -****The Golden Bridge of Da-Nang.***
- *Enjoy a memorable 2- day deluxe cruise in the Natural wonder* ***– The Halong Bay.***
- *Go shopping in the* ***Ben Thang market of Ho Chi Minh city.***

Itinerary, Flight details, Hotels etc. **(Mentioned Below)**

ITINERARY

DAY 1 - KOLKATA - Flight to Hanoi

- Assemble at **Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose International Airport** three hours prior to the departure.
- Our courteous and experienced Tour Manager, who will accompany you with the tour, will meet you at Kolkata Airport. He will assist you to complete all the formalities before boarding your flight to Hanoi.

DAY 2 - HANOI – Hanoi City tour

- Arrive at Hanoi. Complete all the immigration formalities and board on to the coach. Get Early check in and breakfast. Freshen up and rest for a while.
- Visit ***Ho Chi Minh Complex*** inclusive of Ba Dinh Square, Ho Chi Minh's Mausoleum, as well as his private residence from 1954 until 1969. The wooden ethnic minority style house, which was built on stilts, is surrounded by lovely peaceful gardens. In the same complex you will see the ***One Pillar Pagoda***, founded by King Ly Thai To in 1049. This structure has become an important symbol for the people of Hanoi..

- Leave for ***Hoa Lo Prison Museum*** which was originally used by the French colonists in Indochina for political prisoners , and later by North Vietnam for U.S. prisoners of war during the Vietnam War .
- Have lunch at the restaurant.
- We then visit the ***Temple of Literature***, Vietnam's first university. Constructed in 1070, the gardens and well-preserved architecture offer a relaxing glimpse into Vietnam's past.

- Continue visit ***Tran Quoc Pagoda***, locates on a small peninsula on the East side of the dazzling West Lake, this is the most ancient pagoda in Hanoi with its history line of more than 1,500 years. Late afternoon, we visit the picturesque Hoan Kiem Lake.
- Later, have dinner at an Indian restaurant and stay overnight at Hanoi.

DAY3 - HALONG BAY - Overnight cruise at Halong Bay

- Have breakfast and check-out from the hotel and transfer to ***Halong Bay, a Natural World Heritage as designated by UNESCO*** in 1994 and 2006.
- Upon arrival in Halong Bay, check-in to the overnight cruise to discover the magnificent beauty of this "Descending-dragon" bay, created by thousands odd-shaped limestone rocks and karst grottoes.
- After lunch on board, we can visit the Grottos, stop for swimming or kayaking, passing floating houses and approach islets to enjoy their beauty in close distance.The cruise will continue sailing with up close sighting of Dinh Huong Island, Ga Choi Island, Dog Island, Sail Island, a visit to Sung Sot Cave and swimming stop at Titov Beach. You can enjoy fishing onboard. Relax to enjoy the bay view at sunset.

- In the evening, attend activities on the boat or relax at your own leisure. Later enjoy cooking demonstration before having dinner.
- Have dinner and spend the night on board.

DAY4 – HALONG BAY / DANANG – Morning cruise in Halong Bay + Disembark from cruise + Flight to Danang

- You should wake up early to enjoy the miraculus sunrise over the islets of the Bay. At dawn, refresh your body and mind with a Tai Chi exercise on the sundeck. Have tea or coffee onboard before proceeding to Titov Islet or Soi Sim Island to trek and swim. Our boat will continue to cruise in marvellous areas, where almost each islet has its own name, adopting its shape or reminiscent like Sail Island, Fisherman's head rock, Butterfly rock or Turtle islet etc.

- Have brunch while cruising back to shore before disembarking at the pier.
- Disembark from boat and transfer directly to Hanoi Airport for flight to Da Nang. Meet on arrival and transfer to hotel
- Dinner & overnight in Da Nang.

DAY5 - DA NANG - Ba Na hills Golden Bridge + Hoi An night market

- After breakfast at hotel get transfered to ***Ba Na hills*** area where your cable car transfer will be waiting to take you up to an altitude of 1487m above sea level. This is the second longest cable car in the world, with a difference of 1292m between the 2 stations.
- On a visit to Ba Na hills, you will be able to enjoy visits to an ecological park, a theme park, a pagoda, and a mock ***French Village*** (not including Wax Museum).
- Lunch in Indian resturant
- Accompanied by a tour guide, you can walk the ***"Golden Bridge"*** – the pedestrian walkway offering tourist's uninterrupted views of the majestic landscape beneath. Next you will have some free time to explore the park some more, discover the games and other entertainment areas. Spend more time to relax at your preference then make your way back to the cable car to venture back down the mountain for transfer to Hoi an.

- Located in the heart of Hoi An Ancient Town - A UNESCO Cultural Heritage Site, ***Hoi An Night Market*** is one of the most impressive tourist destinations that attract many domestic and foreign tourists. This place has great nighttime with colorful lanterns and interesting activities, which definitely brings you a pleasant vibe.. When visiting *Hoi An Night Market*, you can find a unique atmosphere of blissful tranquility although it is always busy with a lot of vendors and their customers. There are a huge number of products here like clothing, shoes, handicrafts, trinkets, accessories,... Moreover, it has two rows which are lined with food stalls. Here, you can enjoy plenty of tasty food, which contributes to the feature of Hoi An cuisine. Hoai River is a romantic river .Sitting on a boat and visiting the river is an unforgettable experience for every tourist when coming to Hoi An.

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DAY 6 – DANANG/ SAIGON- Flight to Saigon +Mekong Delta cruise

- After breakfast, check-out from the hotel and transfer to Danang airport for departure to Saigon. Reach Ho chi Minh, check into hotel and proceed to have lunch at a restaurant

- Later journey to Mekong delta .Upon arrival, embark on the boat ***cruising on the mighty Mekong River*** through the canal of Vam Xep viewing the life to the local people live along the banks. We stop to visit an island in the area, Walk to a lane where a horse-drawn cart awaits you to transfer to enjoy the fresh tropical fruits served in the heart of the lush garden accompanied by traditional southern Vietnamese folk music. Later, embark on other small boats rowed by the local people through the small canals shadowed by water coconut trees to visit the local factories. There you will taste the honey tea and see the local people produce the coconut candy milk and of course you also can try it or stroll in the garden where the locals feed honeybee before returning to My Tho by motorized boat and return to Ho Chi Minh.

- Have dinner at an Indian restaurant. Have a comfortable overnight stay at Saigon.

DAY7 - SAIGON – Cu chi tunnel tour + Ho chi minh city tour + Benthang market shopping

- Have breakfast and check-out from the hotel.
- Drive to ***Cu Chi Tunnels*** – the network of over 200km of tunnels became legendary when they played a vital role in the War. Cu Chi Tunnels, an incredible underground tunnel network constructed by Vietnamese resistance fighters during the long struggle for independence. In their heyday, the tunnels were functioning underground cities including numerous trap doors, specially constructed living areas, storage facilities, weapons factories, field hospitals, command centers & kitchens. After a short introduction video showing how the tunnels were constructed, you will have a chance to crawl into a short section of the tunnels to feel the oppressive narrowness and heat inside.

- Have lunch in Indian restaurant.

- Proceed for Ho Chi Minh city tour and start with the ***War Remnants Museum***, one of the most famous historical attractions in Saigon. Coming to the War Remnants Museum, you can learn a part of how Vietnamese had struggled and fought for their independence, freedom and peace of the nation and the locals' perspective of the Vietnam War. The exhibits, such as weapons, documents and photographs, display in the museum are firm evidence of war crimes in Vietnam that speak for the heroic actions of the former Vietnamese generation.

- Next, visit the ***Reunification Palace***, the witness of the fierce Vietnam War that ended in 1975. The grand building today is a Museum and Hall of official receptions.
- Nearby the Palace is ***Notre Dame Cathedral*** (view from outside only), built between 1877 and 1883 and colonial-styled ***Central Saigon Old Post Office***, one of the city's major landmarks.
- Late afternoon, visit ***Ben Thanh market***, a symbol of Saigon. You can indulge in some shopping here.
- Enjoy dinner at an Indian restaurant and have a comfortable overnight stay in Saigon or Ho Chi Minh city.

DAY 8 – SAIGON – PHU QUOC Flight to Phu Quoc + Evening Grand World tour

- After breakfast checkout from hotel and transfer to Airport to board the flight to Phu Quoc. Upon reaching Phu Quoc get transferred to your hotel and have lunch in Indian restaurant and rest for a while.
- In afternoon, we visit the ***Grand World Phu Quoc*** which owns splendid and magnificent architecture which is inspired by the European cities. As soon as you set foot on this place, you will immediately feel impressed with a wide range of eye-catching colourful buildings. Soon after that, the bustling atmosphere of its busy and trendy commercial streets will draw your attention and interest you a lot. Venice River, or Lake of Love, is considered one of the best imitations of the original river in Venice City, Italy. Here, you will have a

chance to sit on the gondolas which take you along the river to watch the romantic scenery created by a lot of sophisticated buildings.

DAY 9 – PHU QUOC Full day PhuQuoc sightseeings + Two way cable car + Flight back to Kolkata

- Breakfast at hotel and check out. Guide meet group at hotel then transfer to the South Island.
- Start your tour with a visit to a ***Pepper farm*** where you learn about the unique local harvesting and farming methods . Have chance to taste goods made of peppercorn. OR visit the ***Pearl Farm*** and witness the process of extracting pearls from oysters. Observe Giant Calm Shells, various artefacts recovered from sea bed and pearl jewellery.

- Visit ***Phu Quoc Prison***: once utilized during the Vietnam War to imprison political prisoners of North Vietnam, the prison is now a famous historical site of Phu Quoc island.
- Continue to a scenic drive up the hill to visit ***Ho Quoc Pagoda*** , magnificent pagoda from where you get panoramic views of oceans and mountains. Next have lunch in Indian restaurant and visit the Sao Beach to enjoy stunning views and beach life.
- Later transfer to ***Hon Thom cable car***, the longest cable car crossing the world connecting An Thoi Town to Hon Thom green island forest colour and wild nature as never touched human hand. Passengers who travel on the cable car during high noon can view the stunning coral reef topography being exposed below by the sunlight and calm transparent seas. Arrive in Hon Thom you will be transfer to the beach by the electric car. Free time for swimming, sunbathing. Get back to the main island by cable car.

- Stroll around the beautiful ***Sunset town*** with stunning architecture and mediterranean atmosphere and colourful shop houses. Visit the Clock tower and Kiss Bridge to get panoramic sea view.
- Later get transport to the airport to board the flight to Ho Chi Minh.
- Upon reaching Ho chi Minh collect your baggage and check in to international departure and freshen up and rest for a while.

DAY 10 – KOLKATA *Flight back to Kolkata*

- Board the flight and reach Kolkata with wonderful memories of trip.
- Bid goodbye to your team members and We look forward to your next trip with us.

Accomodation

- **Ho chi minh city (2 nights) –** Queen Ann saigon - Premier window room/ similar
- **Da Nang (2 nights) –** Grand Gold Hotel Danang - Premier Deluxe Sea view room / similar
- **Hanoi (2 nights) –** La dolce Vita Hotel - Deluxe room/ similar
- **Halong Cruise (1 night) –** Delux Syrena Cruise / similar
- **Phu Quoc island [1 night] –** Coco Farm Breach Resort /similar

Flight Details : Indigo, Vietjet air

Price : CALL/WHATS APP +917439308441

PACKAGE COST INCLUDES

- **Economy Class round trip airfare to Kolkata.**
- **Visa Charges.**
- **Accommodation at 3-star or 4-star hotels on double/twin/triple sharing basis.**
- **Daily Breakfasts, Lunch & Dinners as mentioned in the itinerary.**
- **Transfer to and from and tour of all the places mentioned in the itinerary by luxury coach.**
- **Internal transfers & tours (if any mentioned in the itinerary) by cruise, train and flight.**
- **Entry fees to places that are included in the itinerary.**
- **Travel insurance premium up to 60 years (only the difference will have to be paid for people above 60 years old).**

PACKAGE COST EXCLUDES

- **5% GST on the Total Tour Cost (including tips and any optional tour)**
- **5% T.C.S is applicable on total foreign exchange part (including GST) which will be adjusted with your income tax return.**
- **RT-PCR tests cost (both ways, India & abroad, if required).**
- **Expenses and services of personal nature .**
- **Cost of optional tours.**
- **Any Porterage Charges at airports, ports, waterways, stations or any hotels etc.**
- **Any services not mentioned in the 'Tour Cost Includes'.**

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- **Registration amount / Booking Advance of Rs.50000/- (amount may vary time to time) per person is required at the time of booking along with signed Passport & Pan card copies.**
- **The Foreign exchange amount equivalent in INR [calculated at the specified exchange rate of the payment date: Inter Banking Rate + Corporate Remittance charge] is payable at least 45 days before the travel date.**
- **The final payment [balance amount of the tour cost] should be completed before 25 days prior to the travel date.**

NOTE

The Tour Itinerary as well as the Package Price is subject to change if any unforeseen/unavoidable situations occur before or during the tour AND/OR if there is any increase or decrease of cost per Airline, IATA rule, Visa & Rate of Exchange (ROE) at the time of final payment & departure of the tour, respectively.