

RAJASTHAN GRAND MASTI

1 NIGHTS / 12 DAYS (2 NIGHTSDELHI , 1 NIGHT AGRA , 2NIGHTS JAIPUR, 2 NIGHTS JODHPUR , 2 NIGHTS JAISALMER , 2 NIGHTS LIDAIPUR)



Description

Rajasthan is culturally rich and has artistic and cultural traditions which reflect the ancient Indian way of life. There is rich and varied folk culture from villages which is often depicted and is symbolic of the state. Highly cultivated classical music and dance with its own distinct style is part of the cultural tradition of Rajasthan. The music is uncomplicated and songs depict day-to-day relationships and chores, more often focused around fetching water from wells or ponds. The Ghoomar dance from Udaipur and Kalbeliya dance of Jaisalmer have gained international recognition. Folk music is a vital part of Rajasthani culture. Kathputli,Bhopa, Chang, Teratali, Ghindr, Kachchhighori, Tejaji, etc. are the examples of the traditional Rajasthani culture. Rajasthan is known for its traditional, colourful art. The block prints, tie and dye prints, Bagaru prints, Sanganer prints, and Zari embroidery are major export products from Rajasthan. Handicraft items like wooden furniture and crafts, carpets, and blue pottery are commonly found here. Rajasthan is a shoppers' paradise, with beautiful goods at low prices.

Tour Highlights

DELHI:

Delhi, the capital of India, is situated in northern India and stands on the west bank of Yamuna River bounded by Uttar Pardesh and on the north, west and south by Haryana. The people of Delhi proudly call themselves as "Delhi-

ites". A lot of pride is associated with this word.Jan 5, 2016

Jaipur

Jaipur is known as the Pink City, and it is the capital of Rajasthan. Jaipur is one of the finest planned cities of India, located in the semi desert lands of Rajasthan. A highly idealized description of the terra-cotta-colored lime plaster that coats the old part of the city's walls, buildings, and temples. The reasons for painting the town pink are unknown, but various theories have been tossed about, from using pink to cut down glare

AGRA:

Sultan Sikandar Lod? (1488–1517) was the first to move his capital from Delhi to Agrain 1506. He governed the country from here and Agra assumed the importance of the second capital.

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Udaipur

Udaipur, the capital of the former princely state of Mewar is a beautiful city in Rajasthan, India. Udaipur city is also referred to as the "Venice of the East", the "Most Romantic City of India" and the "Kashmir of Rajasthan". Udaipur the "City of Lakes" is one among the most romantic and most beautiful cities of India.

Jodhpur

Jodhpur, once the capital of the former princely state of Marwar, is now the second largest city of Rajasthan .Jodhpur is a popular tourist destination, featuring many palaces. forts and temples, set in the stark landscape of the thar desert. The city is known as the "Sun City"

Jaisalmer

Jaisalmer means "the Hill Fort of Jaisal" The town stands on a ridge of yellowish sandstone, crowned by a fort, which contains the palace and several ornate jain temples. It lies in the heart of the Thar Desert. its palaces of breathtaking grandeur and whimsical charm, its riotous colors and even its romantic sense of pride and honour. Jaisalmer is a great place to simply wander

Attractions and Shopping Tips

DELHI: The Red Fort, Outb Minar, India Gate, Lotus Temple, Swaminarayan Akshardham Temple.

 $DELHI\ Shopping\ Tips: Elegant\ handicrafts\ ,\ Furniture\ items\ ,\ Crazy\ about\ bags\ and\ foot\ wears\ ,\ Jewellery\ ,\ Trendy\ designer\ wears\ ,\ Books$

Jaipur_ Laxminarayan Temple, Hawa mahal, City palace, Amber fort, Jantar Mantar, Sheesh Mahal, Birla Mandir, Jaigarh Fort, Anokhi Museum of hand printing, Samode palace, Jain Mandir, jawahar kala Kendra, Rajput palace, Chandra mahal, Zoological garden, Diwan I Aam, Sisodia Rani ka Bagh, Ridhi sidhi pol, Moti Dungari, Maharaja Sawai Man Singh II Museum, Ram Niwas garden, Surya Mandir, Swargasuli Tower, Shila Devi Temple, Kishangarh Fort, Panna Meena Ka Kund, etc...

JAIPUR Shopping Tips: Jewellery, textiles and sari good made of marble, wood, stone, clay, metal and leather, handicraft papier mache, curved furniture, lac jewellery, precious and semi precious stone.

AGRA: TaJ Mahal, Agra Fort, Jama Majid, Mehtab Bagh

AGRA Shopping Tips: Carpets and Rugs, Marbles, Leather, Handicrafts

UDAIPUR: City Palace, Jagdish Temple, Bharatiya Lok Kala Museum, Sahelion Ki Bari (Garden of the maids of honor), Pratap Memorial, FatehSagar, Pichhola Lake, Ahar, Sajjangarh, Gulab Bagh (Rose Garden) and Shilpgram (The

craft village).

UDAI[PUR Shopping Tips: handicrafts, toys, bewitching puppets, wall hangings, pen stands, cloth lanterns, handmade papers, painted wooden box to Greeting cards, Pottery covers all kinds of pots, plates, vessels and different kinds of containers. Traditional clothes colored in batik and hand prints. Dyed saris and textile, precious stones, Kundan and silver jewelry.

JAISALMER: Sonar Quila, Salim ji Ki Haveli, Nathmal ji ki Haveli, Gadsisor Lake, Jaisalmer Fort, Tazia Tower, Jain Temples. Desert National Park, Amar Sagar Lake, Wood Fossile Park.

JAISALMER Shopping Tips: Rajasthani mirror work, rugs, blankets, antiques and old stonework, Rajasthani handicrafts, carved wooden boxes, hand woven blankets, shawls, silver jewelry.

JODHPUR : Mahrangarh Fort, Umaid Bhawan Palace, Jaswant Thada, Government Museum, Clock Tower and Sadar Market.

JODHPUR Shopping Tips: silver jewellery, pottery, carved ducks, metalwork, marble figures, paintings, antiques, ivory, bed covers, wall hangings, puppets, clothes, especially designed furniture, etc. You can also find old furniture, chests, cabinets, sculptures, doors, windows, carved lintels, old pictures, memorabilia, Bandhini, Bandhej of Jodhpur, Mathaniya's red chilly, Mojris of Jodhpur.

Itinerary

• ENTRY AND EXIT POINT OF TOUR:

Entry : Delhi Exit : Jodhpur

Day 01: Arrive Delhi

On arrival at Delhi airport the transport will pick you up and transfer you to the hotel. If time permits visit Swaminarayan Akshardham Temple.

Overnight at the hotel in Delhi.

Day 02: Delhi

After breakfast sightseeing of New Delhi visiting:

Chandni Chowk , Jama Masjid- Raj Ghat, - India Gate, - RassthtrapatiBhavan (President House), - Sansad Bhavan (Parliament House), - Qutub Minar- Lotus Temple

Evening return to the hotel for overnight stay

Overnight at the hotel in Delhi.

Day 03 : Delhi – Agra (220 Km/04 Hrs)

After breakfast check out and continue drive to Agra. On arrival check in at hotel and proceed for sightseeing visit Taj Mahal (**Remained closed every Friday**): The Taj Mahal was built by Mughal emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his third wife, Mumtaz Mahal and is regarded by many as the finest example of Mughal architecture. The Taj Mahal is a white marble mausoleum located in Agra, widely recognized as 'the jewel of Muslim art' in India and one of the universally admired masterpieces of the world's heritage. Taj Mahal has an architectural style that combines elements from Persian, Ottoman Turkish and Indian architectural style.

Agra Fort: Agra Fort is a monument, about 2.5 km northwest of the Taj Mahal. A royal residence of Mughals for generations, the fort was used to be the site of a battle during the Indian rebellion of 1857. The fort has a semicircular plan; its chord lies parallel to the river while its walls are seventy feet high. Double ramparts have massive circular bastions at intervals, with battlements, embrasures and string courses. Four gates were provided on its four sides

Day 4 - Agra - Jaipur

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and drive to Jaipur, en route visiting the Fatehpur Sikri, the deserted red sandstone city, built bythe Great Mughal Emperor Akbar as his capital and palace in the late 16th century. On arrival at Jaipur check into the hotel for overnight, Jaipur also known as the Pink City. Jaipur was designed by royalty and has delighted visitors for centuries with its pink-hued buildings, wonderful bazaars and rainbow of bright colors dancing along hectic streets. Jaipur is a very famous tourist destination in India for its forts and monuments which reflect its glorious past.

Day 5 - Jaipur

Morning excursion to the enchanting Amber Fort, which was once the capital. In the afternoon weave through the lively streets of the Jaipur City and visit the pink sandstone Palace of Winds, City Palace and Jantar Mantar (observatory). Overnight at hotel in Jaipur

Day 6 Jaipur - Udaipur (By road Apprx. 8 Hrs.) via Pushkar

After breakfast car transfer to Udaipur enroute visiting Pushkar.

Overnight at Udaipur

Day 7 Udaipur

Morning: CityPalace museum, the Jagdish temple, Sahelion Ki Bari (Queen's resort for their friends) Bhartiya Lok Kala

Mandir (Folk art museum) and the Pratap Memorial.

Rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight at Udaipur

Day 8Udaipur -Jodhpur (By road Apprx. 7 Hrs.) via Ranakpur

After breakfast car transfer to Jodhpur in route visit RanakpurJainTemple.

Overnight at Jodhpur

The Ranakpur Jain Temples command huge respect from the Jain community worldwide. Built during the rule of Rana Kumbha, these temples have included Ranakpur in the list of five main pilgrim destinations of Jains in India. History has it that Rana Kumbha donated a vast stretch of land to Dhanna Shah so as to enable him to realize his dream of building a great temple. Today, these temples attract thousands of visitors every year from across the country and abroad.

Day 9 Jodhpur

Morning: Mehrangarh Fort

Afternoon: Moti Mahal and Phool Mahal, Jaswant Thada

Overnight at Jodhpur

Mehrangarh Fort, located in Jodhpur, Rajasthan is one of the largest forts in India. The fort is situated 400 feet (122 m) above the city and is enclosed by imposing thick walls. Inside its boundaries there are several palaces known for their intricate carvings and expansive courtyards. A winding road leads to and from the city below. The imprints of cannonball hits by attacking armies of Jaipur can still be seen on the second gate. To the left of the fort is the chhatri of Kirat Singh Soda, a soldier who fell on the spot defending the Mehrangarh fort.

Moti Mahal is the largest period room of the Mehrangarh Museum. It was built by Raja Sur Singh. Moti Mahal was where the king used to sit on his throne and meet all his subjects. The palace has the Sringar Chowki, The Royal Throne of Jodhpur. The Moti Mahal has five alcoves leading to hidden balconies. It is believed that the balconies were built for the five queens of the Maharaja to enable them to listen in on court proceeding.

Phool Mahal (The Palace Of Flowers): Maharaja Abhaya Singh built the Phool Mahal. It is one of the grandest Mehrangarh Fort period rooms. It is believed that the Phool Mahal was a private and exclusive chamber of pleasure. Dancing girls are believed to perform here for the pleasure of the Maharajas. The gold for the Mahal came from Ahmedabad in Gujarat. The paintings, royal portraits and the ever-popular raga mala of the Mahal came during the reign of Jaswant Singh II.

Jaswant Thada: A stone's throw from the Mehrangarh Fort, built at the turn of the nineteenth century by Jaswant Singh's Maharani in her husband's memory, the shining white Jaswant Thada serves as a shrine to the Rathore dynasty. All around it today are the chattris or cenotaphs of the rulers and their queens who followed Jaswant Singh II for the complex, on the banks of the Dev Kund, The Pond of the Gods, serves as the royal cremation grounds.

Day 10 Jodhpur-Jaisalmer (By road Approx. 7 Hrs)

After breakfast car transfer to Jaisalmer

Jaisalmer: Induces a dramatic picture of utter magic and brilliance of the desert. The hostile terrain not with standing the warmth and color of people is simply over whelming. One of the main draws is the daunting 12th century Jaisalmer Fort and beautiful havelis which were built by wealthy merchants of Jaisalmer are yet another interesting aspect of the you can let your eyes caress the sloppy sand dunes while you ramble your way in a camel safari. Bhatti Rajput ruler Rawal Jaisal, after whom the city finds its name, founded Jaisalmer in 1156. The drive passes by dry vegetation, with villages of colorfully dressed people. Plenty of camels and camel carts, sheep and goats pass you by. On arrival in Jaisalmer, check in the Hotel. Rest the day is free at leisure. Night stay in Jaisalmer.

Day 11 Jaisalmer

Morning: Jaisalmer Fort

Afternoon: Khuri Sand Dunes and the typical Rajasthani Desert Villag. Take a camel ride to view the sunset from the dunes, (Same camels to be used for Safari - getting to know the camels) as the sky is set on fire. It can be an unforgettable experience

Overnight at Jaisalmer

Jaisalmer Fort is a monument worth visiting and worth retaining in your conscious mind. Like various other cities of Rajasthan, in Jaisalmer too you will find different facets of its own glorious heritage. Though you can find historical monuments scattered all over the city, the Jaisalmer Fort will immediately command your attention. Made of sand stones and locally known as Sonar Quila, the Jaisalmer Fort is a dominating structure amidst sands.

Khuri sand dunes are slowly picking up in the must visit charts of tourists. If you find Sam sand dunes a bit crowded then you can very well opt for Khuri sand dunes. Situated just 40 K.M. off the town, Khuri is a must visit for tourists seeking solitude in the desert. It is a peaceful place with houses of mud and straw decorated like the patterns of Persian carpets.

Day 12: Jodhpur - Airport/Station Drop

After breakfast, Chk out from the hotel. Drive to Station/Airport. And after a fabulous journey ends with Memories of your great and joyful holidays.

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