

A Mom's Tale of Sunsets around the World

It was a quiet evening, and the golden light of the sunset was coming through the curtains. Emma sat next to her mom on the couch, enjoying a drink. Seeing the beautiful sunset, Emma asked her mom about sunsets and her experiences with them. Emma loved her mom's stories and was excited to hear about her mom's sunset experiences. Her mom, Angel, smiled and hugged Emma, saying, "Let me tell you about the most beautiful sunsets I've ever seen. I planned each one during my 20s. It was an amazing experience. Let's start with Seoul, South Korea."

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA



Seoul was one of my favorite places. I always wanted to go there. One of the most beautiful sunsets I saw was in Seoul, the capital of South Korea. I was at the Namsan Seoul Tower, which has a great view of the city. As the sun set, the sky turned pink, orange, and purple. The city lights started to twinkle, making the whole city look gorgeous. It was a perfect mix of nature and city lights. I remember feeling so happy because it was a dream come true to see it in person.

JEJU ISLAND, SOUTH KOREA



I also went to Jeju Island, another beautiful place in South Korea. I was on a quiet beach, enjoying the sunset with a cool drink. The sky was a mix of orange, red, and pink, reflecting on the clear ocean water. The gentle sound of the waves made the moment even more special. It was a perfect day to end with the sunset and the sound of the ocean.

HAEUNDAE BEACH, SOUTH KOREA



Another amazing sunset I saw was in Busan, the second-largest city in Korea. I was at Haeundae Beach, one of the most famous beaches in the country. As the sun set, the sky turned pink, orange, and purple. The beach was crowded, but everyone seemed calm as they enjoyed the sunset. I wished there were fewer people so I could enjoy it more, but it was still a great experience.

GYEONGJU, SOUTH KOREA



In Gyeongju, known as the “museum without walls,” I saw a historic and beautiful sunset. I was at Anapji Pond, a man-made pond surrounded by gardens and old pavilions.



As the sun set, the sky turned a soft, golden color, and the reflection on the pond’s water was magical. The ancient setting made it feel like stepping back in time. The history and nature made the sunset in Gyeongju unforgettable.

KYOTO, JAPAN



A year later, I visited Kyoto, Japan. Kyoto is famous for its temples, gardens, and cherry blossoms, but it also has stunning sunsets.



I was at the Kiyomizu-dera temple, which is on a hillside with a great view of the city. As the sun sets, the sky turned soft shades of pink and orange. The temple grounds were peaceful with a

gentle breeze and a bamboo fountain. It was a peaceful moment, and I felt connected to the natural beauty around me.

HAKONE, JAPAN



Another unforgettable sunset experience was in Hakone, Japan. Hakone is known for its hot springs and views of Mount Fuji. I was by Lake Ashi, watching the sunset behind the mountain. The sky turned orange, and the reflection on the lake was breathtaking. The mountain air and the lake view made it a peaceful experience. It felt like a perfect harmony of nature.

VARANASI, INDIA

In India, I saw some of the most spiritual sunsets. One of the most memorable was in Varanasi, a city by the River Ganges. I was on a boat during the evening aarti ceremony. As the sun sets, the sky turned deep orange, and the reflections on the river were magical. Seeing lamps floating on the river was a spiritual and meaningful experience, connecting me to ancient traditions.



ULURU, AUSTRALIA



Next, I went to Uluru in Australia. Uluru, also known as Ayers Rock, is a huge sandstone rock in the desert. I arrived just in time for the sunset. The rock changed colors from bright orange to deep red as the sun set. The desert around it was painted in pink and purple. It felt like witnessing a timeless and beautiful scene.

VENICE, ITALY



In Venice, Italy, I had another memorable sunset experience. There is something special about how the light plays on the water in Venice. I was on a gondola ride through the canals as the sun set. The sky turned gold, and the reflections on the water were beautiful. The historic buildings were bathed in warm, golden light.

SANTORINI, GREECE



I also visited Santorini, Greece, known for its stunning sunsets. I remember sitting on the terrace of a whitewashed house. As the sun set, the sky changed into vibrant colors like orange, pink, and purple.



The sun slowly sank into the Aegean Sea, casting a magical glow over the churches. It felt like a scene from a painting, with locals and tourists gathering to enjoy the beauty.

Emma hugged her mom tightly and thanked her for sharing these wonderful memories. Emma told her mom she would love to visit these places in the future. Angel smiled and said, "I'm sure you'll see the beauty of the world, Emma. Every sunset shows us the beauty of our world. So wherever you are, always take a moment to enjoy the sunset. It's a gift from nature."

As the day ended, Emma and her mom, Angel, had dinner together while talking about future adventures and sunsets.