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Beautiful And Healing City Sokcho

Korea is made up of 63.2% mountain area, which is highly distributed in Gang-wondo. In Gang-wondo, there is one city called Sokcho, also well known for Mt.Seolark which is 3rd hightest mountain in Korea. There are brilliant scenery and didactic acknowledgement during the climb of Mt.Seolark. Mt.Seolark is like the Sun that provide beautiful light and substantial minerals. Climbing Mt.Seolark averagely costs 5hours, about 11hours total of going the distance. Starting from cozy Han-gyerung rest area, there comes Han-gyerung three-way intersection about two hours of climbing which is main shelter. Then, after additional 2 hours of tortuous and rapid hiking, there are Geutchung, Sochung, Joongchung and finally classy Dae-chung bong. At the Dae-chung bong which is the highest peak in Mt.Seolark, it is able to see wonderful Edelweiss flock all over the mountain, large dinosaur ridge spreading to the Taebaek mountain range and a good view of the entire city of Sokcho. Not only at the Dae-chung bong, but also nice landscape photography is available during the climbing, such as maple in autumn or sanggodae in winter. Climbing requires certain level of stamina where many people give up during the climb. However, some people come to Mt.Seolark to refresh their minds, and as soon as they arrive at Dae-chung bong, they realize the true accomplishment and have new life. As a result, Mt.Seolark is really an admirable place to visit, making Sokcho an attractive city.

Along with Mt.Seolark, the East sea is also a crucial travel spot at Sokcho. Beauteous scenery of the East Sea in harbor of Sokcho is also a delicacy. The East sea is oxygen that people usually forget its existence, but when people suffer its existence, it becomes precious. The East Sea is not considered as necessary tourist spot compared to popular place like Jeju island or Busan. However, anyone who sees the fantastic view of the East Sea will proudly concede the decision of going to Sokcho. In addition, numerous delicious seafood dishes are prepared that come from the East Sea. There are mellow, well-baked lobster, fresh raw fish, sweet butter clam, and many other excellent foods. The price is far less expensive than that of the urban cities, and there is an odor of the East Sea inside that makes the food richer in taste. Moreover, many exciting activities are available in the East Sea. People can enjoy lively snorkeling with seeing various fishes and colorful seaweeds, dynamic boarding with cool sea water blowing fresh salty air around the body, and even strategic sand castle building that prevent the powerful sea water coming to the land which requires fast wits and solid patience. Finally, after spending time with these activities, sleeping with the brilliant sea sight in the hotel is a climax of the East Sea. Numerous bumpy stones crushing with sparkling wave and ablaze moon being reflected by calm seawater would make most of the people attracted to the East Sea again. In Sokcho, there are magnificent Mt.Seolark and vivid East Sea that make people delightful and childlike.