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BEST PLACES THAT I VISITED IN MUMBAI.

The City of Mumbai has always been the main attraction of travelers all around the world. Thousand of travelers, tourists, explorer visit the city each day either to explore the city or themselves. There are lots of places to visit. Mentioning 4 places which I had visited and everyone should visit and the places are:-

1. Gateway Of India:



Gateway of India is the Icon of Mumbai city. It is one of the best and major tourist attraction place in Mumbai. It was built in 1924, on the occasion of King George V's and Queen Mary's arrival to India for the first time. This monument is constructed in a way that it appears first to the traveler who's visiting Bombay through the sea in olden days. This place also has a national significance as the British troops finally departed from here in 1947.

You will find lots of tourist and photographers. When I went there I saw lots of foreigners and locals were taking photos. It is a huge structure near the sea. I saw a tablet near the structure which says who and why this monument was made. I found there were many hawkers and even small stalls for foods and toys. Overall this place bring back the memories of Independence.




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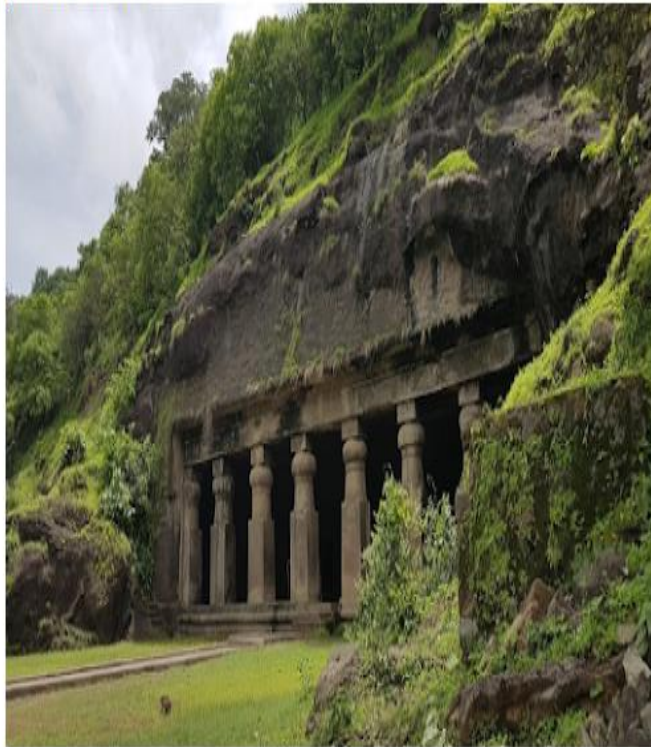
I saw many boats in sea and some of them were for a ride which allows the passengers to see the whole place. I even saw an amazing hotels opposite to them called as Taj Hotel and Oberoi Hotel which is also an tourist attraction. At evening, the view of Arabian sea from Gateway of India was amazing.

Location: Apollo Bandar, Colaba, Mumbai, Maharashtra 400001, India

Opening Hours: 24 hour Open and no entry fee.

How to reach: Regular buses, Cabs or by trains.

2. Elephanta Caves:



Elephanta Caves is one of the best place to visit in Mumbai. There is a series of rock-cut caves which looks amazing. It is one of the tourist attraction place. Many tourist and local everyday visit this place. This gigantic cave is segregated into Buddhist and Hindu segments. The Hindu segment is totally dedicated to Lord Shiva. Elephanta Caves occupied in the UNESCO World Heritage Site in the year 1987.

We had taken the ferry from Gateway of India. After reaching, I saw many tourist and local peoples and even we saw many stall where people were selling different things. We just have to take care of Monkeys present in Caves. The beauty and

intrinsic carvings leave everyone in awe. It is very easy to visit this place by just taking a ferry from Gateway of India.

Location: Gharapuri, Maharashtra 400094, India

Opening Hours: 9am to 5pm.

How to reach: Ferries run from Gateway of India to Elephanta Caves.

3. Mahalaxmi Temple:



Mahalaxmi Temple is one of the oldest temples in Mumbai. It also became the attraction of tourist and local devotees. The temple was built somewhere in 16th century which also makes it a significant place to visit.

Mahalaxmi temple dedicated to honor 'Goddess Mahalaxmi' who is also known as the 'Goddess of Wealth'. The architecture of the temple is beautiful. I saw many shops which were selling puja materials. After spending some time in long queue we entered the shrine, we saw the idol of Goddess Mahalaxmi decorated with gold bangles, necklace and flowers.

We also saw the 'Goddess Mahakali' and 'Goddess Saraswati' in the temple ornamented with Jewels which makes the temple more beautiful and peace environment. I found many food stalls. Since, It was crowded children's were

playing around the temple. I saw the sea and it was looking amazing. The best time to visit this temple in 'Navaratri' to witness the glorious festive celebrations. There are Atria mall and Haji Ali Dargah very close to temple and it is an amazing place to visit.

Location: Bhulabhai Desai Marg, Mahalaxmi West, Cumballa Hill, Mumbai - 400026, Maharashtra.

Opening Hours: 6am to 10pm.

How to Reach: By local buses available, taxi or train.

4. Marine Drive:



Marine drive is also known as Queen's Necklace. It is a three kilometer sea-facing promenade that starts at Nariman Point and goes on to Babulnath. Marine drive is among the peaceful places in the city.

Marine drive is broad and clean. It is one of the tourist attraction place. People's go for jogging, evening strolls. You will find people chilling over there. After the sunset, the view of the entire semi-circular Marine drive sparkling with streets lights and it looks dazzling.

No-doubt, It is my favorite place. The sunset looks amazing and you will find very peace over there. The best time to visit during early morning or evening and during rainy season. You can watch the sunset, go for jog or just to relax but visit once you get a chance.

Location: Netaji Subash Chandra Bose Road, South Mumbai.

Opening Hours: 24 Hours

How to reach: By local bus, taxi or by train.

There are several other places to visit in Mumbai like Juhu Chowpatty, Haji Ali Dargah, Shri Siddhivinayaka Mandir, Essel World, Sanjay Gandhi National Park, Bandra Worli Sea Link, etc...

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Good knowledge..💎💎

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