**My Favorite City Blog - Kochi**

**Overview:**

This project is a multi-page personal blog designed to share the passion for the city of Kochi. It's built using fundamental web technologies (HTML for structure and CSS for styling) and serves as a beautiful, easy-to-navigate guide for potential visitors or fellow admirers of the city.

**Technology Stack:**

**HTML5**: To structure the content for each page, ensuring it is semantic and accessible.

**CSS**: To style the website, creating a visually appealing design that reflects Kochi's vibrant and earthy tones (e.g., tropical greens, sea blues, terracotta browns).

#### **Site Structure (File Breakdown):**

The website would be organized into five main HTML files:

**1. Home Page (index.html)**

* **Purpose:** To be the main landing page that captivates visitors instantly.
* **Content:**
  + A large, stunning "hero" image of a classic Kochi scene (like the Chinese Fishing Nets at sunset).
  + A brief, welcoming introduction: "Welcome to my blog about the Queen of the Arabian Sea."
  + Preview sections with links that lead to the other main pages (e.g., a small gallery preview, a snippet about an attraction, a featured cultural fact).
  + A navigation bar at the top linking to Home, Attractions, Culture, Gallery, and Contact.

**2. Attractions (attractions.html)**

* **Purpose:** To act as a tourist's guide to the must-see spots in Kochi.
* **Content:**
  + A grid-based layout where each "card" represents an attraction.
  + Each card would feature a picture, the name of the place (e.g., "Fort Kochi," "Mattancherry Palace," "Jew Town"), and a short paragraph describing its significance and what to expect.

**3. Culture (culture.html)**

* **Purpose:** To dive deeper into the soul of the city, beyond just the sights.
* **Content:**
  + **Cuisine:** A section dedicated to Kochi's food, from the traditional Sadya to fresh seafood delicacies. Include mouth-watering pictures.
  + **Arts:** Information about Kathakali performances, the influence of colonial history, and a special mention of the famous **Kochi-Muziris Biennale**.
  + **People & Lifestyle:** A short write-up on the laid-back, multicultural lifestyle of the local people.

**4. Gallery (gallery.html)**

* **Purpose:** A purely visual page to showcase the beauty of Kochi through your photography.
* **Content:**
  + A clean photo grid (using CSS Grid or Flexbox) displaying high-quality images.
  + Photos could be categorized (e.g., "Landscapes," "People," "Food," "Architecture").
  + (JavaScript Enhancement): Clicking an image could open it in a full-screen "lightbox" for a better view.

**5. Contact (contact.html)**

* **Purpose:** To allow fellow travelers or readers to connect with you.
* **Content:**
  + A simple contact form with fields for Name, Email, and Message.
  + A short, friendly message encouraging others to share their own Kochi stories.

**Code Snippets:**

Index.html

<section class="featured-posts">

<h2>Featured Posts</h2>

<div class="posts-container">

<article class="post-card">

<figure>

<img src="chinese-fishing-nets.jpg" alt="The Chinese Fishing Nets in Fort Kochi">

<figcaption>Fort Kochi's Iconic Chinese Fishing Nets</figcaption>

</figure>

<h3>The Chinese Fishing Nets: A Testament to Trade</h3>

<p>Uncover the history behind these unique fishing tools, a symbol of Kochi's rich cultural exchange.</p>

<a href="#" class="read-more">Read More</a>

</article>

<article class="post-card">

<figure>

<img src="mattancherry-palace.jpg" alt="Mattancherry Palace with its traditional architecture">

<figcaption>Mattancherry Palace's Royal History</figcaption>

</figure>

<h3>Mattancherry Palace: Inside the Dutch Palace</h3>

<p>Explore the stunning murals and history of this beautiful palace, a blend of different architectural styles.</p>

<a href="#" class="read-more">Read More</a>

</article>

</div>

</section>

This is the code for showing the featured posts on the landing page. It makes use of various html5 semantic tags for better SEO.