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Summary Information

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Tour Description

Day 1: Phnompenh - Arrival

Local tour guide and driver will welcome and transfer to hotel.

Day 2: Phnompenh - Royal Palace - National Museum (B)

Having breaking at hotel then explore Phnom Penh, a chaotic, energetic and always fascinating city. Graceful tree-lined boulevards and riverfront promenades are reminders of bygone eras; today they teem with life and activity, as motorcycles weave in and out of traffic, vendor hawk their wares, and pedestrians go about their business. Start your tour with an insight into Cambodia's cultural heritage with a visit to the Royal Palace, still the official residence of King Norodom Sihamoi and the adjacent Silver Pagoda, also known as the Pagoda of the Emerald Buddha.

Visit the elegant National Museum, which contains a comprehensive collection of Khmer Art. Finally, explore the modern-day city, visiting one of Phnom Penh's two great markets, the Central Market, located in a distinctive domed Art Deco building (Central Market is currently under construction but can be visited as usual), or the sprawling Russian Market, a labyrinth of stalls selling everything from CDs and DVDs to silks, crafts, jewelry and more.

Day 3: Phnompenh - Killing Field Cheng Ek- Toul Sleng (B)

After breakfast, the Killing Fields just outside Phnom Penh, in a peaceful rural setting, the Killing Fields of Choeung Ek provide a stark reminder of the atrocities under the Pol Pot regime. Thousands of people were killed here between the years of 1975 and 1978 and buried in mass graves.

Visit Tuol Sleng (S-21) Learn about a chapter from Cambodia's more recent, tragic, past at the Tuol Sleng Museum (Museum of Genocide). Formerly the Tuol Svay Prey High School, in 1975, this became the interrogation and torture facility for the Khmer Rouge regime - at that time known as Security Prison 21, or simply S-21. Kept largely unchanged, this prison now showcases photographs and exhibits about the thousands of victims that passed through these doors - only seven of whom came out alive.

Wat Phnom is a Buddhist temple located in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. It was built in 1372, and stands 27 metres above the ground. It is the tallest religious structure in the city. The pagoda was given the name of Wat Preah Chedey Borapaut. Wat Phnom is the central point of Phnom Penh.

Day 4: Phnom Penh - Kampong Cham (B)

Today, you will be transferred to Kampong Cham by overland in private transport and escort tour guide. A stop break in the town of Skuon to see their most famous speciality being sold such deep-fried of insects, snake, especially spiders as favourite snack of many Cambodians. The spiders are caught in the soft ground of the surrounding countryside. Skuon well know as spiders market called by traveler who visited Cambodia now. Continue trip to Kampong Cham, "Port of the Chams" is located on the central lowlands of the Mekong River. Kampong Cham was an important trading post during the French period, the legacy of which is evident as you wander through the streets of crumbling yet classic buildings. Before arrive the downtown, and then we stop by to visit Wat Nokhor Temple with a relatively modern pagoda Nokor Bachay Pagoda buried within the walls of an Angkorian temple dating back to the era of Jayavarman VII. Transfer to hotel and check in.

Rest of the day at your own leisure or relax with riverfront view over Mekong River during sunset where you can see the standing of The French watchtower just on the far side of Kizuna Bridge, and north a little, a proud remnant of the French period looks over the Mekong. Was built in the 1900s, presumably to guard the rubber plantations against bandits sneaking up from the river, and renovated in 2005.

Overnight in Kampong Cham.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 5: Kampong Cham – Kampong Thom (B)

Have breakfast at hotel. This morning, drive up to the north of Kampong Cham just over 22 kilometres, at the side of a picturesque road that skirts the Mekong River, you'll find Prasat Han Chey on top of a hill on the far side of an iron bridge. It is, perhaps, one of the more kitsch pagoda grounds we've come across. Once at the top, you find a rather large monastery intertwined with several pagodas, an extensive statue garden and 1,500-year-old Angkorian ruins.

After that, back to visit another top highlight of Kampong Cham, The bamboo bridge, It is the longest bamboo bridge in the world, and is rebuilt every year once the rainy season passes and the Mekong subsides to reveal the sandy banks below. Almost a kilometre long and made entirely of blonde bamboo poles, the bridge remains until it is submerged and washed away again every year.

Afternoon, before leaving Kampong Cham to Kampong Thom province, then on the way, you should not miss on visiting to Phnom Pros & Phnom Srei hill temple. Two hills face one another in a near stand-off, each topped with their own pagodas: The rather lovely, grand and ornate pagodas on top of Phnom Pros (Men's Hill), and a rather shabbier cluster on top of Phnom Srei (Women's Hill). But Phnom Srei is higher, which may have prompted the pagoda version of compensatory overachievement on the other side of the gulf between them.

Continue to Kampong Thom, arrive and check in at hotel.

Overnight in Kampong Thom.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 6: Kampong Thom - Preaek Vihea (B)

After breakfast, drive to a site older than Angkor lost in tranquil forests, Sambor Prei Kuk is even more mysterious (and to some, lovely) than the more famous temples to the west, built in the Chenla period between the 6th and 7th century and there are over 100 well preserved temples scattered in the forest.

In a cool and peaceful leafy setting, beautiful 1,200-year-old brick temples combine with nature to create an environment that showcases the best of both worlds.

Continue to Preaek Vihea.

Day 7: Preaek Vihea - Siemreap (B)

Drive toward northeast of Siem Reap, visit to Beng Mealea temple, located about 68 km northeast of Siem Reap, is one of the most mysterious temples at Angkor, as nature has well and truly run riot. Exploring this titanic of temples was built to the same floorplan as Angkor Wat. Built in the 12th century under Suryavarman II, Beng Mealea is enclosed by a massive moat measuring 1.2km by 900m.

Continue to abandoned to the forests of the north, Koh Ker, capital of the Angkorian empire from AD 928 to AD 944, about 60 km after Beng Mealea Temple. Drive through beautiful of landscape and paddy rice field, vegetable farm in rural countryside. You will visit Koh Ker Temple Group which you should not miss as on the way passby. Koh Ker is a whole temple town, the second largest of the ancient Khmer civilization. Due to its remote location, Koh Ker can still be called a "lost city in the jungle". It remains to be an off the beaten track destination, though it's indeed one of the most amazing excavation sites you can imagine.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 8: Siemreap - Angkor Wat. (B)

Breakfast at hotel. Explore the South Gate of Angkor Thom, known as Big Angkor. It was the last capital of the Angkorian Empire. Visit the famous Bayon Temple – an architectural structure constructed in a somewhat piecemeal fashion for over a century. Visit the Terrace of the Elephants – an impressive, two and a half meter tall, 300 meter long terrace wall adorned with carved elephants. Visit Baphuon – huge temple mountain in the heart of Angkor Thom. Visit Royal Palace Area and Phimeanakas – impressive rite and sandstone pyramid. Visit the Terrace of the Leper King at the north end of the Terrace of the Elephants. This is a double terrace wall with deeply carved nag as demons and other mythological beings. Lastly, you will visit Ta Prohm Temple which is a wonderful combination of human genius and natural beauty. Giant trees have grown here for centuries.

In the afternoon, visit Angkor Wat Temple. The founder of the temple was Suryavarman II who reigned Cambodia from 1113 to 1152 and built the five towers in the 12th century to dedicate to the Hindu God Vishnu. The plan of the pyramidal conception of the temple combined with spaces, alleys, ditches is an ancient masterpiece of architectural design and construction.

Evening we proceed to Bakeng Hill, to view sunset and beautiful scenery of Angkor Wat.

Buffet dinner with Cambodia cultural dance show. Free time for you to explore the Pub Street and Night Market.

Overnight in Siem Reap.

Day 9: Siemreap - Banteisrey. (B)

In the morning, transfer to visit Banteay Srei Temple. Banteay Srei was built in the late 10th century, it is a Hindu temple dedicated to Shiva. The temple is square with entrances on the east and west. Of primary interest are the three central towers which are decorated with male and female divinities and exquisite filigree relief work.

Then, proceed to Kbal Spean. At Kbal Spean, also known as the River of 1000 Lingas, there are carvings in the riverbed (in the same way as at Kulen). It should be more spectacular but many of the carvings have been looted. Near Kbal Spien is a waterfall that can be reached by hiking 2km uphill.

Return to Siem Reap.

Overnight in Siem Reap

Day 10: Siemreap - . (B)

Breakfast at hotel, morning visit Wat Thmei (Killing Field) contains a unique glass-walled stupa containing the bones of victims of the Khmer Rouge. Some of the bones were recovered from a nearby well while others are the remains of soldiers who died on a nearby battlefield. Come back to visit the "Les Artisans d'Angkor - Chantiers Ecole" the Finest Authentic Khmer Arts and Crafts. We will visit Puok, the real and original place of the Artisans d'Angkor silk, where you will see the full process of silk producing, from the silk worms munch on the Mulberry leaves to spin their cocoons which used to make silk warp. You of course will see the weaving work and purchase the high quality silk products as a beautiful Cambodia souvenir.

after arrival will start to 15km drive to Phnom Krom the large hill that looms closer, and enjoy a relaxing cruise on the on the Tonle Sap lake, the largest lake in South East Asia. You will see the traditional floating village of Chong Kneas and witness the residents going about their daily life - it is quite a sight seeing a whole bamboo village complete with homes, gas stations, schools, hair dressers, and even karaoke bars floating on a lake. On the way back to Siem Reap you will call in at Artisans d'Angkor, an interesting boutique workshop where you can observe young Cambodians learning traditional Khmer handicraft techniques, such as stone & wood carving, and lacquering & gilding - a great opportunity for last minute quality souvenirs.

Day 11: Siemreap - Departure.(B)

Breakfast at hotel. guide and driver transfer to airport.

Quotation Price (Detail)

Accommodation Set: 3* hotel

Pax Set	Pax Range	SIC	Vehicle	Adult Single	Adult Double	Adult Triple	Child W/B	Child Wo/B	Infant
Not Set	5 - 5 (5)	No	None	738.50	595.00	595.17	595.00	595.00	595.00

Accommodation Detail

Accom. Set	Accommodation List
3* hotel	Siem Reap - Cambodia: Dinata Angkor Boutique Hotel - Deluxe <i>Address: Taphul Road, Svaydangkum Commune, Siem Reap Province.</i> Phnom Penh - Cambodia: Samnang Laor Phnom Penh Hotel - Superior <i>No 130, Street 304, Sangkat Olympic, Khan Chamkamon, Phnom Penh Cambodia.</i> Kampong Cham - Cambodia: LBN Asian Hotel - Superior <i>Riverside Road, Kompong Cham</i> Preah Vihear - Cambodia: PREAH VIHEAR BOUTIQUE HOTEL - Deluxe <i>Street Oknha Franna, Sra Em Village, Choum Ksann District</i> Kampong Thom - Cambodia: GLORIOUS HOTEL & SPA - Superior <i>National route No 6, Phum Balang, west of Damrei Choan Khla</i>

Price Include

Hotel in sharing Twin room basis with breakfast
All ground transfers as itinerary basic on private
Private tour with guide
Sightseeing & Entrance fees as itinerary
English Speaking Guide
Cool towel and drinking water serve on tour

Price Exclude

Cambodia entry Visa : USD 30 / pax
Tips, Drink and other expenses not mention in itinerary
Domestic & Inter Air ticket
Other & Personal expense
Tip guide & driver

Trip Notes