

XPLORWorld – Ooty Honeymoon Playbook

Premium Romantic Escape

A soft, slow, intimate honeymoon in the Nilgiris designed for newly married couples who want privacy, beauty, and emotional comfort.

1. Look Book – Emotional Flow

Arrival into Mist → **Settling into Silence** → **Tea Garden Romance** → **Mountain Exploration** → **Slow Love Day** → **Goodbye**

Page 1 – Cover (Mood): Soft mist over Nilgiri hills, a couple on a balcony with tea. **Page 2 – Arrival:** Curvy hill road, fog, vintage car. **Page 3 – Stay:** Heritage/boutique cottage, fireplace, valley view. **Page 4 – Tea Gardens:** Couple walking through green rows. **Page 5 – Coonoor:** Cliff viewpoints and toy train. **Page 6 – Slow Love:** Spa, balcony breakfast, chocolates. **Page 7 – Farewell:** Sunrise over lake.

Image Suggestions: Ooty misty hills, tea estates, Savoy/Fortune style rooms, Ooty Lake, Coonoor viewpoints, candlelight dinner setups.

2. Master Script (5 Days / 4 Nights)

Day 1 – Arrival into Calm 12:00 Arrive in Ooty | 13:00 Check-in | 16:00 Tea & balcony time | 19:30 Candle-light dinner

Day 2 – Tea Garden Romance 09:30 Breakfast | 10:30 Tea estates | 13:30 Lunch | 16:30 Ooty Lake | 19:30 Dinner

Day 3 – Coonoor Love Trail 09:30 Depart | 11:00 Sim's Park | 13:30 Lunch | 18:00 Return

Day 4 – Slow Love Day Late breakfast | Spa or rest | Shopping | Farewell dinner

Day 5 – Goodbye 10:00 Checkout

3. Booking Bible – Stays

Recommended: Savoy IHCL, Sterling Elk Hill, Fortune Resort **Room types:** Valley View, Fireplace Suite, Heritage Wing **Includes:** Breakfast, welcome drink, tea maker, heater, Wi-Fi

4. Food & Café Map

Breakfast at resort Lunch: Earl's Secret, Shinkows Dinner: Resort dining, candle-light setup

5. Budget (Indicative for Couple)

Stay: ₹12k–₹18k per night Cab: ₹12k total Food & extras: ₹8k Total: ₹75k–₹1.1L approx

6. Packing & Etiquette

Warm clothes, light colors, good walking shoes Be gentle, respect silence, no loud music

XPOREWorld curates romance, not just travel.

7. Curator's Touch (XPOREWorld)

Why these hotels? We choose properties that are *quiet after sunset*, with balcony or valley orientation — honeymoon energy dies in noisy tourist hubs.

Why late starts? Newly married couples sleep late, talk more, and need privacy. No early-morning rush is ever planned.

Why Ooty Lake in the evening? Morning is crowded. Evening has golden light and silence — better for shy couples.

Why Coonoor over more sightseeing? Fewer places, deeper memory. Romance needs space, not checklists.

Room Preference Note: Always ask for *upper-floor or corner rooms* — less noise, better view.

Food Curation: We avoid spicy or heavy food during honeymoon days — choose warm soups, continental, mild South Indian.

Photography Tip: Mist between 7-9am is magic. Ask your driver to stop wherever fog touches tea gardens.

Rain Plan: If it rains, cancel sightseeing — stay in, order soup, enjoy fireplace. Rain is a honeymoon gift, not a problem.