

# Mysteries of India

**15 DAYS** From ~~\$3,599~~ **\$3,449 pp\*** Save up to **\$150**

## About This Tour

From the iconic tigers of Ranthambore to the legendary Taj Mahal, step into a world of captivating mysteries and vibrant colour. Explore Old Delhi on an exhilarating city tour, weaving through the streets on a rickshaw. Join a local family for an unforgettable home-hosted dinner. Walk on the wild side in Ranthambore National Park and seek out its most popular residents: Bengal tigers. Stand in awe before the Taj Mahal in the early morning. Ignite your spirit during the holy Ganga Aarti ceremony in Varanasi. Welcome to India - a perfect synthesis of nature, vitality, spirituality, and regal legacy.

## Your Tour Includes





- 7 Handpicked Accommodations

- 26 Meals
- 2 Choice on Tour Options

## Included Highlights

- Old Delhi
- Jaipur
- Hawa Mahal
- Amber Fort

## Your Tour at a Glance

<b>Stay</b> 	15 Days 14 Nights
<b>Meals</b> 	26 Meals 13 Breakfasts 7 Lunches 6 Dinners
<b>Activity</b> 	3 <a href="#">What's This?</a>
<b>Travel Style</b> 	Explorations <a href="#">What's This?</a>

## Customize Your Tour

<b>Pre Tour</b> Dubai	<b>\$1,170.00 pp</b> <a href="#">View Pre Tour</a>
<b>Post Tour</b> Nepal	<b>\$1,300.00 pp</b> <a href="#">View Post Tour</a>

**Optional Excursions Starting at \$65.00**

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## Itinerary

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### Day 1: Overnight Flight

Discover India's perfect synthesis of nature, spirituality, and regal legacy. From the fabled Taj Mahal to the iconic tigers of Ranthambore, step into a world of captivating mysteries and vibrant colour.

**Hotel**                      **Culinary**

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### Day 2: Delhi, India - Tour Begins

A paradise of contradiction, Delhi features a bustling energy, age-old monuments, and an all-encompassing vitality that courses its way through the busy streets. Experience everything this dynamic metropolis has to offer, from modern New Delhi to historic Old Delhi.

**Hotel**                      **Culinary**

The Park New Delhi

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### Day 3: Delhi

Start your morning at the expansive Humayun's Tomb, one of the best-preserved Mughal monuments dating back to the 1500s. This sprawling complex inspired countless mausoleums, including the legendary Taj Mahal. Enjoy some free time in the afternoon to explore on your own. Gather with your group in the evening for a welcome dinner featuring Indian specialties.

**Hotel**                      **Culinary**

The Park New Delhi Breakfast & Dinner

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## Day 4: Delhi

Cut through Old Delhi's buzzing streets on a rickshaw – your mode of transportation for an exhilarating tour of old Delhi. See the city's friendly vendors as you travel down narrow streets and busy corridors. Visit Jama Masjid, one of the largest mosques in India, and stand in awe before its iconic red sandstone towers. Your exploration of New Delhi continues on a journey by the city's famous monuments, including the India Gate and Parliament building.

### Hotel

### Culinary

The Park New Delhi Breakfast & Lunch

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## Day 5: Delhi - Jaipur

Wish the city goodbye and embark on a scenic drive through the countryside. Stop for lunch in a local restaurant before arriving in Jaipur, the "Pink City." See Hawa Mahal, the former home of a maharaja (Indian prince). Marvel at the city's architectural brilliance as you stroll through the heart of the Old City during your free time.

### Hotel

### Culinary

Radisson Jaipur  
City Center

Breakfast & Lunch

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## Day 6: Jaipur

Take in the extensive palace complex of Amber Fort, India's former seat of power. Head to the palace by means of a vintage jeep, scaling the hills overlooking Jaipur. In the evening, get to know a local family as you join them for a hosted dinner in their home.

### Hotel

### Culinary

Radisson Jaipur  
City Center

Breakfast & Dinner

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## Day 7: Jaipur

Set out to explore the beautiful city of Jaipur, starting with the City Palace. Nearby, take in the impeccable masonry of the Jantar Mantar – the world’s oldest stone sundial. The afternoon is yours to discover Jaipur however you please.

### Hotel

Radisson Jaipur  
City Center

### Culinary

Breakfast

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## Day 8: Jaipur - Ranthambore National Park

Travel to Ranthambore National Park where we will seek out tigers in their natural habitat. Learn about Project Tiger’s conservation efforts and the impact the organization has had on the Ranthambore sanctuary. Connect with a naturalist, introducing you to India’s extensive wildlife.

### Hotel

Juna Mahal

### Culinary

Breakfast & Lunch  
& Dinner

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## Day 9: Ranthambore

Board a canter (open-air truck) for your first game drive. Seek out barking deer, Indian gazelles, and exotic birdlife. Follow the tigers’ paths in search of the sanctuary’s renowned wildlife. Then, it’s your choice! Return to your hotel to relax -OR- experience an Impact Moment with a visit to Dastkar Ranthambore, a social enterprise dedicated to providing employment and training for local women artisans. No matter what you choose, return to the wild for another chance to seek out marsh crocodiles, sloth bears, and the park’s famous Bengal tigers.

### Hotel

Juna Mahal

### Culinary

Breakfast & Lunch  
& Dinner

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## Day 10: Ranthambore - Agra

Today we depart early as we make our way to Agra, a city rich with the splendors of the past. Along the way, visit the impressive Abhaneri step well. Built over 1,000 years ago it is an architectural marvel hidden from visitors until recently. Then stop for lunch and get another taste of local flavours. Home to stone forts and marble mausoleums, Agra features a lively culture and picture-perfect architecture.

### Hotel

Crystal Sarovar  
Premiere Agra

### Culinary

Breakfast & Lunch

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## Day 11: Agra

The Taj Mahal, a stunning vision in white marble and sandstone, was built as an expression of love by Emperor Shah Jahan. Experience the romantic spirit of the Taj Mahal in the early morning, when the colours of the sky dance on the bright façade and shimmer in its reflective pool. Visit Agra Fort, the seat of the Mughal Empire. During a second Impact Moment, enjoy lunch at Sheroes' Hangout – a café that empowers female survivors of violence, allowing them to reclaim their lives through employment and sisterhood.

### Hotel

Crystal Sarovar  
Premiere Agra

### Culinary

Breakfast & Lunch

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## Day 12: Agra - Khajuraho

Start your morning with a train ride to Jhansi where you will connect with your coach and make your way to Khajuraho. In the shadow of the Vindhya mountain range, find a city of stone temples and mystifying sculptures. Make

the most of time at leisure this afternoon to explore the area on your own.

<b>Hotel</b>	<b>Culinary</b>
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Radisson Jass Hotel Khajuraho	Breakfast & Lunch & Dinner
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### **Day 13: Khajuraho - Varanasi**

Take in the Chandela Temple complex, home to unparalleled temple architecture and intricate stone carvings. Fly to Varanasi – India's holiest city – where spiritual energy radiates from the ground up. Sail along the River Ganges and pass by the ghats (banks) where locals wade into the river. From the Dasaswamedh Ghat, enjoy a reserved seat to experience the Ganga Aarti ceremony as it illuminates the night sky.

<b>Hotel</b>	<b>Culinary</b>
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Radisson Hotel Varanasi	Breakfast
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### **Day 14: Varanasi**

Take advantage of a morning boat ride for an opportunity to see the sunrise on the River Ganges. Travel to Sarnath, where Siddhartha Gautama – later known as Buddha – gave his first sermon in the 6th century B.C. Discover this holy site and gain insight into the country's divine past. Celebrate your adventure through India alongside new friends at a farewell dinner.

<b>Hotel</b>	<b>Culinary</b>
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Radisson Hotel Varanasi	Breakfast & Dinner
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### **Day 15: Varanasi - Delhi - Tour Ends**

Enjoy a morning at leisure before flying back to Delhi, where a room has been reserved for you to freshen up before your return flight home.

**Hotel**

Lemon Tree  
Premier, Delhi  
Airport

**Culinary**

Breakfast

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