



# Incredible Voyages

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## **GOLDEN TRIANGLE**

**IPVL (Incredible Voyages Pvt Ltd) invites you to be part of a traveling tradition that dates back 5000 years. Follow in the footsteps of these historic wayfarers for a kaleidoscopic look at the timeless cultural fabric that binds these fascinating people together. Discover the enchanting cities. Gaze in wonder at manmade and natural beauties beyond compare. Revel in the magic and mystery of ancient cultures, virtually untouched since the dawn of modern time. Feel the palpable spirituality, which permeates the glorious spectacle that is life on this magnificent sub-continent.**

**On this journey of discovery you will have the opportunity to combine a unique celestial event with the exploration of one of the most fascinating region of the world: incredible INDIA. Here lands of ancient cities and beautiful scenery are populated by diverse and rich spiritual cultures. India has rich cultural and historical heritage well preserved in its temple architecture and pilgrim sites. The statuary and adornment in these ancient temples showcases one of the world's foremost artistic heritages.**

**For first-time visitors, everything you have previously heard or read about India is probably true. And the contrary is probably true as well. Home of the world's oldest civilizations, and several of the world's great religions, India has been changing and re-shaping itself for as long as anywhere on earth, forever producing new forms of culture and absorbing new influences.**

### ***Day 01: Arrive in Delhi***

Delhi, the capital of India, unwinds a picture rich with culture, architecture and human diversity, deep in history, monuments, museums, galleries, gardens and exotic shows. It is comprised of two contrasting yet harmonious parts, the Old Delhi and New Delhi. Narrating the city's Mughal past, Old Delhi, takes you through the labyrinthine streets passing through formidable mosques, monuments and forts. The imperial city of New Delhi displays the finely curved architecture of British Raj.

Late evening arrive in Delhi. On arrival, you will be welcomed by our staff and transferred to your hotel in Delhi (***Rooms will be booked from 1200 hrs***).

Overnight in the hotel.



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## Day 02: Delhi

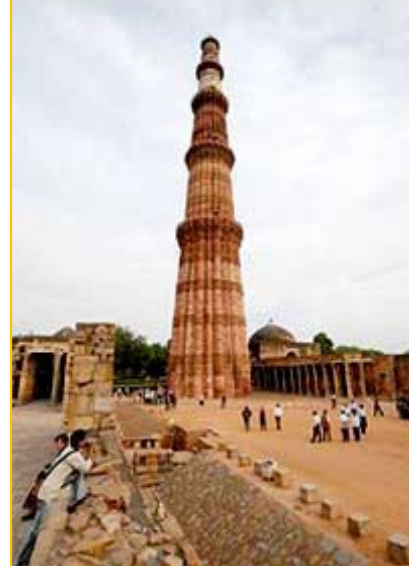
In the morning have half day sightseeing tour of Old & New Delhi.

In Old Delhi, drive past **Red fort**, built in Red Sand stone this imposing fort is 3 Kms in perimeter with the height of the wall varying from 18 to 30 meters at places.

Visit **Jama Masjid**, one of the largest mosques in India. Completed in 1658 this Mosque has three gateways, four angle towers and two 40 m high minarets. It is India's largest mosque where more than 20,000 people can kneel in prayer.

In New Delhi, drive past **Janpath, Rashtrapati Bhawan, Parliament, Government Buildings and India Gate**. **India Gate** was built as a memorial to commemorate the 70,000 Indian soldiers killed in the First World War.

Also visit **Qutab Minar**. It is a one of the finest monuments in India and is 238 feet in height. Qutab Minar is 47 feet at the base and tapers to nine feet at the apex. The tower is ornamented by bands of inscriptions and by four projecting balconies supported by elaborately decorated brackets.



Overnight in the hotel.

## Day 03: Delhi - Samode - Jaipur

In the afternoon **drive to Jaipur enroute visiting Samode**.

**Samode nestles among the 'Aravali ranges'** about 42 Kms northwest of Jaipur. Samode according to the Rajputana Gazetteer of 1879 was a large and flourishing town.

The palace is full of architectural delights - the paintings on the walls of **Sultan Mahal, the dining room** with its **stained glass windows, the Durbar Hall** with its painted ceilings and intricately carved walls. The chandeliers give the palace its old world charm. Encircled by hills, it is a refreshing treat with spectacular landscapes. The 400-year-old palace has a wealth of frescoes, many of them depicting religious subjects. The ornate interiors are a fine example of the Rajput Haveli architecture.



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After lunch continue your drive to Jaipur.

**Jaipur** was established by **Maharaja Jai Singh II (1693-1743)** and painted pink by **when Prince of Wales**, later Edward VII, visited Jaipur in 1876. The Royal heritage of Jaipur lives in its architecture and culture. The city in pink is symbolic of the hospitality that reigned in the Rajput culture.

On arrival, check in at the hotel.

## **Day 04: Jaipur**

**In the morning visit Amber Fort with Jeep / elephant ride.**



**Amber Fort** is situated on the crest of a hill seven miles north of Jaipur is Amber, capital of the **Kuchwaha Rajputs** from 1037 to 1728. Man Singh I built it in a style to rival Mughal grandeur and opulence. The city-palace is protected by towering outer walls; a further wall runs for miles along the hills surrounding the palace.

In the afternoon have sightseeing tour of Jaipur city.

Make a photo stop **at the Palace of Winds (Hawa Mahal)**, a sample of the perfection of the architecture. It is built with the pink & red sandstone, beautifully carved and outlined with white border and motif.

You will visit **City Palace**, a combination of conventional **Rajasthani and Mughal** architecture. City Palace is a huge complex, which houses many courtyards, gardens and buildings. The city palace houses the Chandra Mahal, Shri Govind Dev Temple and the city palace museum.



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Also visit **Jantar Mantar**, built between 1716. It is located within the city palace. Jantar Mantar contains a collection of instruments for observing the movements of sun, moon, planets and stars. It was built to develop the interest of the people in Astronomy.

Overnight in the hotel.

## **Day 05: Jaipur - Fatehpur Sikri - Abhaneri - Agra**

In the morning drive to **Agra** enroute visiting **Abhaneri & Fatehpur Sikri**.

**Abhaneri** is popular for the amazing **Step-wells**. These Steo-wells are unique invention of the natives for **harvesting rain water**. Amongst the other step wells, **Chand Baori** is the most popular one and is one of India's deepest and largest step wells. This colossal step well is located in front of the Harshat Mata Temple. Harshat Mata was raised during the 10th century, the wrecks of the temple still boast of the architectural and sculptural styles of ancient India.



**Fatehpur Sikri** is a beautiful and deserted medieval city built by Akbar the Great in the 16<sup>th</sup> century to serve as the capital of his vast empire. The Mughals later abandoned this city for lack of water. Fatehpur Sikri had a short life of splendor. Once Akbar left it in 1585, it never regained its lost importance and has remained the most magnificent and well-preserved ghost city of India.

On arrival in Agra, check in at the hotel. **Agra**, the city of Mughals offers you an opportunity to explore the massive monuments, majestic buildings, and the popular arts and crafts. The architectural splendor of the mausoleums, the fort and the palaces is a vivid remainder of the capital in the 16th and early 17th centuries.

Overnight in the hotel.

## **Day 06: Agra - Delhi**

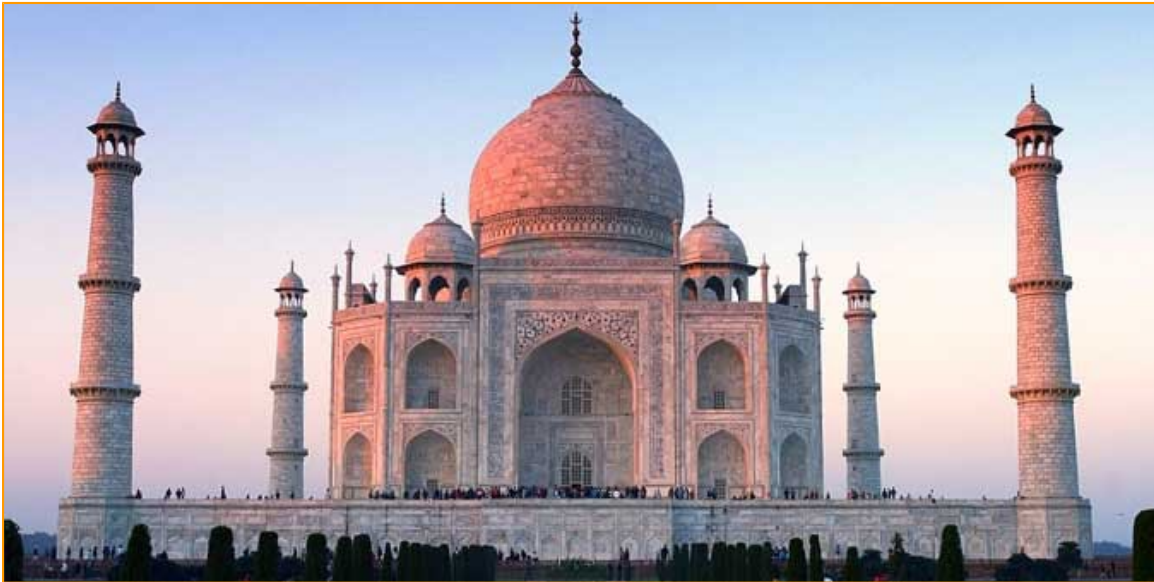




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In the morning visit the **Taj Mahal (1631-1653 & Closed on Fridays)**, a poem in white marble, built by Shah Jahan in memory of his beloved wife, Mumtaz Mahal. It took twenty-two years and more than twenty thousand workers to construct Taj. The beauty of Taj is enchanting and it reflects the marvelous architecture of the Mughal period.



It is a celebration of woman built in marble and that's the way to appreciate it. As a tribute to a beautiful woman and as a monument for enduring love, the Taj reveals its subtleties when one visits it without being in a hurry. The dome is made of white marble, but the tomb is set against the plain across the river and it is this background that works its magic of colours that, through their reflection, change the view of the Taj.

In the afternoon visit **Agra Fort**, built alongside the **Yamuna River** stretching almost 2.5 km. The fort's colossal double walls rise 20 m in height. The fort is surrounded by a moat. The lofty battlements of the Agra fort cast its protective shadow over the far stretching mansions of nobles and princes built along the riverfront.

In the afternoon drive to Delhi.

On arrival check in at the hotel.

Overnight in the hotel.

## **Day 07: Delhi Departure**

In the morning, transfer to airport to board flight for onward destination.



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**\*\*\*END OF OUR SERVICES\*\*\***

## OPTION – 01

### HOTEL LIST

Place	Hotel List	Room Category	No. of nights
Delhi	The Royal Plaza	Standard Room	02 Nights
Jaipur	Holiday Inn	Standard Room	02 Nights
Agra	Howard Park Plaza	Standard Room	01 Night
Delhi	The Royal Plaza	Standard Room	01 Night

**Validity: Prices valid from 15<sup>th</sup> April to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2013**

Slab	Prices Per Person in US Dollars
02 Paying Pax	USD 630 Per Person sharing a double room
03 – 04 Paying Pax	USD 582 Per Person sharing a double room
05 – 07 Paying Pax	USD 490 Per Person sharing a double room
Single Room Supplement	USD 219 Per Single
Supplement for Dinner	USD 106 Per Person
Supplement for Spanish/ English speaking accompanying guide	USD 264 for whole tour (Not staying in same hotels).

## OPTION – 02

### HOTEL LIST

Place	Hotel List	Room Category	No. of nights
Delhi	The Park	Standard Room	02 Nights
Jaipur	The Marriot	Standard Room	02 Nights
Agra	Radisson	Standard Room	01 Night
Delhi	The Park	Standard Room	01 Night

**Validity: Prices valid from 15<sup>th</sup> April 2013 to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2013**

Slab	Prices Per Person in US Dollars
02 Paying Pax	USD 707 Per Person sharing a double room
03 – 04 Paying Pax	USD 659 Per Person sharing a double room
05 – 07 Paying Pax	USD 567 Per Person sharing a double room
Single Room Supplement	USD 295 Per Single
Supplement for Dinner	USD 138 Per Person
Supplement for Spanish/ English speaking accompanying guide	USD 264 for whole tour (Not staying in same hotels).



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## **COST INCLUDES:**

- ❖ Double room on sharing basis in the standard rooms of above mentioned hotels.
- ❖ Daily Breakfast.
- ❖ Lunch in Samode Palace.
- ❖ All transfers, sight seeing & excursions by air-conditioned vehicle.
- ❖ Meeting and assistance on arrival / departure by our representative at Airports.
- ❖ All entrances to monuments as mentioned in the program (for 01 visit only).
- ❖ Local English Speaking Guide for Sightseeing only.
- ❖ Elephant/ Jeep Ride in Amer Fort, Jaipur.
- ❖ Rickshaw ride in Jaipur.
- ❖ Government Service Tax.

## **COST EXCLUDES:**

- ❖ Any meals other than breakfast and 01 lunch in Samode Palace.
- ❖ Any airfares or airport taxes.
- ❖ Insurance.
- ❖ Camera / Video-camera fee.
- ❖ Any new tax imposed by the Government.
- ❖ Any expenditure of personal nature such as tips, Porterage, drinks, telephone charges, laundry etc.
- ❖ Anything not mentioned in clause “cost includes”.

## **Note:**

- ***The above rates are based on presently prevailing taxes and entrances to the monuments. If there is any change, prices will also change accordingly.***
- ***No rooms are booked as of now. Once we get booking order then we will initiate the reservations.***
- ***Sometimes proposed hotels/ room categories are sold out for desired dates. In this case we will book the accommodation at best available alternate hotel and shall the supplement/ reduction accordingly.***
- ***Check in & check out time is 1200 hrs. But in some hotels check in time is 1400 hrs and check out time is 1000 hrs.***
- ***Early morning sightseeing is subject to weather conditions.***