



## Vicente Ferrer Foundation

### Kerala Extension Tour (03 Nights / 04 Days)

#### Day 01: Arrive Cochin (By Air)

Meet Assistance at Airport and transfer to hotel.

City Tour visiting Mattancherry Palace, St. Francis Church and Chinese fishing nets. Also visit old Jewish Quarter and the old Synagogue (closed every Saturday). Evening enjoy "Kathakali" dance show. Overnight at hotel.

#### Day 02: Cochin/ Alleppey (Driving time: 02hrs) (B)

Alleppey/ Thekkady (Driving time: 04hrs)

Drive to Alleppey and enjoy boat cruise on Backwaters.

Onward drive to Thekkady. Evening witness Kalaripayattu show. Overnight at hotel.

#### Day 03: Thekkady (Periyar National Park) (B)

Early morning Jungle Walk in National Park. Afternoon Tour of Spice Plantations and walk in local market. Overnight at hotel.

#### Day 04: Thekkady/ Cochin (Driving time: 4.5hrs) (B)

Depart Cochin (By Air)

Drive to Cochin Airport for your onward flight.

#### RECOMMENDED HOTELS:

City	Nights	4 Star
Cochin	01	Holiday Inn
Thekkady	02	Cardamom County

#### PER PERSON COST:

**Validity: 01<sup>st</sup> October 2017 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2018**

Based on 4 Star Hotels:

2- 14 persons	USD 450 on twin sharing basis
15 -20 Paying Persons traveling together (01 Single FOC)	<b>USD 350 on twin sharing</b>
Single Room Supplement	<b>USD 185</b>

**ABOVE RATES ARE NOT VALID FROM 20<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2017 TO 10<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2018**

**Supplement for Accompanying English Speaking Guide** USD 265 for group

*(from Arrival at Cochin on Day 01 till Drop at Cochin Airport on Day 04)*



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#### **Package Inclusions:**

- 03 Nights Accommodation on twin sharing and Bed/ Breakfast basis at above or similar hotels.
- All transfers, sightseeing tours & excursions by Chauffeur driven Air-Conditioned Coach.
- 01 Kathakali Dance Show, Cochin.
- 01 Boat Cruise on backwaters, Alleppey.
- 01 Kalaripayattu Show, Thekkady.
- Services of English Speaking Local Guides as per Itinerary.
- Entrance Fees at sightseeing monuments as per itinerary.
- All presently applicable taxes.

#### **Package Exclusions:**

- Any Air Fare & airport tax.
- Any Gratuities to drivers/ helpers and local guides.
- Any expense of personal nature viz telephone calls, laundry, beverages etc.
- Any travel insurance charges.
- Any Camera fees at monuments.
- Any Christmas Eve, New Year Eve Dinner Supplements.
- Any Peak Season Supplements.
- Any increase in taxes or fuel rates so as to cause increase in transport rates.
- Any other services which has not been specified in "Cost includes"

#### **NOTES:**

- The official check-in time at all the hotels is 1400 hrs and check-out time is 12 Noon.
- Sometimes due to VIP/ Foreign Dignitaries visit, monuments/ wildlife parks remain closed for public/ tourist due to security reasons. In such cases we will try to re-schedule visit to particular monument if time permits.
- Boat Cruise on backwaters in Alleppey is on seat sharing basis.
- The above mentioned hotels will only be confirmed on availability at the time of booking. If these are not available, then suitable alternatives will be suggested prior to confirmation.
- All travel time between cities mentioned above are subject to variations depending on traffic flow and road conditions.
- Permissible check-in baggage allowance in domestic airlines is 15 kg per person. Over and above permissible limit, excess baggage allowance will be charged approx. @ INR 350.00 per kg.



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#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS:**

##### **Cancellation Policy:**

- All the bookings have to be guaranteed 45 days prior to the arrival.
- During peak season (20<sup>th</sup> December to 10<sup>th</sup> January), all the bookings have to be guaranteed at least 60 days prior to the arrival.
- In the event of any cancellation or amendment after the guarantee has been sent to respective hotels, minimum one night retention will be charged at each hotel.
- After issuing air tickets, cancellation charges will be applicable if the tickets are cancelled or in the event of any name change or change in the sector/ date.

##### **PAYMENT POLICY:**

A non refundable deposit of \$ 100 per person is required to proceed with reservations

Payments to be remitted 45 days prior to client/groups arrival in India, by Bank Transfer to our bank account as per the details mentioned in our Invoice.

##### **Other Conditions:**

- If the clients avail any additional services apart from the inclusions as per the itinerary, then payment must be settled with any of our offices in India before they depart. No credit will be provided.
  - Our office in Delhi will process all refunds, as these have to be channelled through The Reserve Bank of India. The process is a lengthy one and takes approximately ten to twelve weeks.
  - All arrangements made by IDT are in the capacity of an agent only. IDT will not be liable for claims or expenses arising from circumstances beyond our control such as accidents, injuries or cancelled flights/ trains and acts of force majeure, currency fluctuations and increase in fuel prices or taxes.
  - All passengers must be covered by suitable travel/ health insurance prior to departure from the country of origin.
  - Our quotations are not budgeted for any increase in taxes, introduction of new taxes, increase in entrance fees to any monuments mentioned in the itinerary and increase in domestic airfares.
- Hence our quotations are subject to change and we would have to ask you to absorb the cost. You will be informed as soon as any Indian Government Agency or Airlines introduces the above changes.

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