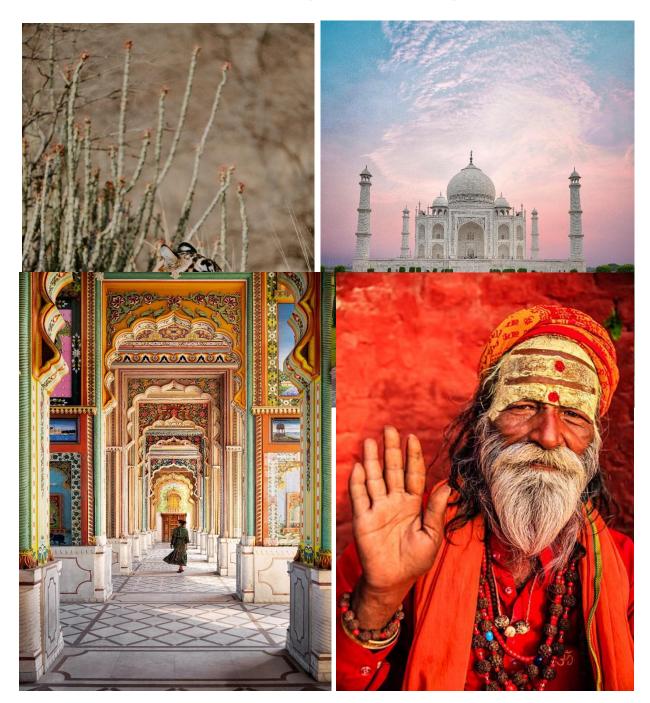


# **SPLENDOR OF NORTH & SOUTH INDIA** 10-25 February 2023 (16 days)







#### Delhi-Agra-Ranthambore-Jaipur Group Size 12-14

### Highlights

#### **DELHI**, 3 nights

~ The capital of India, steeped in history yet overflowing with modern life

- > Tour of Old Delhi through rehabilitated street children trust
- > Visit Humayun's Tomb, first garden tomb in India
- Visit Mahatma Gandhi memorial
- > Experience largest community kitchen

#### AGRA, 1 night

~ Home to the finest examples of Mughal architecture in India

- > Experience Train ride from Delhi to Agra
- Marble Inlay workshop
- > Breathtaking Taj Mahal at sunset and Agra Fort

#### **RANTHAMBORE**, 2 nights

~ Where the Royal Bengal Tigers are the main draw

- > Chase illusive Tiger with 2 game drives at the Tiger National Park
- > Visit an NGO working to support traditional Indian craftspeople in villages

#### JAIPUR, 3 nights

~ City of Forts, Palace and timeless bazaars

- > Cooking demonstration and dinner at a Haveli
- > Visit the breathtaking Amber Fort on the hillside
- Visit a historic stepwell
- > Visit the iconic City Palace, symbol of the regal and royal days of the City
- Interactions with elephants
- Heritage walk with shopping





### **SPLENDOR OF SOUTH – TAMIL NADU & KERALA**





#### Pondicherry~ Chennai~ Cochin~ Munnar~ Kumarakom Group size 12-14

## Highlights

#### **PONDICHERRY**, 2 nights

~ The largest French colony in India.

- > Visit the French quarters of this historic town
- > Stay at award winning 18<sup>th</sup> century colonial heritage hotel

#### CHENNAI, 1 night

~ Tamil Nadu's capital, keeper of South Indian artistic, religious and culinary traditions.

- > Visit Colonial part of Chennai
- > See a classical dance performance of Bharatnatyam
- > Dinner and conversations with a local Chennai resident
- > See the shore temples of Mahabalipuram

#### KOCHI, 1 night

~ The Queen of the Arabian Sea, a beautiful mix of Portuguese, Dutch & colonial British Raj

- > Tuk Tuk's ride through Colonial Fort Kochi and Portuguese architecture
- > See a traditional folk art performance of Kathakali

#### MUNNAR, 2 nights

~ South India's largest tea-growing region carpeted in emerald-green tea plantations

- > Visit Tea plantations and a Tea Museum
- Gentle walks through spice plantations
- > Stay at intimate Tea estate inspired by plantation life and sustainability

#### KUMARAKOM, 1 night

~ An entrancing backwater destination – offers unworldly natural beauty and charm.

- > Cruise on the backwaters in a traditional Kerala houseboat with lunch
- > Stay at the Ayurvedic wellness resort in Kerala- explore farm to table dining
- > Extended stay till 6 PM- relax all day -Drive to Kochi for onward flights

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