

February 09, 2011Wednesday**All Day**

American Airlines 6007 (Operated by: Etihad Airways -- EV 0150) to Terminal I, Abu Dhabi International Airport (AUH), United Arab Emirates (Economy; Seats: 23K, 23H; Airbus A340; Meal; 14hr 0min; 7261 miles; AA Advantage [AMB] 25CWJ88) -- Terminal 5, O'Hare International Airport (ORD), Chicago, IL

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Limo to Terminal S, O'Hare International Airport, Chicago, IL
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For your boarding pass, use reference code PFGWF for online or airport check-in.

Wed, Feb 9, 2011

Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD) to Abu Dhabi International Airport (AUH)

Requested Seats: 23K, 23H

American Airlines Flight 6007 operated by Etihad Airways (on Airbus A340-600); Confirmation #: PFGWF

Depart: 07:55pm Chicago, IL (ORO)

Arrive: 07:55pm **Next day** Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (AUH)

Total Travel Time: 14 hrs

Sat, Feb 12, 2011

Dubai (DXB) to Delhi (DEL) For your boarding pass, use reference code PFGWF for online or airport check-in.

Emirates Flight 514 (on Airbus A340-500) Dubai, United Arab Emirates (DXB) to New Delhi, India (DEL)

Depart: 03:35pm DXB

Arrive: 08:10pm DEL

Total Travel Time: 3 hrs 5 mins

Tue, Feb 22, 2011

Delhi (DEL) to Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD)

American Airlines, Flight 293 (on Boeing 777), Requested Seats: 41A, 418

Confirmation #: PFGLJF

Depart: 12:55am DEL **Red-eye**

Arrive: 05:00am ORD

Total Travel Time: 15 hrs 35 mins

Total Trip Duration: **14 days/ 13 nights**

2 travelers, multi-city

Please note: Baggage fees may apply.

You have added a flight protection plan to your travel arrangements: Confirmation Number: GG368824. The flight protection plan includes reimbursement up to your total flight cost should you need to cancel your flight or interrupt your trip for covered reasons. It also includes up to \$250,000 of flight insurance. The protection plan cost is non-refundable. Please be sure to print

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**February 11, 2011**

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Abu Dhabi - Dubai, UAE

7:30 AM - 9:00 AM

Drive from Abu Dhabi to Dubai in Net Tours Car (\$91; 3-Day Cancellation Required) - Park Arjaan Rotunda Hotel, United Arab Emirates

ENTRY/EXIT REQUIREMENTS: A passport is required to enter the UAE. For personal travel of 30 days or fewer, U.S. citizens holding valid tourist passports may obtain visitor visas at the port of entry for no fee. For stays longer than 30 days, all travelers must obtain a visa before arrival in the UAE. **The local currency is the UAE Dirham** divided into 100 fils. Notes are in denominations of AED 1000, 500, 200, 100, 50, 20, 10 and 5. Coins used are in denominations of AED 1, 50 and 25 fils. Approximate exchange rate: US \$1 = AED 3.65. **Dubai** is one of the most multicultural cities in the world with a population of 1.5 million. It provides a modern and cosmopolitan environment in the Emirates especially due to its rapid technological transformation. Among the seven emirates Dubai is the most popular destination. It is situated on the southern shore of the Persian Gulf on the Arabian Peninsula. It is also called "Dubai state" to distinguish it from the emirate. Dubai is the second largest Emirate after **Abu Dhabi** and is usually recognised as the "Pearl of the Persian Gulf".



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9:00 AM • 9:30 AM

Check into Lodging: The Address Downtown Dubai Hotel (Tel: 011.97.1.4,436.8888; Fax: 011.97.1.4.436.8880; downtowndubai@theaddress.com; Premier Fountain View Room; US\$517 on Bed and Breakfast basis; 6-Day Advance Cancellation Notice or 50% Penalty)• Emaar Boulevard, P. O. Bo,c 123234, Downtown **Dubai**, UAE



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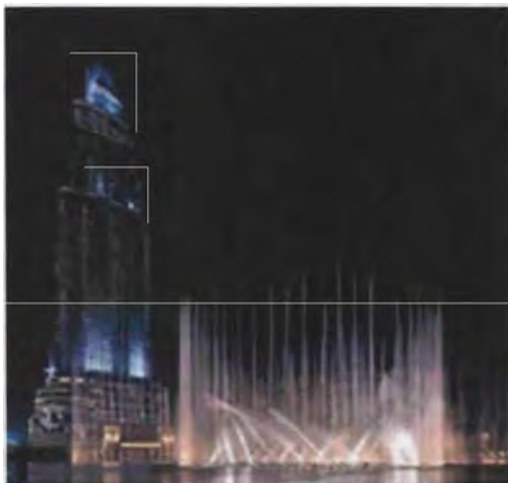
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10:00 AM • 6:00 PM

Sightseeing Big Bus Red Route City Tour -- Outside Dubai Mall Main Entrance



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- The Burj Khalifa
- The Spice Souk
- Jumeirah Park & Public Beach
- Atlantis on the Palm
- Sheikh Saeed Al Maktoum's House
- Dubai Creek
- Emirates Towers
- The Burj Al Arab
- The Jumeirah Mosque
- Al Fahidi Fort & Dubai Museum
- ...The Gold Souk



The Burj Khalifa The Burj Khalifa is the world's tallest building at 828m. Work on the ground breaking sky scraper commenced in 2004 and the building was finally completed in 2010. The Burj Khalifa was officially opened by HH. Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum in January 2010. Until then the tower had been known by its local name of Burj Dubai. However, at the opening ceremony the name Burj Khalifa was revealed in honour of HH. Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan. Ruler of the United Arab Emirates. Its massive height makes the Burj Khalifa an almost ever present sight on the Big Bus tour as it can be seen from all over Dubai. However, the Tour takes you right into Downtown Dubai so you can discover the true scale of this amazing building. Hop off the Tour to visit Dubai Mall, the world's largest shopping complex. Intrepid visitors can also venture up to one of the Burj Khalifa's viewing decks for a stunning birds-eye view over Dubai.



The Spice Souk Dubai's Spice Souk is an authentic market selling bags of spices, rose petals, incense, traditional medicine products and souvenirs. The Spice souk provides a heady feast for the senses and its fragrant aroma can often be noticed many streets away. Hop off the tour and wander through this traditional market place a world away from Dubai's modern shopping centres.

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Jumeirah Park & Public Beach Hop off the bus and visit Dubai's most popular public beach park. This well kept recreational space is located adjacent to the popular Jumeirah beach front. Once inside, the park offers a variety of amenities, such as games for children, barbeque areas, food kiosks, volleyball courts and walking tracks. Head to the nearby beach for a swim in the warm waters of the Arabian Gulf, or relax under the palm trees on a sun-l ounger. There is even an amphitheatre where live musical performances are held. Tickets for the park can be purchased at the entrance. The park has special "Women and Children" only days on Saturdays and Sundays, but is open to all throughout the rest of the week. Alternatively head a little further along the coast and visit the Jumeirah Public Beach. Soft, golden sand and crashing surf make it ideal for a free day at the seaside! The beach has its own public showers and you can also hire equipment for water sports.



Atlantis on the Palm The Palm is one of Dubai's most iconic developments. This man made island stretches over 1km into the Arabian Gulf. The Palm project is so large and striking that it can be seen from space. Located on the Palm's outer breakwater is the Atlantis Hotel and Resort. The Atlantis hotel is made up of two towers linked by a breathtaking archway. The resort has more than 1,500 rooms and features four Celebrity Chef restaurants. The resort's wide pedestrian avenues are lined with a host of luxury boutiques selling everything from the finest designer brands to locally sourced products and mementos. Atlantis is also the home of the Aquaventure water park which boasts Dubai's highest waterslide, and Dolphin Bay, where guests are able to swim with dolphins.

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Sheikh Saeed Al Maktoum's House Built on the edge of the Dubai Creek, this palatial building distinguished by its four elegant wind-towers, was built in 1896 and was once the residence of Dubai's Ruler. It takes its name from Sheikh Saeed Al Maktoum, who resided here until his death in 1958. The house has a large courtyard and comprises a large number of rooms, bathrooms and verandas, divided into independent family units. The building was created with very thick walls to keep the interior cool, but today the house is converted into an air-conditioned museum, with historical photographs and documents charting the development of the Dubai Emirate. A visit provides excellent insight into the lifestyle and heritage of Dubai's ruling family.



Dubai Creek We are also pleased to provide several free inclusions with your ticket: a Dhow Cruise on Dubai Creek.



Emirates Towers Opened on 15th April 2000, the Jumeirah Emirates Towers consists of a 350 metre high Office Tower and a 305 metre high Hotel Tower with 400 bedrooms, both connected by a central podium which is home to the Boulevard, a unique and prestigious shopping destination. At the time of construction the twin buildings were the third tallest building pair in the world and have been designed using equilateral triangles inspired by an Islamic

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Architect Hazel Wong, described the use of equilateral triangles within the construction to distribute the structural load at the three corners of the building, whilst encompassing a form that is evocative of the Islamic culture in the pattern of a triangle. The three points of the triangle represent the earth, the sun and the moon, and the recurring circle elements in the tower at the base and the top mean eternity within the Islamic context. Jumeirah Emirates Towers has been awarded "Best Business Hotel in the ME" for 9 consecutive years. This year the hotel celebrated the 10th year anniversary. The tower has become an icon, a place where 'businessmeets pleasure'.



The Burj Al Arab The Burj Al Arab is arguably Dubai's most iconic landmark. Towering over the Gulf, the 7 star hotel's design is simply stunning. Shaped to resemble a billowing spinnaker sail, the building measures a staggering 332 meters. It has been constructed on a man-made island, with a short causeway linking the hotel to the mainland. A brilliant white during the day, as evening falls the Teflon coated exterior becomes a dazzling canvas as computer controlled spotlights create an ever changing *array* of colour. The Burj Al Arab has 202 double floor suites, each lavishly decorated and with its own private butler to cater for your every need. Hotel guests can even take a submarine ride from the hotel lobby to dine in the hotel's underwater seafood restaurant, the Al Manhara.



Jumeirah Mosque The Jumeirah Mosque is considered to be *one* of the most attractive mosques in Dubai. It is built in the Medieval Fatimid tradition and is a fantastic photo opportunity while on the tour. The Sheikh Mohammed Centre for Cultural Understanding organizes visits to the Jumeirah Mosque which are aimed at promoting cultural understanding and insight into the Islamic religion. Tours of the mosque run every Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday and start at 10.00am The fee for the Jumeirah Mosque Tour is 10Dhs per person.

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Al Fahidi Fort & Dubai Museum Believed to be Dubai's oldest building the Al-Fahidi Fort is well worth a visit, and is home to the Dubai museum. The Fort was built in 1787 and has walls built from coral and shell cemented together with lime. It was built to defend Dubai's early community from warlike neighbouring tribes. The fort that once defended Dubai has been many things over the years including a ruler's residence and a government centre. At one time it served as a prison for wrongdoers! Once inside the museum, you enter into a fully air-conditioned underground exhibition centre where you can learn about the history of the fort and Dubai's development from its origins as a small pearl diving community right through to the discovery of oil in the late 1960s.



The Gold Souk The Gold Souk is Dubai's most famous market. You can explore the alleyways and narrow streets that are lined with shop windows glinting with jewellery and ornaments made in 18, 22 and 24 carat gold. There are over 200 stores in the Gold Souk and it is estimated that at any one time the souk contains over 10 tons of gold. The shops are bursting with gold necklaces, brooches, rings, bangles and earrings. It's well worth haggling to see if you can get yourself a bargain!

February 12, 2011

Saturday

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Dubai, UAE - New Delhi, India

9:00 AM - 12:55 PM

Sightseeing with Transfer to Dubai International Airport (DXB); (\$337; 3-Day Cancellation Required) • The Address Downtown Dubai, Emaar Boulevard, P. O. Box 123234, Downtown Dubai, UAE

3:35 PM - 8:10 PM

Emirates Flight #514 from Terminal 3, Dubai International Airport (DXB), United Arab Emirates to Terminal 3, Indira Gandhi International Airport (DEL), New Delhi, India (Seats 23J, 23K; Economy; Airbus A340-500; 3hr 5min; 1368 miles) • Terminal 3, Dubai International Airport (DXB), United Arab Emirates
Our Airport Representative Mr. Jitin Mob: +91-9999 6777 18 will meet you on arrival at Delhi International airport.

Sat, Feb 12, 2011

Dubai (DXB) to Delhi (DEL) Booking Reference: HXWDTS; For your boarding pass, use reference code **PFGLJF** for [Online](#) or airport check-in.

Emirates Flight 514 (on Airbus A340-500) Dubai, United Arab Emirates (DXB) to New Delhi, India (DEL)

Depart: 03:35pm DXB

Arrive: 06:10pm DEL

Total Travel Time; 3 hrs 5 mins

9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Car to The Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India -- Indira Gandhi International Airport (DEL), New Delhi, India
www.theimperialindia.com

The Imperial, New Delhi's landmark Hotel, is located on Janpath, the erstwhile Queensway. The restored 1930's Victorian - style building is a perfect confluence of old-world charm and modern day conveniences. A unique four - story, low rise, The Imperial is just steps away from the renowned shopping and commercial district - Connaught Place. Museums, theatres, monuments, parks and cultural centres are within close proximity of the Hotel and provide for interesting entertainment options. The Viceregal Lodge - now the President's Palace, Parliament House and the North and South block - nerve centre of the offices of Government of India are also located close to the Hotel. Distance from International Airport: 22 kms, 45 minutes. Nearest shopping Centre/ Cineplex- 01Km (05 minutes). Central Business District - 1Km (05 minutes). The Imperial Hotel is connected to a fascinating part of history of the city as well as India. It was during the year 1911 when King Emperor George V had declared New Delhi as the Capital of India. The Imperial was built and run by S.B.S. Ranjit Singh. Presently the hotel is owned by Sardar Hardev Singh Akoi and Sardar Jasdev Singh Akoi grandsons of the Late Sardar Bahadur Ranjit Singh and managed by the firm Mis Akoi Saab. The 24 king palms that lead up to the porch are an integral part of and witness to the very creation of New Delhi. The Hotel was designed to be one of the finest monuments of Lutyens' grand vision of the Capital City's original master plan - a unique blend of Victorian, Old colonial and Art Deco styles. The hotel was named and conferred the exquisite Lion Ensignia by Lady Wilingdon. One of Delhi's landmarks and silent witness to great moments in Indian history, it was here at The Imperial, where you could drink, our glasses on the same table as the King or Gandhi, having discussed the Independence and Partition of India, efforts for, or for the Quit India movement. One could listen to the strains of Blue Danube to serenade you during lunch or let the London orchestra invite you to the floor in the evening after the perfect candlelit dinner in the evening. From the time The Imperial opened its door in the 1930s, when India was beginning to write the last chapters of its saga of independence, there was little space in New Delhi for an Indo-British rubbing of shoulders. The Imperial provided such a space. Pandit Nehru. Mahatma Gandhi. Muhammad Ali Jinnah and Lord Mountbatten would meet at The Imperial to discuss the partition of India and creation of Pakistan. The Nehru family had a permanent suite here. The Imperial is a fine confluence of a rich historical past and contemporary international appeal. After many restorations, it has managed to preserve its charm, and exudes its former glory. The original Fraser and Daniel's paintings and the tavern named after them, the symbolically "baptized" 1911 restaurant and bar, the Royal ballroom were the places where have met and are still as popular today. The Hotel is a jewel of architecture and its

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location in the heart of the city makes it the ideal venue for tourists around the world



10:00 PM • 10:30 PM

Lodging, The Imperial Hotel; One Night on Bed and Breakfast basis (Tel: 011.91.11.2.334.1234, 011.91.114.150.1234. Fax: 011.91.11.2.334.2255) -- Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India

Dining: Hours for Breakfast: 0630 - 1030 hrs
Hours for Lunch : 1230 - 1445 hrs
Hours for Dinner: 1900 - 2345 hrs

The Spice Route Courtyard is a natural extension to the restaurant and makes for an appealing area for 'dining-out' in season.

1911 Restaurant and Bar pays tribute to the historic milestone of Year 1911 that led to the emergence of New Delhi as the Imperial Capital of India. 1911 is our signature restaurant with a culinary fare from the crossroads of the world.

The Verandah of 1911, popularly known as 'The Garden Party', overlooks a large expanse of beautiful gardens and is a favorite with the local and visiting food connoisseurs. The patio and the garden are open during fine weather for a delightful alfresco dining experience.

1911 Bar is a perfect setting for a business proposal or an informal evening. You can also luxuriate in the privacy of its exclusive adjoining lounges called the 'Hardinge Room and 'Lutyens & Baker Room'. The 1911 Bar is well stocked with more than 500 varieties of fine wines, liquors and spirits.

Daniell's Tavern traces a culinary journey in the footsteps of Thomas and William Daniell - the famous landscape painters, who arrived in India in 1786 to paint its unrivalled scenery. It is remarkably noteworthy that Daniell's Tavern is located at the very site where the Uncle-Nephew team were camped to paint Jantar Mantar, the astronomical observatory built in 1724 by a Rajput prince, Sawai Jai Singh. A live band in the evenings, tailor made drinks at the bar, fine selection of cigars coupled with an extensive a-la-carte menu provide for a fine dining experience, that is a class apart.

San Gimignano, inspired by the medieval town of the same name, in the heart of Tuscany in central Italy, is The Imperial's specialty Italian restaurant. The Restaurant's truly gourmet fare is accentuated by the culinary tradition and vitality of the Tuscan landscape reflected in the decor and the interiors. The private garden, more popularly known as 'Paradiso DiVino' offers you a fine dining experience during fair climatic conditions.

Patiala Peg embodies the spirit of history and one-upmanship, commemorates the Maharaja of

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Patiala's team's victory over the Viceroy's, in a robust game of tent pegging in the early 1900s. This stylish bar with its impressive range of spirits is the ideal place to relax after a hard day's work.

The Atrium with its high-domed ceiling, tropical surroundings and humming fountains creates just the right atmosphere for a traditional English afternoon tea.

La Baguette, the picturesque pastry shop overlooking the lawns tempts the inveterate sweet tooth with its extensive range of gateaux, breads, chocolates, pastries and patisseries.

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Sunday

All Day

New Delhi, India

10:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Sightseeing in Net Tours Car - Dubai, UAE

Visiting UNESCO World Heritage Site of Qutab Minar & Humayun's tomb: early 20th century colonial buildings of India Gate, President's House & Parliament House.

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Check-In at Safdarjung Railway Station - The Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi 110001 India

Rajasthan is the magnificent land of numerous kingdoms, majestic forts and palaces, diverse cultures, varied landscapes and vibrant colours. Experience the land of regal splendour with Royal Rajasthan on Wheels. The contemporary royal living. The Royal Rajasthan on Wheels is the regal delight where every moment is woven together into an everlasting and immortal experience to be lived and cherished forever. The makers of the Palace on Wheels have rekindled the charm of luxury with utmost consideration of your comfort and modern amenities at the Royal Rajasthan on Wheels. This tour is extensively planned to take you through the whispering sands of desert, the intriguing sagas of forts and palaces, and the adventurous escapades to the wilds; while you witness the luxuries on the train in a true royal fashion. This train is new! Built and designed in a contemporary royal style. You will be delighted, with the magnificent interiors, sumptuous meals, expensive wines, and personalised service by the Khidmatgars, the likes of which you would rarely experience. Sheesh Mahal and Swarn Mahal the two Restro-Bars on the Royal Train await you to savour the grand royal feast. Indulge in mouth-watering delicacies from Rajasthani, Indian, Continental and Chinese cuisines. Sheesh Mahal has been adorned with splendid floor lamps and crystal pendants; the entire resto-bar is made of wood and crystal. The Swarn Mahal has been planned around a theme of gold and brass. Dining at both the resto-bars will add to your pleasure. Amidst aesthetic splendour, feast on your delicious meal with customised hand-made cutlery and specially designed crockery. The luxurious Royal Rajasthan on Wheels takes you through a seven-day exploration of the vibrant Rajasthan. The magic of the splendid journey begins at New Delhi and prepares you to weave the fabric of delightful imagination becoming reality over the next seven days. Your royal journey begins from Delhi and takes you through various erstwhile princely states of Rajasthan like Jodhpur, Udaipur, Chittor, Swai-madhopur, and Jaipur. After experiencing multifaceted Rajasthan you will visit Khajuraho temples India's unique gift to the world and then Varanasi. The holy city and city of temples and ghats. In the end The Taj Mahal at Agra. The entire expedition has been thoroughly planned like The Palace on Wheels to take you back into the history. Most enjoyable journeys are soon lived but long remembered. This journey will come to an end at Delhi. Which will, the onset of your reliving these cherished memories for a lifetime come get captivated.

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels

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Royal Rajasthan on Wheels -- New Dehll, India

Day I Sunday Delhi

1600 hrs

Reporting at Safdarjung Rail\ a. Station

2000 hrs

Dinner aboard the train

2100 hrs

Departme for Jodhpur

Welcome on arrival (16.00 lirs) at Safdarjung Station Delhi.

Delhi - The luxurious Royal Rajasthan on Wheels takes you through a seven day exploration of the

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vibrant Rajasthan. The magic of the splendid journey begins at New Delhi and prepares you to weave the fabric of delightful imagination becoming reality over the next seven days. Your royal journey begins from Delhi and takes you through various erstwhile Princely States. Welcome on board at Delhi with the ceremonial greetings at the Safdarjung station with traditional Aarti and Tika with garlanding and some mock tails to refresh yourselves. After check-in, you would be escorted to the respective cabin. The 13 deluxe coaches have been rightly named after the famous palaces of Rajasthan. Namely, Hawa Mahal, Chandra Mahal, Surya Mahal, Moti Mahal, Sukh Mahal, Jal Mahal, Padmini Mahal, Kishori Mahal, Phool Mahal, Jogi Mahal, Kumbha Palace, Umaid Palace, Lalgarh Palace. The Super-Deluxe coach is Taj Mahal. Feel the difference of the world in the moving Palace which empowers luxury and tradition. Departure 21.00 Hrs)



Red Fort Delhi

February 14, 2011**Monday**

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Jodhpur

7:30 AM - 8:00 PM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels -- Jodhpur, India

Day 2 Monday	Jodhpur	0730 hrs	Breakfast
		0800 hrs	Arrival in Jodhpur
		0900 hrs	Sightseeing trip across Jaswant Thada, Mehrangarh Fort, Umaid Bhawan and shopping in Jodhpur market
		1315 hrs	Lunch at a 5 star palace hotel
		1530 hrs	Return to the Royal Rajasthan on Wheels
		1630 hrs	Depart for Udaipur
		2000 hrs	Dinner on board

Jodhpur is the first destination, after Delhi, in the New Itinerary aboard the Royal Rajasthan on Wheels. Arrive in the city by 06:00 hours and post-breakfast embark on city tours across the 'Blue City' in India. Jodhpur - the second largest city of the state of Rajasthan is famous for its magnificent Mehrangarh fort. Another example of Rajput glory is the Jaswant Thada in 1899. Lunch at the fabulous 5 star hotel & dinner on board. (Arrive at 08.00 AM. Breakfast on board)

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Departure 16.30 Hrs). Visit the Umaid Bhawan Place. Assemble back at the train by 16:00 hours. Soon you will be traveling to the next destination, Udaipur known as the city of lakes.



Amber Fort, Jaipur

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Udaipur -Chittogahr

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7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels• Udaipur and Chittorgarh, India

Day 3 Tuesday	Udaipur	0700 hrs	Arrival in Udaipur
		0730 hrs	Breakfast aboard the train
		0830 hrs	Sightseeing trip across Sahelion ki Baari, City Palace, and boat r Lake Pichola
		1230 hrs	Lunch at a 5 star palace hotel
		1415 hrs	Return back to the train and depart for Chittorgarh
		1645 hrs	Sightseeing across Chittorgarh Fort
		1800 hrs	High Tea in the fort restaurant
		1830 hrs	Light and Sound show
		2000 hrs	Bae in the train
		2030 hrs	Dinner onboard the train
		2200 hrs	Departure for awai Madhopur



On the 3rd day of the trip you will land in Udaipur in the wee hours of the morning. Known as the city of Lakes, Udaipur is home to a number of regal monuments including the City Palace complex the Lake Palace, the Jagdish temple, and the Jag Mandir. Visit these attractions to complete your trip in the city. Water marked by whimsy & splendor. the Venice of the holds stage as one of India's truly seductive cities. Udaipur is an international destination unto itself, packed with princeUness & passion, Udaipur is raw Rajput dreamfag, with palaces, haveils gardens & temples at every turn. Visit to the beautiful princely city palace. Lunch at 5 star hotel & in the afternoon followed by a trip to crystal gallery. **Jag Niwas**, the City Palace, one of the largest palaces in India. is an interesting blend of Rajput architecture and Mughal interiors that carve this fortress as a distinctive structure. The palace also homes a well-maintained museum that upkeeps the amIoury. costumes and other belongings of its rulers. The other captive interests in the mystic land are the **Lake Palace**, the **Jag Mandir** and numerous other forts and temples. A stunning masterpiece. Sahelion **ki Bari** also known as the 'Garden of Maidens' is a true delight to experience. Udaipur is a shopper's paradise and has fine marble mementoes, miniature paintings and handicraft items. (Arrival 07.00 AM Breakfast on board Departure 14.30 Hrs)



Lake Palace, Udaipur

The next destination guests will visit on this day is the historical town of Chittorgarh. Nestled at a distance of about 112 km away from Udaipur. Chittorgarh is best visited for the Chittorgarh fort

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complex. The story is a saga of valor, tenacity & sacrifice. The fort of Chittorgarh is a treasure trove of history & offers to the traveler an insight into the life of the great Rajput rulers. Chittorgarh has produced some of the greatest devotees and courageous warriors in the history of India. Chittorgarh remains replete with historic associations and holds a very special place in the hearts of Rajputs, as it was a bastion of the clan at a time when every other stronghold had succumbed to invasion. **Chittorgarh Fort**, the gigantic citadel was built in the seventh century and stands witness to chivalry, valour and honour postulated and lived by the Rajput rulers of that era. The fort is dotted with innumerable monuments and beautiful temples. The **Vijay Stambh**, tower of victory was erected by Rana Kumbha to mark his triumph over the Sultan of Gujarat. Here, you will revisit history where Rani Padmini along with other women performed the heroic act of *Jauhar* - rather than being caught by the enemy, they took a plunge in fire. The sound and light show narrates the history of this majestic land to perfection and is a treat to the senses. The Victory tower or Vijay Stambh is one of the main tourist attractions of the fort. Gaumukh reservoir & the palace of Queen Padmini are important spots to the south of the Rana Kumbha palace. The light & sound programme is shown at the fort. A semple at the Udaipur station in the evening to proceed on toward the next destination, away Madhopur. Dinner and overnight stay aboard the train. Dinner on board/ Hotel Panna with cultural programme. (Arrival 16.45 Hrs | Departure 22.00 Hr)

**February 16, 2011**Wednesday

All Day

Sawai Madhopur - Jaipur

5:30 AM - 10:15 PM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels • Sawai Madhopur and Jaipur, India

Day 4 Wednesday	Sawai Madhopur	0530 hrs	Arrival at Sawai Madhopur
		0600 hrs	Departure for Ranthambore National Park
		0915 hrs	Return to the train for breakfast
		0930 hrs	Departure for Jaipur
	Jaipur	1130 hrs	Arrival at Jaipur
		1145 hrs	Sightseeing of Jaipur
		1215 hrs	Arrival at Amer Fort for sightseeing
		1330 hrs	Lunch at Cafe Amber
		1500 hrs	Shopping in Jaipur market
		1545 hrs	Explore Jantar Mantar and City Palace
		1800 hrs	Return to the train for tea and refreshments
		1930 hrs	Departure for Dinner in a city hotel
		2000 hrs	Cultural Program and Dinner
		2130 hrs	Return to the train
		2215 hrs	Depart for Khajuraho

Arrive in **Sawai Madhopur** by 05:00 hour. Sawai Madhopur is best visited by guests traveling to the Ranthambore National Park. An early morning trip to the park will be a good option as the cool morning ambiance will make the experience all the more comfortable for you. **Breakfast** will be served for you amidst the very wildlife environs. Located in the eastern part of Rajasthan, Sawai

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Wednesday

Modhupur' claim to fame today is the Ranthombore fort & Rathambore national park. Visit the national park to catch a glimpse of the majestic tiger roaming around in the open wilderness & also pay a visit to the imposing fort to turn a page in the history of Rajasthan. There is also a temple on route the park by the name of Amareswar, a Mohadeo temple which can be visited by tourists. Lunch on board. (Arrival 05.30 AM Breakfast on board at Hotel Vinayak | Departure 09.30 AM). Relish the food before you begin your arrival to Jaipur the capital city of Rajasthan.



Ranthambore National Park, Sawai Madhopur

Jaipur. By 12:00 hours you will arrive in Jaipur. Welcome by caparisoned elephants & sweet music of the auspicious 'Shehnai'. Watch the awesome 'Hawa Mahal' (the palace of winds) elephants ride at Amber Fort, shopping of centuries old objects of arts & other items. Lunch at a 5 star hotel / on board & visit to the city palace residence of the erstwhile Maharaja of Jaipur which houses a museum of amazing centuries old artifacts & the observatory built by the founder of Jaipur Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II who himself was noted astronomer. Dinner (bottle) at Jai Mahal palace with cultural program. (Arrival 11.30 Hrs | Departure 22.15 Hrs) On our first day you will be welcomed at the magnificent Pink City, Jaipur. The city with graceful architecture in a unique pink colour was established in the year 1727 by the then Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II. Jaipur is known as one of the well-planned cities of its time. The capital of Rajasthan, Jaipur is predominantly known for its muslin, artisans and craftsmen. Today, it is visited for its fine jewellery, varied textiles and sumptuous cuisine. In this diverse land of rich cultural heritage, you'll be first treated to a visit at **Bawa Mahal**, the Palace of Winds. This was built for the royal ladies to watch the processions through the myriad windows of the palace. This five-storied palace was also used to store artefacts by the royal family. From Hawa Mahal, we proceed to the impressive palace perched on the rocky terrain of Amer, the earliest capital of erstwhile Jaipur state. **Amber Fort** was the seat of various Maharajas of Jaipur and has been adorned with mirror glass work, doors with parquet ivory work, and painted maps of various Hindu pilgrimages. Half of the charm of Amber Fort is the Elephant ride you'll be treated to.

After such an enthralling ride, you visit the **Jantar Mantar**: the largest observatory built by Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II between 1727 and 1734. The next in line of exploration is the **City Palace**. A defining architectural marvel of Jaipur, the City Palace was the residence of the Maharaja of Jaipur in the eighteenth century and part of the magnificent palace is still the royal residence. With an insightful journey through the royal pages of history it is time to see some of the famous jewellery and carpets that Jaipur is renowned for. After an eventful day you spent

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exploring the magnificence of Jaipur, its time to head back to your luxurious abode.

**February 17, 2011****Thursda**

All Day

Khajuraho

8:00 AM • 8:15 PM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels -- Khajuraho, India

Day 5 Thursday	Khajuraho	0800 hrs	Breakfast aboard the train
		1000 hrs	Arrival in Khajuraho and exploration of the western group
		1300 hrs	Lunch at a 5 star palace hotel
		1430 hrs	Exploration of the southern group of temple
		1700 hrs	Return to the Royal Rajasthan on Wheels for tea and refreshments
		1800 hrs	Light and Sound Show
		2000 hrs	Departure for Varanasi
		2015 hrs	Dinner to be served

Guests aboard the New Itinerary of the luxury train will arrive in the quaint town of Khajuraho by 06:00 hours. Mostly visited for its ancient temples and the exotic designing of them. Khajuraho is one of the must-visited destinations in India. The Eastern and Western group of temples display unbelievable artistic talents of the artists and craftsmen of the medieval era and also glorify the rich artistic taste of the monarchs who patronized the construction of these shrines. Khajuraho was the capital of the Chandela King, now famous for its magnificent temples. The temples were built by Chandela dynasty between 950 A.D. and 1050 A.D., are examples of Indo-Aryan architecture. Dedicated to Lord Shiva, Lord Vishnu and the Jain Tirthankaras, the temples showcase the art and architecture of medieval India. The Khajuraho temples have declared a world Heritage site. The Temples of Khajuraho are divided into three geographical groups: western, eastern, and southern. The temples of Khajuraho are a confluence of spirituality and eroticism frozen in exquisitely embellished architecture. These temples are located in a quaint little village with a rich cultural heritage almost in the middle of nowhere in Madhya Pradesh in the heart of India. The erotic postures of figures carved on the walls have sparked off a lot of controversies and varied interpretations. The amorous carvings are confined to the external wall as if to purge the earth's desires outside before entering the sanctum of spirituality. It is also seen as a "strange union of Tantrism and fertility motifs, with heavy doses of magic". Another theory explains the erotica depicted on the temples as an exposure to prepare the "brahmacharis" for the world (role of the householder and acquaint them with real earthly passions). It could be a reactionary swing away from the austerities of Buddhism as well. Some even look upon the sensual carvings as influenced by Vatsyana's Kamasutra. According to an old legend, the sexually explicit sculptures may have been meant to calm Indra, the menacing rain god. The temples commemorate the marriage of Shiva and Parvati which is the celebration of cosmic energy and new life. The Khajuraho group of monuments has been listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site, and is hailed as one of the "seven wonders" of India. A lyrical depiction of love and passion, it is an embodiment of the maturity of Indian aesthetics and artistry. These temples took almost 200 years to be completed from the 9th

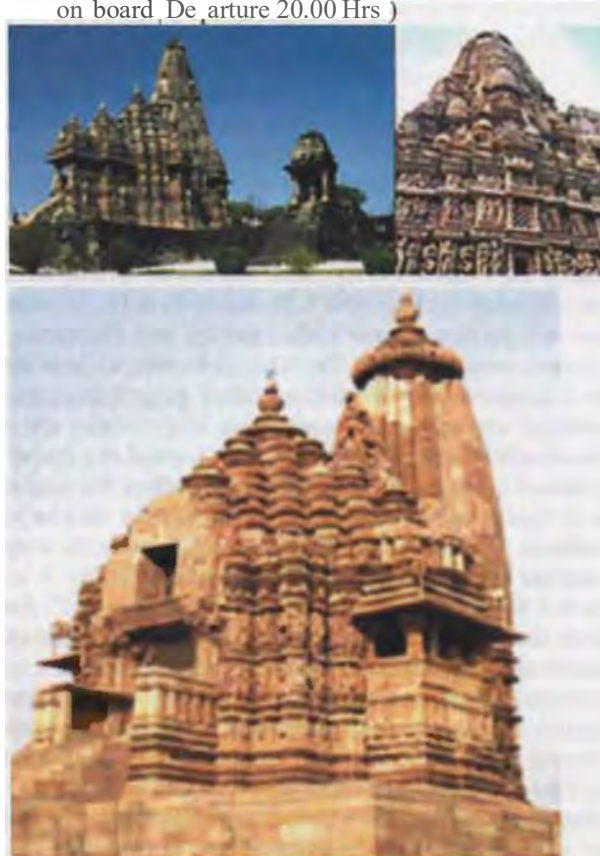
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through the 13th centuries. They were built by the Chandella rulers in the Indo Aryan Nagara style of architecture. However, only 20-22 of the 85 temples, have survived the ravages of time. Khajuraho also known as Khajuravahaka. was the cultural capital of the Chandelas and the village derived its name from the abundance of 'Khajura' or date palm trees there. In fact the whole area was supposedly enclosed by a wall with eight gates with two golden date palms adorning each. The temples were severely damaged by the Muslim invaders between 1000-1400 AD. The locals living here always tried to preserve these temples as best as they could, but it was left to Captain J.S. Burrowes, a British army, to rediscover the surviving temples in 1838. The temples embody the rich architectural heritage of India and have gained popularity as "the apogee of erotic art." The famous medieval court poet, Chanbardi, narrates that the royal priest of "Kashi" (present Varanasi) Hemraj had a beautiful daughter, Hemavati, who was a child widow. One night as she was bathing in a lotus pond the moon god was bewitched by her beauty and he assumed human form and ravished her. He repented his action later when the stricken Hemavati threatened to curse him. He blessed her with a valiant son Chandravaman, who later became a king and built the legendary temples of Khajuraho in accordance with his mother's wishes. Yet another legend goes that Hemavati sacrificed her honor and dignity to save her father Manj Ram, the royal priest of Kalinjar from face loss. Manj Ram had miscalculated the date of the full moon night in the presence of the king. In the evening, you will assemble back at the station to embark on journey to Varanasi - the holy town in India.

1. After breakfast on train tourist will visit western group of temples which is dedicated to Lord Shiva and considered to be the most evolved example of central Indian temple architecture. This temple is also the largest of Khajuraho temples.
2. Lunch at Hotel **Clariks** Khajuraho.
3. After Lunch visit of south group of temples and museum.
4. Return to train evening tea, rest and shower.
5. In the evening guest will witness light & sound (son-et-lumiere). The show detailing the history of Khajuraho has been introduced at the western group of temples.
6. Return to RROW, dinner on board and departure for Varanasi. (Arrival 10.00 AM Breakfast on board, Departure 20.00 Hrs)



Khajuraho Temple, Khajuraho

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Thursday



February 18, 2011

Friday

All Day

.Varanasi

8:00 AM · 8:30 AM

Royal Rajasthanon Wheels · Varanasi, India

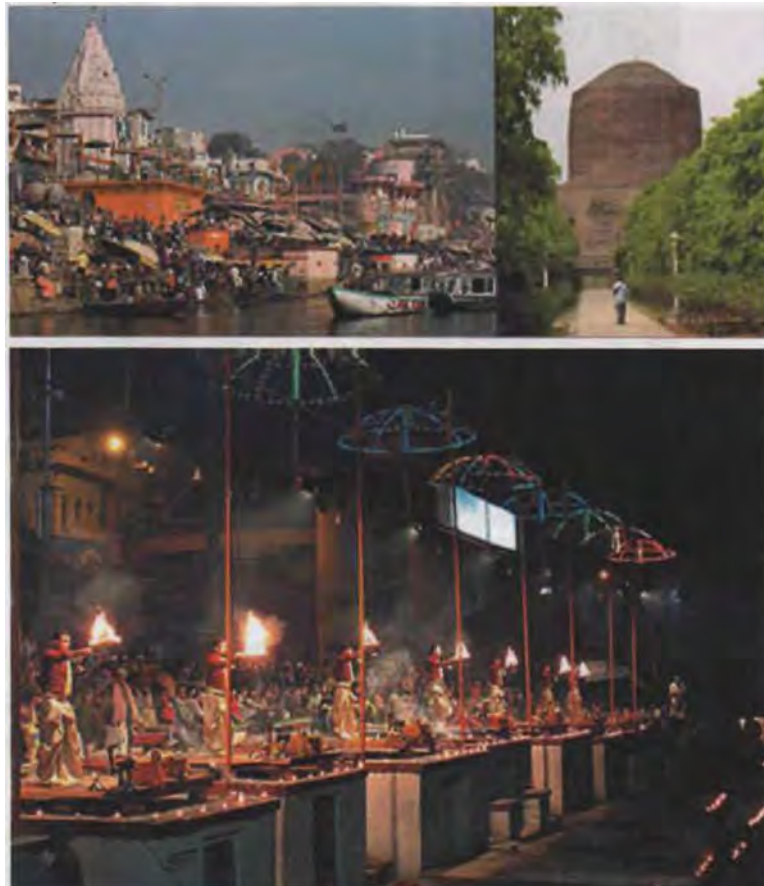
<div>Day 6 Friday</div> <div>Varanasi</div> <div></div>	0600 hrs	Arrival in Varanasi
		Departure for boat ride in the River Ganga and exploration of c
	0900 hrs	Return to the train for breakfast
	1000 hrs	Depart for Sa.math
	1300 hrs	Lunch in a city hotel
	1430 hrs	Post evening Aarti on the Ri er bank , return co the train
	1600 hrs	Leave for visiting the Varanasi ghats and che local markets
	1930 hrs	Post evening Aarti on the River banks. renl rn to the train
	2000 hrs	Dinner aboard the train
	2100 hrs	Depart for Agra

On the 6th day of the New Itinerary, guests will arrive in Varanasi (Banaras) a major pilgrimage center in India. A magical spell on the onlooker is casted by the very sight of temples, the bathing

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Ghats, the beelines of devotees, and the fleet of 'sadhus' (sages). Varanasi is the oldest city of the world. Varanasi is more than 3000 years old and known as the city of temples. The city is situated on the bank of river Ganga. The river Ganga is worshipped as a living goddess. There are more than 700 temples and 90 odd ghats. Visvanatha temple or Golden temple is dedicated to the lord Shiva. The Ganga Ghats (River Fronts) are the most popular pilgrimage spots of Varanasi. The holy city has been a symbol of spiritualism, philosophy & mysticism for thousands of years and has produced great saints & personalities like Guatam Buddha, Mahaveer, Kabir, Tulsidas, Sankaracharya, Ramanuja and Patanjali. It was the city chosen by the Buddha for first turning the wheel of his law for mankind. Explore the city throughout the day and in the evening assemble at the station, for, the Royal Rajasthan on Wheels waits to move towards Agra.

1. Unforgettable sun rise boat ride when the temples along the river front are bathed in the sun light. Visit of Bharat Mata Mandir and BHU after boat ride.
2. Return to RROW for break fast.
3. Visit of Sarnath and Archeological museum. Sarnath is the place where lord Buddha delivered his first major sermon after gaining enlightenment, chinese scholar huieh Tsang visited sarnath in 640.
4. Lunch at Hotel Gateway Taj Ganges and return to RROW for rest.
5. Evening visit of Ghat-Maha-Aarti at the Ghat Ritualistic worship (aarti) to the river at Daksamagh Ghat, oil lamps and incense are lit, flowers are offered and bells ring out in unison while sacred mantras are chanted.
6. Return to RROW, Dinner on board, departure for Agra. (Arrival 06.00 AM | Departure 21.00 Hrs.)



Varanasi Ghat, Varanasi

February 19, 2011

Sat

All Day

Agra

7:30 AM • 9:00 PM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels-- Agra, India

Day 7 Saturda	Agra	0730 hrs	Breakfast
		1000 hrs	Arrival in Agra Cantonment
		1015 hr	Leave for city tour agra s Agra Fon etc
		1215 hrs	Lunch at 5 star hotel
		1415 hrs	Exploration of Taj Mahal and the Agra markets
		1830 hrs	Light and Sound show
		2015 hrs	Return to the train
		2030 hrs	Dinner aboard the train
		2100 hrs	Departure for Delhi

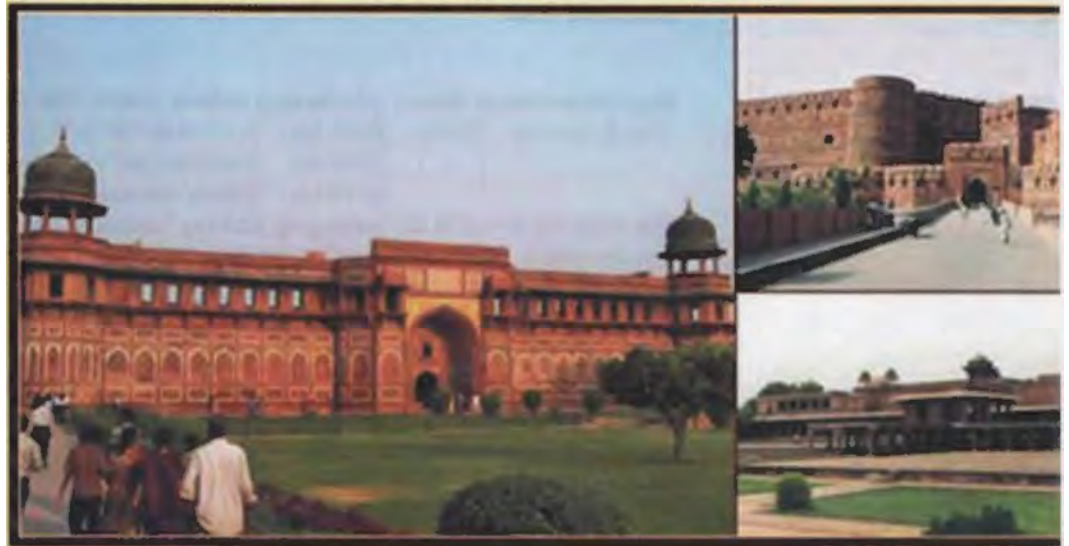


Agra, Taj Mahal - Break fast on board 7.30 AM

Arrival at Agra 10.00 AM

Departure for Delhi 9.00 PM

The train will arrive in Agra by 04:00 hours. Home to the Taj Mahal, an epitome of love and beauty, Agra is also visited for its princely Mughal monuments such as Agra Fort, Sikandra, and also the attractions of Fatehpur Sikri. **Visit of Agra Fort.** This is originally made of bricks. Bahar was the first Mughal emperor who stayed in this fort. Humayun was crowned here. Akbar rebuilt the fort with red sand stone and decided to make it his capital. Shahjahan destroyed some of the old buildings in order to make his son. Shahjahan was imprisoned by his own son in this fort. The fort was witness of Indian mutiny of 1857. Shahjahan got the inspiration for the Red Fort of Delhi from here. Agra Fort is a world heritage site.



Taj Mahal. Taj Mahal was built on the banks of the river Yamuna by emperor Shahjahan in the memory of his beloved wife Arjumand Bano. The site selected for the tomb was given by the Maharaja of Amber. White marble was taken from Makrana, Rajasthan. The chief architect was Ustad Isa Afendi and Ustad Lahori. Artists were invited from Persia, Turkey and Baghdad. The work of the mausoleum began in 1633 and 20,000 workers laboured for 17 years to build it. The marble walls are carved with motifs and inlaid work of precious and semi-precious stones. For centuries this monument has attracted tourists from all over the world. Taj Mahal is a world heritage site.

1. Lunch at Hotel Jaypee Palace.

2. Return to RROW Dinner on board and departure for Delhi. (Arrival 10.00 AM Breakfast on board 7:30 AM) Departure 21.00 Hrs)

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Saturday



Taj Mahal, Agra

February 20, 2011

Sunday

All Day

New Delhi, India

4:00 AM - 7:30 AM

Royal Rajasthan on Wheels -- Safdarjung Railway Station, New Delhi, India

Day 8 Sunday	Delhi	0400 hrs	Arrival at the Safdarjung railway station
		0700 hrs	Breakfast on board the train
		0730 hrs	Check out and farewell to all guests

The train will arrive in the Safdarjung Railway Station at about 07:00 hours on the 8th day. Guests can disembark from the train and commence their return journey home.



Humayun's Tomb, Delhi

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Sunday

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Car to 11 AM Check-In at The Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India (Wait in Lobby Until Check-In); (Tel: 011.91.11.2.334.1234, 011.91.114.150.1234. Fax: 011.91.11.2.334.2255) -- **Safdarjung Railway Station. New Delhi. India**

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**Sightseeing
Old Delhi**

1. Red Fort - 6 Km from the hotel. Built in 1638 by Emperor Shah Jahan, constructed magnificently in red sand stone.
2. Jama Masjid - 6 Km away from the hotel. Built in 1656 by Emperor Shah Jahan (who also built Taj Mahal). Being one of the largest mosque in the Asia, it can accommodate 20000 people
3. Chandni Chowk - 6 Km away from hotel. This centuries old market has everything you need. Narrow alleys radiating out of the market reflects the true essence of the city.

10:00 PM - 10:30 PM

Lodging, The Imperial Hotel (Tel: 011.91.11.2.334.1234. 011.91.114.150.1234. Fax: 011.91.11.2.334.2255) -- Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India

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All Day

New Delhi, India

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**Sightseeing
New Delhi**

1. Raj Ghat - 5 Km away from the hotel. It is a memorial of The Father of our Nation. Mahatma Gandhi and is set amidst large, well kept, undulating gardens
2. Humayun's Tomb - 6 Km away from the hotel. An elegant example of early Mughal architecture
3. India Gate - 2 Km away from the hotel. It is a war memorial arch. built in honour of 9,000 Indian soldiers who lost their lives in World War I
4. Qutub Minar - 22 km from the hotel. Built in 1193 by India's first Muslim ruler Qutb-uddin-Aibak. It is notable for being one of the earliest and most prominent examples of Indo-Islamic architecture.

6:30 PM - 6:35 PM

Check Out from Lodging at Half-Day Rate. The Imperial Hotel (Tel: 011.91.11.2.334.1234, 011.91.114.150.1234. Fax: 011.91.11.2.334.2255) -- Janpath. New Delhi. 110001 India

7:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Dinner -- The Spice Route (South-East Asian Restaurant & Courtyard), The Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India

Heralded as one of the top ten restaurants in the world by Conde Nast Traveler, The Spice Route is poetry in design. The renowned restaurant mesmerizes all your senses enrapturing you with its sensuous exotic atmosphere. Designed by Rajeev Sethi the celebrated cultural czar of India. The Spice Route reflects the journey of spices from the Malabar Coast in Kerala through Sri Lanka, Myanmar, Malaysia, and Indonesia to Thailand and Vietnam. The restaurant is an overwhelming visual depiction of the art and culture that travelled with the spices through these regions. Presented in a folk religious and cultural fantasy of the Orient. The Restaurant, that was even years in the making, is completely hand painted with vegetable and flower dyes by mural painter brought in especially from a temple in Guruvayur in Kerala with a tradition dating back to 3000 years. Designed on the principles of Feng Shui. The Spice Route is a treasure trove of antique and is divided into nine different sections, each depicting part of the journey of life. Besides the stunning decor. The Spice Route boasts a menu that ensnares the taste buds of a seasoned food connoisseur. Orchestrated with passion by Chef Veena Arora, the menu crafted almost artistically is starred by gems such as Chemeen Thoren (Kerala style prawns, stir-fried with coconut, curry leaves and black tamarind; flavoured with mustard seeds). Tom Yum Kung (the famous Thai soup with

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prawns. flavoured with lemon grass, lemon leave and galangal), Kung Nang Phad Khing (Stir-fried lobster with ginger and Thai black mushrooms, served in the shell). Kaeng Kheow Waan Kai (Chicken in Thai green curry with pea and cherry aubergines) and Phad Phak (Chef's special stir-fried baby pok-choy with black mushroom . flavoured with soya bean paste . The Spice Route Court and transports the guests to the wonderful world of Southeast Asia. Adorned with traditional Thai sculptures from the Chiang Mai region in northern Thailand, the Courtyard is a visual spectacle. A picture perfect water body with floating candles and thoughtfully trewn petals forms the center of the Courtyard. The far end of the pavilion has traditional Khantok seating for six under a Oriental pagoda.

9:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Car to American Airlines Terminal, Indira Ghandi International Airport (DEL), New Delhi, India - The Imperial Hotel, Janpath, New Delhi. 110001 India

February 22, 2011

All Day

New Delhi, India · Chicago

12:55 AM · 5:05 AM

American Airlines Flight #293 to Chicago, Terminal 5, O'Hare International Airport (ORD); Seats 41A, 41B; Economy; 15hr 35min; Boeing 777; Breakfast; 7476 miles - Terminal 3, Indira Ghandi International Airport (DEL). New Delhi, India

Tue, Feb 22, 2011**Delhi (DEL) to Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD)**

American Airlines Flight 293 (on Boeing 777), Requested Seats: 41A, 41B

Confirmation #: PFGLJF

Depart 12:55am DEL Red-eye

Arrive: 05:00am ORD

Total Travel Time: 15 hrs 35 mins

6:00 AM - 6:30 AM

Car to Home (Deerbrook: (800) 462-0010; (847) 564-5530) - Terminal 5, O'Hare International Airport, Chicago, IL