

ICONS OF INDIA

11 days/10 nights

From \$4202 per person twin share

Departs Mon, Thu & Sat ex Delhi

Price per person from*: Cat AA Cat A Cat B Cat C
\$7991 \$6074 \$4452 \$4202

*Based on two people sharing, singles on request.

INCLUSIONS

Airfare Agra/Khajuraho and Raipur/Delhi, transfers in private air-conditioned Innova vehicle or similar with English speaking driver, jungle excursions by jeep with local guide, entrance fees, accommodation on a full board basis in Bandhavgarh and Kanha and bed and breakfast in Delhi, Agra and Khajuraho, 1 bottle of water per person per day for all surface travel, standard still camera fees.

- AA** The Leela Palace/ITC Mughal/The Lalit Temple View (Temple View Rm)/Mahua Kothi/Banjaar Tola
- A** The Claridges/ITC Mughal/The Lalit Temple View (Garden View Rm)/Samode Safari Lodge/Singinawa Lodge
- B** The Claridges/The Gateway Hotel Fatehabad Road/Radisson Jass/Bandhav Vilas/The Baagh
- C** The Park/Crystal Sarovar/Ramada/Jungle Lodge/Tuli Tiger Resorts

Discover the crown jewel of India's natural heritage - the magnificent royal Bengal tiger. This journey also takes in the architectural and historical treasures of the famous Golden Triangle. Highlights include the grand monuments of Delhi, the erotic temples of Khajuraho, the Agra Fort and the unsurpassable Taj Mahal. This tour is for seasoned travellers as travel days are long but the quality of tiger-viewing is well worth it.

Day 1 Delhi

Arrive Delhi. Transfer to your hotel.

Day 2 Delhi

Full day tour of Old and New Delhi. Highlights include Qutab Minar, Jama Masjid, Humayun's Tomb, Chandni Chowk bazaar (closed Sun) and the Red Fort (closed Mon). B

Days 3/4 Agra

Morning departure by road for Agra (5 hrs) via Akbar's tomb at Sikandra. Afternoon visit to the magnificent 16th century Agra Fort before a sunset tour of the Taj Mahal (closed Fri). On Day 4 enjoy a sunrise visit to the Taj Mahal and then explore the 16th century ghost city of Fatehpur Sikri. Return to Agra for overnight. B



Amazing tiger viewing © Aditya Singh

Day 5 Khajuraho

Transfer to Agra airport for flight to Khajuraho. Visit the site of one of the oldest temple complexes in India, dating back to 930AD and famous for its sensual sculptures. B

Days 6-8 Bandhavgarh

Early departure by road for Bandhavgarh National Park (5 hrs). Afternoon at leisure. On Days 7/8 enjoy two full days searching for tigers in jeeps on morning and afternoon excursions. Tiger sightings are not guaranteed; however there is plenty of other wildlife to spot including monkey, chital, sambar deer and wild boar. The park also has over 250 different bird species. BLD

Days 9/10 Kanha

Drive through farmland and forests to Kanha National Park (5 hrs) for more tiger tracking. Enjoy morning and afternoon safaris by jeep, searching for Kanha's diverse wildlife including deer, Indian bison and over 200 species of bird. BLD

Day 11 Tour ends Delhi

Morning safari excursion followed by departure for Raipur (4.5 hrs) with packed lunch. Transfer to airport for connecting flight to Delhi. BL



Rare leopard cub sighting © Aditya Singh



Bengal tiger viewing © Tirath Singh



Khajuraho Temple Complex © Anne-Marie Zambelli

