

LIVING SYMBOL OF LOVE - THE TAJ MAHAL

Delhi – Agra – Delhi (Day Return Tour on road)

Early morning drive to Agra. Agra is situated on the banks of river Yamuna. It achieved prominence as the capital of the Mughal Emperors from 1526 to 1628. It remains a major tourist destination because of its many splendid Mughal-era monuments, most notably the Taj Mahal, Agra Fort and Fatehpur Sikri, all three are **UNESCO World Heritage sites**.



On arrival you will visit **Taj Mahal**, symbol of eternal love, which stands on the banks of River Yamuna. It was built by the 5th Mughal emperor, Shah Jehan in the year 1631 in memory of his wife, Mumtaz Mahal. It was completed in 22 years.

Afternoon halt for lunch at good restaurant.

Further you visit **Agra Fort**, taken over from the Lodhis by the Mughal Emperor Akbar in the late 16th century. The Fort can be more accurately described as a walled palatial city. It was built from red sandstone, often inlaid with white marble and intricate decorations.

At last, before driving back to Delhi you will visit to **Fatehpur Sikri** and en-route visit **Sikandra**, a magnificent garden tomb of the Mughal Emperor Akbar. Fatehpur Sikri was built by great Mughal ruler Akbar as his capital. Here you will see amazing **Bulund Darwaza** - the largest gateway in the world, and the **Tomb of Sheikh Salim Chisti**, a famous Sufi saint of India of that time.



Later you will be driven back to Delhi and on arrival in Delhi, you will be dropped at your respective places of stay.

Tour End

Tour cost:

Air conditioned Mini Coach Rs. 3800/- per person (Subject to a minimum of 10 paying guests)

Private Standard car Rs. 10,000/- Per Car (2 persons in 1 car)

Private Deluxe car Rs. 10,500/- Per Car (4 persons in 1 car)

Package includes:

- Air conditioned car transportation as per the itinerary
- Local English speaking guide service for tour
- All presently applicable toll, parking and taxes

Package does not include:

- Any monument entry fee and camera fee
- Any meal (Breakfast /Lunch / Dinner) during tour
- Any expense of personal nature such as hard/soft drinks, laundry, phone/fax calls, tips etc
- Any other expense not mentioned in the "Package includes"

*** Tour is operational on all days except Fridays, when the Taj Mahal is closed.**