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Tour Vietnam

VIETNAM

15 DAY ITINERARY

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THE JOURNEY

Tour Vietnam, Day by Day

Tour Vietnam Embark on a meaningful Christian pilgrimage to Vietnam, a country enriched by centuries of Catholic faith and the witness of heroic martyrs. This fully-guided journey highlights sacred shrines, historic cathedrals, and vibrant Christian communities. Depart the USA, Canada or other parts...

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DAYS	DESTINATION	REGION

THE ITINERARY

DAY 1

DAY 01

Arrive in Hanoi

01

Welcome to Vietnam! Begin your journey in the vibrant capital city of Hanoi. After checking into your hotel, take a leisurely stroll around Hoan Kiem Lake, where you can enjoy the serene atmosphere and catch a glimpse of the iconic Turtle Tower. In the evening, savor a traditional Vietnamese dinner at a local restaurant and perhaps indulge in a water puppet show, a unique cultural performance that tells stories of Vietnam's rural life.

DAY 2

DAY 02

Explore Hanoi - Temple of Literature & Old Quarter

02

Dive deeper into Hanoi's rich history with a visit to the Temple of Literature, Vietnam's first national university, dedicated to Confucius. Wander through its beautiful gardens and ancient architecture. In the afternoon, explore the Old Quarter, where you can experience the bustling street markets, taste local street food, and shop for handicrafts. Don't miss trying the famous 'pho' and 'banh mi' from local vendors as you immerse yourself in the local culture.

DAY 3

DAY 03

Halong Bay Cruise

03

Today, embark on a breathtaking cruise through Ha Long Bay, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Marvel at the emerald waters dotted with thousands of limestone islands topped with lush rainforests. During the cruise, visit some of the stunning caves and grottoes, and enjoy a delicious seafood lunch on board. In the evening, witness the captivating sunset over the bay, perhaps enjoying a swim or kayaking in the tranquil waters before returning to your overnight accommodation on the boat.

DAY 4

DAY 04

Halong Bay to Hoi An

04

After breakfast on board, continue to enjoy the stunning scenery of Ha Long Bay before returning to the harbor. Once back on land, transfer to Hanoi Airport for your flight to Da Nang. Upon arrival, take a scenic drive to Hoi An, a charming ancient town renowned for its historic architecture and vibrant lanterns. Spend the evening exploring the lantern-lit streets and perhaps enjoy a riverside dinner at one of the local restaurants, soaking in the magical atmosphere.

DAY 5

DAY 05

Discover Hoi An Ancient Town

05

Immerse yourself in the cultural heritage of Hoi An by exploring its ancient town. Visit the Japanese Covered Bridge, the Chinese Assembly Halls, and numerous ancient merchants' houses that showcase the town's trading history. Take time to relax at a café and sample local delicacies such as Cao Lau and white rose dumplings. In the evening, join a cooking class to learn how to prepare traditional Vietnamese dishes before enjoying the meal you created.

DAY 6

DAY 06

My Son Sanctuary

06

Today, take a day trip to the My Son Sanctuary, a UNESCO World Heritage site that reflects the cultural influences of the ancient Champa Kingdom. Explore the complex of Hindu temples and towers, learning about the history and architectural styles of this fascinating site. After the tour, return to Hoi An and take some time to shop for unique souvenirs, including handmade lanterns and local textiles. Enjoy your evening at leisure, perhaps strolling along the riverside.

DAY 7

DAY 07

Travel to Hue - Imperial City

07

Travel to Hue, the former imperial capital of Vietnam. Upon arrival, visit the Imperial City, a UNESCO World Heritage site characterized by its grand architecture and historical significance. Explore the Forbidden Purple City, royal tombs, and the beautiful gardens that reflect the grandeur of the Nguyen Dynasty. In the evening, enjoy a traditional Hue-style meal, which often includes dishes like bun bo Hue and other local specialties.

DAY 8

DAY 08

Hue to Ho Chi Minh City

08

After breakfast, take a guided tour of the royal tombs scattered around Hue, including those of Emperor Khai Dinh and Emperor Minh Mang. Learn about the history and architecture of these magnificent sites. In the afternoon, fly from Hue to Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon). Upon arrival, take some time to relax at your hotel or explore the nearby area. In the evening, consider visiting Ben Thanh Market for local shopping and dining experiences.

DAY 9

DAY 09

Ho Chi Minh City - Cu Chi Tunnels

09

Today, venture to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an extensive network of underground tunnels used during the Vietnam War by the Viet Cong. Learn about the ingenious methods used by the soldiers and the challenging living conditions they faced. After the tour, return to Ho Chi Minh City and visit the War Remnants Museum to gain a deeper understanding of the impacts of the Vietnam War on the country. Spend the evening discovering the lively nightlife of the city.

DAY 10

DAY 10

Explore Ho Chi Minh City

10

Spend the day exploring Ho Chi Minh City's highlights. Visit iconic landmarks such as the Notre-Dame Cathedral Basilica, Central Post Office, and the bustling Ben Thanh Market. Learn about the city's history at the Reunification Palace and take a stroll through the peaceful Jade Emperor Pagoda. In the evening, enjoy a dinner cruise along the Saigon River, taking in beautiful views of the city skyline as you savor a delicious meal.

DAY 11

DAY 11

Mekong Delta Day Trip

11

Embark on a day trip to the Mekong Delta, a vast network of rivers and islands that offers a glimpse into rural Vietnamese life. Take a boat ride through the lush waterways, visit traditional villages, and witness the vibrant floating markets. Sample local fruits and delicacies as you interact with the friendly locals. This experience provides a unique perspective on the culture and lifestyle of the people living in this beautiful region of Vietnam.

DAY 12

DAY 12

Phong Nha-Ke Bang National Park

12

Travel to Phong Nha-Ke Bang National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site famous for its stunning limestone karst landscapes and extensive cave systems. Take a guided tour of the park, visiting the incredible Paradise Cave and the Phong Nha Cave, where you can marvel at the impressive stalactites and stalagmites. Enjoy a picnic lunch surrounded by nature, and consider taking a swim in the refreshing river before returning to your accommodation for the night.

DAY 13

DAY 13

Return to Ho Chi Minh City

13

After breakfast, travel back to Ho Chi Minh City. Spend your day at leisure or revisit any favorite spots. You may want to explore more of the city’s vibrant street life or relax at a café. In the evening, consider visiting a rooftop bar for stunning views of the city skyline, enjoying a cocktail as you reflect on your incredible journey through Vietnam.

DAY 14

Free Day in Ho Chi Minh City

14

Enjoy a free day in Ho Chi Minh City to explore at your own pace. Visit any sites you may have missed, indulge in some last-minute shopping, or savor more delicious Vietnamese cuisine. You can also spend time in local parks or take a cooking class to further your culinary skills. The day is yours to create unforgettable memories before preparing for your departure.

DAY 15

Departure from Ho Chi Minh City

15

As your incredible journey through Vietnam comes to an end, take the time to reflect on all the amazing experiences you've had. Depending on your flight schedule, you may have time for a final stroll through the city or a last meal at your favorite restaurant. Make sure to check out of your hotel and head to the airport with plenty of time to spare, taking with you unforgettable memories and new friendships from your travels.

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