

# Bali, Singapore, Thailand & Angkor Wat

# **Inspiring Moments**

- ▶ Delight in **Bali's** tropical environs, vibrant cultural scene and rich Balinese traditions.
- ► Cherish a quiet moment at the awe-inspiring monuments of Angkor Wat, Ta Prohm and Angkor Thom.
- ► Stroll through a beautiful floral oasis at Singapore's Gardens by the Bay.
- ▶ Thrill to the glories of Southeast Asia, a medley of energetic cities, stunning landscapes and ancient ruins.
- ► Sweet, savory, spicy and tart delight your palate with the flavors of Southeast Asia's outstanding food culture.
- ► Encounter traditional Thai life while cruising along the legendary Chao Phraya River.
- ▶ Behold Singapore's harmonious blend of traditional and modern lifestyles.
- ► Experience three UNESCO World Heritage sites.



Rice field near Ubud, Bali

Join an enriching 12-night adventure to Southeast Asia, a land of stunning diversity. Begin in beautiful Bali, a treasure trove of cultural landmarks. Fly to Singapore and witness this modern city's fascinating attractions and neighborhoods. Unravel Bangkok's myriad layers found within its winding canals and opulent palaces and shrines. Venture beyond Bangkok to the early Siem capital of Ayutthaya before capping off the journey in Cambodia. Here, encounter the remarkable Angkor Wat and other ancient temples. Along the way, the region's welcoming locals share insights into their lives, cuisine and unique traditions.

# **Day-by-Day Itinerary**

#### Days 1 & 2 | In Transit

Depart for Bali, Indonesia. Cross the international date line.

# Day 3 | Bali, Indonesia

Arrive in Bali and transfer To the Belmond Puri Jimbaran. Spend time unpacking and becoming familiar with the amenities and lovely gardens at your hotel. Join us for tonight's Welcome Reception.

## Day 4 | Bali

Balinese Village Exploration. Venture into the green hillsides to visit a local school. Take a tour and interact with the students and teachers. Next, visit a traditional housing complex and observe daily life. After, follow a gentle path to a rice field and gain insight into an ancient irrigation system called subak. Dig into a delicious lunch of Balinese dishes before surrendering your feet to a relaxing massage.

## Day 5 | Bali

Ubud Culture and Holy Spring Temple. Head to Tampak Siring, a holy water temple believed to have incredible healing properties. Following lunch, travel to Ubud to tour the Agung Rai Museum of Art, which houses exhibition halls, art classes, cultural workshops and more. Learn about a music ensemble called the gamelan. You can remain at the museum or visit a nearby local market filled with handmade items.

# Day 6 | Bali | Singapore

After a satisfying breakfast, fly to Singapore. Upon arrival, transfer and check in to the Shangri-La Hotel.

## Day 7 | **Singapore**

## Enrichment: Contemporary Singapore.

Singapore Discovery. On a panoramic tour, pass by the Marina Bay Sands resort, Merlion Park and the



mythical Merlion. Drive through the Civic District and visit the ancient Chinese Thian Hock Keng Temple.

**Multicultural Singapore.** Uncover Singapore's diverse cultures and history this afternoon. Drive through Kampong Glam, a Malay enclave that originated as a fishing village. Then explore Chinatown and Little India's vibrant flower and spice market.

## Day 8 | Singapore

**Peranakan Heritage.** Engage with a Peranakan family while learning to make traditional Chinese dumplings. Try a tasting of this authentic dish that is often made with pork, mushrooms and tangy spices. Continue to a local home to learn about traditional beadwork and embroidery, an important aspect of Peranakan heritage.

Gardens by the Bay. Delight in Singapore's landmark oasis of floral features and garden artistry. See the iconic Supertrees, made up of over 150,000 plants, plus bromeliads, orchids, ferns and climbers. Chart your own course through the Flower Dome, the world's largest glass greenhouse, and wander through the Cloud Forest, home to unique aerial walkways.

#### Day 9 | Singapore | Bangkok, Thailand

Continue your adventure with a flight to Bangkok. After landing, transfer to the Peninsula Bangkok.

Enrichment: Thailand's History and Culture.

Chao Phraya River Cruise. Witness Bangkok's illustrious landmarks during a scenic evening cruise aboard a converted rice barge. Enjoy drinks and dinner while gliding by the city's sparkling skyline.

## Day 10 | Bangkok

**Bangkok's Highlights.** Wend through the lively Chao Phraya River and Thonburi canal. Marvel at the Grand Palace and Emerald Buddha Temple, followed by lunch at the prestigious Blue Elephant restaurant.

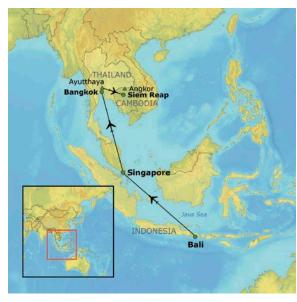
Free Time: Craft your own path through Bangkok. © Elective | Sala Rim Naam. Immerse yourself in Thai culture during a dance show and dinner.

#### Day 11 | Ayutthaya

Ancient Ayutthaya. Visit the Bang Pa-In Palace, a summer residence for Thailand's kings. In the ancient capital of Ayutthaya, view brick ruins, lion guardian statues, Buddha figures and other artifacts. While cruising back to Bangkok, enjoy panoramic views and a lunch of authentic cuisine.

## Day 12 | Bangkok | Siem Reap, Cambodia

Begin the day with a quick flight to Siem Reap,



Cambodia. Upon arrival, transfer to the Sofitel Angkor Phokeethra Golf and Spa Resort.

**Siem Reap.** Encounter the quaint provincial capital aboard a tuk-tuk, a typical mode of transportation. Visit an art and dance center to see local talent.

## **Enrichment:** The Temples of Angkor.

## Day 13 | Siem Reap

**Angkor Wat.** Thrill to the crown jewel of the Angkor Archaeological Park. Duck through stone-structured archways, witness extensive galleries of inspiring carvings and spy saffron-robed monks. You'll be immersed in a world long forgotten!

**CATE Connects:** Local Cuisine. Uncover tasty cuisine with a local family while making rice noodles.

**Free Time:** Spend time crafting your own path. *Cambodian Circus.* Delight in a show featuring dances, acrobatics and stories of Khmer culture.

# Day 14 | Siem Reap

Angkor Thom, Thommanon and Ta Prohm. At the walled city of Angkor Thom, see the imposing Bayon temple. Continue to the jungle-clad Ta Prohm, hidden amid twisting trees, and visit the recently restored Thommanon temple with its exquisite carvings. Gather for a Farewell Dinner and an exciting event featuring Khmer classical dance and music.

#### Day 15 | In Transit

Transfer → to the Siem Reap airport for the return flight ↔ to your gateway city.

## **Included Features**

### **Accommodations** {with baggage handling}

- -3 nights in Bali, Indonesia,
   at the deluxe Belmond Puri Jimbaran.
- 3 nights in Singapore at the deluxe Shangri-La Hotel, Singapore.
- 3 nights in Bangkok, Thailand, at the deluxe Peninsula Bangkok.
- 3 nights in Siem Reap, Cambodia, at the deluxe Sofitel Angkor Phokeethra Golf and Spa Resort.

#### **Transfers** {with baggage handling}

- Flights to Singapore, Bangkok and Siem Reap and all deluxe motor coach transfers in the Land Program.

#### **Extensive Meal Program**

 -12 breakfasts, 7 lunches and 2 dinners, including a Farewell Dinner; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner.

## Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

- -Visit 4 countries during this program.
- -Small group: Sized just right at 28 guests.
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## March 5-20, 2024

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**Note:** Itinerary sequence and/or scheduled events may change. Walking is required on many excursions.

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