

Luang Prabang world Heritage 3 Days / 02 Nights

LUANG PRABANG STOPVER 3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS

Private tour with daily departure with English, German or French speaking guide

Day1. Arrival – Luang prabang

Upon arrival at the airport, you are met and transferred to the hotel. Luang Prabang is perhaps the best-preserved traditional city in Southeast Asia. The tranquility and charm of this town with its splendid natural scenery and cultural sights make it one of the most delightful places to visit in Laos. After a short rest, we visit the impressive stupa of **Wat Visoun** and the shrine of **Wat Aham** , **Wat Mai** , we then climb up to the top of **Phousi Mount** for an enjoyable exploration of the sacred , gilded stupa as well as a beautiful sunset view of the city and the Mekong River. From there, we explore **Street Night Bazaar** , where you can find the lovely collection and handmade textile by local and hill tribe people surrounding Luang prabang. Overnight in luang prabang.



Day2. Luang prabang – pakou cave khoangsi waterfall

This morning you may want to wake up early and participate in the daily early morning ritual of saffron-clad monks with their black alms-giving bowls being given offerings from the local people, including the ubiquitous sticky rice.



AM: After breakfast, we enjoy a short-guided tour seeing the city's oldest temple of **Wat Sene** and the magnificent **Wat Xiengthong** with its roofs sweeping low to the ground, which represent the classical architecture of Luang prabang temple. We then board a cruise upstream on the Mekong River, which also gives us beautiful view of the tranquil countryside as well as an interesting visit to the mysterious of **Pak Ou Caves** , crammed with thousands of gold lacquered Buddha statues of various shapes and sizes. Along the way, we stop at the village of **Ban Xanghai** , where they make the distillation of local rice wine , On return , we take a short drive to **Ban Phonom** , well known for its hand weaving.

PM: You will visit the morning **Phosi Market** where you will see such diverse offerings as dried buffalo skin, local tea and saltpeter among the chickens, vegetables and hill-tribe weavings. Laos is also known for its traditional crafts, and today will visit local village and **Ban Thapene** , khmu Village , then drive to the beautiful **Khouangsi Waterfall** where you can splash around in the pools or

walk along the forest paths , return to Luang prabang by late afternoon and continue to **Ban Phanom** , a well known weaving village , return to the city by late evening , for observing the sunset at **Wat Siphouthabath** . Overnight Luang prabang (B)

Day3. Luang prabang - Ceparture

The **National Museum** at the former **Royal Palace** , which displays a lovely collection of the artifacts reflecting the richness of Lao culture dating from the days of the early kings right through the last sovereign , and the **Central Market** are not to be missed . After visiting these sights in the morning, you will have free time for your own exploration of the town and strolling around the shopping area. The tour ends after your transfer to the airport for departure. (B)



Stopover Highlight: Vientiane-World Heritage

Trip Description: Stands on Mekong River Bank and neighbouring border with Nongkhai Province, Thailand, Vientiane is the capital of Laos, has been become the main business centre since the capital had been moved from the old Elephant kingdom, known as Luang prabang . With its population around 1 million, Vientiane is the largest and busiest city in Laos.

Destination: Luang prabang

Duration: 4 Day/3nights

Activities: Historical sites / Natural sites / seeing-seeing / Classic

- **Itinerary:**

Day 1: Arrive in Vientiane-Visit Local Highlights-Vientiane (B)

Welcome to Vientiane, Arrive in Vientiane airport, and after customs & immigration formalities, transfer with your guide to your hotel. Enjoy a city tour to **Wat Sisaket** with its thousands of **miniature Buddha statue**. Visit **Wat Simuang** and **Wat Prakeo**, which was the original home of

The famous **Emerald Buddha**, which today lives in Bangkok.

There are many excellent restaurants in Vientiane, and You will easily find something to suit your taste. Visit the huge golden **That Luang** monument, where all Lao citizen respect as holy pagoda. Visit Vientiane's own **Victory Monument**,

Which looks like the Arc de Triumphe. This was built at the End of the Indochina wars with money rumoured to be American, and earmarked for the airport's new runway.

Thus the departing Americans dubbed this monument the vertical runway! Have a look at the lovely arches inside the monument. Overnight in Vientiane.



Victory Monument in Vientiane

Day 2: Vientiane – Luang prabang – World Heritage Sites in Luang prabang – Luang prabang (B)

After Breakfast, Transfer to the airport for the morning flight to the former Royal capital. Your guide will meet you at the airport and bring you to your hotel. Then enjoy Visit **Wat Visoun**, the site of impressive **Thad Makmo** stupa. The rounded dome is stylistically more Sinhalese than Lao. Continue to visit **Wat Mai**. Built in 1796, the five-tiered roof of the wooden Sim (chapel)



epitomizes to graceful Luang prabang architectural style. Visit further emphasizes the uniqueness of Luang prabang, its several roofs sweeping low to the ground. See also impressive “tree of life “mosaic here. The gilt panel on the exterior of the chapel depicts semi-erotic episodes from the Ramayana. Climb up Phou Sii hill stands right in the center of this small city. Climb its 350 steps to enjoy commanding views for many miles in each direction. **Wat Phu Sii** sits atop the mountain, along side the skeletons Of Indochina war anti-aircraft guns! Shopping night

market, where hundred of Hmong recommence the nice restaurants in town for you.

Overnight in Luang prabang.

- **Day 3: Luang prabang – Local Style Mekong Riverboat Experience – pak Ou Buddha Caves – Ban Phanom Weavving – Luang Prabang (B/L)**

After Breakfast, Visit the **National Museum**, once a king's palace. Displayed inside is a lovely collection of **personal artifacts** of the royal family , including photos , musical instruments, and many gifts received from the dignitaries of foreign River to visit the famous & sacred **Pak Ou Buddha Caves** . These caves, overlooking the confluence of the Mekong & Ou Rivers from on high, have been home to many thousands of Buddha images that were placed here by local



people since 16th century, when King Setthathirat found the caves and declared them a holy spot. On return Visit Por Sa Paper Handicraft & textile area at Ban Xang Khong . Overnight in Luang prabang.

Day 4: Luang prabang – Next destination (B)

After breakfast, explore the town on your leisurely until your flight time to transfer you to the airport.

End of Service

Hotels:

2 Stars-Standard (STD)

B&P Hotel in Vientiane: WWW.LAOHOTELGROUP.OPG

Rama Hotel in Luang prabang: WWW.RAMAHOTEL.NET

3 stars-First Class (FST)

Orchid Hotel or similar in Vientiane, Standard: WWW.LAO-ORCHID.COM

Man luck Hotel: WWW.MANOLUCKHOTEL.COM

4 Stars-Superior (SUP)

Novotel Hotel in Vientiane, Superior: WWW.NOVOTEL.COM

The Grand Hotel, Deluxe: WWW.GRANDLUANGPRABANG.COM

DLK: 5Strs

Settha Palace: WWW.SETTHAPACE.COM

Souvannaphoum Hotel: WWW.COLOURSOFANGSANA.COM

Package includes:

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2. All Accommodations
3. All meals as listed on the itinerary
4. All entrance fees
5. Services of English Speaking guide throughout the tour
6. All services as listed in the itinerary , including the Mekong river boat trip
7. Flight Vientiane-Luang prabang
8. Lao Governmet Tax

Package Does Not Include:

9. Laos vise fee
10. Meals other than those mentioned in the program
11. International air tickets , airport departure tax
12. International air ticket
13. Personal drinks at meal times
14. 3% Bank Charge (In case transfer by Credit Card)

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PAYMENT POLICY:

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Exploring Southern Laos

Routing Vientiane-Pakse-4,000Islands-Luang prabang-plain of Jars-Vientiane

DURAYION: 14Days/13Nights

Star City: Vientiane

Departure: Vientiane

Itinerary:

Day 1: Arrival – Vientiane (D)

Upon arrival in Vientiane Capital, you are met and transferred to your centrally located hotel. After a short rest, we start visiting the major sights of the capital; including the oldest wat Sisaket, the temple with thousands of miniature Buddha statues and the former royal temple of wat Prakeo previously housed the famous Emerald Buddha image. On the way to the famous and sacred structure of that Luang prabang Stupa, we stop to take some pictures of the imposing Monument, which is well known as vientiane’s own Arc de Triumph. Over night in Vientiane.



Day 2: Vientiane-Pakse-Tadlo (B/L./D)

Early morning take a flight to southern Laos. Upon arrival, you are met drive ahead to Saravanh province via Tateng. The stumbling water and lush vegetation around tad Fan waterfall of today’s Atacular. we make a stop en route observing the traditional local making tea and coffee , a cup its can be tasted prior exploring the local cultures and ifs way of life along the way to Boloven Plateau area , the cultivation of rich coffee , tea , cardamom , bananas , and other crops are being seen along both side of our way . This is allowed time for visitors to venture off the beaten path and explore some of the lesser-known areas of Laos pointing for full exploration of the wild beauty of this southern region. Upon arrival at Tad Lo waterfall, we visit villages of Alak, Nge, Katu, the ethnic group of minority. Overnight at Tad Lo.

Day 3: Tadlo-Pakse-wat phou – Don khong (B/L/D)

Early birth breakfast, we are heading out toward khong island, en route making a short detour to visit pha suam waterfall and Lao Teung Villages and strolling around the ethnic minority villages and continue traveling by road to wat phu via pakse town, keep our way, crossing Mekong ferry to visit the pre-angkorian, ruins of wat phu, one of southeast Asia’s most dramatically situated temples. Explore these khmer ruins, perched atop a nearby hill, which is one of Lao world Heritage site recognized by UNESCO in 2001, this wonderful archeological site of khmer civilization dated back to the 9-12th centuries. We continue our way to 4000 islands region and catch a ferry motor boat to Don khong . Overnight in Don khong.



Day 4: Don khong-khone Island (B/L/D)

Today , we enjoy a visit of the surrounding countryside , and board on a long trail boat touring to Don khone area , taking you to visit the remains of French period, Lphi waterfall or “the Corridor of the Dvil “. After exploring around the isand, retrun to your hotel. Overnight in Khone Island.



Day 5: Donkhone-pakse (B/L/D)

After breakfast we begin a boat trip return to the mainland at Ban Nakasang, a fishery village and drive further south to visit khone phapheng on the journey, the biggest waterfall in the south East Asia, it is really the impressive sight then a lush vegetation near the Lao-Cambodian border, which is teeming with wildlife and it is one of loveliest destinations in Laos, Afterward we drive drive back to pakse. Overnight in pakse. Overnight in Pakse.

Day 6: PaKse-Luang Prabag (B/L/D)

After breakfast relax until your flight time to transfer you to the airport for your flight to Laung Prabang. Upon arrival meet your guide transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Luang Prabang.

Day 7: Luang Phrabang-Ancient Temple Tours (B/L/D)

Today we enjoy the visit the impressive stupa of Wat visoun and the shrine of Wat Aham, ; we then climb up to the top of Phousi Mount for an enjoyable exploration of the sacred, gilded stupa as well as a beautiful sunset view of the city and the Mekong River. From there, we explore Street Night Market, where you can find the lovely collection and handmade by local and hill tribe people surrounding Luang Prabang. Overnight in Luang Prabang.

Day 8: Luang Prabang – PaKou

After breakfast, we enjoy a short-oldest temple of Wat Sene and the its roofs sweeping low to the ground, architecture of Luang Prabang temple. on the Mekong River, which also gives countryside as well as an interesting Caves, crammed with thousands of various shapes and sizes. Along the Xanghai, where they make the return, we take a short drive to Ban weaving. Overnight in Luang Prabang.



Caves (R/L/D)

guided tour seeing the city’s magnificent Wat Xiengthong with which represent the classical We then board a cruise upstream us a beautiful view of the tranquil visit to the mysterious of Pak ou gold lacquered Buddha statues of way, we stop at the village of Ban distillation of local rice wine. On Phanom, well known for its hand

Day 9: Luang prabang – Pottery Village (B/L/D)



After breakfast at hotel. Embark from the local pier on a ferry boat or traditional boat crossing the Mekong River to the other side of the river, we arrive at Ban Xiengman. Then, we start walking along village about 50 minutes to Banchan Village (a pottery village) where people make pottery. About 40 families are potterys. Heir products exported to Japan and other western countires. All of main hotels, guestshouses, and restaurants all use those potteries to decorate. After that, we begin a boat trip along Kong River back to Luang prabang. Overnight in Luang prabang .

Day 10: Luang prabang – Visit Elephant Camp (B/L/D)

After breakfast enjoy visit the National Museum at the former Royal palace, which displays a lovely collection of the artifacts reflecting the richness of Lao culture dating from the days of the early kings right through the last sovereign , then drive about 30 KM to the beautiful Khouangsi Waterfall where you can splash around in the pools , swim and relax or walk along the forest paths , return to luang prabang by late afternoon . Overnight in luang prabang

Day 11: Luang prabang-visit Elephant camp (B/L/D)

After breakfast, drive out town visit the elephant camp at Ban noon. En route stop at famous and well-known village, Ban phom Nom, almost of those villagers are weavers. They used to be servants and made handicraft souvenirs for the last king of Laos. Another stop at Henrimouhot monument at kang noon, a French man, who founded Angkor wat in Siem Reap, but he died at kang Noon when he moved to Laos for his discovery as Mararia. Then continue to the camp. Arrival, your guide brief about those 10 elephants

about original come from and daily living condition, and take some vegetables for those elephants, return to the town. The rest of the day is free on your own.

Day 12: Luang prabang-Plain of jars (B/L/D)

Today, we are driving 306 KM overland on up Hill Mountain with splendid natural scenery to Xiengkhouang, where was devastated by American bombing between 1964 and 1973. Upon arrival, we transfer out to visit the Plain of Jars, an impressive archaeological site where hundreds of large stone jars are littered all over the plateau. If time permits, we are seeing the old capital of Muang khoun [if time permits] and the nearby villages, home to the Hmong hill tribe people. They have an interesting local culture and a colorful history. Overnight in Phonsavan.

Day 13: Xiengkhoang – Vientiane (Flight)(B/L/D)

Breakfast, visit Central Market, and then free at leisure by own discovery for you to further explore the town before we catch a flight back to Vientiane. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Vientiane.

Day 14: Vientiane-phnom penh (B)

After breakfast transfer you to Wattay airport for your departure.

End of service.

2Stars=STD

B&P Hotel in Vientiane

Champa Residence in Pakse

Local Guest House in Khong Island

Saise Tadlo Resort at Tadlo

Rama Hotel in Luang Prabang: www.RAMAHOTEL.NET

New Xieng Khuang hotel in Xieng Khuang

Sala Donkhon in Khone Island: WWW.SALALAO.COM

3Stars:

Beas Rivage Mrkong hotel in Vientiane

Pakse Hotel in Pakse: WWW.PAKSEHOTEL.COM

Villa Meuang Khong in Khong Island

Sala Donkhon in Khone Island: WWW.SALALAO.COM

Saise Tadlo Resort in Saravan

Manoluck hotel in Luang Prabang: WWW.MANOLUCKHOTEL.COM

Vansana Hotel in Xieng Khuang: WWW.VANANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

4Stars:

Novotel Hotel in Vientiane, Standard: WWW.NOVOTEL.COM

Champsak Grand Hotel in Pakse, Deluxe: WWW.CHAMPASKAGRAND.COM

Sene Soth Seun Hotel in Khong Island, Deluxe River View: WWW.SSXHOTEL.COM

Sala Donkhon in Khone Island: WWW.SALALAO.COM

Saise Tadlo Resort in Saravan

Grand Hotel in Luang Prabang, Deluxe: WWW.GRANDLUANGPRABANG.COM

Vansana Hotel in Xieng Khuang: WWW.VANANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

5Stars:

Champsak Grand Hotel in Pakse, Deluxe: WWW.CHAMPASKAGREND.COM

Sene Soth Seun Hotel in Khong Island, Deluxe River View: WWW.SSHOTEL.COM

Sala Donkhon in Khone Island: WWW.SALALAO.COM

Saise Tadlo Resort in Saravan

Maison Souvannaphoum Hotel in Luang Prabang, Garden Wing: WWW.COLOURSOFANGSANA.COM

Vansana Hotel in Xieng Khuang: WWW.VANSANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

Settha Palace in Vientiane: WWW.SETTHAPALACE.COM

Package includes:
All land transfers
English speaking guide
Entry fee
Meal as listed in program (B- Breakfast , L – Lunch , D-Dinner)
Private boat trips
Accommodations
Lao Tax

Book Now!!!!!!

PAYMENT POLICY

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PLAIN OF JARS 2 day / 1 night
Vientiane – phonsavanh (xieng khouang)

Private tour with daily departure with English, German or French speaking guide

DAY 1: Vientiane – phonsavanh (-/L/D)

Pick – up at your hotel and transfer to Vientiane Wattay airport for flight to xieng khouang. Meet upon arrival at the airport, transfer to phonsavanh, the new capital city of the xieng khouang province, and check-in at the hotel.



The northern province of xieng khouang was heavily bombed during the Vietnam war and, as soon as the plane begins to descend, one can notice how much of the province is still pockmarked with impressive bomb craters. The original capital, xieng khouang , was almost totally destroyed , so the capital was moved to phonsavanh . Near phonsaavanh is the mysterious plain of jars, whicg is soon to be listed by UNESCO as a world Heritage site. The jars weigh mostly

from 600 kg to one ton but the biggest one weighs as much as six tons. The jars have been fashioned from solid stone, most from a Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

DAY 2: Phonsavanh – Vientianr (B/L/-)

Breakfast at the hotel.

Visit the local market where the ethnic minorities (Thai Dam, Hmong, Phuan) from the surrounding villages gather every morning.

Drive to the plain of jars, a large area extending around phonesavanh where several hundred huge jars of unknown origin are scattered about in over a dozen groupings. Several theories have been advanced as to the functions of the jars (burial urns, wine fermenters, rice storage) but there is on evidence confirming one theory over the other. However, in the 1930s, French archeologists found ashes, stone axes, bronze

ornaments and ceramics, which may have been offerings to the dead. When the plain of jars is listed by UNESCO and cleared from remaining UXOs, further archeological investigation may bring a clue to all the unanswered questions regarding the most enigmatic site in Laos.

Picnic lunch and route.

Return to Phonsavan and transfer to the airport for flight to Vientiane.

Meet upon arrival at Vientiane Wattay airport and transfer to the hotel.

Hotels:

2stars-standard (STD)

Rama Hotel or Similar: WWW.RAMAHOTEL.NET

3Stars Hotel-First Class (FST)

Man Luck Hotel: WWW.MANOLUCKHOTEL.COM or similar

4Stars Hotel-superior (FST)

The Grand Hotel: WWW.GRANDLUANGPRABANG.COM or similar

5 Stars-Deluxe (DLX)

Souvannaphoum Hotel: WWW.COLOURSOFANGSANA.COM

Price Includes:

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2. All Accommodation
3. Meals as listed on the itinerary
4. All entrance fees
5. Services of an English Speaking guide throughout the tour
6. All services as listed in the itinerary, including the Mekong river boat trip
7. Drinking water & cold towel
8. Lao Government Tax

Price Does Not Include:

1. Laos visa fee
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3. International and Domestic airport departure tax and air tickets
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Elephants & Hilltribes on the Bolovens & Vat phou Luxury Cruise to Niagara of the East

**Routing: boloven plateau-pakse-sii phan Don (4000 islands)
5 days/4 nights**

Day 1: pakse-Boloven plateau-Elephant Camp – Tad Fane Waterfall (None)

This morning, our local representative will meet you at **pakse airport** or at the border crossing at **chong Mek**, where you will pass in to the hands of your Lao guides who will transfer you to **Tap Fane Resort** for 2-night stay. Along the way,

Ride an elephant at Ban kiat Ngong, which is located on the **Boloven Plateau**, one of the most scenic spots in Southern Laos. The resort overlooks the **Tad Fane Waterfalls**, thundering down into a 200-meter deep gorge. Beyond the waterfall stretches the extensive jungle of **Dong Hua Sao**, one of the 18 National Biodiversity Conservation Areas in the country. The balance of the afternoon and evening are at leisure and dinner at the resort. Overnight at Tadfane.

Say 2: Around Tad Fane Area-Explore the champi canal-Visiting Remote Alak & Lavan Hilltribes-pakse(B)

After breakfast, drive to **Ban Lak Sao** Sam to visit this most interesting village of the **Khammu tribal people**. From here, trek down to the **Champi River**,



through coffee plantations and sections of old growth forests, where rafting safety equipment is distributed and guests receive a paddle instruction and river safety briefing. Then set off negotiating the fun rapids of the Huai champi while passing some of the most scenic old growth forest on earth. Your experienced guides will share their extensive knowledge of these remote areas and soon you will stop at a special stop for a picnic lunch and a relaxing swim. This afternoon continue downstream through the traditional **Homelands of the Alak and Laven peoples**. Ethnically and culturally distinct from the Lao Loum (lowlanders), it is

fascinating to experience these isolated cultures as until August, 2002 < this area was inaccessible to visitors. Later in the afternoon, arrive at finish point where we change into dry clothes before making our way back to the relaxing atmosphere of the resort for a well-earned rest. Overnight in pakse

Day 3: Sail from pakse –Champassak (Vat phou Luxury Mekong Cruise) (B/L/D)

Early this morning, transfer to **pakse** to begin a most interesting adventure in Southern Laos. Depart from pakse, heading south aboard a **local long-tail riverboat** arriving at **Champassak** in time for lunch at the local landing. After lunch, tour the mysterious pre-Angkorian 10th century **temple of Vat phou**, the boat's namesake. As dusk falls, board the vat phou, your home for the next 2-nights while cruising down the river. Dinner is served on board, while the boat docks for the night at a remote Lao village.

Vat phou Boat

Day 4: Explore Khong Island – 4000 Islands (Sii pan Done) (B/L/D)

After breakfast on board, continue downriver, bound for the village of **Huai Thamo**, only a few minutes walk away from the spectacular, **hidden forest temple of Oum Moung**. Afterwards, rejoin the vat phou cruising southwards into the wild paradise known as “**4000 Islands**”. Here, visit **khong Island** and the **village of Muang kong**, where the traditional way of life has not changed in centuries. Later. Back on board; enjoy a quiet dinner under the stars, serenaded by the song of the buffalo toads.

Day 5: “Niagara of the East” (Li phi & khon pha paeng waterfalls on the Mekong)-Return to pakse or chong mek border cross (B/L)

Enjoy breakfast while cruising to the small village of **Ban Veuthong** , where we board a local car-ferry to reach the mainland and the amazingly scenic splendor of the **khone pha pheng waterfall** , “the Niagara of the East” , close to the Cambodian border .on arrival at the small fishing village of **Xieng Di**. We will board a small long-tail boat **to khone Island**, at the very south and of this natural water dam , where if you are very lucky, you might catch a rare glimpse of the river dolphins! Lunch amid the bygone splendor of another age, colorful French colonial houses and an old customs post, alongside a stone quay. Then return to Pakse.



End of service

Tariff: Based on USD per person.

Valid from now until 30 Sept 09

Hotel:

Tad Fane resort in Tad fane

Cham Package: www.AsIAN-oAsls.coM

Package includes:

1. All land transport & transfers listed on the itinerary
2. All accommodations as listed
3. Cruise with Vat Phou boat
4. All meals as listed on the itinerary
5. All entrance fees
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Stopover_Highlight: Vientiane-Plain of Jars World Heritage

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Destination: Luang Prabang

Duration: 6Days/5nights

Activities: Historical sites/Natural sites/Sigh-seeing/Classic/soft adventure

Start City: Vientiane

Itinerary:

Day 1: Arrive in Vientiane - Visit Local Highlights – Vientiane (B)

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Day 2: Vientiane – Xieng Khuang – Plain of Jars – Xieng Khuang (B)

The Plain of Jars is a extensive area around Phonsavan, surrounded by mountains, where massive stone urns of mysterious origin are scattered about in a least a dozen major groupings. Site 1, or Thoung Hai hin (Stone Jar Plain), is 15 km southwest of Phonsavan, and the largest of the sites, featuring 250 jars, mostly weighing from 600kg to one ton each, the biggest of them weighing as much as six tons! After Breakfast, take a short flight to Xieng Khuang , Welcome to xieng khuang ! Your guide will meet you at the airport upon arrival and bring you to your hotel for check-in , before escorting you to the Plain of Jars , an

impressive archeological site where hundreds of large stone jars are littered all over the plateau . Have lunch at a

Local restaurant, and then continue to visit the old capital Of Muang khun province and nearby hill tribe villages.

They have a fascinating culture and a colorful history.

Return in the late afternoon to your hotel for dinner overnight. Overnight in Xieng khuang.

Day 3: xieng khuang – Lao/visit num Border – Tribal Villages – Silk Weaving Handicraft Villages – Thampiu

Cave – Hot Springs – xieng khuang (B)

After Breakfast, Sightseeing amongst ethnic minority peoples and observing their essentially unchanged culture, living close to nature. Have a lunch in a local restaurant before turning back. Visit Thai Dam and Thai Dang villages and a silk-weaving handicraft village. Continue back through the extensive rice-paddy region of the plateau. Stop at Thampiu Cave, which houses remarkable memorabilia of the war in Laos. On the way back we stop for a swim in natural hot – spring pool, returning to phonsavan to your hotel for dinner and overnight in xieng khuang.

Day 4: xieng khuang – Lung prabang – world heritage sates in Luang prabang – Luang prabang (B)

Surrounded by thickly forested mountains and situated at the confluence of the Khan and Mekong Rivers, Luang Prabang has a tranquil, old world charm rarely found in Asia today. This fascinating town was the capital of the Lane Xang (million elephants) kingdom until the mid-sixteenth century. In colonial times it served as a provincial headquarters of the north. The legacy of the European presence here-well preserved French architecture and careful street planning – has blended delightfully with more than 30 gilded Buddhist temples to create a town rich in atmosphere and history. After Breakfast, Half drive to the former Royal capital, Luang Prabang around 6h & half arrive in luang, en route you stop to talk with local ethnic people who have built their houses and settle down along the road. Also enjoy the very

Beautiful landscapes that will make you temporary forget your home town. UN on arrival, your guide will bring you to your hotel. Then take a spin around Luang Prabang with your guide... and your will understand why it deserves the world heritage title! Visit **wat visoun**, the site of impressive **Thad Makmo** stupa. The Rounded dome is stylistically more Sinhalese than Lao. Phou sii hill stands right in the center of this small city. Climb its 350 steps to enjoy commanding views for many miles in each direction. **Wat phu sii** sits atop the mountain, alongside the skeletons of Indochina war **anti-aircraft guns!** The rest of the day is you're leisurely.

Day 5: Luang Prabang – Local style Mekong Reverboat Experience – Pak Ou Buddha Caves – Luang Prabang (B/L)

After Breakfast, Visit the **national museum**, once a king's palace. Displayed inside is a lovely collection of personal artifacts of the royal family, including photos, musical instruments, and many gifts received from the dignitaries of foreign countries. Begin a **Mekong riverboat trip** with your guide on the mighty Mekong River to visit the famous & sacred **Pak Ou Buddha caves**. These caves, overlooking confluence of the Mekong & on rivers from on high, have been home to many thousands of Buddha images that were placed here by local people since 16th century, when king setthathilat found the caves and declared them a holy spot. On return visit por sa paper handicraft & textile area at ban xang khong. Overnight in Luang prabang.

Day 6: Luang prabang temple Tours – next destination (B)

After breakfast visit **Wat Mai**. Built in 1796, the five – tiered roof of the wooden sim (chapel) epitomizes the graceful Luang prabang, architectural style. Visit **wat xieng thong** further emphasizes the uniqueness of Luang prabang, its several roofs sweeping low to the ground. See also the impressive “tree of life” mosaic here. The gilt panel on the exterior of the chapel depicts semi-erotic episodes from the Ramayana. Transfer you to the airport for your flight to next destination



End of service

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2 Stars-Standard (STD)

B&P Hotel in Vientiane: WWW.LAOHOTELGROUP.ORG

Mali hotel in xieng khuan

Rama hotel in luang prabang: WWW.RAMAHOTEL.NET

3 Stars-first Class (FST)

Orchid hotel in Vientiane: WWW.LAO-ORCHID.COM

Vasana hotel in xieng khuang: WWW.VASANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

Manoluck hotel in luang prabang: WWW.MANOLUCKHOTEL.COM

4 Stars-superior (SUP)

Novotel hotel in Vientiane, superior: WWW.NOVOTEL.COM

Vasana hotel in xieng khuang: WWW.VASANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

Grand hotel in luang prabang: WWW.GRANDLUANGPRABANG.COM

5 Stars-Deluxe (DLX)

Settha palace in Vientiane: WWW.SETTHAPALACE.COM

Vasana hotel in xieng khuang: WWW.VASANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

Souvannaphoum hotel in luang prabang: WWW.COLOURSOFANGSANA.COM

Package Includes:

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4. All entrance fees
5. Services of an English speaking guide throughout the tour
6. All services as listed in the itinerary
7. Mekong boat trip
8. Drinking water/cold towel
9. Air ticket, Vientiane-xieng khuang & domestic airport tax
10. NTA & lao government tax

Package Does Not Include:

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2. International departure tax and air tickets
3. Personal drink at meal times

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Highlight World Heritage

A charming former capital of Laos, known as the old kingdom of million Elephant in the past, the town had been moved to Vientiane in 1560 as civilization came. At least 3Days needed to explore the town, old colonial of French buildings remained. Local house are all respected to their ancestors' tradition and Luang Prabang still kept under management by UNESCO.

Destination: Luang Prabang
Duration: 3Days / 2nights
Activities: Historical sites/Natural sites
Start city: Luang Prabang

Itinerary

Day 1: Around world Heritage-Historical sites (None)

Welcome to Luang Prabang, upon arrival your guide will meet you at the airport upon and bring you to your hotel. Then enjoy a half –day spin around luang Prabang ... and you will understand why it deserves the World Heritage title! **Wat Visoun**, the site of impressive **Thad Makmo stupa**. The rounded dome is stylistically more Sinhalese than Lao. Continue to visit **Wat Mai**. Building in 1796, the five-tiered roof of the wooden Sim (chapel) epitomizes the graceful Luang Prabang architectural style. Visit Wat xieng **ThOng** further emphasizes the uniqueness of Luang Prabang , its several roofs sweeping low to the ground . See also the impressive “tree of life” mosaic here. The gilt panel on the exterior of the chapel depicts semi-erotic episodes from the Ramayana. Climb up Phou Sii hill stands right in the center of this small city. Climb its 350 steps to enjoy commanding views for many miles in each direction. **Wat Phu Sii** sits atop the mountain, along side the skeletons of Indochina war anti-aircraft. Diner tonight on your own but our guide recommences the nice restaurants in town for you. Overmingt in Luang Prabang.

Day 2: Luang Prabang – Local Style Makong Riverboat Experience – Pak Pu Buddha Caves – Luang Prang (B/L)

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Paper Handicraft & textile area at Ban Xang Khong. Overnight in Luang Prabang.

Day 3: Luang Prabang – Next destination (B)

After Breakfast, relax until your flight time to transfer to the airport for next destination.

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3 Stars Hotel-First Classes (FST):

Man luck Hotel: WWW.MANOLUCKHOTEL.COM or similar

4 Stars Hotel-Superior (FST)

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Classic overland

Vientiane-vang vieng-xienkhuang-world heritage:

Destination: Luang prabang

Duration: 10days/9Nights

Activities: historical sites/natural sites/sign-seeing/classic/adventure

City start: Vientiane

Itinerary:

Day: 1: arrive in Vientiane-visit local highlights-Vientiane (none)

Welcome to Vientiane. Arrive at Vientiane airport, and after customs & immigration formalities, transfer to your hotel. Enjoy a city tour to **wat sisaket** with its thousands of



miniature Buddha statues. Visit **wat simuang** and **wat prakeo**, which was the original home of the famous Emerald Buddha, which today lives in Bangkok. There are many excellent restaurants in Vientiane, and you will easily find something to suit your taste. Visit the huge golden **that luang** monument, where all Lao citizen respect as holy pagoda. Continue visit in Vientiane's own **victory monument**, which looks like the arc de triumphed. This was built at the end of the Indochina wars with money rumored to be American, and earmarked for the airport's new runway. Thus the departing

Americans dubbed this monument the vertical runway! Have a look at the lovely arches inside the monument. Overnight in Vientiane.

Day 2: Vientiane - Buddha park (B)

After breakfast, we start to visit the major sight out of town about 30 km, visit Buddha park, a blend of Buddhist and Hindu sculptures created by mystical monk on parkland located by the Mekong river and the impressive Lao-Thai friendship bridge. En route stop at Lao/Thai Bridge, taking photos before continue to the park. Arrive in the town continue visit textile village at nong buathong. Then transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Vientiane

Day 3: Vientiane-morning market-vangvieng (B)

After breakfast drive ahead to vang vieng about 3 hours from the capital. Once a key military airfield during the Indochina wars, the town's central feature is the **long-abandoned runway** along the eastern side of town. On the west side, a small river separates the town from the **nearby caves & mountains**, which can easily be visited from town. Upon arrival check in at your hotel. Afternoon exploring around the town with your guide. Overnight in vang vieng

Day 4: vang vieng-market-tham jang caves-xieng khuang-plain of jars (B)

After breakfast, check out of your hotel; visit the local market and then the **tham jang caves** through which flows a crystal clear stream. Drive ahead to xieng khuang, known as the plain of jars about 6-7 hours, drive passes through splendid scenery and past many **panoramic lookout points** on the winding mountaintop road. There are several stops en route to take in the scenery. Welcome to xieng khuang! Upon arrival check in at your hotel before escorting you to the plain of jars, an impressive archeological site where hundreds of large stone jars are littered all over the plateau. Have lunch at a local restaurant, and then continue to visit the old capital of muang khun province and nearby hill tribe villages they have a fascinating culture and the colorful history. Return in the late afternoon to your hotel for dinner and overnight. Overnight in xien khuang.

Day 5: xieng khuang-luang prabang-world heritage sites in luang prabang (B)

Today half day drive to the former royal capital, luang prabang around 6-7h & half arrive in luang prabang, en route short stop talking with local ethnic people to have built their houses and settle down along the road. Also enjoy the very beautiful landscape that will make you temporary forget your home town. Other short visit street hmong market, selling their mountainous vegetables. Later afternoon arrive in luang prabang, transfer to your hotel. Overnight in luang prabang.

Day 6: luang prabang-world heritage sites in luang prabang-luang prabang (B)

After breakfast enjoy visit **Wat Visoun**, the site of impressive **Thad Makmo** stupa. The rounded dome is stylistically more Sinhalese than lao. Continue to visit **Wat Mai**. Built in 1796, the five-tiered roof of the wooden sim (chapel) epitomizes the graceful luang prabang architectural style. Visit wat xieng thong

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Day 7: Luang Prabang-local style Mekong riverboat experience-pak ou Buddha caves-Luang Prabang (B)

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Day 8: Luang Prabang-(B)

After breakfast, drive to the Tad Khuang Sii waterfall. The fall cascade over many calcified tiers and down several hundred feet into the series of cool, turquoise pools. The water here has a clear blue-green tint due to the high mineral content. You can climb the stairs and look down from various high viewpoints on the way to the top! Enjoy a picnic lunch and later in the afternoon return to the hotel to relax or explore on your own. Overnight in Luang Prabang.



Day 9: Luang Prabang-textile village-Elephant Camp (B)

After breakfast, drive out of town visit the elephant camp at Ban Noon. En route stop at famous and well known village, Ban Phom Nom almost of those villagers are weavers. They used to be servant and made handicraft souvenirs for the last king of Laos. Another stop at Henrimouhot monument at Kang Noon, a French man. Who founded Angkor Wat in Siem Reap, but he died at Kang Noon when he moved to Laos for his discovery as malaria. Then continue to the camp. Arrival, your guide brief about those 10 elephants about original come from and daily living condition, and take some vegetables for those elephants, return to the town. The rest of the day is free on your own. Overnight in Luang Prabang.

Day 10: Luang Prabang-next destination (B)

After breakfast explore the town on your leisurely until till your flight time for your departure. Check out and transfer to the airport for your next destination.

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Tariff based on USD per person

2start:

B&P hotel in Vientiane: web link: www.vientiane-hotel-link.com/B_P_Hotel

Angkham hotel in Vang Vieng-No web link

New Xienkhuang bungalow in Xieng Khuang-No web link

Rama hotel in Luang Prabang: www.ramahotel.net

3start:

Beau Ravage Mekong hotel or similar in Vientiane, standard: www.hbrm.com

The Elephant Crossing hotel in Vang Vieng: www.theelephantcrossinghotel.com

Vasana hotel in Xieng Khuang: WWW.VASANAHOTEL-GROUP.COM

Lao wooden house or similar in Luang Prabang: www.laowoodenhouse.com

4start:

Novotel hotel in Vientiane: www.novotel.com

Thavonsouk resort in vang vieng: www.thavonsouk.com

Vansana hotel in xieng kuang: www.vansanahotel-group.com

Maison souvannaphoum hotel in luang prabang: www.coloursofangsana.com

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