HERITAGE OF INDIA

15 Nights/16 Days Kolkata-2, Kamarpukar-2, Kolkata-1, Varanasi-4, Allahabad-3, Bodhgaya-2, Kolkata-1

Day 1 Arrive Kolkata



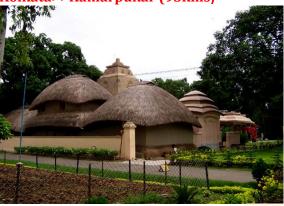
Arrive in Kolkatta by evening /late night international flight. Upon your arrival you will be met and received at the airport & transferred to hotel. Overnight.

Day 2 Kolkata



After breakfast, visit Bellur Math, Ramakrishna Mission, Dakshineshwar Kali Mandir & other ashrams of Ramakrishna Mission. Overnight.

Day 3 Kolkata>>Kamarpukar (93kms)



After breakfast, drive to Kamarpukar –the birthplace of great saint Sri Ramakrishna, This holy place situated in the Hooghly District of West Bengal in India.Sri Ramakrisna took birth on Kamarpukur soil in the year 1836 as the son of a poor Brahmin family.Sri Ramakrishna's original home was situated at this village and later Ramakrishna Math was established at this place. Overnight.

Kamarpukar



Here are many other attractions including the ancestral home of Sri Ramakrishna, Raghubir Temple, Yogi's Siva temple, Haldar-Pukur & Manik Raja's Mango Grove. The temples in this city are really imposing and are places offering secluded worship. Temple of Gopeswar Siva, Dhani Kamarini's Temple and Mukundapur Siva Temple are some among them. Chinu Shankhari's birth-place & Sitanath Pyne's House are also attractive destinations for the tourists. With the construction of guest houses, a library, a dispensary and schools, also with the development of the surroundings, the place has really become one of the beauty-spots in the whole locality.

Day 5 Kamarpukar >>Kolkata



Depart early to reach Kolkata by noon. ${\bf Overnight\ stay}$

Day 6 Kolkata>> Varanasi



After breakfast, drop to the airport.

Arrive Varanasi & check in at the hotel. Later proceed on a half day temple tour of Varanasi visiting Bharat Mata (Mother India) Mandir, Durga, Tulsi Manas, Sankat Mochan Temple and the new Vishwanath Temple. Followed by Ganga Aarti at Dasaswamedh Ghat. Over Night stay at Varanasi.

Day 7 Varanasi



Full day on your own at Varanasi. Overnight stay.

Day 8 Varanasi



Early morning proceed on a boat tour on River Ganges visiting all the bathing ghats followed by walk through the narrow lanes visiting the Golden Temple (old Vishwanath Temple) and Annapurna Devi Temple. In case you wish to perform some rituals/pinda dana for your ancestors you may perform this morning. Return to hotel for breakfast In the afternoon take an excursion to Buddhist town of Sarnath - The hallowed spot where Lord Buddha preached his first sermon after enlightenment. Overnight stay.

Day 9 Varanasi



Full day at leisure on your own. Overnight stay at Varanasi.

Day 10 Varanasi>> Allahabad



After breakfast morning aarti drive to Allahabad via shakti peetham at vindyachal... on arrival check into hotel rest of the day free for your leisure activities & Overnight stay.

Day 11 Allahabad



After Breakfast visit to Triveni sangam, sleeping Hanuman temple, Anand Bhavan, etc. Over night stay at hotel.

Day 12 Allahabad>>Chitrakoot>>Allahabad



After Break drive to Chitrakoot do all local sightseeing & come back to Allahabad & Night stay at Allahabad.

Day 13 Allahabad >> Bodhgaya/Gaya (300kms, 6-7hrs)



After breakfast proceed to Bodh Gaya/Gaya...night halt

Day 14 Bodhgaya/Gaya



Full day sightseeing at Gaya/Bodhgaya

Day 15 Bodhgaya/Gaya >>Kolkata (300kms, 6-7hrs)



Leave for Kolkata to reach by evening....night halt at Kolkata

Day 16 Kolkata Departure



After breakfast, Drop to apt for flight