

Delights of Southeast Asia

Bali Paradise, Bangkok and Chiang Mai adventure with Phuket

Trip Code: TP09DS, TP16DS, TP20DS

€ 7/14/18 Nights

Escorted tour

(III) 10/21/25 Meals

Sightseeing

Air Included

Coach, Flight

small Group



WHY YOU'LL LOVE IT

This 2-in-1 tour immerses you in enchanting Southeast Asia cities and amazing islands, with leisurely sightseeing and free time to enjoy its gorgeous beaches and seas. Explore picturesque rice paddies, lush jungles, and stunning scenery, visit gorgeous temples, join a Balinese family visit and long-neck village visit, tour exotic Ching Mai and Ching Rai, island hopping and snorkeling at Phuket, and relax on the palm-fringed sands of Bali.

- Breathtaking vistas await you at Tanah Lot, a temple located atop a seaside rock
- Visit the astonishing Jatiluwih rice fi elds, named a UNESCO Cultural Landscape
- Option to join a Balinese family for home hospitality and morning tea
- Attend a rollicking performance of a popular Balinese traditional dance-Barong
- Visit Besakih "mother temple of Bali" and Ulun Danu Temple "fl oating temple"
- Enjoy the nature-friendly visit to Ubud Monkey Forest sanctuary and Butterfl y Park
- Relax on the palm-fringed sands of Bali for 2 free days
- See the amazing giant Reclining Buddha at tranquil Wat Po in Bangkok
- Option to visit the interesting floating market and Grand Palace
- Astounded by Ching Rai's intriguing White Temple and Blue Temple
- Ascend to the hilltop viewpoint to see the famous "Golden Triangle" of Southeast Asia
- Discover Wat Phrathat Doi Suthep Temple, the most sacred temple in Northern Thailand
- Island hopping and snorkeling at beach paradise Phuket



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- Day 19: Phuket Bangkok
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Day 1: North America - Bali

Depart for Bali from North America

Day 2: Bali

Upon arrival in Denpasar, the provincial capital of Bali, an exotic island renowned for its pristine beaches, air of spirituality, and rich artistic heritage. you'll be greeted at the Arrival Hall and transferred to the hotel. Additional tourist information will be provided when you check-in. Enjoy the remainder of the day to relax as the mood takes you and have your welcome dinner in the hotel.

Meals: Dinner

Day 3: Ubud

Relax over a hotel breakfast this morning and later, go and see Barong and Kris Dance, the brilliant performance of Balinese dancers, artisans and artists practicing their professions. Then continue to visit the stone carving of Batubulan, the woodcarving of Mas village. Continue to visit the exquisite Balinese Temple of Besakih. Over a thousand years old, Besakih Temple is known as the "Mother Temple of Bali". It has developed over more than a thousand years into a great complex of 22 separate temples, the largest and central being Pura Penataran Agung. Continue to Tampaksiring Holy Spring. The temple compound consists of a petirtaan or bathing structure, famous for its holy spring water, where Balinese Hindus go for ritual purification. This evening, you may join the Optional Sunset Dinner Cruise with cabaret show(USD\$85/person).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 4: Ubud

After breakfast, Visit the breathtaking Jatiluwih rice fields, a UNESCO Cultural Landscape. This amazing site of terraced green fields extends from the mountain's peak to where it meets the sea. This region's rice fields are grown using a technique that has been conserved for centuries and handed down from father

to son. Then make your way to the Ulun Danu Temple Complex in the mountains, which was established by the King of Mengwi and is devoted to the gods of the lakes. After that, go to Taman Ayun to see the impressive royal temple from the Mengwi Empire, which is surrounded by a tranquil pond and gardens. Tanah Lot, a temple located atop a seashore rock sculpted by hundreds of years of ocean tides, offers breathtaking vistas. Meander the lanes of the Tanah Lot, where artisans sell Bali's famous handicrafts.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 5: Ubud - Benoa

Drive to the Monkey Forest Sanctuary, which is home to a large population of long-tailed macaques that are revered in Balinese Hindu tradition. Visit the Peliatan Royal Palace, one of Ubud's oldest palaces. The last king of Ubud lived in this intricately crafted building, which was built in 1769. Spend time exploring the palace and the fascinating surroundings. Visit Bali Butterfly Park, one of the largest butterfly parks in Asia. Participate in the colorful creatures' transformations by interacting with them. Then transfer to Benoa hotel. Balance of the day is at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 6: Benoa

Today you may join the optional tour of full- day Pacung Sangeh Village tour(US\$98/person), an immersive experience into the daily life of the island's residents. In the morning, you will be welcomed into a real family compound in the village and be given a tour. The family temple, the villagers, and the unique celebrations that take place at this magnificent location are all covered during this excursion. When you're lucky, a special ceremony takes place. You will be served a traditional morning tea made out of Balinese pastries, fruits, fresh coconuts, and Bali Kopi by the Balinese women who live in the compound. After morning tea you will experience making

Canang Sari - the daily offerings made each day by the Balinese Hindus. Some ladies make hundreds of these each day. You will create your own exquisite Canana Sari to be used later in the day at your blessing ceremony. Lunch serves traditional Balinese and Indonesian dishes. After lunch, you will visit the only Holy Water site in Bali that has a waterfall and Hidden Canyon. Before entering the Holy Water site you will be dressed in a sarong and a sash. Using the offerings you made earlier today in the village; you receive a traditional blessing at the temple. Hindus in Bali have the belief that this ceremony helps to heal illness and purify the aura and karma of past lives. For those willing to get wet, you can also experience a full cleansing ritual in the Holy Water. This includes visiting the Hidden Canyon and immersing yourself in the waterfall of the Holy Water. Back to the hotel after the tour.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 7: Benoa

Today is at leisure to relax at the pool, indulge in spa treatments or, just treasure your last day in this paradise by the sea.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 8: Benoa

Today is free to enjoy the surrounding and agraeous beaches.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 9: Bali - North America

Transfer to the airport and fly back home. **Meals:** Breakfast

16/20 Days Tour Continue to Thailand

Transfer to the airport and fly to Bangkok, Thailand's capital. Arrival and welcome at Bangkok International Airport. Transfer to hotel and overnight.

Day 10: Bangkok

Take a tour of Banakok's city and temples this morning. Bangkok is an intriguing mix of ancient and modern. Have breakfast and travel to Wat Phu Khao Thona (the Golden Mount Temple). Reach the top and enjoy the spectacular view of Bangkok. The golden stupa houses a Buddha relic and welcomes worshippers all year round. Then visit the tranquil Wat Po, the city's largest and oldest temple, home to the amazing colossal Reclining Buddha, which is almost 150 feet long and about 40 feet high. Make a stop at Temple of dawn and visit the great and colorfully Stupa, decorated spires and stands majestically over the water. In the evening, you may enjoy The River of King Dinner Cruise (US\$65/person) over the beautiful Chao Phraya River in Bangkok. Experience a fine dinner including a wide selection of dishes ranging from Thai and international foods served in a buffet fashion. See some of Thailand's most famous attractions, such as the Temple of Dawn. The Grand Palace. Temple of the Emerald Buddha, and Rama VIII Bridge on this 2-hour cruise. While being entertained with a live band. (1800 - 2200)

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 11: Bangkok

Today is yours to explore Bangkok independently. Or, take the optional full day tour with lunch visiting floating market, grand palace, and emerald buddha(US\$85/person). This morning, travel to Damnoen Saduak floatina market. Enjoy a lona-tail boat riding to navigate through the canals surrounded by areenery. Vendors on rowing boats will be offering local snacks, tropical fruits, and tasty dishes. It is great for photo opportunities. Lunch at local restaurant. Then, we travel to the Grand Palace and the temple of the Emerald Buddha. Together, they provide Bangkok's most stunning sights for tourists. The Grand Palace is regarded as the most sacred site and spiritual heart of the Thai Kingdom. It is a complex of buildings featuring the fusion of traditional Thai architecture and the 19- th century European style. The temple of the Emerald Buddha consists of over 100 brightly colored buildings, golden spires and glittering mosaics, dating back to 1782, when Bangkok was founded. The Emerald Buddha in the temple is the main attraction. The revered figurine is made from a solid one piece of green jade. Return to the hotel and overnight.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 12: Bangkok – Chiang Rai

This morning fly to scenic Chiang Rai, the northernmost province of Thailand. Have lunch at a local authentic Northern Style restaurant in Chiana Rai and then visit two temples which are the famous landmarks of the province. The White Temple (Wat Rong Khun) is one of the top 10 most beautiful temples in the world. This temple was built and designed by Chalermchai Kositpipat, a famous Thai artist with unique skills of creations of Thai visual and Buddhist contemporary arts. The temple decorated with astonishing paintings including images of movie superheroes. The Blue Temple (Wat Rong Suea Ten) stands out with its sapphire blue color with inlays of gold. The Blue Temple's highlights include the sculptures of mythical serpents and the astonishing temple hall. At dinner, savour the traditional Thai cuisine.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 13: Chiang Rai

After breakfast, visit the dramatic House of Opium at Golden Triangle Park, offering an informative exhibition on the history of opium which dates back almost 5000 years. Ascend to the hilltop viewpoint to see the famous "Golden Triangle" of Southeast Asia - the meeting point of the borders of Thailand, Myanmar, and Laos. The locals call it "Sop Ruak", as this is also where the Mekona meets the Ruak River. Enjoy a lunch produced locally this afternoon before boarding a cruise down the Mekong River's banks between Myanmar, Laos, and Thailand, where you can observe local farmers and fisherman at work and discover more about how the river was involved in the opium trade. Then you may join the optional excursion to visit the renowned village of Long-Necked Karen Tribe(US\$40/person). Mae Salong, still inhabited by hill people, namely the Akha, Long Neck and Salong tribes. Feel their way of life and enjoy souvenirs from community kiosks full of carved wood and silver work. Neck rings made from brass weighing 4 kg are available for you to try and take photos.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 14: Chiang Rai - Chiang Mai

Breakfast at hotel and travel to China Mai, ancient capital of the Lanna Kingdom .This morning, visit the most sacred temple in the North of Thailand: Wat Phrathat Doi Suthep is the most sacred temple in Chiang Mai and contains a holy relic of the Lord Buddha. The view of Chiang Mai City from the mountain temple is phenomenal. In the evening, you may join an optional Khantoke Dinner (US\$45/person) a Traditional Khantoke Dinner is a unique and culturally rich dining experience that originates from the northern regions of Thailand, particularly among the Lanna people.

It is characterized by a communal meal served on low wooden tables called "khantokes," which are surrounded by floor seating mats, allowing diners to sit comfortably on the floor. Then head back to the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 15: Chiang Mai

After breakfast at the hotel, full day of leisure. You may join our <u>Elephant</u> Sanctuary optional tour(US\$68/person) or Traditional Thai Massage(\$30/person). A half-day package to Elephant Sanctuary off ers visitors an enjoyable opportunity to spend quality time with elephants in their natural home, as well as gain an insight into their history and behavior, and create cherished lifelong memories of their time spent with these amazing animals with friendly, happy elephants in a safe and sustainable environment. A trip to Thailand is not complete without experiencing a traditional Thai Massage! Unlike other types of massages, in Thailand your masseuse will stretch, bend, and contort your body into various positions, known to quickly ease the stress of muscle tension and aids in curing minor illnesses. Return to the hotel and overnight. Meals: Breakfast

Day 16: Chiang Mai -North America

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and fly back to your sweet home via Bangkok.

Meals: Breakfast

20 Days Tour: Continue to Phuket

Day 17: Phuket

Today is yours to just relax, rejuvenate and enjoy the beautiful surroundings. There is plenty to do and much to see in Phuket, including the Aquar-ium, Butterfly and Orchid Gardens and the Thai Village. Or, travel by speedboat on the optional full day excursion to the magnificent Phi Phi & Bamboo Islands by Speedboat with lunch (USD\$98/person). Travel to Bamboo Island by speedboat to relax on the private beach with its sparkling white sand. Lunch is served at a nearby restaurant before aoina to the spectacular Phi Phi Islands. which rise from the sea and have high cliffs and brilliant blue waters. Meet the amiable monkevs who reside here as vou visit Monkey Beach, After, view Vikina Cave, a limestone cave well-known as a nesting site for swifts. Discover the breathtaking scenery of Pileh Cove and Loh Samah Bay, two fantastic locations for swimming and snorkelling. Continue to Maya Bay, which served as the location for several of the "The Beach" movie's scenes. Spend the rest of the day swimming, sunbathing, or just relaxing at the beach before transferring back to the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 18: Phuket

Full day at leisure to explore Phuket independently. Spend time in Patong, the island's center where there is always a "happening" on its busy beach. Watch the trendsetters coming in droves to restaurants, boutiques and luxurious spas. Or, join the optional excursion Phang Nga Bay - James Bond Island Tour with Lunch(USD\$89/person). Explore the tropical beauty of Thailand on this 1-day tour! You will be visiting Thailand's famous islands like James Bond Island, Khai Island and Hong Island and be welcomed by the pristine nature on the islands and in the sea like limestones, coral reefs, caves and lagoons. On top of that you will be spending time enjoying the tropical sun on sandy beaches and snorkeling in the sea to discover the rich sea life. Then, stroll around Muslim fisherman village, catch a glimpse at local fishermen and learn about their ways of life. It's highly enjoyable for beach lovers.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 19: Phuket - Bangkok

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Banakok. Upon arrival, transfer to hotel, enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 20: Bangkok - North America

Transfer to the airport for your return flight.

Meals: Breakfast

Package Includes

· Round trip flights Vancouver-Bali, Bangkok-Vancouver.

Extra \$600 for Toronro departure

- · Airline taxes & fuel surcharges
- Intra-flight Bali-Bangkok/ Bangkok-Chiang Rai/ Chiang Mai-Phuket/ Phuket-Bangkok
- 4-5 Star accommodations
- All transfers
- · Meals as indicated in the program
- · Sightseeing per itinerary in a modern airconditioned motor coach

Package Does Not Include

- Visa fees
- Prepaid Tipping:
- 9 Days USD \$80 per person

16 Days USD \$150 per person

20 Days USD \$170 per person

(includes basic tips for tour guide, tour director, driver, etc.)

- Personal expenditure
- · Insurance of any kind.

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Optional Tours

| Sunset Dinner Cruise with cabaret show | US \$85/p |
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| Full-day Pacung Sangeh Village tour | US \$98/p |
| The River of King Dinner Cruise | US\$65/p |
| Floating market & Grand Palace Full Day Tour | US\$85/p |
| Khantoke Dinner | US\$45/p |
| Village of Long-Necked Karen Tribe visit | US\$40/p |
| Excursion to the Elephant Sanctuary | US\$68/p |
| Traditional Thai Massage | US\$30/p |
| Excursion to Phiphi Island with lunch | US\$98/p |
| Excursion to James Bond Island with lunch | US\$89/p |
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2024 Departures

| 18-Sep | 09-Oct | 23-Oct | 04-Nov | 06-Nov | 18-Nov | 27-Nov |
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2025 Departures

| 08-Jan | 05-Feb | 19-Feb | 26-Feb | 12-Mar | 26-Mar | 09-Apr |
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Price Notes

- Prices are per person based on twin share accommodation.
- Single room supplement fee: 9 Days: \$999, 16 Days: \$1,399, 20 Days: \$1,599
- Add on airfare from other cities: Toronto \$600, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec City from \$600, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Regina, Winnipeg from \$500, St. John, Halifax, from \$600
- Tour prices are subject to change without prior notice.
- · Leading price is based on specific departure dates, please check with our website: https://tripoppo.com for the updated information.