



CHIANG MAI- CHIANG RAI

Day: 1

Location: DOI SUTHEP TEMPLE-HANDICRAFT VILLAGE

Description: Pick up and transfer from Chiang Mai International Airport, proceed to Visit Doi Suthep - Pui National Park to the mountain with curvy road to see Doi Suthep Temple , the most important temple in Chiang Mai. Exercising time by walking up 306 steps to the temples or taking the funicular to the temple with the attitude at 1,100 ms above the sea level. Come back to the city to see Suan Dork Royal Temple where the northern royal family tombs are located and the standing Buddha Image , the only one in holding the blessing stick position in Chiang Mai. Visit Wat Chedi Luang or The Grand Pagoda Temple where you can see the biggest pagoda in Chiang Mai which broke down by the earthquake in 1454, but still can see the giantic pagoda stands gracefully in the middle of the temple ground. Before the returning back to the hotel see Wat Chiang Maan , the first temple as the royal resident of King Mengrai of Mengrai dynasty. See 2 precious Buddha images "Phra Satangkamanee " and "Phra Buddha Sila" which are important for Chiang Mai people. After the temple , continue to a small village called "San Khampang" where local people earn their income from farming and making many local products to support their family needs. There are many different products in this area. They are famous for Silk Weaving , Silver Making , Lacqueware product , Wood Carving , Sa and Umbrella Making , Cotton Weaving , Jade and Jewelry products and more. Witness how they produce their things and enjoy shopping the good quality products as a souvenir home or for your special occasion before the returning back to the hotel. Relaxing with Thai Massage for an hour from the local people , feel relax and enjoy resting your muscle in Thai way. Overnight stay in Chiang Mai.

Day: 2

Location: CHIANG DAO CAVE--PHA PLONG TEMPLE

Description: Pick up from the hotel lobby in Chiang Mai at 7:00am in the morning , heading to the north of Chiang Mai to Thai Elephant Home to meet the elephant and learn different skills to be the mahout to control your elephant . After that , enjoy the elephant bare back riding into the jungle area in the camp. Enjoy nice and cool water bathing with your elephant in the river. Then having lunch before heading about an hour in the area called " Chiang Dao". 70 kilometers away from Chiang Mai City where you can find the peaceful and nature come together. Stop will be made at Pha Plong temple, the peaceful temple in Chiang Dao valley. Situated on the hillside and can be reached by walking up the stairs flanked with the Naga with 509 steps. Then visit Chiang Dao Cave where once it used to be the resting place for the Burmese soldiers troop before attacked Chiang Mai in mid of 1400s. Inside the cave , enjoy using your imagination to guest the shape of the stalacmite and stalactite in different shapes and forms From the cave , having lunch in the local restaurant in front of the cave. Then bathing in the mineral hot spring of Chiang Dao in the private pool before continue the road deep inside the area of Chiang Dao to the Tree House which hidden among the forest and spend overnight in the Tree House Chiang Mai.

Day: 3

Location: THATON TEMPLE-LONG NECK VILLAGE AT BAAN YA PA

Description: Check out and leaving the hotel to Thaton Area, visit Thaton temple up the mountain with the nice view of Kok River from Myanmar with 78 kms through Thailand from Thaton to Chiang

Rai. Lunch in the local restaurant and heading to Baan Ya-Pa, visit the long neck hilltribe and see the incredible length of the neck which carry almost 25-26 rings on their shoulders. Then heading to DoiTung Royal Villa of the Princess Mother where she spent her time to improve the hilltribe life to stop the opium cultivation. See the lovely log cabin palace with the beautiful flower garden. Then visit Mae Sai , the border between Thailand and Myanmar. Overnight stay in Chiang Rai

Day: 4

Location: BOAT ON MAE KHONG TO LAOS-BLACK MUSEUM

Description: Wake up in the morning and having breakfast , then explore the Golden Triangle , the famous opium trading area in the old days. Enjoy the boat ride on Mae Khong Giantic River and visit Laos. Then leaving the golden triangle to Chiang Rai Area, visit Black Museum of Mr. Tawan Datchanee one of the famous artist in Thailand with the idea of Yin and Yang, the balancing. See the huge collections of the artist and enjoy taking photos. Lunch in the local restaurant and visit White temple, the unique temple in Thailand showing his purity heart . See the contemporary art on the temple wall. Then heading to the hot spring before arriving in Chiang Mai and overnight in Chiang Mai.

Day: 5

Location: GOOD BYE CHIANG MAI

Description: After breakfast, you are free on your own till afternoon to explore the local areas and shopping. After that proceed to the airport . Arrive in Cochin with wonderful memories of Chiang Mai.