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### "Golden Triangle: Heritage, Wilderness & Romance"

Step aboard a journey where grandeur, history, and adventure come alive in India's most iconic cultural circuit — the **Golden Triangle**. From the timeless romance of the **Taj Mahal** to the royal traditions of **Jaipur**, and the thrilling wilds of **Ranthambore**, this luxury itinerary is meticulously crafted for the refined traveler seeking an unforgettable experience. Walk the paths once tread by emperors, dine like royalty at a palace, and venture into the heart of the jungle in search of the elusive **Royal Bengal Tiger**. This is not just a tour — it's a celebration of India's soul-stirring past and vibrant present, designed for those who seek elegance in every detail.

- **Delhi** Arrival in India's capital; immerse in contrasts of old-world charm and contemporary elegance.
- Agra Marvel at the Mughal architectural wonders, culminating in the awe-inspiring Taj Mahal.
- Ranthambore Venture into the wild with thrilling safari experiences amidst dramatic landscapes.
- Jaipur Revel in Rajasthan's regal splendor, bustling bazaars, and architectural grandeur.
- Delhi Return to the capital for your onward journey or extend your stay with curated add-ons.



## MAHARAJAS' EXPRESS-THE TREASURES OF INDIA (3 Nights / 4 Days)

#### Day 1 - Delhi to Agra - Sunday

# Luxury Train Journey Through the Golden Triangle and Tiger Reserves: Embark on a Royal Adventure with the Maharajas' Express

Enter a realm of regal splendor as you begin your luxury train journey through India's Golden Triangle and famed tiger territories aboard the opulent Maharajas' Express.

Guests are invited to assemble at Delhi's Safdarjung Railway Station by 06:15 hours to complete checkin formalities. At precisely 07:30 hours, the Maharajas' Express sets off for Agra, ushering in a voyage through some of India's most treasured cultural landmarks and wildlife sanctuaries.

Savor a sumptuous breakfast and gourmet lunch on board as the train glides toward the historic 'City of Mughal Splendour'. En route, guests are welcomed to a tour briefing where expert facilitators will share insights into the days ahead, setting the stage for an unforgettable experience.

In Agra, stand in awe of the Taj Mahal—a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. Commissioned by Emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his beloved queen Mumtaz Mahal, this ivory-white marble marvel embodies the zenith of Mughal architecture with its intricate carvings, elegant minarets, and timeless beauty.

After your visit, return to the comfort and grandeur of the Maharajas' Express. For those seeking something extra, optional curated experiences are available through your dedicated Guest Relations Executive.

This is merely the opening chapter of a royal journey that promises opulent palaces, thrilling wildlife safaris, and the enduring legacy of India's golden past—all delivered with unmatched luxury and elegance.

- · Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner on board.
- Overnight on the Maharajas' Express.



#### Day 2 – Agra and Ranthambore – Monday

#### Agra to Ranthambore: A Regal Sojourn of Forts and Forests Aboard the Maharajas' Express

Begin your morning with an immersive tour of the storied Agra Fort—an enduring emblem of Mughal grandeur and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. As you step into its expansive courtyards and stately chambers, discover centuries of history brought to life through intricate architecture and rich cultural legacy.

Afterward, retreat to the plush comforts of the Maharajas' Express for a relaxed breakfast as the train heads toward the rugged wilderness of Ranthambore. Watch the landscape transform from regal cities to untamed terrain while enjoying a gourmet lunch onboard, crafted to enrich your luxurious rail experience.

Arriving in Ranthambore, prepare for an adventurous game drive through the celebrated Ranthambore National Park. Once the exclusive hunting preserve of Jaipur's royalty, this sanctuary—designated a national park in 1973—is now famed for its thriving population of Bengal tigers and diverse fauna, including chital, sambar, nilgai, wild boar, sloth bears, and elusive leopards.

Your safari unfolds in open-air vehicles, offering panoramic views and up-close encounters with nature's finest. Remember to bring warm clothing, especially during winter, as the drive can be breezy and dusty—but undeniably exhilarating.

Following your wild expedition, return to the elegant embrace of the Maharajas' Express. As night falls, enjoy a sophisticated dinner onboard while the train glides toward its next royal destination—the timeless and colorful city of Jaipur.

- Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner on board.
- Overnight on the Maharajas' Express.



#### Day 3 - Jaipur - Tuesday

#### Travel Like Royalty Aboard the Maharajas' Express: Discover Jaipur's Regal Charm

Begin your day with a sumptuous breakfast onboard the Maharajas' Express as you prepare for an unforgettable exploration of Jaipur—the famed Pink City and a living testament to India's royal past. Upon arrival, receive a traditional ceremonial welcome, a fitting prelude to a day steeped in heritage and splendor.

Your journey in Jaipur begins with a visit to the majestic Amber Fort, gracefully perched in the Aravalli Hills. A stunning example of Rajput and Mughal architectural fusion, the fort—begun by Raja Man Singh I in 1592 and expanded by Mirja Raja Jai Singh—boasts an awe-inspiring façade of red sandstone and white marble. Within its walls, you'll find a mesmerizing world of intricate carvings, mirrored halls, and royal courtyards. Ascend the fort via a short jeep ride and explore its grand chambers, including the ethereal Sheesh Mahal (Mirror Palace) and the Hall of Victory, each echoing with stories of a regal past and offering sweeping views of the rugged landscape below.

After soaking in the fort's grandeur, return to the Maharajas' Express for a delightful lunch and a chance to unwind. Guests may also opt for exclusive, tailor-made experiences curated to enhance their Jaipur visit—assistance is readily available through the Guest Relations Executive.

As twilight sets in, prepare for an enchanting royal dinner at the iconic Rambagh Palace Hotel. Once the residence of the Maharaja of Jaipur, this magnificent palace—built in 1835—now stands as a luxury heritage hotel, adorned with intricately carved marble details, graceful archways, and tranquil gardens that whisper tales of royal opulence.

By 21:00 hours, reboard the Maharajas' Express as it begins its elegant return to Delhi, bringing yet another chapter of your regal journey to a close with unmatched style and sophistication.

- Breakfast and Lunch on board. Dinner at Rambagh Palace Hotel.
- · Overnight on the Maharajas' Express.

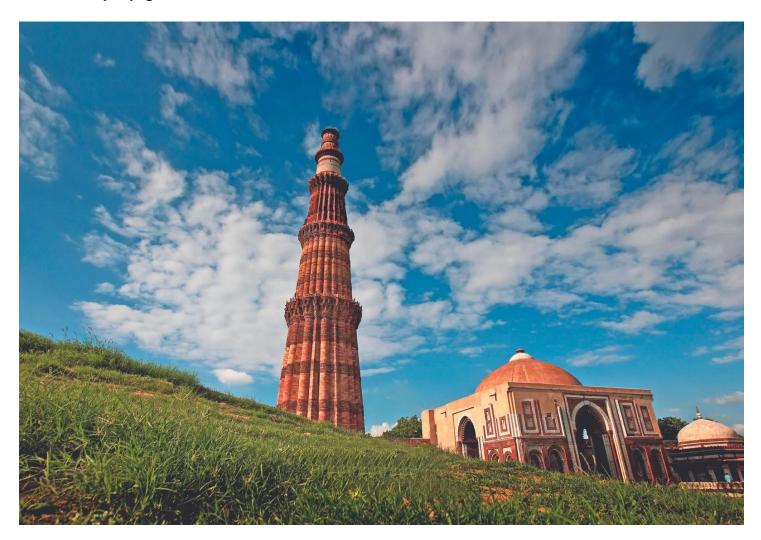


#### Day 4 - Delhi - Wednesday

#### Final Moments of Majesty: A Grand Farewell Aboard the Maharajas' Express

Relish a leisurely breakfast as the Maharajas' Express glides into Delhi, bringing your royal journey through India's timeless wonders to a graceful conclusion.

Around 09:30 hours, disembark at Delhi's Safdarjung Railway Station, enriched with unforgettable memories of opulence, cultural splendor, and the regal charm that defined every moment of this extraordinary voyage.



#### Note:

- All 'Optionals' / 'Optional Tours' are on chargeable basis and are subject to availability. Details and pricing will be made available on board during the journey.
- The itineraries and timings are subject to change, due to factors beyond our control such as 'force majeure' events, strikes, fairs, festivals, sport events, weather conditions, disruptions/diversions of rail services, re-routing of railway, closure of / restricted entry at a place of sightseeing, non-availability of venues etc.
- The tour will generally be organised as per details given above. However, you may please check any changes in the program/timings provided in the travel document during check in formalities and/or check with Train General Manager during the tour for any last minute changes/updates.



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