12D 11N Chennai Temple-Tour With Kerala

Day 01: Arrival Chennai

On arrival at Chennai, airport/railway station meet our Fly Global Travels representative, board the cab & drive to hotel. On arrival, check-in at hotel. Overnight stay at Chennai.

Day 02 : Chennai - Vellore - Tirupati

Depart for Tirupati after breakfast, en-route via Vellore. The tour show pieces for this day are a visit to Vellore and the immensely popular Golden Temple at Vellore. Post lunch, proceed to Tirupati. Situated in the Chittoor district surrounded by Tirumala mountain ranges, Tirupati is one of the most famous shrines in the country. Even today, Tirupati draws enormous crowds throughout the year. Overnight stay at Tirupati.

Day 03: Tirupati - Bangalore - Mysore

Morning after breakfast at hotel, proceed to Bangalore. On reaching, proceed for half day city tour of Bangalore, the capital of Karnataka. Bangalore today is Asia's fastest growing cosmopolitan city. Visit Vidhana Soudha, Venkatappa Art Gallery, Vishweshwaraiah Technological Museum, Cubbon Park, Lalbagh Gardens, Tipu's Palace, Iskon Temple, Bull Temple & Forum biggest shopping mall in India. Later transfer to Mysore. Overnight stay at Mysore.

Day 04: Mysore - Ooty

Mysore is a vibrant city teeming with tourists and visitors. Visit Channapatna Toys Centre, Srirangapatna, Ranganathaswamy Temple, Daria Daulat Bagh, The Gumbaz, Tippu's Palace & Fort. Also, visit the Brindavan Gardens and Krishnarajasagar Dam. Later drive to Ooty. Overnight at Ooty.

Day 05 : Ooty - Cochin

Ooty is the most popular hill station in the South. After breakfast proceed for a sight-seeing tour in and around Ooty covering the Ooty lake, Botanical Garden, Dodda Betta, film shooting locations. Later drive to Cochin. On arrival at fort Cochin, proceed for a local tour which covers Dutch Palace, Jewish Synagogue, St. Francis Church, chinese fishing nets. Visit the Cochin beach in the evening. Later return back to hotel for an overnight stay at Cochin.

Day 06: Cochin - Alleppey

Morning after breakfast, transfer to deluxe houseboat to enjoy the 22 hours of backwater cruise from Kumarakom to Alleppey. This journey is considered to be one of the best attractions. The houseboat is fully furnished with single and double bedrooms, sundeck, private balcony and a kitchen. It also comprises a chef, oarsmen & cabin assistant. The materials that go into the making are all local and eco-friendly bamboo poles, coconut fiber ropes, bamboo mats, coir carpets etc. Overnight stay in the Houseboat.

Day 07: Alleppey - Kovalam

Morning have breakfast at houseboat, check out and drive to Kovalam. Kovalam is one of the world's famous tourist destinations for Beach lovers. On arrival you will be transferred to beach resort. The white sands of Kovalam beach are the best in Kerala.

Later move out for a local tour of Kovalam. Visit the museum complex, Padmanabha swamy temple, science & technology museum, Veli tourist village, Aakulam boat club, Shangmugham Beach. Indulge in sun bath, handicraft shopping or ayurveda etc. Overnight stay at the resort in Kovalam.

Day 08 : Kovalam - Kanyakumari - Madurai

Morning have breakfast, at the resort drive to Kanyakumari. Visit the Padmanbhapuram Palace, Suchithram Temple, Devi Kanyakumari Temple, Vivekananda Memorial, and Triveni Sangamam. Move to Madurai thereon. Places of tourist interest include the imposing Meenakshi Temple, Thirumalai Nayakar Mahal, Gandhi Museum, Azhagar Koil and the Vandiyur Mariamman Teppakulam. Overnight at Madurai.

Day 09: Madurai - Trichy - Tanjore

Morning have breakfast head to Trichy. Trichy was the citadel of the Chola dynasty in the medieval period. See the Lord Robert Clive's house, Srirangam temple, Rock-Fort temple, Ganapati temple on hilltop and Shiva temple. Complete the temple darshan & move to Tanjore. Cover the half day city tour of Tanjore; covering the tourist places like Brahadeeswara temple (the second largest monolithic sculpture Nandi), the Royal palace complex - which houses library and museums.

Overnight at Tanjore.

Day 10: Tanjore - Pondicherry

Morning have breakfast, move on to Pondicherry. Pondicherry was once the French settlement, which is now home to the Aurobindo Ashram and Auroville. Also go to the beach where you can relax perfectly for the whole of the evening. Pondicherry is undoubtedly the seat of Yoga. Overnight stay at Pondicherry.

Day 11: Pondicherry - Mahabalipuram - Chennai

Drive to Mahabalipuram, the only shore temple surviving in India. The place is famous for its monolith temples that made it a World Heritage Site; have an afternoon tour of these temples at Mahabalipuram. After admiring the prevalent and astonishing rock cut art, proceed to Chennai.

Arrive in Chennai, the capital city of Tamilnadu and the gateway of South India. On reaching Chennai, the day is free to relax and indulge in some local shopping. Overnight stay at Chennai.

Day 12: Chennai Departure

Morning have breakfast at hotel, later transfer to airport/railway station to board your flight/train to onward destination from Chennai.

Trip To	South India Temple Tour
Duration	12Day 11Nights
No. of People	2 Adults
No. of Rooms	1 room on twin sharing basis
Hotel Category	3* Star property
Destinations	Hotels Provided
Chennai	Vijay Park
Tirupati	Fortune Kences
Mysore	Pai Vista
Ooty	Deccan Sparsa
Cochin	The Metropolitan
Alleppey	Deluxe Houseboat AC
Kovalam	Treasure Cove
Madurai	GRT Residency
Tanjore	Gnanam
Pondicherry	Atithi Hotel
Transportation	Innova Ac [Private]
Validity of Quote	Till
Tour Travel Period	2013

Package Inclusions

- Accommodation on twin sharing basis
- All transfers and sight seeing
- 2 Nights accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Chennai
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Tirupati
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Mysore
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Ooty
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Cochin
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast + lunch + dinner in Houseboat
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Kovalam
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Madurai
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Tanjore
- 1 Night accommodation with breakfast at hotel in Pondicherry
- Transportation by Innova Ac
- All toll, taxes, parking, driver fee & fuel cost

Package Exclusions

- Meals not mentioned in the itinerary
- Tirupati Darshan Tickets
- Air/Train tickets, insurance & entry fee for monuments
- Porter-age at hotels and airports, shopping & guide charges
- Tips, beverages, mineral water, laundry, personal expenses, etc
- Any items not shown in package includes