

Golden Triangle & Spiritual Varanasi (Flight Special)

📅 5 Nights / 6 Days

Overview

Dive into a soul-stirring 6-day journey that seamlessly blends the architectural grandeur of India's famed Golden Triangle (Delhi, Agra, Jaipur) with the spiritual allure of Varanasi, one of the oldest living cities on Earth. This fast-paced yet luxurious itinerary has been specially designed for travelers who value depth of experience but are also conscious of time.

Explore the imperial glory of Delhi, from the ancient lanes of Old Delhi to the colonial elegance of New Delhi. Marvel at the eternal beauty of the Taj Mahal, a monument that transcends time, and feel the echo of history in the palaces of Jaipur, where royalty once reigned. Then, take a direct flight to the sacred city of Varanasi, where spiritual rituals, riverside ghats, and timeless traditions paint an unforgettable picture of India's metaphysical heart.

With premium hotel stays, a convenient domestic flight, and well-curated guided tours, this itinerary promises not just sightseeing, but a deep emotional and cultural immersion. Whether it's the awe of standing before the Taj Mahal, the mesmerizing rhythms of the Ganga Aarti, or the mystical sunrise on the Ganges — this journey will stay with you forever.

Highlights

- 🏰 Explore the heritage wonders of Delhi, Jaipur, and Agra
- 🏰 Visit the majestic Amber Fort and Jaipur's royal palaces
- 🏰 Witness the mesmerizing beauty of the Taj Mahal up close
- ✈️ Save time with a flight from Jaipur/Delhi to Varanasi
- 🛶 Take a serene sunrise boat ride along the Ganges in Varanasi

- ☐ Attend the sacred and awe-inspiring Ganga Aarti ceremony
- ☐ Discover Sarnath – the birthplace of Buddhism’s first sermon
- ☐ Stay in handpicked luxury accommodations with guided comfort
- ☐ Seamless travel experience with all transfers and entries included

Detailed Itinerary

Day 1 - Welcome to Delhi - Gateway to India's Soul

Your arrival in Delhi, India's dynamic and diverse capital, marks the start of your journey into the heart of the subcontinent. After a warm reception by our team, you'll be transferred to your hotel to relax and refresh. Depending on your arrival time, you may choose to step out and absorb the early pulse of Delhi—be it a stroll around the colonial Connaught Place, a quick snack at a famed street food joint, or watching locals perform evening rituals at a neighborhood temple.

☐ Overnight Stay in Delhi

Day 2 - Timeless Tapestry - Discovering Old & New Delhi

Today, experience the striking contrast of Delhi’s historic and modern identities. Start your day with a guided tour of Old Delhi, beginning at Jama Masjid, India’s largest mosque, followed by a thrilling rickshaw ride through the winding alleys of Chandni Chowk—a marketplace that's as chaotic as it is charming. Witness the soul of the city at Raj Ghat, where Mahatma Gandhi was cremated.

Shift gears as you transition into New Delhi, filled with wide avenues and grand buildings. Drive past India Gate, the Parliament House, and the stately Rashtrapati Bhavan (President’s Residence). Explore the Qutub Minar, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and the serene Humayun’s Tomb, a precursor to the Taj Mahal’s architectural brilliance.

☐ **Overnight Stay in Delhi**

Day 3 - Monuments of Love - Agra’s Mughal Majesty

Embark on a day excursion to Agra, a city that cradles one of the most enduring symbols of love in the world. Your first stop is the Taj Mahal, where time stands still. Gaze upon its exquisite marble craftsmanship and hear the poignant story of Shah Jahan and Mumtaz Mahal, an eternal love that inspired this masterpiece.

Continue to the Agra Fort, a

colossal structure of red sandstone that once served as the imperial residence of the Mughal dynasty. Walk through its palaces and courtyards, absorbing the opulence of a bygone era. Before heading back to Delhi, stop at Mehtab Bagh across the Yamuna River for a breathtaking view of the Taj at sunset—an image that will be etched in your heart.
□□ Overnight Stay in Delhi

Day 4 - Palace Dreams & Pink Walls - The Royal Charm of Jaipur

After breakfast, drive to Jaipur, the flamboyant Pink City of Rajasthan. Upon arrival, visit the Amber Fort, perched high on a hill, offering panoramic views and stories of valor. Inside, explore the Sheesh Mahal (Mirror Palace), Ganesh Pol, and more—each section whispering tales of regal extravagance. In the afternoon, visit the City Palace, still a residence of Jaipur’s royal family, blending Mughal and Rajasthani architecture with astonishing elegance. Right next door is Jantar Mantar, an astronomical observatory centuries ahead of its time. Conclude the day at the Hawa Mahal, a facade of honeycombed windows once used by royal women to observe street processions unseen. Jaipur’s local markets are perfect for picking up colorful textiles, jewelry, or block-printed souvenirs.
□□ Overnight Stay in Jaipur

Day 5 - Wings to the Divine - Flying to Varanasi

Today, you'll board a flight from Jaipur (or Delhi) to Varanasi, one of the world's most ancient and spiritual cities. Upon arrival, journey to Sarnath, the sacred site where Lord Buddha delivered his first sermon. Walk among the ruins, the towering Dhamek Stupa, and the serene Mulagandha Kuti Vihar Temple. In the evening, prepare for a transformative experience: the Ganga Aarti ceremony at Dashashwamedh Ghat. As dusk falls, priests with flaming torches, rhythmic chants, and sacred music create a mesmerizing atmosphere. The spiritual vibrations, flickering lamps, and flowing river combine to offer a rare moment of transcendence.

Day 6 - The Dawn of Devotion - Varanasi at Sunrise

Rise before dawn for a boat ride on the Ganges, witnessing one of the most spiritual moments you can experience in India. As the sun peaks over the horizon, the ghats come alive with rituals, bathing pilgrims, and the sound of prayers echoing across the river. After

the boat ride, explore key sites like the revered Kashi Vishwanath Temple, Durga Kund, and Tulsi Manas Temple, each rich in history and religious symbolism. Walk through narrow alleyways lined with temples, flower vendors, and spiritual seekers. Later, transfer to the airport for your onward journey, carrying with you a heart full of memories and the spirit of India's sacred soul.

Accommodation Used