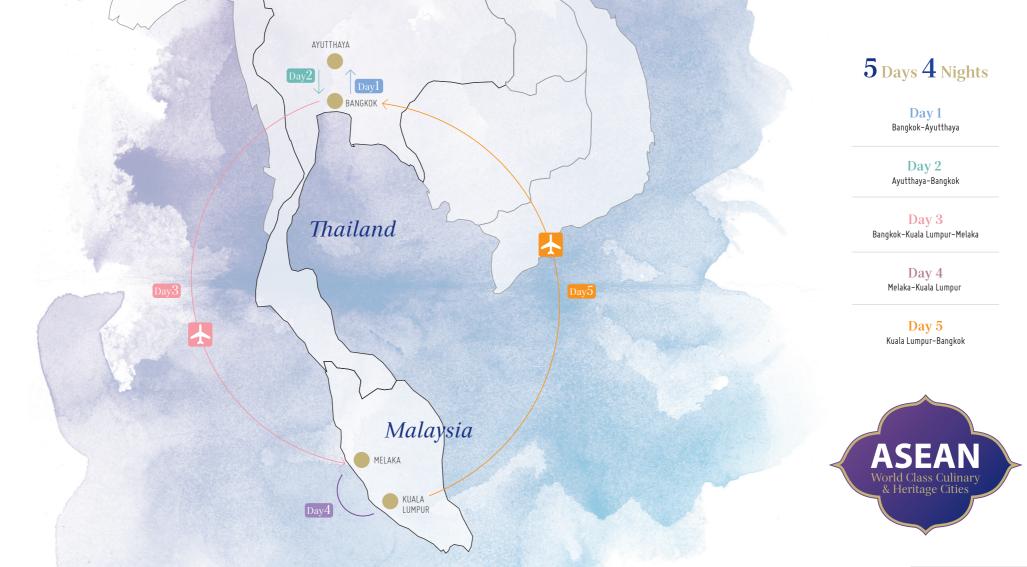




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Day1 BANGKOK-AYUTTHAYA

Bangkok

OR TOR KOR



Ranked among the five best fresh markets in the world and located next to world-famous Chatuchak Weekend Market, here you will find the best of Thailand's fruit, vegetables, seafood and meat, as well as incredible array of prepared dishes. Open 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Ayutthaya

1 WAT YAI CHAIMONGKOL

Officially known as Wat Phra Chao Phya-thai, or Temple of the Supreme Patriarch, it was built in 1357 southeast of the city's historical island by King U-thong to serve as a monastery for monks of the Pa Kaeo Sect returning from Ceylon (Sri Lanka). Open 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

2 ROTI ROAD

This stretch of Uthong Road at the south end of the island is lined with stalls selling Roti Sai Mai, a cotton candy-like sweet of sugar palm threads wrapped in a roti which dates back to the ancient Muslim community that resided here. Open day and night



JAPANESE VILLAGE

Known in Thai as Ban Yipun, the compound was part of the Japanese settlement established in the 16th century when the Japanese government allowed their citizens to trade overseas. After visiting the museum, take a stroll through the very pretty and peaceful traditional Japanese garden. Open 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. http://www.thai-japanasso.or.th

BAN MALI KANOM THAI

At this OTOP community enterprise under the helm of Pa (Aunt) Mali, they produce and sell a wonderfully delicious selection of traditional Thai sweets, like the golden Thong Yip and Thong Yod, two of the most popular of nine auspicious desserts. Open 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

RIVER BOAT TOURS

4 Wat Na Phra Men

A river boat trip along the Chao Phraya, Lopburi and Pasak rivers that form Ayutthaya's historical island offers a beautiful perspective of the ornate, ancient temples, traditional wooden homes on stilts and local culture which hasn't changed for centuries.



AYUTTHAYA







Ayutthaya

6 AYUTTHAYA HISTORICAL PARK

Today a UNESCO World Heritage Site, Ayutthaya was the capital of the Thai kingdom of Siam from 1351 until 1767. With the ruins of more than 67 ancient temples and palaces, visitors can easily imagine the grandeur of this once admired Venice of the East. Open 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

7 CHAO SAM PHRAYA NATIONAL MUSEUM

Named after a king who reigned in the 15th century, the museum's collection of invaluable artifacts, including Buddha images, votive tablets and gold ornaments, reflects the distinct styles and designs developed during the renaissance of this great Siamese empire. Open 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Bangkok

8 KING POWER MAHANAKHON

Take a 50-second lift up to the 74th floor Observation Deck of Thailand's tallest building offering 360^O panoramic views of Krung Thep, the City of Angels. Higher up, on the 78th upper deck, walk above Silom and Sathorn on the glass tray floor; then enjoy a sunset toast at The Peak, Bangkok's highest viewpoint. Open: 10 a.m. - midnight (Last admission 11 p.m.). https://kingpowermahanakhon.co.th

THAI BUS FOOD TOUR

Feast upon a Michelin-awarded 6-course authentic Thai lunch or dinner or an afternoon tea featuring as many as 18 traditional Thai snacks during a spectacular 2-2½-hour tour of the city in the confines of a luxurious double-decker bus. Wonder Lunch: 12.00 - 2.00 p.m.

Afternoon Tea: 2.30 - 4.00 p.m. Dinner Thai Set: 5.30 - 7.30 p.m. * Bookings close 2 days before departure.

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BANGKOK-MELAKA

Melaka



Winner of the UNESCO Award for Architectural Restoration, it is the most exquisite Chinese temple in Malaysia. Built in the 1600s during the Dutch and Portuguese colonial periods, it served as an administrative office in addition to its religious duties.

MASJID KAMPUNG KLING

Originally constructed in 1748 and rebuilt a century later, the mosque now combines a multitiered Balinese Meru roof, Sumatra-Moorish minaret and Dutch and English tiles. Along with the Cheng Hoon Teng and Sri Poyyatha temples, it completes what is known as Harmony Street for its spiritual amity. Open: 6.00 a.m. - 8.00 p.m. Dress appropriately. (Women must cover their

SRI POYYATHA VINAYAGA MOORTHY TEMPLE

Opened in 1781 during tolerant Dutch colonial rule and dedicated to the Hindu elephant-headed deity Vinayagar, Malaysia's oldest Hindu temple's architecture reflects both Dutch and Indian influences. While not lavish, the Vinayagar black stone sculpture is impressive as are the celebrations for Hindu festivals. Open: 10.00 a.m. - 6.00 p.m.

4 JONKER STREET

Running through the center of Melaka's Chinatown, while the many shops and restaurants operate day and night, it's the Friday and Saturday Night Market filling the lane with stalls that's full of fun and flavor, as they hawk tasty tidbits and keepsakes of every sort imaginable. Operating: Sun-Thu: 10.00 am - midnight. Fri-Sat 10.00 a.m. - 1.00 a.m.



DUTCH SOUARE

Photogenic Dutch Square is also known as Red Square because of its many red buildings that reflect the history of this trading port, including the Dutch Christ Church, British Queen Victoria's Fountain, Chinese Tan Beng Swee Clock Tower and Portuguese-influenced A Formosa as well as nearby fortress.

6 TRISHAW RIDE

Lined up in front of Christ Church in Dutch Square, the pedal-powered trishaws are as colorful as historic Melaka with its blend of Malay, Chinese, Indian, Portuguese and Dutch influenced architecture. As the sun sets and lights come on, the scenes become even more mesmerizing as you ride through the lanes. Operating 8.00 a.m. - midnight.

MELAKA-KUALA LUMPUR Melaka



MELAKA RIVER CRUISE

This 30-minute cruise provides a relaxing journey through historic Melaka along the Melaka River, both banks lined with the picturesque old and new bridges and buildings with their colorful murals and façades. Board at either Muara, Taman Rempah or The Shore jetties. Operating hours: 9.00 a.m. - 11.30 p.m. / Boats depart every ½ hour.

BABA AND NYONYA HERITAGE MUSEUM

The home of four generations of the Chan family, it was opened as a museum in 1985 and offers insight into 19th and 20th-century ostentatious, pre-World War II Malaya Peranakan homes. Open: Mon - Thu: 10.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.; Fri, Sat, Sun: 10.00 a.m. - 6.00 p.m.

9 SENTOSA VILLA

Nearly 100 years old, visitors have been welcomed since 1991. One of the best preserved traditional Malay homes, Mr. Ibrahim and his family still reside here, making it like a living museum. Open: Daily, 9.30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Kuala Lumpur

10 WALK THE RIVER OF LIFE

In 2011, the Malaysian government launched the "River of Life" initiative to rehabilitate the colonial riverfront set around the confluence of the rivers Klang and Gombak, offering a glimpse of old Malava

CENTRAL MARKET

Dating back to 1888, it has long been one of KL's main landmarks. Until the early 1980s it served as a fresh market, before it was revamped into a popular bazaar where you can find the best souvenir deals. Open: Daily, 10.00 a.m. - 10.00 p.m. https://www.central

12 JALAN ALOR STREET FOOD

It all starts as the sun goes down. Once the city's red light district, now it's full of hawker stalls offering the best street food in Malaysia along with Malaysians and foreigners deciding where and what to eat. Operating: 5.00 p.m. to midnight, though some stalls never close

13 PETALING STREET

The vibrant heart of KL's Chinatown, during the day it's a bustling shopper's delight transforming after dark into a vibrant night market now under by a transparent roof that retains the aromas of street food. Operating: 10.00 a.m. - 9.00 p.m.



KUALA LUMPUR















Day5 KUALA LUMPUR-BANGKOK

Kuala Lumpur

14 KLCC PARK / PETRONAS TWIN TOWER

Rising high above the lush KLCC Park with its beautiful fountain is the world's tallest twin tower. 88 stories high, the 41st and 42nd floors are attached by a 58-meter long, double-decker Sky Bridge that, at 175 meters above street level, affords spectacular, panoramic vistas of the city and landscape beyond.

Open: Tues - Sun 9.00 a.m. - 9.00 p.m., but closed Fri 1.00 - 2.30 p.m.



DISHES TO TRY



BANGKOK

1. Pad Thai: A traditional favorite of stir-fried rice noodles with diced tofu, dried shrimp, egg, chopped peanut, bean sprouts and scallions flavored with fish sauce, tamarind, chili and garlic.

2. Massamun: Mild southern Thai coconut milk-based curry usually made with chicken and potatoes and such spices as cardamom, cinnamon, cloves, star anise, cumin, bay leaves, chili and peanuts.

3. Papaya Salad (Som Tam): Favorite Thai salad made with green papaya, chili (the more the hotter), bean sprouts, cherry tomatoes, coriander, fish sauce and peanuts.

4. Sticky Rice with Mango: Oh, so yummy, sweet mango sliced and served with sweetened sticky rice topped with a little sweet coconut milk.



AYUTTHAYA

1. Giant River Prawn: Farmed or caught fresh in the river, they are best grilled and served with a spicy, lemony dip. One can weigh over 1/2 kilo.

2. Stir Fried Prawn with Lotus Stem: Prepared with smaller fresh prawn and sliced lotus stem stir fried together in oyster sauce with onions and maybe green peppers.

3. Boat Noodles (Kuay Tiew Rua): Originally sold by venders paddling dugouts, the dark, delicious broth with beef or pork slices and balls comes with thin rice noodles and bean sprouts.

4. Cotton Candy (Roti Sai Mai): Made with sugar palm threads wrapped in an Indian-like roti, it can be as much fun to make as to eat.

5. Thai Sweet (Thong Yip, Thong Yod, etc): As thong means gold, these egg-based sweets, a blend of Japanese and Portuguese confectionary, are traditional desserts served at auspicious celebrations.

MELAKA

1. Nyonya Cuisine (Pie Tee, Otak Otak, Nyonya Laksa): A slow-

cooking cuisine prepared by the Malay wives (Nyonya) of Chinese male immigrants (Baba), it is also known as Peranakan.

2. Chicken Rice Ball: The rice is first boiled in a rich chicken broth before being rolled into balls and served with slices of tender steamed chicken and a delicious soy sauce concoction.

3. Satay Celup: Especially popular in Melaka, you can enjoy a smorgasbord of bite-size seafood, meats and vegetables on skewers that are dipped in peanut and sweet and sour sauces.

4. Cendol: Enjoyed throughout Southeast Asia, it's made with green rice flour jelly served in a coconut milk - palm sugar syrup with ice, making it quite refreshing.



KUALA LUMPUR

1. Nasi Lemak: Considered the national dish of Malaysia, especially for breakfast, it is made with rice cooked in coconut milk and wrapped in a pandan leaf. 2. Yong Tau Foo: With its roots Hakka Chinese, the dish is usually tofu stuffed with ground meat or fish paste, but can be with mushrooms or vegetables, often served in a soup.

3. Hokkien Mee: Mee refers to the egg noodles and rice vermicelli, but it is each shop's secret dark, delicious sauce that the noodles are braised in that makes this such a favorite.

4. Roti Canai: The roti, or flatbread is served with a curry or two. This Indian style dish makes an ideal breakfast when enjoyed with a cup of steaming hot milk tea.

5. Banana Leaf Rice: South Indian in origin and typically vegetarian, parboiled rice is served on a banana leaf with an assortment of vegetables, cooked and pickled, along with other condiments.









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