

# 2 Nights / 3 Days visiting Varanasi



## DAYS & PROGRAMME

### Day 01 – Varanasi

Meet on arrival at Varanasi and transfer to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight stay at Varanasi

**Varanasi** is known by three name i.e. Kashi (the city of light), Benaras and now as Varanasi. It is the oldest living city in the world and is situated on the west bank of the Ganges River. In ancient times, it was a great centre of knowledge and learning. Amid thousands of temples, the Kashi Vishwanath temple is supreme along with the river Ganges. For the devout Hindu the city has a special place besides being a pilgrimage centre, it is considered especially auspicious to die here, ensuring an instant route to heaven.

For more than 6 kms, "Ghats" line the west bank of the Ganges at Varanasi. Lined with temples, they reverberate with endless chants of Hindu religious prayers. People throng these Ghats to offer their morning prayers to the rising sun.

**Ganga aarathi** on the banks of the river Ganges in the evening with lighted lamps is a mesmerizing sight.

### Day 02 – Varanasi Sightseeing

Early morning enjoy the boat ride at the Holy River Ganges. Also view the Sunrise from the center of the river during the ride. After breakfast proceed for city tour visiting Sarnath, Bharat Mata Temple, Banaras Hindu University which has an Art Gallery and the Mosque of Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb.

### Day 03 – Varanasi Airport Drop

In time transfer to airport to board flight for onward destination.

## Price \$ 140 or Euro 100 per person

### Includes:

- Accommodation for 2 nights in 3 star hotels
- Breakfast
- Transfers and sightseeing by AC deluxe coach as per itinerary
- English speaking guide during sightseeing
- Entrance fees to monuments
- Early morning boat ride
- Cycle rickshaw ride at Varanasi

### Excludes:

- Meals other than breakfast
- Tips, telephone calls, portrage, beverages, joy rides except for those mentioned above