



## Magical BHUTAN with Bangkok the Royal Way

**Departure Date :**  
**March 28- Apr 04, 2018**

**Day 01/Mar 28 MANILA/BANGKOK**

Depart Manila . Arrived Bangkok meet and check in at the hotel. Free time.

**Day 02/Mar 29 BANGKOK /PARO/THIMPHU**

Depart Bangkok. Arrival in Paro. Meet and drive to Thimphu about one and half hour drive. Check in the hotel. Later visit the impressive **Thimphu Dzong (fortress built in 17th century)**. Overnight in Thimphu. (B,L,D)

**Day 03/Mar 30 THIMPHU**

After breakfast. Visit the Memorial Chorten - built in the memory of the third King of Bhutan reigned from (1952-1972). Visit the National Traditional Medicine , Nunnery temple, Folk Heritage Museum and the School of Arts and Crafts (painting school). After lunch visit **Kuenselphodrang**-traditional paper factory. Overnight in Thimphu. (B,L,D)

**Day 04/ Mar 31 THIMPHU - PUNAKHA**

After breakfast. Drive to Punakha takes you over the **Dochula pass (3050m)**. Along the way you will see the **Eastern Himalayan ranges** (ranging from 6000m to 7500m). Enroute drive to visit **Chime Lhakhang Monastery**. This famous **fertil ity monastery was built in 15th century**. Child less women from all over Bhutan come to this monastery for blessing. It's takes about half an hour walk each way through beautiful village and rice paddy field. After lunch drive to visit the most **beautiful Punakha Dzong built in 1637**. It once served as winter capital of Bhutan and still houses the winter seat for the head of religion and central monastic body. Overnight in Punakha. (B,L,D)

**Day 05/ Apr 01 PUNAKHA-PARO**

After breakfast drive back to Paro over Dochula pass (3050m). Upon arrival *in Paro* visit **Kyichu monastery built in 7th century**. Lunch in local rest. After lunch drive to visit national museum, **Paro Rinpung Dzong** built in 1646. If the time permit explore Paro town to finish the shopping. Overnight in Paro. (B,L,D)

**Day 06/Apr 02 PARO**

After breakfast. Excursion to **tigers next**. The excursion to Tiger next takes about 5 hours round trip. This famous site was visited by **Guru Rinpoche in the 8th century** and meditated in a cave where he left his body imprint on the rock. The site stand as the **most holy and sacred** in the whole Himalayas. Back to hotel for overnight. (B,L,D)

**Day 07/Apr 03 PARO /BANGKOK**

After breakfast. Transfer to airport for your flight to Bangkok. Arrive Bangkok. Meet and transfer to hotel for overnight. Free time for own leisure. (B)

**Day 08/Apr 04 BANGKOK/MANILA**

Buffet breakfast. Free time until transfer to airport for flight back to Manila. (B)

**Tour Cost: Standard Hotel \$ 2,848**

**Inclusions:**

- roundtrip economy class ticket
- accommodation on twin sharing of your choice hotel
- tours and sightseeing with English speaking guide
- transportation on airconditioned coach
- porterage of 1piece of luggage per person at hotels
- souvenir bag & other giveaways
- pre- departure briefing
- travel insurance
- Philippine Travel Tax
- Manila Terminal Fee

**NOT INCLUDED: Bhutan visa \$50 , Tipping \$30 TIPS & GRATUITIES for drivers, tour and transfer guides, tour guides and restaurant . Meals other than indicated, telephone calls and all other items personal in nature.**

**VISA REQUIREMENTS:**

Colored Scanned passport valid at least 6mos.



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