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Bhutan Nepal combine tour is the best way to explore both Himalayan countries, Nepal and Bhutan. Nepal is a land of mysteries, and Bhutan is thunder dragon state. Both countries are ideal for the natural and cultural travel experience. 10 Nights 11 Days Nepal Bhutan Tour is the best package program to visit two countries on your single trip. Both countries offer in-depth cultural knowledge and natural wonders.

### 10 nights 11 days Nepal Bhutan combine tour highlights

- You will visit the cultural heritage sites around Kathmandu
- You will test delicious Nepalese local food
- You will enjoy the beautiful sunrise view in Sarangkot
- You will discover the beautiful city of Thimphu, Bhutan
- You will experience Bhutanese culture, art, crafts and architecture
- You will visit the Thimphu and Punakha History Museum
- You will walk to the Tiger's Nest Monastery

The Nepal Bhutan combine tour leads to the most popular destinations in Nepal and Bhutan. The 10 night 11-day trips begin in Kathmandu, Nepal, and continue exploring Bhutan and its unique culture. The two countries are connected and blessed by the Himalayas, making them an ideal destination for trekking and cultural tourism.

At the start of the tour, visit the UNESCO World Heritage Site in Kathmandu, including Kathmandu Durbar Square, Pashupatinath, Baudhanath and Swayambhunath. After visiting these places, you will have a thorough understanding of Hinduism and Buddhism and its importance in Nepal. Nepal is culturally and religiously diverse. If you follow religion in the country, you can find harmony. All locations are located in the Kathmandu Valley and do not require long distances, so it does not take us more than a day to complete the trip to Kathmandu. Then you go to Bhutan.

Travelling to Bhutan is not a waste of time as the country is relatively close to Nepal. After landing at Paro International Airport, you will be preparing for a trip to Bhutan. The tour includes two main cities in Bhutan, namely Thimphu and Paro. We have designed an excellent package to explore the culture, art, handicrafts and architecture of Bhutan, much like in Nepal.

Thimphu is the capital of Bhutan with the only international airport, the historic city of Paro, which has many sacred sites and buildings throughout the city. Bhutan is rich in Buddhist culture and the most beautiful travel destination in the world to visit once in a lifetime. There are beautiful Buddhist temples in the country that symbolize peace and prosperity among people, mountains, lush green valleys and fascinating waterfalls.

## Itinerary

# Day 1: Welcome to Kathmandu international airport

Upon your arrival at Kathmandu airport, our representative will welcome and take you to the hotel. We will book three stars or more category hotel depending on your preferences. There will be a short briefing session about your trip. After this, you will be free. You can walk the streets of Tammel.

# Food Included: No food

# Day 2: Sightseeing tour around Kathmandu Valley

As soon as breakfast is finished, you will visit Kathmandu Durbar Square in Kathmandu, the former palace of the former Kathmandu Empire. It is one of the UNESCO World Heritage cultural Site of Nepal. It is surrounded by the magnificent structure of the square and shows the skills of Newari artists and artisans from centuries. Then you visit the famous Hindu Pashupatinath temple. Pashupatinath is 3 km 3km northwest from Kathmandu and is one of eight UNESCO sites in the Kathmandu Valley. The temple reflects the cultural, religious and spiritual beliefs of Hinduism. People from all over the world come to bless Pashupatinath.

After a visit to the Pashupatinath Temple, you head towards the Boudhanath stupa. It is enriched with Buddhist symbols; this stupa is considered the largest in Nepal. Its location is in the east of Kathmandu. The place is an essential pilgrimage for Tibetan Buddhists and locals. Then we returned to the hotel for the night stay.

Meals include: Breakfast

## Day 3: Arrival to Paro and Thimphu

After arriving at Paro Airport, one of our airport representatives will welcome you and take you from the airport to the city. After you arrive in the town, you will find a Bhutanese farmhouse, Kaiichu Temple, Rinpung Jong, and visit some craft shops. Then you will drive to the capital of Bhutan, Thimphu. On your way, you will have some beautiful landscapes and sights from Bhutan. Night stay at hotel in Thimphu.

Meals include:- Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

## Day 4: Sightseeing tour in Thimphu and drive to Punakha

After breakfast, you will visit the following place in Thimphu:

**Bhutan Postal Museum:** The Bhutan Postal Museum contains all of Bhutan's achievements and developments in the field of communication and postal services. Here you can print out your stamps with a photo of your choice and send them to our loved ones.

**National Textile Museum:** The National Textile Museum presents antique textiles and traditional art. Locals stir the exhibits.

**Painting School for Traditional Crafts:** The Painting School for Traditional Crafts is a place where students can teach painting in 13 different traditional crafts for 13 years. **Folk Heritage Museum:** The Folk Heritage Museum has an old philosophy of life that is well preserved by modern Bhutan. The museum offers a 19th-century architectural style.

You will visit Tango Monastery, a religious site in Thimphu where the most respected Buddhist monks lived, and who brought the Drukpa Kaguppa School of Buddhism of Bhutan. The ashram is such that you can enjoy the magnificent view from it. Once you find the ashram, you go to Punakha. Your stay is at a hotel in Punakha.

Meals include:- breakfast, lunch and dinner.

# Day 5: Sightseeing around Wangdue and Punakha then drive to Paro

Today, after breakfast, you will visit Punakha. It is one of the most beautiful places in Bhutan and also the old capital of Bhutan. You will visit the Divine Madman Ashram - Chami Lakhang. The monastery has long been a breeding ground, and people can enjoy impressive fertility blessings.

Then, Travel to Wangdue with Punakha Dongong, an island in Pua Chuz and Mo Chu, to appreciate the highest status of the wooden ship. We also go to the upper Punakha Valley, an hour's walk to beautiful Bhutan to visit Khamsum Yuelley Namgyal Lhakhang built by Ashi Tshering Yangdon Wangchuck (mother of the Queen of Bhutan for peace and stability). After visiting the temple, drive to Paro. Our night stay will be at a hotel in Paro.

Meals include:- breakfast, lunch and dinner.

# Day 6: Hike to the tiger's monastery

Today, after breakfast, prepare a tour of Taktsang Goempa. Taksarang Gompa is also known as The Tiger's Nest Monastery. The climbing offers a breathtaking view of the monastery on the edge of a steep hill.

The monastery offers an impressive view below. The main monastery Lakhang was first built in 1692. It was fully restored in 1998 after being severely damaged

by fire. You visit a farm in the Paro Valley to experience the lifestyle of the farmers in Bhutan. Our stay is at a hotel in Paro.

Meals include:- breakfast, lunch and dinner.

# Day 7: Flight to Kathmandu from Paro.

After today's breakfast, you fly from Paro to Kathmandu. The Bhutan tour is over, and you are ready to visit Pokhara, Sarangkot, Bhaktapur Darbar Square and more in Nepal. After landing in Kathmandu, check in to a hotel in Kathmandu and spend the night in the Kathmandu Hotel.

Meals include: Breakfast

# Day 8: Fly to Pokhara and sightseeing around Pokhara in the afternoon.

Today, you start early because you have to fly to Pokhara and sightseeing. After breakfast, drive to Tribhuvan International Airport. The short flight to Pokhara takes about 25 minutes. After landing, prepare for the sightseeing tour.

Many tourist places in Pokhara are famous worldwide. The Devi's fall, Gupteshwor cave, Bat Cave, world peace Stupa, Bindabashini Temple, and the Tibetan Refugee Camp are some of the most visited places.

Meals include: Breakfast

# Day 9: Drive to Sarangkot for sunrise and hotel then flight to Kathmandu.

In the morning, a 45-minute drive from the hotel to Sarangkot to see the sunrise. After enjoying the morning with a beautiful view of the mountains, you return to Kathmandu. Our one night stay is in Kathmandu.

Meals include:- Breakfast,

# Day 10: Pathan and Bhaktapur Durbar square sightseeing

Today you go to Bhaktapur, an ancient religious site to preserve the art and culture of the Newar society in Nepal. You will visit Bhaktapur Durbar Square and

explore some of the best architectures. Since the city has historical significance, it is considered an inspiration for modern art and design.

After visiting Patan, you will travel to Patan Durbar Square for an hour, Old palace of Patan. Its location is in the city centre of Lalitpur. The palace is an attraction for many because the kings of Raja Malla lived there. Besides, Durbar square is also a miracle of Newar architecture. Krishna temples and Bhimsen temples are some of the famous temples in Patan.

Meals include: Breakfast

## 11: Day of departure

The Nepal Bhutan combine tour has finally ended. Depending on your departure time, we will take you to Tribhuvan International Airport 3 hours before. So it takes a while to get on the plane. We ensure that there is enough time for all processes at the airport.

Meals include:- Breakfast,

### **Includes costs**

### In Nepal

- Arrival Pick up and departure drop off at the international airport.
- Three-star deluxe hotels accommodation in Kathmandu and Pokhara.
- ✤ All entrance fees in temples, monasteries and historical sites.
- ✤ All ground transportation on private vehicles with a knowledgeable driver.
- Domestic flight ticket cost to and from Pokhara.
- Drinking water on the tour.
- Government tax and service charge
- Seasonal fruits.

## In Bhutan

Twin sharing accommodation with breakfast.

- Dine-in local restaurants and hotels.
- Experienced English-speaking tour guide.
- Private deluxe vehicle within Bhutan depending on the itinerary.
- Entrance fees to the museum and monument.
- Drinking water during the Bhutan tour.

#### **Costs excluded**

- Bhutan visa fee \$ 40 per person and Nepal visa fees \$ 30 per person
- International flight tickets and Kathmandu Paro Kathmandu Air tickets
- Travel and health insurance.
- Guide tips, telephone bills, Laundry and personal expenses.

### What is the best time to visit Nepal and Bhutan?

Bhutan is an attractive and beautiful Asian country and is on the list of many travellers. Given the different climate and seasonal prices, the best time to visit Bhutan is after the monsoons, which last from late September to November. During this time, travellers can enjoy pleasant temperatures and bright days. Seasonal rates vary among those who want to avoid traffic jams and save money on government "minimum daily packages."

### What are the famous events in Bhutan?

Many tourists come to Bhutan to experience some of the country's most attractive festivals. Shechu festivals in Bhutan's temples, monasteries and Dzong are an attraction. Communities come together to experience religious dances, receive blessings, and socialize in these significant events. Each masquerade has a special meaning, and it is believed that everyone should participate in a Tshechu and dance at least once in a lifetime to heal their sins.