

# **Essence Of Rajasthan I The Unique Desert State**

Immerse yourself in the everyday life, culture, history and traditions of the unique desert state of India. Experience on foot, tuk-tuk or on the backs of camels or elephants the magnificent cities and natural landscapes.

## Day - 12 Jaisalmer

#### **JAISALMER: CITYTOUR (B)**

This morning, enjoy your guided Citytour of Jaisalmer. Visit Jaisalmer Fort, the main attraction of this picturesque desert city of Rajasthan. Located on the top of the Trikuta Hill, the ramparts, bastions and the long-stretching walls of the fort dazzle gloriously during early morning and at sunset. Continue on to Jaisalmer's most intricately carved havelis or mansions-Salim Singh ki Haveli, built around 300 year ago. This haveli belonged to Salim Singh, the Prime Minister to then Maharaja of Jaisalmer, Maharaja Rawal Gaj Singh. Yellow stone that is covered with intricate carvings, elaborate balcony and beautiful blue cupola roof characterizes Salim Singh ki Haveli; Patwon-ki-Haveli, the grandest mansion in Jaisalmer, having a ceiling supported by exquisitely carved pillars. The delicately chiselled balconies and extensive corridors and chambers of this haveli also present an impressive sight. Round off the tour with a walk through narrow cobbled street The afternoon is free at leisure. Later in the afternoon enjoy a camel ride to the sand dunes to see the sunset. Drive out of Jaisalmer City to visit one of the most panoramic sites -the golden sand dunes, where the wind carves out various patterns on the sand! Embark upon a camel to reach the nearby sunset point on the dunes in time to catch the last rays of the setting sun over the dunes. The vista creates a delightful mirage, definitely a photographer's ecstasy; the sense of time ceases as one gets lost in the silken smooth sands of the Thar, and a lifetime experience. **Overnight:** Jaisalmer



#### Inclusions

- 14 nights in your chosen accomodation
- Meal as specified in itinerary
  (B = Breakfast, BR = Brunch, L = Lunch, D = Dinner)
- Activities and excursions according to itinerary

#### FOR EXAMPLE:

- CityTour of Delhi
- Visit the Taj Mahal & Great Fort in Agra
- River & Camel safari in Chambal
- Visit the Amber Fort & the Anokhi Museum of Hand Printing
- CityTour of Jaipur by Tuk-Tuk
- Elephant safari
- Boat ride on Lake Pichola
- Visit Ranakpur Temples
- Bishnoi Village Safari
- CityTour of Jaisalmer
- Camel ride to the sand dunes to see the sunset
- CityTour of Bikaner
- Tours and excursions in mini buses/buses or with public transportation according to itinerary
- English speaking tour guide
- Admission fees according to itinerary
- 1 litre of mineral water per person per day

### Exclusions

- International flights
- Meals other than mentioned in itinerary
- · Tours and Excursions other than mentioned in itinerary
- Early check-in and late check-out at hotels
- Personal travel insurance
- Personal expenses and tips for driver/guides
- Visa fees