



# 5 Days / 4 Nights Essence of Korea

Product Code : TSELKRSC5D(SFMS)-251117

## Package include :

- \* 01 night's accommodation at Sokcho
- \* 03 night's accommodation at Seoul
- \* Half board meals - 04 breakfasts, 04 lunches & 02 dinners
- \* Return airport-hotel-airport transfer
- \* Full-day Gwangmyeong & Nami Island Tour
- \* Full-day Seoraksan, Namsan Park & Insadong Tour
- \* Full-day Seoul Arts & Culture Tour
- \* Full-day Seoul Sightseeing & Shopping Tour



## Sample itinerary :

**Day 01** \_\_\_\_\_ / INCHEON / GWANGMYEONG / CHUNCHEON / SOKCHO (Lunch, Dinner)

Upon your arrival at Incheon International Airport and after clearing customs, please proceed to the Meeting Point area at "Gate 8" on the 1<sup>st</sup> Floor. Our local representative will be waiting there to welcome you. Start the day with a visit to Gwangmyeong Cave - an abandoned mine located within a metropolitan city that has been transformed into a tourist attraction with artful light installations, museums, a performance hall, a restaurant and even a wine cellar which offers visitors a unique opportunity to partake in wine tasting as well as purchase more than 150 different varieties of quality wine from across 21 different Korean vineyards! Spanning 7.9 kilometres in length and reaching 275 meters in depth, the cave shot to fame when an episode of the popular variety show "Running Man" was filmed in its tunnels. Thereafter, journey approximately 70 kilometres East of Gwangmyeong to Naminara Republic, a tiny half-moon shaped island located in Chuncheon that was formed as a result of seasonal rain as well as the construction of the Cheongpyeong Dam. The famous "first kiss" as well as other important scenes such as the beautiful tree-lined paths from the 2002 Korean drama "Winter Sonata" was filmed here.

**Day 02** SOKCHO / SEOUL (Breakfast, Lunch)

After breakfast, enjoy a walking tour around Seoraksan National Park, one of Korea's most beautiful mountain areas that boast numerous valleys well-known for their spring blossoms and fall foliage. Situated on the slopes of Seoraksan, explore Sinheungsa, the head temple of the Jogye Order of Korean Buddhism. Thereafter, return to Seoul to visit N Seoul Tower which is perched at the highest point of Namsan. Take a look at the safety fence which is covered with thousands of padlocks - symbols of love fastened there by young couples; as well as enjoy the panoramic views of Seoul and its surrounding areas from the viewing platforms (observatory admission is optional, on own expenses) at the 237-meters tall communication tower. In the afternoon, enjoy a little shopping at A-Plus Cosmetics Shop; followed by a visit to Poo Poo Land - a one-of-a-kind experience playground that offers a fun and unique 30-minute adventure through simulated digestive system where one can experience what it is like to be a Poop; before heading over to explore Insadong - a quaint neighbourhood filled with antique shops, boutique galleries, handicraft shops, bookstores, traditional teahouses, etc...

**Day 03** SEOUL (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast, enjoy a walking tour around Bukchon Hanok Village. Located between Gyeongbokgung, Changdeokgung and Jongmyo Shrine, the village reflects over 600 years of Seoul's history and is home to approximately 900 Korean traditional houses. Unlike other traditional villages, Bukchon was not built for tourists. This is where the ruling class lived during the Joseon Dynasty and a few descendants of the aristocracy still reside there. Thereafter, continue on to explore Hongdae Mural Street - also referred to as "Picasso's Street", this unique place of artistic wonder is overflowing with personality and features walls of various arts from paintings to graffiti and artistic designs that were amazingly created by the art majoring students from the nearby Hongik University as well as countless young artists from across the country. Enjoy the afternoon shopping for duty-free health supplements at either "HD-1 Tab.Gold" or Red Pine Oil Specialty Store; before heading over for a photo stop at Dongdaemun Design Plaza - the latest iconic landmark of Seoul, designed by world renowned architect Zaha Hadid and comprises of five halls : Art Hall, Museum, Design Shop, Oullim Square and Dongdaemun History & Culture Park. Enjoy a little shopping at Dongdaemun - Korea's largest wholesale and retail shopping district with more than 26 shopping malls, 30,000 specialty shops as well as 50,000 manufacturers. Within the ten blocks of the market area, you can find silks, clothes, shoes, sporting goods, plumbing and electrical supplies, electronics, office supplies, toys and just about everything else imaginable.

**Day 04** SEOUL (Breakfast, Lunch)

After breakfast, visit Gyeongbokgung - built at the beginning of the Joseon Dynasty by its founder King Taejo, it serves as the principal palace until it was burnt down during the Japanese invasion in 1592. It lay in ruins for nearly 300 years until it was rebuilt in 1865 during the reign of King Gojong, the first emperor of Korea. Thereafter, enjoy a dose of Korean culture by learning how to make Kimbap, a quintessential Korean packed lunch made of seasoned white rice with a variety of fillings, rolled up in roasted seaweed and served in bite-size slices.; and experience wearing the Korean Traditional Costume "Hanbok". Spend the afternoon shopping for some duty-free health supplements at the National Ginseng Outlet; followed by a stroll along Cheonggyecheon - An 11-kilometre-long watercourse running through downtown Seoul that was once hidden by an elevated highway and was restored in 2005 as part of an urban renewal project; before heading over to Myeongdong, one of Seoul's main shopping districts featuring mid-to-high priced retail stores as well as international brands.

**Day 05** SEOUL / INCHEON / \_\_\_\_\_ (Breakfast)

After breakfast, enjoy some last-minute shopping at Sinchon Ladies Street - a shopper's paradise located right in front of Korea's first women university. Nicknamed "University Streets of Sinchon" due to its close proximity to a number of private universities, it is packed with copious amounts of clothing, accessories as well as shoes stores offering affordable goods that are in tune with the current trends in Korea. Thereafter, head over to a local product shop for some local delicacies before continuing back to the airport for your onwards journey.



Hotel & Tour Option	5 Days / 4 Nights Package (per person per package, in MYR)				Extension Night at Seoul (per room per night, in MYR)	
	Adult		Child		Single/Twin	Triple
	Single	Twin / Triple	With bed	No bed		
<b>Sokcho</b> : Daemyung Del Pino Golf & Resort or similar (Local 5-star)						
<b>Seoul</b> : CO'OP City Hotel Stayco, InterCity Seoul Service Residence Hotel or similar (Local 4-star)						
* Mandarin Tour (GV-2)	3220	2020	1720	1310	480	570
* Mandarin Tour (GV-4)	2600	1630	1380	1060		
* Mandarin Tour (GV-10)	2450	1530	1310	1000		
* English Tour (GV-2)	4560	3280	2790	2140		
* English Tour (GV-4)	4590	2870	2440	1870		
* English Tour (GV-10)	3700	2320	1970	1510		
** Peak Season (29 Sep '17 - 09 Oct '17) surcharge @ MYR\$290.00 per person per package						

### Remarks

- \*\* Additional night includes accommodation & breakfast only
- \*\* Option to select preferred hotel is NOT available for the above package. Actual hotel accommodation will only be advised 01 week prior to departure
- \*\* Resort accommodation is based on 01-02 bedroom units with Twin Beds and/or "Yo" (Korean traditional mattress), subjected to availability upon arrival

### Important notice :

- Most hotels in South Korea supports the environment-friendly program and do not provide toiletries items in the room. Tour participants are advised to bring your own supply of shampoo, shower gel, toothbrush, toothpaste, razor, etc...
- Some hotels (especially outskirts area) in South Korea do not provide full-size bath towels. For your comfort, please bring your own towel

### Terms & Conditions

- \* Travel period : 16 April 2017 - 25 November 2017
- \* Travel must be completed by 25 November 2017
- \* The above rates require a minimum of 02 adults per booking
- \* The above rates are applicable to Malaysian passport holders only
- \* Rates for other nationalities are strictly on request basis and may be subjected to additional charges
- \* Reservations with a group size of less than 11 adults, tours will be conducted by driver cum guide only
- \* Halal meal arrangements (Lunch & Dinner at Seoul only, not applicable to Mandarin Tour) is strictly on request basis and is subjected to additional charges, rates to be advised
- \* The above package includes mandatory visit to selected shopping stops, otherwise a surcharge of MYR\$550.00 per person (for Mandarin tour) and/or MYR\$750.00 (for English tour) will be imposed
- \* The above rates and tour program are subjected to change without prior notice
- \* The above package **DOES NOT** include any visa arrangement. It is the traveller's own responsibility to ensure he/she have a valid entry visa, if required
- \* No refund (either partial or full) will be given for any unutilized portion and/or services in the package
- \* Travel Monsters' General terms & conditions apply - a copy of the terms & conditions can be obtained from any of our Travel Centres
- \* In the event of any inconsistency or discrepancy between the translated versions of this flyer and the English original, the latter will take precedence



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