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Discovering Cuba.

Trip Overview

On this 15 days/14-nights trip, you will explore Cuba perspective, with services of an English speaking professional guide, They will learn about, education, medical system, arts, etc.

Day 1 - Havana - Arrival Day

- Arrival José Martí International Airport, Havana, enjoy a warm welcome by a professional & bilingual guide and Driver.
- Visit Modern Havana. Tour of the most modern part of the city for those who prefer the spirit of modernity. Panoramic tour of the modern part of the city (Central Havana, Cerro, Vedado and Miramar neighborhoods) making stops at important places: Capitol Building, Revolution Square, University of Havana, Hotel Nacional, and others.
- Visit to a museum at will choosing from: Napoleon's Museum, Dance Museum, Decorative Arts Museum, Jose Marti's Memorial, Christopher Columbus Cemetery or the Scale Model of the City.
- Lunch at La Bonita Paladar Restaurant (included)
- Check – in Hotel or Private House in Havana
- Welcome dinner at La Barraca Restaurant in Hotel Nacional (included)

Day 2 - Havana

- Breakfast (Included)
- Visit the City of Old Havana. Special tour of the Historical Center of Havana. Visit to the Scale Model of the Historical Center to become acquainted with the area to be visited.
- Walking tour along the main streets and squares of the Historical Center (Arm's Square, St. Francis of Assisi's Square, the Old Square and the Cathedral Square)
- Visit to the Princess Diana of Wales garden.
- Tour by the Cortina de Valdés and the ancient arsenal
- Lunch at Rum, Rum Restaurant (included)
- Visit the San Jose Craft Market
- 1 hr. Tour in a Classic Car
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 3 - Havana

- Breakfast (Included)
- Visit Museum de la Revolucion
- Visit National Bellas Arte museum
- Lunch at La Fontana Restaurant (included)
- Visit the Compas Dance community project
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 4 - Havana – Pinar del Rio

- Breakfast (included)

- Check out and transfer to Pinar del Rio
- Day Trip to Las Terrazas. Las Terrazas is located in an area of around 5,000 hectares, in which a project of sustainable rural economy is being developed, based on the rational use of its natural resources for tourism.
- Brief explanation of that nature wonder project.
- Visit to Buenavista coffee plantation a partially restored XIX century farm.
- Lunch at “La Casa del Campesino”, (included) where customers will be in direct contact with rural habits, in a setting built with natural materials. In the restaurant's yard, visitors will see domestic animals, fruit trees and gardens.
- A walking tour along the main streets of the community gives the visitors the opportunity of getting in touch with the warm and hospitable locals.
- Check – in at Hotel in Pinar del Rio or Private House
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 5 - Pinar del Rio - Havana

- Breakfast (Included)
- Day Trip to Vinales. The Viñales Valley is the most outstanding exponent of a chalky valley in the Antilles, and is surrounded by "mogotes", which are hills with round tops and vertical slopes. the valley's flora is closely linked to its ancient past, since it holds 17 endemic varieties that cannot be found anywhere on Earth, including the cork palm (*Microcycas calocoma*), which is considered a living fossil from the Jurassic period. The Viñales Valley, which was declared World Heritage by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)
- Stop at the lookout point at Los Jazmines.
- Panoramic visit of the Viñales Valley and the Mural of Prehistory, which is 120 meters high and 180 meters wide, was painted on the slope of the aforementioned hill. It is a singular representation of the biological evolution of Sierra de los Organos, also in western Pinar del Río province.
- Boat tour along the underground river at the Indian Cave
- Lunch at Cueva del Indio Restaurant (included). Located next to the cave, this charming rustic restaurant serves typical Indo-Cuban food, including yucca fritters and Creole style chicken.
- Meet with the local Artist and artisans in the main square, where you can view the Casa de la Cultura, an old colonial structure dating from 1832 and the quaint nineteenth century church.
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 6– Havana

- Breakfast (included)
- Check out and transfer to Havana
- Visit the Rum Museum
- Afternoon visit include: the Tlaquechel Pharmacy, the Havana 1971 perfume shop and the Tobbaco Museum
- Lunch at the Private Paladar El Aljibe (included)
- Visit to the Rum Museum.Tasting of Havana Club Rum. Cocktail-making lessons: the barman will teach the customer how to prepare their own Cuban cocktail. (cocktail not included)
- Tour of the most famous bars of the old town: The Floridita and the Bodeguita del Medio
- Visit the community Project Papitos' Barber Shop
- Dinner at “El Mediterraneo Havana Paladar “(Not included)

Day 7 –Cienfuegos

- Breakfast (Included)
- Check out and transfer to Cienfuegos
- Leave to Cienfuegos, known as the ‘Pearl of the South’, Cienfuegos was first settled by the French in the early 19th century and their influence can still be felt today in the wide straight boulevards and old buildings.
- Lunch at Palacio del Valle Restaurant (included)
- Meet with the local artist and Artisans
- Check – in at Hotel in Cienfuegos or Private House
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 8 - Cienfuegos – Trinidad Day Trip

- Breakfast (Included)

- Day Trip to Trinidad. Trinidad is one of Cuba's earliest settlements and its status as a UNESCO preserved museum city, makes it one of the main highlights of the island.
- Take the guided tour of the city of Trinidad. (Museum of Colonial Architecture, Archeological Museum, Romantic Museum, Palacio Cantero, etc.)
- Visit Casa de Aldeman Ortiz. This building was the home of the former mayor of Trinidad in the 19th century and features wonderful frescoes on the walls and a grand staircase. It now houses works of art by local artists.
- Lunch at Don Antonio Restaurant (included)
- Visit Valle de los Ingenios (Valley of the Sugar Mills). You can view the splendidly restored estate of one of the area's richest sugar magnates, including a tower some 43 meters high whose bell would call the slaves in from the fields. You can climb the 136 steps to the top, and if you wish, get to the estate from Trinidad via steam train!
- Return to Hotel or Private House in Cienfuegos
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 9 - Cienfuegos – Camaguey

- Breakfast (Included)
- Check out and transfer to Camaguey
- Lunch at the Local Paladar in Camaguey (Included)
- Check in at Gran Hotel Camaguey or Private House
- City tour in a Bicitaxi
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 10 – Camaguey

- Breakfast (Included)
- Visit the Community Project Carsueños
- Lunch at Local Paladar (Included)
- Visit the Teatro Principal in Camaguey enjoy the show, this theater was built in the 1850's
- Walking tour in Camaguey, Visit the Ignacio Agramonte Park
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 11 – Camaguey-Santiago

- Breakfast (Included)
- Check out and transfer to Santiago de Cuba
- Visit El Moncada fort Museum
- Visit Rum Bacardi Museum
- Official presentation of "Santiago de Cuba"
- Lunch a local Paladar (Included)
- Visit "Fort of San Pedro de la Roca"
- Check in Melia Santiago Hotel or Private House
- Visit the monuments "The slave Route" and "Copper Mines of Cobre"
- Visit the Catedral Church of the Virgen of Charity
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 12 – Camaguey-Santiago

- Breakfast (Included)
- Official Presentation of the historic center of "Santiago de Cuba"
- Visit the Catedral Church of the Virgen Of Charity
- Visit the house of "Diego Velazquez de Cuellar", First Governor of Cuba
- Visit the "ruins of the French" coffee plantations (La Isabelica, Catedral Fraternidad, La gran Sofia)
- Lunch at a Local Paladar (Included)
- Free afternoon
- Visit the French tomb" La Caridad de Oriente" Cultural heritage of senior folk dance which has its roots
- In the plantations, a place of Cuba Culture in the orient of Cuba
- Dinner on your own (not included)

Day 13 – Santiago-Holguin

- Breakfast (Included)
- Check out and transfer to Holguin
- Check in at Hotel
- Visit the Historic Center of Holguin
- Dinner at the Hotel (Included)

Day 14 – Holguin

- Breakfast (Included)
- Day to Explore the City of Holguin
- Lunch & Dinner Included

Day 15 - Departure Day

- Breakfast (Included)
- Checkout and Airport Transfer
- Departure from Holguin to Miami

Package Includes:

- Visa
- License to travel to Cuba by LA Art Organization
- Transfer from Airport-Hotel-Airport
- Daily transportation according to the program
- Personal Assistance
- Professional Driver & Bilingual guide
- 4-5* Hotel in Havana, Varadero
- Daily Breakfast
- 14 Lunch
- 2 Dinners

Not Included:

- International or Domestic flights (please contact our office for price)
- Gratuities for Driver, Tour Guide and Restaurants
- Alcoholic drinks
- Baggage fees

Notes:

- Monthly payments options
- We strongly recommend travel insurance for any cancelation or interruption