COCHIN, INDIA

A Kerala-Style Evening

Depart by a motor coach from the pier and transfer directly to the boat jetty. Here you will embark a small **boat** for an idyllic **evening cruise** through the waters of the city. The extensive network of rivers and canals lace together the coast and interior south of Cochin. For centuries these canals have provided a safe and efficient means of transporting goods and people between th...



Backwaters of Alappuzha by Houseboat

Departing Cochin by minivan, you'll pass through one of India's most beautiful and tranquil landscapes—a rural expanse of verdant coconut groves and rice paddies. The term backwaters refers to the intermeshed **network of rivers, lakes, canals and lagoons** that lace together the coastal and interior regions south...



Cochin Highlights

Tropical **Cochin** boasts a stunning location between the Arabian Sea and the backwaters, spread across coconut-covered islands and headlands. Its unique history of foreign influence is reflected in a variety of architectural styles—fine colonial houses built by wealthy British traders, Dutch cottages with split farmhouse doors, and narrow streets where the dwellings hide behind yello...

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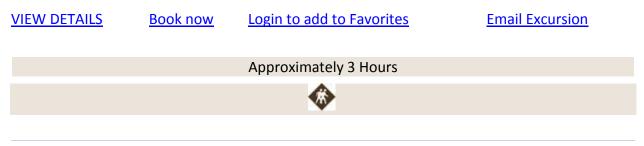
Life in Vaikom

It is said that the real India exists in her villages. Urban India, although large and constantly growing, represents only a small portion of this vast nation. In Kerala, rural and urban exist so close together that it is hard to say where one ends and the other begins. Your tour today takes you to one of Kerala's **rural villages**, **Vaikom**. Located in the district of Kottayam, it is ...

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Old Cochin

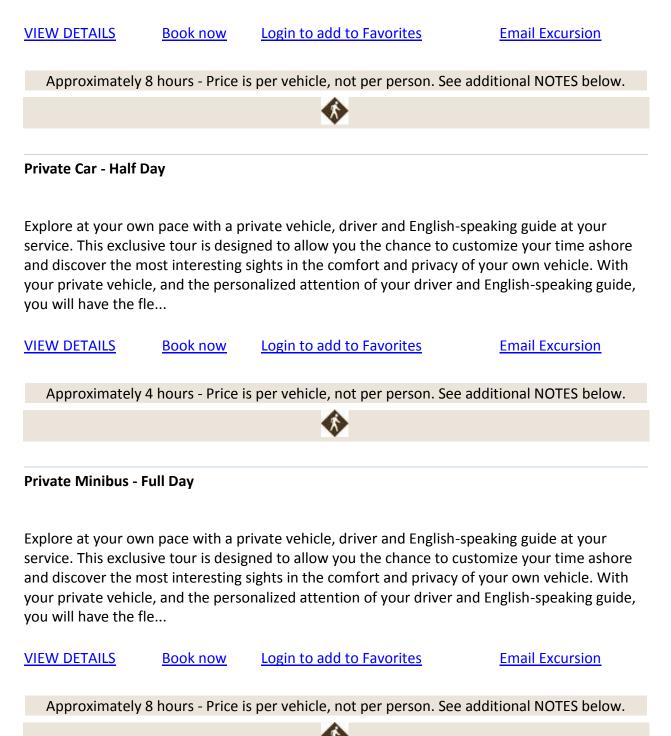
Depart the pier for your scenic drive to **Fort Cochin**, one of the three urban regions that constitute present day Kochi City. The architectural style of the buildings and the town layout make Fort Cochin distinct from other cities and towns of Kerala. Since it was under the control of the Portuguese, Dutch and British at different points of time, the region still bears the influence of Eu...



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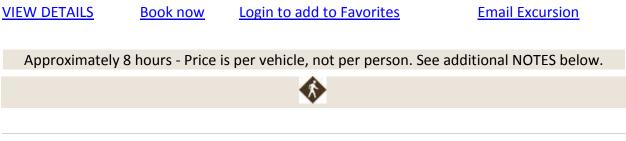
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