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Duration: 02 Nights & 03 Days Route: Trivandrum (Pick up) - Alleppey - Cochin (Departure)

# DAY 01: TRIVANDRUM - ALLEPPEY (160 KMS / 4 HRS)

After breakfast drive to Alleppey to board houseboat by 12 noon.

Enjoy the backwater cruise through the banks of paddy fields, villages etc. to explore the exciting and alluring beauty of Kerala backwater.

- Cruise through VembanadLake.
- LUNCH, DINNER AND NEXT DAY BREAKFAST AT HOUSEBOAT
- Overnight stay at Houseboat, Alleppey



DAY 02: ALLEPPEY - COCHIN (80 KM / 02 HRS)



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### After breakfast, disembark from the houseboatby 09 am and drive to Kochi.

**Kochi** (colonial name Cochin) is a vibrant city situated on the south-west coast of the Indian peninsula in the breathtakingly scenic and prosperous state of Kerala, hailed as 'God's Own Country'. Its strategic importance over the centuries is underlined by the sobriquet Queen of the Arabian Sea. Informally, Cochin is also referred to as the Gateway to Kerala.

Upon reaching Cochin, proceed to hotel for check in

In the afternoon go for a half day sightseeing tour of Cochin.

### **Chinese Fishing Nets**

The Chinese fishing nets (Cheenavala) are distinctly unique to Cochin. It is believed that traders from the court of the Chinese ruler Kublai Khan introduced these nets here. Oddly, these nets are found only in Kochi, outside China! Many fishermen earn their livelihood by fishing using these massive nets. A whole stretch of the coast along Fort Kochi and Vypin are dotted with these nets.



It is the oldest church built by Europeans in India. On his 3rd visit to Kerala, Vasco da Gama, the Portuguese trader who reached India from Europe by sea, fell ill and died in Kochi. He was buried in the St. Francis Church. Later his remains were taken back to Portugal. In spite of that, his burial spot inside the church has been clearly marked out.

### Jewish synagogue and Jew town

The synagogue, built in 1568, is magnificently decorated by Chinese tiles and Belgian chandeliers. Giant scrolls of the Old Testament can

be found here. It is located near the Dutch Palace in Mattancherry. (Closed on all Fridays and Saturdays)







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## **Mattancherry Palace'**

Mattancherry Palace with its medieval charm is situated at Palace Road, Mattancherry, and Kochi.

It was built by the Portuguese and presented to Veera Kerala Varma (1537–65), Raja of Kochi, in 1555 AD. The Dutch carried out some extensions and renovations in the palace in 1663, and thereafter it was popularly called Dutch Palace. The rajas also made more improvements to it. Today, it is a portrait gallery of the Cochin Rajas and notable for some of the best mythological murals in India, which are in the best traditions of Hindu temple art. The palace was built to appease the king after they plundered a temple nearby. (Closed on all Fridays)



Rest of the day free for shopping.

#### **DAY 03: COCHIN (DEPARTURE)**

After breakfast drive to Cochin airport to catch your flight back home.

#### \*\*\* Tour Ends\*\*\*

#### **Hotel Envisaged**

City	Nights	Deluxe	Premium	Luxury	MealPlan
Alleppey	01	Deluxe houseboat (Ac operate from 09 pm to 6 am only)	Premium Houseboat (Ac operate from 09 pm to 6 am only)	Luxury Houseboat (Full time ac)	All meals
Cochin	01	Abad Plaza or Similar	Casino or Similar	Taj Malabar or Similar	Breakfast

Cost sheet





PACKAGECOSTININR	Deluxe	Premium	Luxury
CostPerPersonwhen2PaxTravelling	15750	24950	30900
CostPerPersonwhen4 PaxTravelling	13500	22800	28800
Cost for Extra Person / Child with Bed(HotelCost Only)	3000	8000	11500

# The above package cost includes: -

- Accommodation in double / Triple room at above mentioned hotel on bed and breakfast basis
- All transfers and sightseeing by A/C Sedan car for 1- 2 pax and ac Innova car for 03 to 05 pax
- 01-bedroom ac houseboat for 2 pax and 02-bedroom for 04 pax on all meal basis (Alleppey Alleppey round trip)
- Driver bata, toll & parking charges
- All applicable taxes

#### The above cost does not includes: -

- Camera charges
- Entrance charges
- Guide charges
- Those which are personal in nature
- All expenses that are not mentioned in the inclusions.

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