

## 15 Days China Yunnan Tour

**Destinations:** Beijing, Xian, Kunming, Dali, Lijiang, Shanghai

**Tour Features:** This tour moves from Beijing to Xi'an, where you'll enjoy the cultural relics of these two ancient cities-the Great Wall, Forbidden City, and Terra-cotta Warriors. Then it's on to Kunming, Dali and Lijiang. Here you'll see the Stone Forest and high mountain scenery, and visit the villages of the Bai, Naxi, and Dongba ethnic minority people. Finish the tour with a free day in Shanghai.

**Tour Code:** CCT-SL02S



**Tour Price:** From **1,830 USD** [Click for Price Details](#)

**Tour Class:** Standard

**Tour Departure:** Flexible

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Off Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD 1,830/Person	USD 400/Person
6-9 Person	USD 2,040/Person	USD 575/Person
2-5 Person	USD 2,490/Person	USD 595/Person

Shoulder Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD 2,015/Person	USD 470/Person
6-9 Person	USD 2,190/Person	USD 630/Person
2-5 Person	USD 2,660/Person	USD 650/Person

Peak Season	Quotations	Single Supplements
10 Person or up	USD 2,050/Person	USD 545/Person
6-9 Person	USD 2,220/Person	USD 700/Person
2-5 Person	USD 2,685/Person	USD 720/Person

**Remarks:**

## 1. Seasonality

Off-season: January 1- March 14, 2011, November 16, 2010-March 14, 2012

Shoulder season: June, July, August

Peak season: March 15-31, 2011, April, May, September, October, November 1-15, 2011

2. Above prices are not valid during Spring Festival and National Holiday (1-7 October). Please [contact us](#) if your equerries fall into the above periods

## Other Available Tours including Kunming, Dali and Lijiang are as follows:

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7 Days Kunming, Dali, Lijiang **From 695 USD**

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14 Days Kunming, Dali, Lijiang, Lugu Lake, Shangri-la, Deqin **From 1,076 USD**

## Itinerary

### Day 01 Beijing

Arrive in Beijing, the capital of China. You are greeted by your guide at the airport and transferred to the four-star Holiday Inn Downtown Hotel.

### Day 02 Beijing (B, L)

Travel to the **Badaling Great Wall**, one of the eight ancient wonders of between 6000- 6500 km long built over several centuries to keep out the invading northern tribes. After a hike along a portion of the Wall, you visit the **Ming Tombs (Changling )**, a secluded valley housing 14 imperial burial mounds. Then you will have an overview of **Olympic Stadium**, including Bird Nest and Water Cube.

### Day 03 Beijing (B, L)

Morning tour starts with the Gugong, also called the **Forbidden City**, in scripted as a UNESCO world cultural heritage site in 1987. Built between 1406-1420, it is the largest palace of the world imperial complex covering 74 hectares. It has 9999 halls and rooms in which emperors lived for over 500 hundred years in Ming and Qing dynasties. Walk leisure around **Tian An Men Square** to admire the grandeur of the largest public squares in the world. After lunch, you will visit the biggest and most important imperial Temple of China, **Temple of Heaven**, where emperors performed annual rituals of sacrifice to ensure prosperity for future generations. Then you will drive to the **Summer Palace** which was built 800 years ago. It is the second largest and best-preserved royal garden in China, with 294 hectares including the beautiful and serene Kunming Lake.



### Day 04 Beijing (B, L)

Morning ride in three-wheeled rickshaws through **Beijing's Hutong**, experiencing the lifestyle of the Beijing locals. Proceed to visit Lama Temple, the only Beijing city temple that survived the Cultural Revolution. It is the largest Lama Temple outside Tibet. It was built in 1694 and the

architecture and ornamentation of the buildings show the influence of Han, Manchu, Mongolian and Tibetan styles. This afternoon visit **798 factory**, it is a new rising, avant-garde and trendy space that hosts high-level cultural, artistic and commercial activities.

### Day 05 Beijing / Xian (B, L)

Fly to Xian in the morning. You are greeted by your guide and transferred to the four-star Aurum International Hotel. Continue to visit the majestic **Big Wild Goose Pagoda**. It is a well-preserved ancient building and a holy place for Buddhists. Then visit **Ancient City Wall**. It's the most complete city wall that has survived in China, as well being one of the largest ancient military defensive systems in the world. Then you will spend some time at the famous **Shuyuanmen Cultural Street**.



### Day 06 Xian (B, L)

A full day tour to visit **Terracotta Warriors**. It is the most significant archeological excavations of the 20th century. It was listed by UNESCO in 1987 as one of the world cultural heritages. The museum covers an area of 16,300 square meters, divided into three sections: No. 1 Pit, No. 2 Pit, and No. 3 Pit respectively. After lunch drive back to the city and visit the Bell Tower in the very heart of Xian City. Following is the **Great Mosque** at the Muslim square. This Mosque is only one in China that perfectly combines the Muslim customs and Chinese culture, and features like a unique garden.

### Day 07 Xian / Kunming (B, L)

Fly to Kunming in the morning, the Spring City of China. Located on the east edge of the Tibet Plateau, Kunming is accompanied by warm weather year round. Check into the four-star New Era Hotel. In the afternoon, you will climb the **Western Hill** where you will find both Taoist and Buddhism temples on the top. A very beautiful lake view of the **Dianchi Lake** comes into sight while you are on the top of the **Dragon Gate**. On the way down, you will visit the **Huating Temple**, containing 500 sculptures of the disciples of the Buddha.

### Day 08 Kunming (B, L)

A full day excursion takes you to the **Stone Forest**, one of the natural wonders of the area, and a typical Karstic Landscape. On the way, you will enjoy a visit to a typical **Chinese village** and meet the local people.

### Day 09 Kunming / Dali (B, L)

You will take an early flight to Dali, an important stop on the Yunnan-Tibetan Highway. In the afternoon, tour the **Erhai Lake** and enjoy the Folk Songs and Dances of the Bai ethnic minority while the famous Three Course Tea presented. You will find the crystal blue lake and the green mountain range nearby look alike a Chinese painting. Then



take a look of the symbol of Dali, the Three Pagodas built 1,300 years ago. You can have a leisurely stroll in **Old Town Dali** at evening. Overnight at the four-star Asia Star Hotel.

### **Day 10 Dali / Lijiang (B, L)**

Today, you will drive to Lijiang. Lijiang, bordering Tibet, is a small town with a spectacular mountain backdrop. After lunch, you will visit the **Black Dragon Pool**, and the **Dongba Culture Exhibition Museum**, which represents the Dongba Pictographic Characters and Naxi Minorities mysterious Culture, some of which still use the matriarchal social system up till today. Late afternoon, tour the **Ancient Town of Dayan**, a World Heritage Site in China recognized by the United Nations in 1999. Check into the four-star Grand Hotel.

### **Day 11 Lijiang (B, L)**

A whole day tour starts with a visit to **Yufeng Si**, a traditional Lamasery famous for its 1000-year-old Camellia Tree. Take cable car ascending Jade Dragon Snow Mountain to visit Yak grassland, and tour the Baisha Mural in **Baisha Naxi minority village**.

### **Day 12 Lijiang / Shanghai (B)**

Enjoy free time in the morning. Fly back to Shanghai in the afternoon. Shanghai, China's financial and commercial center. You will be met by your guide and transferred to the four-star Shanghai Greenland Jiulong Hotel.

### **Day 13 Shanghai (B, L)**

Shanghai visit starts with a tour of the premier attractions of the city where you can immerse yourself in the culture and sophistication of this cosmopolitan. You can stroll along the lovely paths and pavilions of **Yu Garden** in Shanghai **Old City** and at the same time experience Shanghai recently gained modernity. This afternoon visit **Shanghai Museum**, mainly the exhibitions of painting, bronze, sculpture, ceramics, calligraphy, jade, Ming & Qing



Dynasty furniture, coins, seals, and ethnic artwork. Then you will spend some shopping time at the famous **Nanjing Road**. In the evening enjoy leisure walk along the riverfront Bund and admire the night lights on both sides of the harbor.

### **Day 14 Shanghai (B)**

Free day.

### **Day 15 Shanghai (B)**

After breakfast transfer to the airport for your departure flight.

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