

Kumarakom Luxury Houseboat & Spa Escape: Romantic Waterway Stay

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Destination
Kerala



Duration
7 Nights 8 Days



Starting from
Rs. 58,200 / person

ITINERARY ROUTE

↗ **Kochi · 1N**

↗ **Munnar · 2N**

↗ **Thekkady · 1N**

↗ **Kumarakom · 3N**

Overview

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Experience a signature Kerala tour package crafted for couples – the perfect Kerala Honeymoon tour package and Kerala Honeymoon package for those seeking a blend of hill-station beauty, wildlife, and intimate backwater romance. This 7 nights / 8 days Kerala itinerary combines the colonial charm of Kochi, the misty tea gardens of Munnar, wildlife at Thekkady (Periyar), and an unforgettable stay in Kumarakom with a luxury private houseboat on the Vembanad backwaters plus a rejuvenating spa.

Highlights:

- Luxury private houseboat cruise on Vembanad Lake (overnight)
- Couples' spa session at a premium Kumarakom resort
- Munnar tea gardens & Eravikulam National Park sightings
- Periyar wildlife boat cruise and spice plantation visit
- Romantic experiences: sunset cruises, candlelight dinner, village walks

This 7 nights 8 days Kerala Honeymoon tour package is ideal for couples seeking romance, comfort, and authentic local experiences.

✓ What's Included

- ✓ 7 nights' accommodation as per the itinerary (twin/double sharing)
- ✓ Daily breakfast and 4 select dinners (including one romantic candlelight dinner)
- ✓ One overnight stay on a Luxury Private Houseboat with all meals on board
- ✓ Return airport transfers in Kerala (Cochin) and all intercity transfers by private air-conditioned vehicle
- ✓ Sightseeing and entry fees as per the itinerary (private vehicle & driver)
- ✓ 60-minute couples' spa treatment at Kumarakom resort (one session per couple)
- ✓ English-speaking chauffeur/guide, parking, tolls and fuel
- ✓ Welcome drink and traditional Kerala snacks on arrival at Kumarakom resort
- ✓ 24/7 local support during the tour

✗ Not Included

- ✗ International / domestic flights to Kochi
- ✗ Travel insurance and medical expenses
- ✗ GST, service charges or local taxes (if applicable)
- ✗ Personal expenses, tips, laundry, telephone bills
- ✗ Optional activities (houseboat upgrades, private boat rentals, premium spa packages beyond the included session)
- ✗ Early check-in / late check-out (unless requested and paid for)
- ✗ Any expenses not mentioned in 'Inclusions'
- ✗ Important: Prices and inclusions may change during peak festival or Christmas/New Year periods.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Day

1

Arrival in Kochi — Welcome to God's Own Country

Arrive at Cochin International Airport or Ernakulam Railway Station. Meet and assist on arrival and transfer to your hotel in Fort Kochi. Spend the afternoon exploring the colonial lanes: Fort Kochi, Chinese Fishing Nets, St. Francis Church, and Mattancherry Palace. Evening at leisure with a romantic seaside walk at the Fort. Tip: Keep a light jacket for the coastal breeze.

Day

2

Drive to Munnar — Hill Station Escape

After breakfast, drive to Munnar through scenic rubber and spice plantations (approx. 4–5 hours). Check in to your mountain resort and unwind. Evening tea plantation walk and a relaxed couple's photoshoot amidst emerald tea gardens. Note: Altitude can be slightly cooler — carry warm clothing for early mornings.

Day

3

Munnar Sightseeing — Nature & Tea Trails

Today explore the best of Munnar: visit Eravikulam National Park (home to the Nilgiri Tahr), Mattupetty Dam, Echo Point, and the Tea Museum. Enjoy panoramic viewpoints and a sunset over the Western Ghats. Important: Eravikulam park entry is subject to availability; pre-book if traveling during peak season.

Day

4

Munnar to Thekkady — Spice Trails & Wildlife

Drive to Thekkady (Periyar) after breakfast. On arrival, check into your resort and later visit a local spice plantation to learn about cardamom, pepper, cinnamon and more. In the evening enjoy a tranquil boat cruise on Periyar Lake (subject to park timings) searching for elephants, deer and birds. Tip: Carry binoculars for wildlife sightings.

Day

5

Transfer to Kumarakom — Backwater Resort Retreat

After breakfast, drive to the backwater haven of Kumarakom. Check in at a luxury lakeside resort. Afternoon visit to Kumarakom Bird Sanctuary for birdwatching (seasonal). Relax by the pool and enjoy sunset views over Vembanad Lake. Evening: special welcome with local Kerala snacks. Special: Personalized romantic turndown on arrival (on request).

Day

6

Luxury Private Houseboat Cruise — Overnight on the Backwaters

Embark on a private, fully crewed luxury houseboat (Kettuvallam) for a mesmerizing cruise through the quiet backwaters of Kumarakom/Alleppey. Savor traditional Kerala cuisine prepared by the onboard chef, glide past paddy fields, village homes and narrow canals, and enjoy a private candlelit dinner on the deck. Overnight on the houseboat — a highlight of any Kerala Honeymoon tour package. Note: Houseboat layout and décor may vary by operator; water levels can affect route.

Day

7

Return to Kumarakom — Spa & Romance

Disembark and return to your Kumarakom resort. Today is reserved for relaxation: indulge in a couples' Ayurveda or spa treatment (included: 60-minute couple's massage), enjoy kayaking or a village walk, and end the day with a private candlelight dinner by the lake. Tip: Pre-book spa slots to secure preferred timings.

Day

8

Departure — Transfer to Kochi

After breakfast, check out and transfer to Kochi Airport/Railway Station for your onward journey. Enroute, stop for last-minute shopping or a short sightseeing if time permits. Farewell to Kerala — take home memories of this intimate 7 nights 8 days Kerala Honeymoon package. Important: Standard check-out times apply; request late check-out in advance if needed.

Frequently Asked Questions

What are the top tourist destinations in Kerala?

Kerala offers stunning tourist destinations like Munnar's tea plantations, Alleppey's backwaters, Kochi's vibrant culture, and Wayanad's lush hills. Don't miss the stunning beaches of Varkala and Kovalam, as well as the tranquil landscapes of Thekkady and Kumarakom. Each offers unique experiences for every traveler.

What is the best time to visit Kerala?

The best time to visit Kerala is from October to March. During these months, the weather is pleasantly cool and dry, making it ideal for exploring the lush backwaters, hill stations, and vibrant culture. Remember to experience the festivals and local events that take place during this peak tourist season!

How can I travel around Kerala?

Traveling around Kerala is easy thanks to its extensive transport options. You can use private taxis, auto-rickshaws, and public buses. For scenic routes, consider hiring a houseboat, especially in the backwaters of Alleppey. Trains and domestic flights connect major cities, making exploration seamless.

❓ What are the famous cuisines to try in Kerala?

Kerala is renowned for its delicious cuisine, featuring dishes like Sambar, Appam, and Puttu. Don't miss the spicy Kerala fish curry and the delectable dosa. For a unique experience, try traditional Sadya, a vegetarian feast served on a banana leaf, highlighting the region's rich flavors and diverse culinary traditions.

❓ What activities can I enjoy in Kerala's backwaters?

In Kerala's backwaters, you can enjoy serene houseboat cruises, kayaking through lush mangroves, and bird watching. Experience local cuisine on board, visit traditional villages, and partake in unique cultural performances. Don't miss the opportunity for peaceful sunsets and picturesque landscapes!

❓ Is Kerala suitable for family vacations?

Yes, Kerala is ideal for family vacations! With its serene backwaters, lush hill stations, wildlife sanctuaries, and beautiful beaches, it offers a variety of activities for all ages. Families can enjoy houseboat rides, explore spice plantations, and visit cultural sites, making it a memorable destination.

❓ What are the important festivals celebrated in Kerala?

Kerala is home to vibrant festivals like Onam, celebrated with colorful festivities and the traditional feast; Vishu, marking the New Year with family gatherings; and Thrissur Pooram, showcasing grand temple processions and spectacular fireworks. These events reflect the rich culture and heritage, making Kerala a unique tourist destination.

★ Traveller Reviews



Aditi Rao

★★★★★ 5/5

Everlasting Impressions of Kerala

From the stunning scenery to rich traditions, this tour made lasting impressions. I can't help but reminisce about the experiences. Highly recommend!



Kunal Kaur

★★★★★ 5/5

A Well-Rounded Experience

This Kerala tour provided a perfect blend of relaxation and activities. We got to unwind in the backwaters and explore beautiful hill stations. A great balance!



Vani Dubey

★★★★★ 5/5

Heavenly Kerala Escape

Kerala felt like heaven on earth! The combination of nature, culture, and warm hospitality made it a trip to remember. I left a piece of my heart there!



Kiran Menon

★★★★☆ 4/5

An Immersive Eco-Tour

The eco-tour experience was unique and educational. We learned about sustainable practices while enjoying the nature-rich surroundings. Very well organized!



Rajesh Iyer

★★★★★ 5/5

Charming Village Tours

Exploring local villages was a highlight. Interacting with locals and understanding their lifestyle was eye-opening. Very enriching experience!

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