



Ancient Kingdoms: Thailand, Laos, Cambodia & Vietnam October 2026

Discover sacred temples and opulent palaces. Visit vibrant cities and local villages as you explore colorful cultures that span centuries of civilization, while you journey in a small group of no more than 16 travelers.

This adventure takes you into the heart and soul of your destination, enabling you to interact with local people and gain insight into their history. Our small group size allows us to go beyond the tourist track to see the region's hidden gems. You'll be led by our experienced guides who know the backstory of each place you visit.

We first fly into Thailand, where you'll explore the river Kwai and the golden triangle. Visit the Grand Palace. Enjoy a conversation with a Thammasart University student. Delight in a Chaopraya River dinner cruise.

After visiting Bangkok, the exciting capital, it's on to Vientiane, the ancient capital of Laos, where we will observe spiritual traditions and sacred sanctuaries. From there we journey to Cambodia, home of the legendary ancient temples of Angkor Wat, Phnom Penh and so much more.

Next, it's on to Vietnam, where we'll witness Vietnam from multiple perspectives, including Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon) and the scenic Mekong Delta. History, culture, food and daily life all come together for a combination of learning and fun. Another benefit to a small group is that it's easier to make friends and gain new knowledge from each other.

*As you travel, you'll enjoy modern accommodations and delicious local cuisines together. **Please note that space on this adventure is truly limited, so reserve your place today [on our website](#) or call (269) 209-5889.***



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Phone Reservations: **(269) 209-5889**

Snapshot Itinerary:
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Travel Dates: *October 2026 (exact dates TBA)*

Day 1 – Depart U.S.

Day 2 – Arrive Bangkok, Thailand

Day 3 – Discover Bangkok • Exclusive cooking lesson & lunch

Day 4 – Explore Bangkok • Visit Grand Palace • Conversation with Thammasart University student • Chaopraya River dinner cruise

Day 5 – Ayutthaya • Boat ride on Pa Sak river

Day 6 – Bangkok • Fly to Luang Prabang, Laos

Day 7 – Cruise the Mekong River • Village visit • Explore Pak Ou Cave

Day 8 – Alms-giving ceremony • A Day in the Life of a local village • Grand Circle Foundation visit: Village school

Day 9 – High-speed train to Vientiane • Home-Hosted Dinner

Day 10 – Vientiane • Conversation about unexploded bombs • Meet a Buddhist monk • C.O.P.E. Center tour • Optional puppet show and dinner tour

Day 11 – Vientiane • Fly to Phnom Penh, Cambodia • Visit the Champey Academy of Arts

Day 12 – Phnom Penh • Visit Killing Fields of Choeng Ek & Tuol Sleng Prison Museum

Day 13 – Phnom Penh • Overland to Siem Reap • Local interaction

Day 14 – Siem Reap • Visit a floating village • Explore Angkor

Day 15 – Siem Reap • Explore Angkor Wat temples

Day 16 – Siem Reap • Optional Banteay Srei tour • Fly to Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon), Vietnam

Day 17 – Ho Chi Minh City • Mekong Delta discovery

Day 18 – Ho Chi Minh City • Visit Independence Palace • Optional Saigon street food adventure tour

Day 19 – Ho Chi Minh City • Visit Cu Chi Tunnels

Day 20 – Return to U.S.



REMINDER: *Space for this special journey is available on a first-come, first-serve basis and is truly limited. To reserve your place today, please call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889. Welcome!*

COVID-19 UPDATE: Good news! COVID-19 vaccines are no longer required for trips departing on or after 1/1/24. To learn more about our COVID vaccine policy, which is set by our providers, call us at (269) 209-5889. As always, we will be happy to answer your questions and provide more information. Thank you!



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A professional video camera, likely a Canon VIXIA HF10, is shown with a large lens and a microphone attached. It is positioned in the bottom left corner of the page.



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Pricing Summary & Trip Dates

Trip Name: Ancient Kingdoms:
Trip Dates: October 2026 (*exact dates TBA*)
Base Trip Cost: \$4,095 (*final price TBD*)

Rd. Trip Airfare: \$1,400 (*est. from Detroit Metro*)

Trip Cancellation Coverage – Trip cancellation insurance is not required but is highly recommended. For details, please visit www.gct.com or call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889.

Reservation Deposit: The deposit to reserve your space on this trip is \$500 per person, fully refundable until 90 days prior to departure.

Need Help? For personal assistance or more information about this trip in the meantime, call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889 during regular business hours.

TOUR RESERVATION POLICY:

Reservations can be made by calling Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889. A \$500 deposit is required to guarantee your place (credit cards accepted). Remaining balance due 90 days before departure.

Note: The information, dates and prices provided in this document are estimates only based on currently available information. All prices and itinerary details are subject to change pending the release of 2026 dates and pricing. All pricing is listed per person.

Pricing Disclaimer: Every effort will be made to provide accurate pricing information. Operator reserves the right to correct promotional or pricing errors at any time, or to increase the trip price in the event of cost increases, currency fluctuations, venue fee increases, taxes, or fuel surcharges, or other reasons, unless you pre-paid according to the terms of the Good Buy Plan prior to the cost increase going into effect. For more information, please call Curtis Whitaker at (269) 209-5889.



Important Links:

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