



DISCOVERY TOUR ARMENIA & KHARABAGH

Length: 14days/13nights

Start and finish of the tour: in Yerevan.

Day 1

Arrival at Zvartnots airport. Time for leisure. Museum of History. Lunch at the restaurant. City tour. Erebuny fortress and museum (782 BC). Dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan.

Day 2

Etchmiadzin, Cathedral (303AD), St Gayane (630AD) Ethnographic museum in Sardarapat, lunch. St.Hripsime (618AD) churches, Zvartnots (643AD). Dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan.

Day 3

Aruch (7th cc.), Mastara (5th cc.), Harichavank (7-13th cc.), lunch-picnic. Gyumri. Marmashen (10-11th cc.). Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Gyumri.

Day 4

Gyumri, Stepanavan, Lore castle (10 -14th cc.), Gulakarak arboretum, lunch-picnic, siti tour in Vanadzor, st. Astvatsatsin church (17th c.). Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Vanadzor.

Day 5

Alaverdi Haghpat (10 -13th cc.) lunch-picnic, and Sanahin (10 -13th cc.) monastery complexes, Odzun temple (6th c.). Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Alaverdi.

Day 6

Aghtala castel and church (10-13thcc.), Noyemberyan, lunch-picnic, Voskepar church (7th c.), Makaravanq monastery (10-13thcc.). Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Ijevan.

Day 7

Dilijan, Goshavank monastery complex (10-13thcc.), Haghartsin (10-13th cc), lunch, Lake Sevan, peninsula, Sevan Monastery (9-13thcc.). Noradouz medieval khachkars field (9 -17th cc.). Dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan.

Day 8

Garni pagan temple (1st c.), lunch- picnic by the road. Geghard monastery (12-13th cc.). Monument and Museum of Genocide. Museum of S.Paradjanov. Dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan. (Elevation: 1300 m. Driving: 125 km).

Day 9

Khor-Virap monastery (17th c.), Areni church (1321), Noravank monastery (13-14th cc.). Lunch- picnic. Sisavan church (7th c.), Sisian. Dinner and overnight at the hotel "Basen" in Sisian.

Day 10

Ancient village Togh (1 mil. BC). Tsitsernavank (5th c.) monastery, Nagorno-Kharabakh, Stepanakert, lunch. Askeran Mayraberd (9-10th cc), Aghdam. Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Stepanakert.

Day 11

Stepanakert, Gandzasar monastery (13th c.), Mardakert region and river Tartar, Stepanakert. Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Stepanakert.

Day 12

Historical capital of Kharabakh- Shushi, Khndzoresk ancient village in caves (1mil.BC). Lunch at the restaurant in Goris. Dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan.

Day 13

Matenadaran - institute and museum of medieval manuscripts. Ashtarak, medieval bridge (13th c.), Karmavor (7th c.) and Tsiranavor (5th-c.) churches. Lunch. Hamberd castle and church (10-13th cc.), Saghmosavank monastery (13th-c.). Parting dinner, overnight at the hotel in Yerevan.

Day 14

Transfer to the airport. Departure.
