

Beijing, EXPO 2011 Xi'an & Guilin Tour 【Tour Code: BXFG(Fri.)】

Itinerary 1: Beijing Arr. / EXPO 2011 Xi'an/Guilin/Yangshuo/Guilin /Shanghai Dep. 9N10D

Wonderful Night Shows (self-financed):

Beijing/Chinese Kung Fu Show (specified, US \$28/P)

Xi'an/Tang Dynasty Music & Dance Show (recommended, US \$30/P)

Guilin/Impression Sanjie Liu (recommended, US \$30/P)

Deluxe Hotels:

Beijing: 5☆Pullman Beijing West Wanda/similar

Xi'an: 5☆Grand Noble Hotel Xi'an/similar

Guilin: 5☆Guilin Royal Garden Hotel/similar

Yangshuo: Quasi-5☆New West Street International Hotel/similar

Shanghai: 5☆Ramada Plaza Gateway Shanghai/similar

Guangzhou: 4☆Landmark Canton Hotel /similar (FREE)

Start Date: Every FRI (Local Date in China)

D01, FRI, Beijing **X**

On arrival, meet your guide at the airport and transfer to hotel. The rest of the day is free to relax.

D02, SAT, Beijing **B, L, D**

Morning: Explore the incredible **【Forbidden City】** with its best-preserved imperial palace complex. Then visit **【Tiananmen Square】**-the biggest of city central in the world. After that, go to **【Qianmen Street】**, the old shopping street of Qing Dynasty. Then Continue to the beautiful **【Summer Palace】** where you can discover the royal gardens, pavilions and halls in a tranquil lakeside setting. Later visit Pearl City. At night, enjoy **【Kung Fu Show】** (specified item, self-financed US\$28/P).

D03, SUN, Beijing **B, L, X**

Morning: after visiting Bona Jade Store, you will explore to the **【Juyongguan Great Wall】** of China. The Great Wall is one of the 'Seven Wonders of the World'. Afternoon: continue to visit oversight of **【Bird's Nest】** and **【Water Cube】**. Then transfer to visit the famous commercial street--- **【Wangfujing Street】**. Wang Fu Jing Street is the famous commercial area with hundreds of long history and is called "Gold Street". Wang Fu Jing Street with historical and modern culture of Beijing is the commercial centre beyond controversy in whole country. Then visit Tongrentang, the Chinese Traditional Medicine Store. Dinner will be self-arranged.

D04, MON, Beijing-Xi'an **AIR B, L, D**

Take a morning flight to Xi'an. Upon arrival, visit the **【Ancient City Wall】** that still compasses the centre of Xi'an. It is the most complete one that has survived in China, as well being one of the largest ancient military defensive systems in the world. After that, continue to visit the dramatic **【Small Wild Goose Pagoda】**, famous Buddha's pagoda of Tang Dynasty, which also witnessed the great earthquake of Ming Dynasty. Then go to visit **【Xi'an Museum】**, China's first national museum equipped with modern facilities. Then go to Xi'an Silk Factory. Xi'an is the starting point of the famous Silk Road. Dinner will be the century-old De Fa Chang Dumplings, one of China's Intangible Cultural Heritage, the most famous dumplings' restaurant in China. Chairman Jiang and Hu once had dinner here, as well as many foreign leaders. At night, self-charge to enjoy the wonderful **【Tang Dynasty Music & Dance Show】** (recommended item, self-financed US \$30 /P).

D05, TUE, Xi'an **B, L, D**

Morning: visit **【Qin Emperor's Mausoleum & Terra-cotta Warriors and Horses】**, (Museum of Terra-cotta Warriors and Horses+ Qin Emperor's Mausoleum+ Colored Terra-Cotta+ Chariots Terra-Cotta, about 4-5Hs) --the most significant

archeological excavations of the 20th century. The Terracotta Army is one of the top attractions in China, because of its historical significance and uniqueness. After that, we continue to visit Artistic Ceramics Factory, learn about the techniques of making Tang San Cai, as well as the terra cotta warriors. Then continue to visit the **【Big Wild Goose Pagoda】** (outside view).—A Buddhist pagoda located in southern Xi'an. By the way, enjoy the Music Conduit beside the pagoda, which is the largest Music Conduit Square of Asia, experience the perfect combination of music and spring (except raining or snowing days). Then go to visit **【South Lake Scenic Area】** (Qu River Relic) -- real mountain, real lake, pure and natural beauty, plain but true, be called 'First Lake of Shannxi'.

D06, WED, EXPO 2011 Xi'an (without lunch)

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The International Horticultural Exposition will be held in Xi'an in 2011. It will be another grand international gathering hosted by China after the Beijing 2008 Olympics and Expo 2010 Shanghai, as well as an important opportunity to showcase green civilization and promote the nation's image. The expo's theme is "Eternal peace & harmony between nature & mankind, nurturing the future earth---a city for nature, co-existing in peace". The emblem and mascot of the exposition have been designated as the "Chang'an Flower", alluding to a famous Tang poem which reads: "Proudly I ride a galloping steed, feasting my eyes on Chang'an flowers at a fleeting speed."

Remarks: Non-EXPO period, the tour itinerary will be:

【The Ruins of Daming Palace】 : It is one of the three Big Palaces of Chang'an City, which was built by Tang Emperor Taizong Li Shimin for his father Li Yuan. **【Xing Qing Park】** -- the story "Drunken Beauty" of Yang Guifei, one of the Four Ancient Great Beauties, was happened here. There are also Li Bai's poems here. **【Cold Kiln】** -- it witnessed the eternal great love of Wang Baochuan, who living here to waiting for her husband Xue Pinggui 18 years.

D07, THU, Xi'an-Guilin

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Fly to Guilin after breakfast. Upon arrival, go to visit **【Reed Flute Cave】** . Reed Flute Cave displays a spectacular world of rock formation in fantastic shapes with legendary and poetic names. It is rated as a Top AAAA Scenic Spot. Then move to **【Calligraphy and Painting Store】** . On the way back, enjoy the beautiful scenery of "Two Rivers and Four Lakes" (including Lijiang River, Peach Blossom River, Ronghu Lake, Shanhu Lake, Guihu Lake and Wooden Dragon Lake), closely feeling fiery trees and silvers, a night without darkness.

D08, FRI, Guilin-Yangshuo

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After breakfast, take a **【bamboo boat for a drift on Yu Long River】** (with the permit. If not, Lijiang Cruise in Yangshuo Section instead). A major tributary of Li River, Yu Long River flows through some of the most beautiful Karst (limestone) scenery near Yangshuo. After arrival at Yangshuo, go to visit **【West Street】** , which is the oldest and the most prosperous district in Yangshuo. It is alive with cafes offering interesting Chinese and Western food. At night, self-charge to enjoy **【Impression Liu Sanjie】** (recommended item, self-financed US \$30/P) www.yxlsj.com. The performance, with the natural mountains and water as the setting, has become a must for visitors to Yangshuo.

D09, SAT, Yangshuo-Guilin-Shanghai

BUS+AIR

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After breakfast, go to enjoy the beautiful pastoral scenery of Yangshuo (Walking, bicycling or battery vehicles, self-charge the cost). Back to Guilin after lunch, then transfer to fly to Shanghai. Relax the rest of the day.

D10, SUN, Shanghai

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Transfer to airport after breakfast, service ends.

Tour Arrangements will be subject to local real conditions!

Wish You a Happy Journey

【BXFG】 Beijing , EXPO 2011 Xi'an & Guilin Tour Price List

US\$ per person

Tour Fare Valid Date	Itinerary Shanghai Dep.
	BXFG2
2011.3.1 --2011.8.31	1318
2011.9.1 --2011. 11.30	1338
2011.12.1 --2012. 2.29	1258
Single Room Supp.	520
Tips	80

Re :

2) **Fare excludes tips.** Tips are for guide, driver tips, and bell boy tips in hotel; the same for children.

3) **Specified items (self-financed):** Beijing Kung Fu Show (US \$28/P)

4) **Total Fare:** tour fare + specified self-financed fee (US \$28/P)

5) Shopping Stops:

BXFG: Beijing: Pearl, Bona, Tongrentang; Xi'an/Artistic Ceramics Factory, Silk; Guilin: Calligraphy and Painting store

**The price is based on North American Adults;
For the price for children, please refer to relevant explanations.**

Detailed Start Date (Local Date in China)

Month	Every Fri. (BXFG)
2011. 3.	04, 11, 18, 25
2011. 4.	01, 08, 15, 22
2011. 5.	06, 13, 20, 27
2011. 6.	03, 10, 17, 24
2011. 7.	01, 08, 15, 22, 29
2011. 8.	05, 12, 19, 26
2011. 9.	02, 09, 16, 23
2011. 10.	07, 14, 21, 28
2011. 11.	04, 11, 18, 25
2011. 12.	02, 09, 16, 23, 30
2012. 1.	06
2012. 2.	03, 17

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