

# Vietnam, Cambodia & the Charms of the Mekong

with AmaWaterways,  
escorted by Linda Tuff

November 10 - 25, 2018



## **Included Features:**

- Linda Tuff escorting group from Halifax on selected air itinerary
- 2 nights in Ho Chi Minh City (formerly known as Saigon) including daily buffet breakfast with baggage handling
- Sightseeing program in Ho Chi Minh City
- Special Group Welcome Group Dinner in Ho Chi Minh
- Transfers from hotel in Ho Chi Minh to embarkation at My Tho Port
- 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in an outside balcony stateroom onboard the AmaDara
- Gourmet dining with all meals included during your cruise with complimentary local beer, wine and soft drinks during lunch & dinner
- Welcome Dinner and Farewell Reception & Dinner
- Prepaid Gratuities for the Cruise Tour Manager and Onboard gratuities (\$157.00CAD value)
- Daily Shore excursions as listed by AmaWaterways (in 2018 brochure)
- Transfers from Prek Kdam to Siem Reap
- 2 nights in Siem Reap and daily buffet breakfast with baggage handling
- Daily sightseeing program in Siem Reap
- Transfers to airport, Inter Asian flight from Siem Reap to Hanoi
- Daily sightseeing program in Hanoi
- 2 nights hotel accommodation in Hanoi and daily buffet breakfast
- Overnight stay aboard a luxurious Wooden Junk boat, scenic cruising in Ha Long Bay
- Overnight in Hanoi including breakfast
- Transfers between airports and hotels
- All local taxes



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Two lively cities, Ho Chi Minh City and Hanoi, provide the perfect start and end to your incredible journey. Your journey begins in lively Ho Chi Minh City where you will enjoy a two night stay and city sightseeing tour. Transfer to My Tho Port for embarkation onboard the AMA Dara. Enjoy the fascinating view of the Saigon River from your private balcony or from the sundeck. Visit rural villages, historic pagodas, floating markets and a Buddhist monastery along the Mekong River. Your cruise comes to an end as you disembark at Prek Kdam and transfer to Siem Reap, known as the gateway of the ancient Khmer empire. Spend the next couple of days exploring temples in Angkor Archeological Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and many other fantastic sightseeing opportunities. Fly from Siem Reap to Hanoi. Explore the city of Hanoi, enjoying historical and cultural sites along with a Water Puppet Show. Be treated by an AMA Waterways' exclusive with an overnight sojourn on board a deluxe Junk in Ha Long Bay. Your experience concludes in Hanoi.

### Itinerary

| DATE   | DESTINATION                      | DAILY ACTIVITIES  |
|--------|----------------------------------|---|
| 10 Nov | <b>Ho Chi Minh City</b>          | Arrival & hotel check in.   |
| 11 Nov | <b>Ho Chi Minh City</b>          | City Sightseeing Tour & Group Welcome Dinner.   |
| 12 Nov | <b>Ho Chi Minh City</b>          | Transfer to My Tho Port for embarkation.  |
| 13 Nov | <b>Cai Be – Sa Dec</b>           | Local boat ride to see a floating market, visit a traditional candy making workshop and rice paper mill.            |
| 14 Nov | <b>Sa Dec -Tan Chau</b>          | Visit a local market, small museum and Fujian Temple.   |
| 15 Nov | <b>Tan Chau- Border Crossing</b> | Visit craftsmen's workshops and village with a Trishaw ride.  |
| 16 Nov | <b>Phnom Penh- Kampong Cham</b>  | Morning tour explores Cambodia's highlights, afternoon Killing Fields excursion and the Khmer Rouge's grim.         |
| 17 Nov | <b>Kampong Tralach</b>           | Visit the hilltop pre-Angkorian temple of Wat Hanchey, a pagoda overlooking the Mekong. Visit an Eco-village.       |
| 18 Nov | <b>Kampong Chhnang</b>           | Motor boat tour of the lakeside wetlands, visit a Buddhist monastery and enjoy an oxcart ride.                      |
| 19 Nov | <b>Prek Kdam</b>                 | Your cruise comes to an end, disembarkation and transfer to Siem Reap by motor coach. Arrive at hotel to check in.  |
| 20 Nov | <b>Siem Reap</b>                 | Siem Reap Angkor Wat, Ta Prohm and Banteay Srei. Visit AmaWaterways-sponsored school                                |
| 21 Nov | <b>Siem Reap</b>                 | Angkor Thom, Inter Asian flight from Siem Reap to Hanoi. Hotel check-in .   |
| 22 Nov | <b>Hanoi</b>                     | Morning sightseeing tour of historical and cultural sites. Afternoon rickshaw ride along with Water Puppet Show.    |
| 23 Nov | <b>Ha Long Bay</b>               | Transfer from Hanoi to Ha Long Bay for excursion. Overnight cruise aboard a deluxe Junk.                            |
| 24 Nov | <b>Ha Long Bay Hanoi</b>         | Spend the morning sailing emerald waters of Ha Long Bay, later in the day, transfer back to Hanoi for an overnight. |
| 25 Nov | <b>Hanoi</b>                     | Farewell Vietnam, transfer to the airport, return to Canada.  |



### Pricing in CAD Funds:

- **Category C:** (Tonle & Saigon Deck - French & Outside Balcony, 251 sq. ft.) **\$6930.00CAD** per person, based on double occupancy
- **Category B:** (Tonle & Sadek and Saigon Deck - French & Outside Balcony, 251 sq. ft.) **\$7470.00CAD** per person, based on double occupancy

Single pricing and Suite categories are available upon request.

- **Discounts:** Bridge Discount \$50.00CAD per person and Early Booking Discount \$75.00CAD per person (deposit due by September 30, 2017).

- **Deposit:** A non-refundable deposit of \$1250.00CAD per person is due to CAA within 7 days of booking. Second deposit of \$1250.00CAD per person is due to CAA May 1, 2018. Final Payment: Final payment is due July 5, 2018.

- **Cancellation Penalties:** Date of deposit to April 30th, 2018: Deposit is forfeit. May 1, 2018 to May 14th 2018: 50% is forfeit. May 15, 2018 to July 4, 2018: 75% is forfeit. July 5, 2018 to Date of Departure: 100% is forfeit.

- **Not Included:** Return airfare, entry Visa required for Vietnam and entry Visa required for Cambodia, air taxes, optional travel protection, items of a personal nature, meals not mentioned above, and optional touring.

Pricing is per person, based on double/twin occupancy, a limited number of single cabins available for a supplement, please enquire. Tours are arranged on a minimum number of passengers and an escort will accompany the group once our minimums are met.