

TOUR PROGRAM



DAY 1

03:00 pm Arrival at the hotel (check-in)
07:00 pm Welcoming dinner

DAY 2

08:00 Departure

10:00 Gyumri the second-largest city in Armenia.

10:30 Breakfast in Gyumri.

11:45 Gyumri museum of national architecture and urban life. As part of the excursion, you will visit the Museum of National Architecture and Urban Life of Gyumri. In the museum, you will immerse yourself in the life and customs of the city of Gyumri, and immerse yourself in the traditional Armenian interior.

12:30 Black Fortress from Russo-Turkish War. Black Fortress during the Russian-Turkish War. If you are familiar with the history of the bloody Russian-Turkish wars, then in Gyumri we will show you their lifeless witnesses.

02:00 Gastro Tour: Circassian valley. Gastrotour in the Circassian Valley. Here you can catch fish with your own hands, and experienced chefs will prepare it according to Armenian recipes.

04:00 Walking tour in the Old Gyumri. Tea time ,sweets of Gyumri.

Back to Yerevan

DAY 3

10:00 Departure

11:00 Greco-Roman colonnaded building in Armenia-temple of Garni. The pagan Temple of Garni, once a place of sun worship, is located in the village of Garni, Kotayk region, on the right bank of Azat River. It is a unique pre-Christian structure - an immovable monument of Armenian history and culture. "Here, you will not only be able to appreciate the temple built in the Greco-Roman style but also enjoy the magnificent view from the river gorge.

DAY 3

12:20 Lavash (Armenian bread) baking master class. In Armenia, the process of baking Armenian bread – lavash – is very interesting. You will see how Armenian women prepare the dough and place it in a tandoor oven, and the result is delicious bread that you can taste right on the spot.

02:50 St. Geghard Monastery, partially carved out of the adjacent mountain Geghard Monastery is a medieval monastery complex in Armenia. It is located on the right bank of the Azat River in the Kotayk region. The famous spear with which the Roman soldier pierced the body of Christ is kept here. It was brought to Armenia by the Apostle Thaddeus, one of the first preachers of Christianity. The monastery complex of Geghard is a part of UNESCO World Heritage and one of historical attractions of Armenia. It is impressive how a portion of this monastery complex is integrated into the rock.

07:30 Dinner in Yerevan

09:00 Walking tour in the center of Yerevan. You will see the central square, the Opera House, the famous Yerevan Cascade and feel the warm atmosphere of Yerevan evenings.

DAY 4

12:00 Armenian Brandy factory. An excursion is planned to the place where the legendary ARARAT cognacs are born. Guests will acquaint themselves with the history and traditions of creating Armenian cognac. There will be a special reception and tasting of the best-aged cognacs.

02:00 Gastrotour. Embark on a gastronomic tour where you will engage in a delightful and fulfilling ceremony of preparing traditional Armenian dishes alongside a master chef.

04:00 Carpet museum. Armenian handmade carpets are known worldwide for their distinctive style and ornamentation, serving as a treasure trove of Armenia's folk art and culture. During your visit, you will become acquainted with Armenian carpets, learn about the intricacies of their creation, and witness firsthand how Armenian women craft these works of art.

05:00 Echmiatsin Cathedral is the main religious building of the Echmiatsin Catholicosate of the Armenian Apostolic Church. The church was built at the beginning of the 4th century after the adoption of Christianity as the state religion in 301-303 in the location of an already existing pagan temple, which symbolized the transition from paganism to Christianity. Etchmiatsin Cathedral is the first official church in the world. It is inscribed into the UNESCO's World Heritage List.

07:00 Dinner in Ejmiatsin

Back to Yerevan

DAY 5

12:00 Check-out.

Bus drop off at airport.



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