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Ethnic Flavors

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Country: China

Duration: 5 Days

Accommodation: Included

Meal: as per program

Transportation: Private transfer



Day 1: Arrival Kunming

Upon your arrival in Kunming, your guide will meet you at airport. Transfer to your hotel, the remainder of the day is free on your own arrangement or relax at hotel.

Meal: None

Accommodation: In Kunming

Day 2: Kunming - Jianshui

Drive south to Jianshui (220 km/ 6 hours). On the way you will stop at the Shilin Stone Forest. After visiting this

extraordinary sight, you will enjoy a wonderful drive south to the magnificent Yuanyang rice terraces, poetically referred to as the 'Mirrors of God'. At Jianshui, a city with a charming old town - is the perfect place for overnight and a stroll around some of the beautiful Qing-dynasty buildings. Overnight in the Zhu Family Garden, a fantastic traditional Chinese residence.

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: In Jianshui

Day 3: Jianshui - Yuanyang

In the morning, visit Jianshui old town and Confucius temple. Afternoon's drive to Yuanyang (110 km/2,5 hours). If the weather is good, you will enjoy a stunning view over the rice paddies as the setting sun glints off each paddy field. You can stop on the way to visit some minorities Yi and Hani villages. On arrival in Yuanyang, if time permits, we sunset at the fantastic Bada rice terraces.

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: In Yuanyang

Day 4: Yuanyang

At dawn, you will drive to one of the best viewing spots in Yuanyang to enjoy the rice terraces in their best light, as the golden early morning sunlight dances across the surface

of the water. Spend the rest of the day exploring exotic local markets and lively Hani and Yi minority.

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: In Yuanyang

Day 5: Yuanyang - Kunming Departure

Drive back to Kunming. You can stop on the way to some villages as you want. On arrival in Kunming, why don't you relax in your hotel's swimming pool, or get pleasure from a good soothing massage? Evening transfer to airport.

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: None

Included:

- 4 night accommodation in a double or twin share room with daily breakfast
- Meals: as mentioned in the program (B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner) on the basis of a local restaurant
- Experienced English speaking guide during all tours and transfers
- Private air-conditioned vehicle during all tours and transfers
- Admission to the sites not included in the program
- Lunch or dinner as specified in the itinerary
- Service charge and government tax

Excluded:

- Airfare international
- Entry visas to China
- Meals not specified in the itinerary
- Travel Insurances (We highly recommend that you purchase an adequate insurance)
- Gratuities for guides and driver
- personal expense
- Other services which are not specified in the itinerary

