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Tour Name: Koh Ker, Beng Melea and Kampong Klieng Fishing Village Guided Excursion

Tour Code: A1J

Tour Duration: 1 day

Tour Operates: all year round / on demand

Number of Pax: available upon request

Tour Price: available upon request

Pick-up and drop off location

Can be anywhere upon request

Hotel in Siem Reap

Upon arrival in Siem Reap airport

Upon arrival in Siem Reap bus station

Upon arrival in boat pier in Chong Kneah floating village

Any AirBnB and residences in Siem Reap.

Pick-up and drop-off direction

Kindly provide your pick-up and drop-off styles for direction!

KOH KER, BENG MELEA AND KAMPONG KLIENG FISHING VILLAGE EXCURSION

Koh Ker – in the morning, you will be met and welcomed by our English speaking guide, picked up and transferred onward to visit Koh Ker. It is a former capital of the Khmer Kingdom, pre-dating Angkor, and is home to many spectacular 10th century temples. A brief interruption: the exception took place in 928AD when, for reasons that remain unclear, there was a disruption in the royal succession. King Jayavarman IV moved the capital 100 km from Angkor north to Koh Ker, where it remained for 20 years. When the capital returned to Angkor, it centered not at Phnom Bakheng as it had before, but further east at the new state-temple of Pre Rup (961AD).

Beng Melea - continue to visit Beng Melea on the way back. Sprawling jungle temple covering over one square kilometer, the temple is largely overrun by vegetation and very lightly toured, giving it an adventurous, 'lost temple' feel. Photographers: trees growing from the broken towers and galleries offer some of the best 'tree in temple' shots aside from Ta Prohm. Constructed in a distinctly Angkor Wat style under the same king that built Angkor Wat, Beng Melea preceded and may have served as a prototype of sorts for Angkor Wat. Though there are some lintel and doorway carving, there are no bas-relief and the carvings are comparatively sparse. When the temple was active, the walls may have been covered, painted or had frescos. In its time, Beng Melea was at the crossroads of several major highways that ran to Angkor, Koh Ker, Preah Vihear (in northern Cambodia) and northern Vietnam.

Lunch at local restaurant (at your own costs)

Kampong Klieng fishing village - continue transfer to Kampong Klieng fishing village, is located on the northern lake-edge about 35 km east of Siem Reap. It is more remote and less toured than Kampong Pluk. Visitors during the dry season are universally awestruck by the forest of stilted houses rising up to 10 meters in the air. In the wet season the water rises to within one or two meters of buildings. Kampong Khleang is a permanent community within the floodplain of the Lake, with an economy based in fishing and surrounded by flooded forest. But Kampong Khleang is significantly larger with near 10 times the population of Kampong Pluk, making it the largest community on the Lake.



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Return to Siem Reap.

TOUR ENDS

PRICE

- private solo tour: USD195
- private tour for 2 persons: USD113 per person
- private tour for 3 persons: USD84 per person
- private tour for 4 persons: USD71 per person
- private tour for 5 persons: USD63 per person
- private tour for 6 persons: USD59 per person
- private tour for 7 persons: USD55 per person
- private tour for 8 persons: USD52 per person
- private tour for 9 persons: USD50 per person
- the more people, the better price.

INCLUDED

- Full tours and transfers by private luxury A/C vehicle
- English speaking guide
- Beng Melea ticket
- Koh Ket ticket
- Private boat cruise at Kampong Klieng fishing village.

EXCLUDED

- Meals not mentioned
- Accommodation
- Visa fees \$30 (visa on arrival, please bring 1 of your recent passport-size photo to visit your Cambodia visa). Southeast Asian passport holders do not require a Cambodian visa
- Drinks, laundry, telephone calls, tips and expenditure of a personal nature
- Personal travel insurance
- Any services not mentioned in itinerary.

Creating Unique Touring Experiences

Our expert travel team has planned your trip so that you can experience the very best of what Cambodia Vietnam, Laos and Thailand have to offer. We understand that many will have various needs and wants for each particular tour that may not be included in an itinerary. We will plan any tour to meet your particular demands. Please **Send inquiry>>>**

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