GLIMPSE OF SRI LANKA
5 days/4 nights Add-on Option

$850 per person (double occupancy)
+$225 single supplement

Route
Colombo – Anuradhapura – Kandalama / Dambulla – Kandy – Colombo

Duration
04 Nights / 05 Days

Season
Year round

Includes

- 3 or 4 star boutique B&B, double occupancy with daily breakfast
- Transportation in vehicle w/AC accompanied by an English-Speaking local guide
- Cultural show with Kandyan dancers and music.
- Visit 3 UNESCO World heritage sites in Anuradhapura and Kandy
- Spice garden visit
- Entrance Fees to:
  - Anuradhapura site
  - Kandy Temple of Tooth
  - Peradeniya Botanical Garden
  - Colombo museum
  - Gangarama temple

Excludes

- International flight & visa fees
- Additional meals or activities not specified.
- Tips & Gratuities
- Video camera and still Camera permits (sometimes required).
DAY 1—ARRIVAL IN COLOMBO

Arrive into Colombo (Bandaranaike International Airport CMB). You will be met by our representative and transfer to the hotel. This afternoon, begin your tour of this fast-changing capital city that still retains its old-world charm in many neighborhoods. View the 100-year-old rock clock tower and British colonial buildings, shop for bargains at the Pettah Bazaar and visit Hindu and Buddhist temples. Tour past the stately homes in affluent residential areas and stop by the Colombo Museum and Bandaranaike Memorial International Conference Hall (BMICH), a gift to Sri Lanka by the People’s Republic of China, and see the new Parliament and the Dutch Museum.

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DAY 2—COLOMBO / ANURADHAPURA / KANDALAMA

Travel overland to Anuradhapura, the first capital and, undoubtedly, the grandest city of ancient Sri Lanka, and home to two UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Sri Maha Bodhi (sacred Bo Tree) was brought over as a sapling under which Prince Siddhartha attained enlightenment. The Brazen Palace (2nd century B.C), has 1,600 stone columns and is now a magnificent multi-storied residence for the monks. Ruwanweliseya (2nd century B.C.), is the most famous Dagoba (stupa), while the Samadhi Buddha statue (4th century A.D.) is renowned for its depiction of Buddha in a state of deep Samadhi or meditation. Isurumuniya Rock Temple (3rd century B.C.) is known for its rock carvings.

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DAY 3 – KHANDALAMA / MATALE / KANDY
After breakfast, travel overland to Kandy via Matale, stopping along the way to visit a spice garden. Continue to Kandy, the last capital of the Sri Lankan kings, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Drive around Kandy Lake, which was built in 1798 by the last Sinhala King, Sri Wickrama Rajasinghe. Visit Kandy town and bazaar, the arts and crafts center, a gem museum and a lapidary. Tour the Temple of the Tooth Relic. Tonight, enjoy a cultural show of Kandyan dancers and music.

| Transfer Time          | Kandalama to Matale: approx. 1 ½ hrs.  
|                       | Matale to Kandy: 30 minutes.          |
| Activity Time          | Spice Garden: approx. 30 minutes.     
|                       | Kandy city tour including the Temple of tooth Relic: approx. 3 hrs. 
|                       | Cultural show: approx. 45 minutes.    |

DAY 4 – PERADENIYA EXCURSION
After breakfast, embark on a short excursion to Peradeniya. Visit the Botanical Garden, initially built as a pleasure garden by a Sinhala King, and expanded by the British. Encompassing 147 acres, the gardens showcase an amazing variety of trees, plants and flowers.

| Transfer Time          | Kandy: -                                  |
| Activity Time          | Royal Botanical Gardens: approx. 2 hrs.   |

DAY 5 – KANDY/COLOMBO – DEPART
Return to Colombo, plan for an afternoon or evening departure. Additional nights in Colombo can be booked on request.

| Transfer Time          | Kandy to Colombo: approx. 3 hrs.  
|                       | Colombo to BIA: approx. 1 hr.    |
| Activity Time          | -                                    |