Adventure

Timor-Leste

4 DAY TREKKING MT. MATEBIAN

Mt Matebian (known as Mountain of the Dead) is the second highest peak in Timor-Leste. Standing at a height of 2,315, the views are spectacular and on clear days both the north and south coast are visible. Mt. Matebian is considered a sacred place by the locals and was a refuge for the Timorese resistance during the Indonesian occupation.

4 Day Trekking Mt. Matebian package starts from US $1076pp

Package inclusive of:
- Return air ticket from Singapore to Dili flying Air Timor, inclusive of taxes
- Accommodation at the hotel and eco lodge
- Daily breakfast, 3 lunches & 3 dinners
- Tours as per itinerary, snorkelling gear
- Transportation and English speaking guide
DAY 1 Singapore – Dili – Baucau (D)

14.15hrs Upon arrival at Nicolau Lobato International Airport, you will be met by our Island Explorer staff and proceed to Baucau, Timor-Leste’s second largest city. The 3 hour drive offers spectacular views of the coastline and rugged cliffs. The city has many old Portuguese buildings, traditional markets and unspolit beaches. The climate is cool and pleasant.

OVERNIGHT Baucau Beach guesthouse or similar.

DAY 2 Baucau – Laga - Baguia (B/L/D)

07.00hrs Breakfast at the hotel.
08.00hrs Journey begin with a brief tour of Baucau before continuing to Baguia, a 4 hour drive via Laga. At the border between Laga and Baguia, you will encounter a beautiful river, unfortunately swimming here is not encourage as the locals believe the place is sacred.

Continue the drive to Matebian Guest house.

OVERNIGHT Matebian Guesthouse

DAY 3 Trekking Matebian – Dili (B/late L)

04.00hrs Start with an easy walk from Ossohuna to Uaiboru where the trail begins. It is about 5 to 6 hours of strenuous climb along the ridge to get to the top of Matebian Mane where the Statue of Crist is sited.
15.00hrs Expected to reach the guest house for a late lunch. After lunch continue the drive back to Dili.
22.00hrs Arrive at the hotel in Dili

OVERNIGHT Hotel in Dili

DAY 4 Dili – Singapore (B)

07.00hrs Breakfast at the hotel.
08.00hrs Check out and followed by Dili City Tour

The tour begins with a stop at the JESUS STATUE (CRISTORAE) located atop Cape Fatucama at the eastern tip of Dili.

Then pass the Palacio de Governo, Casa Europa, Motael Church, the Farol Lighthouse, Cathedral of Immaculate Conception, Presidential Palace, and a short stop at the local Tais market.

Continue the tour to visit TASITOLU PEACE PARK, where the three salt lakes are being established as a park and reserve.

The final stop is the POPE JOHN PAUL II monument, sitting remarkably high offering a peaceful view of the area. This statue commemorates his visit to Timor-Leste in October 1984.

12.30hrs Transfer to airport for your departure to Singapore
18.00hrs Home sweet home

NOTE TO TRAVELLER:

It is most important to be flexible, stay positive and willing to accept all challenges that arise. In developing countries remote area, please do not compare with the standards you are used to back home. The climb up to Matebian is very challenging, with demanding slopes and terrain.

PACKING LIST

- Proper trekking shoes
- Fiber pile type jacket
- long trousers
- Thick resilient socks
- Torch light
- Sunglasses
- Headgear
- Sleeping bag
- Own food supply
- Toilet paper
- Wet tissue
- Water bottle