Shortest Bhutan Tour - 3 Days

Experience the essence of **Bhutan** in our meticulously crafted **3-day tour**, designed to immerse you in the rich cultural tapestry of this enchanting Himalayan kingdom. With **Amen Bhutan Tours and Treks**, embark on a transformative journey through the **Land of the Thunder Dragon**. Explore the iconic **Tiger's Nest (Taktsang Monastery)**, nestled amidst breathtaking landscapes, and delve into the vibrant **Bhutanese culture** with visits to ancient -**Dzongs** and traditional villages. Our expert guides ensure an insightful exploration, while you indulge in authentic **Bhutanese cuisine** and marvel at the awe-inspiring vistas. Discover the beauty and spirituality of **Bhutan** in just 3 days, leaving with cherished memories of a lifetime.

At **Amen Bhutan Tours and Treks**, we pride ourselves on being the premier choice for experiencing the ultimate **Shortest Bhutan Tour - 3 Days**. With our unparalleled expertise and dedication, we ensure that every moment of your journey through the **Land of the Thunder Dragon** is unforgettable. Our meticulously crafted itineraries highlight the best of **Bhutan-**, including iconic attractions like **Tiger's Nest (Taktsang Monastery)** and immersive cultural experiences. Our team of experienced guides provides insightful commentary, while our seamless logistics guarantee a stress-free adventure. Choose us for an unparalleled exploration of **Bhutan** in just three days, Providing you with unforgettable memories that will endure forever.

Itinerary

Day 01: Arrival at Paro

Welcome to Bhutan:

Arrival at Paro International Airport: As you disembark from the plane, you'll be greeted by the stunning views of the surrounding Himalayan peaks. Paro, nestled in the heart of a deep valley, is known for its serene landscapes and beautiful traditional architecture.

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Immigration and Customs: After completing immigration and customs formalities, meet your local guide and driver outside the airport.

Transfer to Hotel: You will be transferred to your hotel where you can check in and freshen up. Take some time to acclimate to the altitude and relax in the tranquil atmosphere.

Exploring Paro:

Lunch at a Local Restaurant: Enjoy your first taste of Bhutanese cuisine with a selection of local dishes, featuring both vegetarian and non-vegetarian options.

Visit **Rinpung Dzong**, a fortress that serves both as a religious and administrative center. Known for its towering walls and intricate woodwork, it's an excellent example of Bhutanese architecture.

Explore **Ta Dzong**, originally a watchtower, now housing the National Museum. The museum offers a great introduction to Bhutan’s history, culture, and religious heritage.

Evening Leisure: Spend the evening at your leisure. You might choose to stroll through Paro’s main street, dotted with small cafes and local shops selling handicrafts and traditional Bhutanese goods.

Dinner and Overnight in Paro:

Dinner: Conclude your day with a delicious dinner at your hotel, featuring a variety of Bhutanese, Indian, and international dishes.

Overnight Stay: Rest up for an adventurous day ahead, as tomorrow you'll be trekking to one of Bhutan's most revered and scenic spots, the Tiger's Nest Monastery.

Day 02: Hike to Tiger’s Nest Monastery (4 km hike, 3120 m altitude, 2 hours hike one way) - Afternoon sightseeing in Paro

Morning:

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Early Breakfast at Hotel: Start your day early with a hearty breakfast at your hotel to prepare for the trek.

Depart for Base of Tiger’s Nest: Travel to the trailhead with your guide. The drive is short, and you'll be at the starting point of the hike promptly.

Begin the Hike: The hike to Tiger's Nest is about 4 km each way and takes approximately 2 hours to ascend, depending on your pace. The path is steep in some sections but well-trodden and accessible.

Cafeteria Stop: There is a cafeteria located halfway up the trail. It's a good spot to take a break and enjoy some refreshments while taking in the stunning view of the monastery, which appears almost glued to the cliff face opposite.

Arrival and Exploration: Once you reach the monastery, spend some time exploring the sacred site. Your guide will provide insights into its history and the legends associated with Guru Rin-poche’s miraculous introduction of Buddhism to Bhutan.

Lunch:

Descend to Cafeteria: After touring the monastery, hike back down to the cafeteria for lunch, enjoying the breathtaking views of the valley below.

Afternoon Sightseeing in Paro:

Drive Back to Paro: Once you have descended to the base, your guide will drive you back to Paro.

Visit Paro Dzong: Also known as Rinpung Dzong, this fortress serves as a religious and administrative center. Explore the dzong's impressive architecture and learn about its role in the district.

Explore Kyichu Lhakhang: One of the oldest temples in Bhutan, dating back to the 7th century. This site provides a peaceful and spiritual experience, reflecting the ancient heritage of Bhutanese Buddhism.

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Evening:

Dinner in Paro: Enjoy a relaxing dinner at your hotel or at a local restaurant, where you can sample more traditional Bhutanese dishes.

Prepare for Departure: If this is your last night in Bhutan, ensure you are packed and ready for your departure the following day.

Overnight in Paro:

Rest Well: After a physically demanding but spiritually rewarding day, a good night's sleep will be well-deserved.

Day 03: Departure from Paro International Airport

Morning:

Breakfast at the Hotel: Begin your day with a final breakfast in Bhutan, enjoying the peaceful ambiance and perhaps some last views of the lush Paro valley from your hotel.

Morning at Leisure: Depending on the time of your flight, you may have a few spare hours to enjoy at your leisure. This could be an excellent opportunity to:

Take a **short walk** in Paro to absorb the tranquil morning scenes.
Visit a **local market** to pick up some last-minute souvenirs such as handcrafted artifacts, textiles, or traditional Bhutanese items.
Simply relax at the hotel, reflecting on your Bhutanese journey and packing up for the departure.

Transfer to Paro International Airport:

Check-Out: Complete the check-out formalities at your hotel. Make sure you have all your belongings and travel documents ready.

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Airport Drop-Off: Your guide and driver will escort you to Paro International Airport. They can assist with luggage and guide you to the departure area, ensuring a smooth and hassle-free end to your tour.

Departure:

Flight Check-In: Check in for your flight and proceed through airport security. As you wait for your flight, you might ponder over the beautiful memories and experiences you’ve gathered during your short but enriching visit.

Boarding: Once boarding is announced, make your way to the gate and prepare for departure. As your plane ascends, take one last look at the majestic Himalayan landscape of Bhutan, a final farewell until next time.

End of the Tour:

This marks the end of your 3-day tour of Bhutan. You return home with memories of the mystical and serene landscapes, the spiritual solace of the Tiger’s Nest, and the warm hospitality of the Bhutanese people.

Cost Details

What's Included

- **ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE:**
  All ground transport in a private vehicle, including airport and hotel transfers
- **ACCOMMODATION DURING THE TRIP:**
  Comfortable lodging throughout the tour.
- **SIGHTSEEING FEES & VISA**
  All entrance fees to museums and monuments / A Bhutanese Tourist Visa fee

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- **MEALS DURING THE TOUR**
  Full board meals - standard breakfast, lunch, dinner, tea & snacks.

- **TRANSPORTATION:**
  All ground transportation in a comfortable private vehicle as per the itinerary

- **GUIDE:**
  An experienced, helpful, and friendly English-speaking Guide.

- **STAFF SALARY AND ALLOWANCE:**
  All Bhutanese staff & porter’s daily wages, salary, equipment, food & clothing.

- **GUIDE FOR THE TOUR**
  Licensed English-speaking Bhutanese Professional tour guides.

- **WATER DURING TOUR**
  Mineral drinking water during the tour

- **GOVERNMENT TAXES:**
  All government taxes and official expenses.

What's Not Included

- **INTERNATIONAL AIRFARE:**
  International flight airfare (from and to Paro) Please contact us at info@amenbhutan.com-** ** *** *to book a Bhutan flight**.

- **INSURANCE POLICY:**
  Travel Insurance (for trip cancellation, interruption, medical treatment, repatriation, etc.)

- **PERSONAL EXPENSES:**
  Telephone Calls, Internet, laundry, soft drinks, beers, and any Alcoholic beverages.

- **FILMING:**
  Special Filming, Camera, and Drone permit fee.

- **FOR PRIVATE AND CUSTOMIZE TRIP**
  Please contact us

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Group and Family Discounts

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TIPS:

Tips for the guide & driver. (Tipping is Expected).

EXTRA:

Any other services, activities or personal expenses, which are not mentioned in the itinerary and other items not listed in the “Cost Includes” section.

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