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Classics 9Days-7Nights

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Features

◆ Best of Japan:

- ◆ Tokyo – Political and fashion capital; the country's largest bustling metropolis
- ◆ Osaka – Commercial center & "Kitchen of Japan"
- ◆ Nara – Ancient Capital & cradle of Japan's civilization
- ◆ Kyoto – Where elegant Japanese arts enhance the beauty of nature
- ◆ Kobe – Its ocean view charming, pastries & desserts mouth-watering

◆ **Hand-picked restaurants:** Local specialties such as Kobe Beef, Kaiseki, & the latest fusion foods. Delightfully different from typical tours.

◆ **Guided Exploration:** Where available, enjoy free time to explore & we show you where to find the best highlights; the best balance of guided and independent travel.

◆ Don't Miss Our Special Arrangements:

- ✓ Japan's best remedy for relaxation: onsen baths
- ✓ Traditional Kaiseki banquet dinner with Karaoke!
- ✓ A complete Japan experience in one trip: culinary delights, Ryokan hotels, Shogunate castles, Shinto shrines, breathtaking landscapes & oceanfront views, & modern technology.

◆ True Luxury Hotels:

- ✓ Centrally-located; city centers at your fingertips
- ✓ Two Japanese hot spring resorts (ryokan); one with oceanfront rooms facing the Pacific & one facing Lake Biwa.

◆ **Fully escorted:** by our professional local guides.

◆ **No Wasted Time:** On hostage-style shopping or tourist traps. 2.5 hour Bullet Train included from Atami to Kyoto saving 6+ hours driving time (\$140 value).



Day 1 • Depart North America for Tokyo, Japan

Day 2 • Arrive in Narita, Japan (D)

"Yokoso!" or "Welcome" to Japan! Upon arrival, be greeted by a Super Value representative. Take time to explore Narita or rest for tomorrow's sightseeing.

Hotel: Narita Hilton or equivalent

Day 3 • Tokyo (B, L, D)

See a palette of fascinating sights around the metropolis of Tokyo. Leisure time after check-in; a map of the Shinjuku area is provided. Gain the most out of staying in the city and explore local restaurants.

- Imperial Palace • Ginza • Asakusa • Meiji Shrine

Hotel: Cerulean Tower or Keio Plaza (Walking distance from Shibuya or Shinjuku stations)

Day 4 • Tokyo-Hakone-Atami (B, L, D)

See Japan's famous natural treasures in the daytime. At your hotel, relax in Yukata robes and unwind with an honored and healthful Japanese treat: the onsen bath. In the evening, enjoy a traditional Kaiseki (banquet) dinner with karaoke.

- Fuji-Hakone National Park • Owakudani Valley
- Hakone Ropeway • Lake Ashi

Hotel: New Akao Hot Spring Resort Hotel (Traditional ryokan hotel with oceanfront rooms)

Day 5 • Atami-Kyoto-Nijo-Gion (B, L, D)

Whiz through the country on one of Japan's engineering marvels: even while traveling 150mph+, the Bullet Train is comfortably silent. Explore Kyoto in the evening with a provided guide map. If you wish, try your luck in catching a glimpse of a geisha.

- Shinkansen (Bullet Train) • Kyoto Station
- Nijo Castle • Gion

Hotel: Hotel Okura Kyoto (closest hotel to Gion Geisha district)

Day 6 • Kyoto-Sagano Romantic Train-Arashiyama-Kyoto-Lake Biwa (B,L, Kaiseki Dinner)

Absorb the serene natural atmosphere of Kyoto in the daytime. Relax in the hot spring resort and in the evening, taste the many flavors of a traditional Kyoto-style Kaiseki (banquet) dinner.

- Kameoka- Sagano Romantic Train
- Arashiyama sights: Bamboo Path, downtown, Togetsu-kyo
- Kinkakuji Temple • Nishijin Textile Center

Hotel: Biwako Hot Spring Hotel (Hot Spring resort with lake view rooms)

Day 7 • Kyoto-Osaka (B, L)

After a fulfilling day in Kyoto, travel to Osaka and enjoy free time to bite into the dazzling array of culinary delights.

- Kiyomizu Temple: Ninenzaka, Sannenzaka, shopping district
- Osaka Castle • Osaka: Shinsaibashi & Dotonbori

Hotel: Imperial Hotel Osaka (Osaka's most classic luxury hotel)

Day 8 • Osaka-Nara-Kobe-Osaka (B, L, Kobe beef dinner)

Relive the ancient history of Japan in Nara during the day time. At night, dine on a truly unique experience - Kobe beef teppanyaki!

- Nara Park: Todaiji Temple and Nara Daibutsu
- Nada Sake Brewery Museum • Mosaic Kobe Harborland
- Kobe sights: Motomachi shopping arcade, Meriken Park

Hotel: Imperial Hotel Osaka

Day 9 • Depart from Osaka to your next destination (B)

* Prices are valid for 2011 based on double-occupancy and include land, air, fuel surcharges; subject to seasonal and currency rate changes. Weekend fees may apply. Price is subject to availability and change without notice.

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