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WKT 017A - Chiang Mai / Starter package with Sightseeing - 3 days / 2 nights.

B= Breakfast / L = Lunch / D = Dinner

Following a request - change of the handpicked hotel to one of your own choice is possible



DAY 1 - // Pickup at airport or railway station in Chiang Mai - Chiang Mai Plaza Hotel

Transfer to Chiang Mai Plaza Hotel, Check in Deluxe room.

This hotel is centrally located - only 3 minutes walk from the famous Night Bazaar.

The remain day to your own choice.

By the Night Bazaar - and a short walk from the hotel you'll find Galare Food Centre. Delicious specialties that will comfort your taste buds is sold from food stalls.

20:30 starts a free of charge event with local folklore dances performed young students.

Night at the Chiang Mai Plaza Hotel..

DAY 2 - / B, L, D / Doi Suthep + Home industries + Thai massage + Kantoke dinner

09:00 Private Tour in air-conditioned minibus . We visit the holy mountain of **Doi Suthep**, with its magnificent temple buildings, which offers a spectacular panorama view of **Chiang Mai city**. The Buddhist faith has many rituals and we will see locals lightning incense, donating gifts and sacrifices lotus flowers to the temple icons. The monks will recite sacred chants while they sprinkle holy water upon the believers. Siddhartha Gauthama , better known as The Buddha, was a Northern Indian prince , who lived between the years 560 and 480 before our era. The official year in Thailand is therefore 2557. According to the legend the temple on Doi Suthep was landscaped to this place because a white elephant carrying the relics of the Buddha, suddenly ran away from a parade through Chiang Mai.

The elephant headed towards the mountain, which was covered by forest and began the climb followed by monks. After a while the elephant reached heights of the mountain - but were now totally exhausted. Three trumpet sounds through the trunk was expelled and then it laid down and died.

This, the monks assumed, was a signal and therefore the temple was erected here.

A brilliant **international buffet lunch** en route.

In the afternoon we will visit the **Home Industrie district**, where **silk production** from cocoon to weaving is taking place together with **traditional umbrella making**.

After an eventful day, we earned ourselves a 1 hour **relaxing traditional Thai massage**. In a special massage outfit it's time to enjoy the sore muscle groups being worked. **Thai Massage** is a centuries old art form and all staff are trained in the best schools in **Chiang Mai**.

We return to the hotel approx. 16:30.



19:15 Pickup to an evening devoted to **Northern Thai traditions** called **Lanna** and culinary specialties called **Khantoke**. The dinner is accompanied by folk dances of the North. Seven specialties adapted to the foreigners taste buds are served. Curry Goulash, vegetables, chicken, pork, noodle soup, fried pumpkin, tea/coffee, hot snacks Nageled (rice crackers) and seasonal fresh fruit. Return the hotel 21:00. Night **Chiang Mai Plaza Hotel**.

DAY 3 - / B / Check out before 12:00

The morning for own leisure or connecting to another event.

Wild Kingdom Tours can arrange hotel stay throughout Northern Thailand and flights.

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Children 4-10 years sharing room with parents - 50% / Infants 0-3 free of charge / 1 child per adult.

Surcharge New Year's Eve - adult +THB 1,800 / Child 2-11 years +THB 800.

In case, the chosen hotel doesn't harmonize with your personal style, location or category it will be changed in accordance with the customer instruction. Additional nights - and late checkout can be added.

The hotel can store luggage while participating in overnight tours.