



Armenian Charm – Eid

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I'm David, your travel advisor. Please find your itinerary details below. If you have any questions or adjustments, feel free to reach out to me at 0561994670.

Destination	Yerevan
Departure Date	19 th March
No. of Travelers	30 pax
Duration	3 Nights and 4 Days

Overview

Explore Armenia's rich culture and stunning landscapes on this 5-day journey. Visit the serene mountain town of Tsaghkadzor, the iconic Lake Sevan, and the charming streets of Dilijan. Discover Yerevan's vibrant landmarks, including Republic Square and the Cascade Complex, and delve into Armenia's history at Khor Virap and Noravank Monasteries. Relax in Jermuk's mineral-rich spa town and savor fine wines in Areni. This tour blends history, nature, and culture for an unforgettable experience.

Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Yerevan & City Tour

Arrive at Zvartnots International Airport at 11:20 hrs (Flight G9 244). After a warm meet-and-greet, transfer to Yerevan, one of the world's oldest continuously inhabited cities, with a history dating back to the 8th century BC. Begin a guided city tour starting at Republic Square, the heart of the capital and one of its most iconic landmarks. The square is surrounded by five remarkable buildings including the National Art Gallery and History Museum of Armenia, the Government House, Central Post Office, Marriott Armenia Hotel, and the Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources. Enjoy views of the famous singing fountains, a popular gathering place for locals and visitors alike. Continue on foot to the modern part of the city, visiting Northern Avenue, the Opera House with Swan Lake, and the impressive Cascade Monument, a vibrant cultural center adorned with unique contemporary sculptures. In the evening, the Cascade comes alive with lights, music, and people from around the world.

Transfer to the hotel for check-in.

Overnight in Yerevan.

Day 2: Garni Temple – Geghard Monastery – Vernissage Market

After breakfast at the hotel, proceed to visit the Garni Pagan Temple (1st century AD), built by King Tiridates I and dedicated to Mithra, the God of the Sun. This is the only surviving Hellenistic temple in Armenia, notable for its grand stairway symbolizing humility before the sun deity. Stop at the Arch of Charents, offering breathtaking panoramic views of Mount Ararat and Yerevan. Named after the great Armenian poet Yeghishe Charents, this scenic viewpoint is a favorite photo stop. Continue to the Geghard Monastery (13th century), a UNESCO World Heritage Site partially carved into rock. Originally known as Ayrivank (Monastery of the Cave), it later became known as Geghardavank, meaning Monastery of the Spear. Visit the vibrant Vernissage Flea Market, where you can browse traditional handicrafts, souvenirs, and local artwork. Later, enjoy a cultural experience in Garni village with a traditional Lavash baking ceremony in an underground clay oven (tonir). Learn how to prepare local sandwiches using lavash and cheese. This ancient tradition is recognized by UNESCO as Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.

Overnight in Yerevan.

Day 3: Optional - Tsaghkadzor – Lake Sevan Excursion

After breakfast, depart for Tsaghkadzor, a popular mountain resort town located at the foothills of the Teghenis Mountains, approximately 50 km from Yerevan. Known for its ski slopes in winter and outdoor activities in summer, Tsaghkadzor also features the historic Kecharis Monastery. Enjoy an optional ropeway ride to the summit of Mount Teghenis, offering breathtaking views of the surrounding alpine landscape. Continue to Lake Sevan, one of the largest freshwater high-altitude lakes in the world, situated at 1,897 meters above sea level. Climb the steps to the Sevan Peninsula and enjoy panoramic views of the crystal-blue lake. Explore the area and take time to appreciate the natural beauty of this iconic Armenian landmark.

Return to Yerevan in the evening.

Overnight in Yerevan.

Day 4: Departure

After breakfast at the hotel, complete check-out formalities. Transfer to Zvartnots International Airport approximately 3–3.5 hours prior to your departure flight. Depart Armenia with unforgettable memories of its rich history, culture, and landscapes..

Tour Cost

Description	Tour Cost	No. of Pax	Total Cost
Tour Cost Adult	3299		
Tour Cost for Single	3699		
Tour Cost Child (6-11 years)	2999		
Tour Cost Child (2-5 years)	2499		
Tour Cost Infant (02-2 years)	799		
Optional Tsaghkadzor –Lake Sevan Excursion	249		FREE
Total			

Note – Price is subject to availability

Flight Details (Air Arabia)

FROM	TO	DATE	DEP	ARR	CLASS
Sharjah	Yerevan	19 th March	0805	1120	Economy
Yeravan	Sharjah	22 nd March	1210	1505	Economy

Hotel Details

Location	Name of Hotel	Rating
Yerevan	President Hotel or Similar	★★★★

Inclusion

- ❖ Return Economy Airfare with current taxes, including 20 kg Check-in Baggage and 10 kg Hand Baggage allowance.
- ❖ 3 Nights' accommodation in Yerevan in selected category Hotel
- ❖ Daily Breakfast at your Hotel
- ❖ Round Airport Transfers (**Bus of 45 seats**)
- ❖ All Tours & Transfers on Private Basis (**Bus of 45 seats**)
- ❖ English Speaking guide/driver service
- ❖ Sightseeing as per the itinerary
- ❖ Entrance fees where necessary
- ❖ Tsaghkadzor Ski Resort Ropeway – one station
- ❖ Bottle of water for each day
- ❖ Local Taxes & Charges

Exclusion

- ❖ Visa Fees (unless specifically mentioned in the inclusions)
- ❖ Travel Insurance (unless included in the package)
- ❖ Meals and Beverages not mentioned in the itinerary (e.g., lunch or dinner not specified)
- ❖ Personal Expenses (such as shopping, souvenirs, laundry, etc.)
- ❖ Optional Tours and Activities not listed in the itinerary
- ❖ Tips and Gratuities for guides, drivers, and hotel staff
- ❖ Additional Services requested during the trip (e.g., room upgrades, special requests)
- ❖ Airport Taxes and Excess Baggage Fees
- ❖ Early Check-In / Late Check-Out charges (unless otherwise specified)

Visa for Armenia

1. Visa on Arrival (VoA)

Indian & Filipino citizens with UAE resident are eligible for a visa on arrival at Yerevan's Zvartnots International Airport or other entry points.

Documents Required for VoA:

- Passport: Valid for at least 6 months beyond the intended stay.
- Emirates ID
- Return Flight Ticket.
- Proof of Accommodation: Hotel reservation or host details.

Indian Citizens & Filipino Citizens

Indian passport holders can obtain a visa for Armenia through the following options:

2. eVisa Option

Indian & Filipino citizens can apply for an eVisa online through the official Armenian eVisa portal.

Documents Required:

- Passport: Valid for at least 6 months beyond the intended arrival date.
- Passport Copy: Scanned copy of the passport's biodata page.
- Emirates ID
- Photograph: Recent passport-size photo.
- Travel Itinerary: A detailed travel plan, including flight tickets.
- Accommodation Proof: Hotel booking or invitation letter if staying with friends/family.
- Return Flight Ticket Itinerary
- Travel Insurance
- Financial Proof: Bank statement or proof of sufficient funds for the stay.

Processing Time:

- Typically 3 business days.

Visa Fee:

- Approximately \$9 USD for a single entry (valid for 21 days) or \$31 USD for a multiple entry (valid for 120 days). – **(Our service charge and Visa Invitation Letter will be extra charge)**

Pakistani Citizens

Pakistani passport holders need to apply for a visa at the Armenian Embassy or consulate as the eVisa or visa on arrival option is not available.

Documents Required:

- Passport: Valid for at least 6 months.
- Passport Copy: Scanned copy of the passport biodata page.
- Visa Application Form: Completed and signed.
- Photograph: Recent passport-size photo.
- Travel Itinerary: Return flight tickets and travel schedule.
- Hotel Booking: Reservation details or an invitation letter.
- Financial Proof: Bank statements showing sufficient funds.
- Travel Insurance: May be required by the consulate.

Processing Time:

- Typically 10–15 business days.

Visa Fees:

- Fees depend on the type of visa and must be confirmed with the consulate.

Payment Policy of Group Tour

To ensure a seamless travel experience, our payment schedule is based on the tour package cost:

For Tour Cost AED 5,000 or Less:

- ❖ Initial Payment: 50% (due 45 days prior to departure)
- ❖ Second Payment: 50% (due before visa appointment or 60 days prior)
- ❖ Final Payment: 100% (due 45 days prior to departure)

For Packages AED 5,001 to AED 10,000:

- ❖ Initial Payment: AED 1,000 non-refundable deposit (due upon booking)
- ❖ Second Payment: 50% (due before visa appointment or 60 days prior)
- ❖ Final Payment: 100% (due no later than 45 days prior)

For Packages AED 10,001 or More:

- ❖ Initial Payment: AED 2,000 non-refundable deposit (plus visa & insurance fees, if applicable)
- ❖ Final Payment: 100% (due 60 days prior to departure)

Payment Policy for Customized Tour Packages

For a seamless experience, the payment schedule for customized tour packages is as follows:

- ❖ Initial Payment: 50% of the total tour cost or flight cost (whichever is higher) due upon booking confirmation.
- ❖ Second Payment: 30% of the total tour cost (due 60 days prior to departure).
- ❖ Final Payment: 20% of the total tour cost (due 30 days prior to departure), including any additional charges for special requests, optional tours, or services.

Please note that the initial payment is non-refundable. Subsequent payments are required to secure your customized arrangements.

Ensure all payments are made according to the schedule to confirm your booking. For any questions or further assistance, feel free to contact us.

Cancellation Policy for Customized Tour Packages

To ensure a smooth process, our cancellation policy for customized tour packages is as follows:

More than 60 days before departure:

- ❖ Initial payment will be non-refundable.
- ❖ 30 days before departure:
- ❖ 50% refund of the total tour cost.

Less than 30 days before departure:

- ❖ No refund on the payments made, as the booking is considered non-refundable.

Flight Bookings:

- ❖ If flights have been booked as part of the package, cancellation fees will be governed by the airline's terms and conditions, which may vary.

Non-Refundable Services:

Certain services, such as visas, Hotel, insurance, and special requests, are non-refundable once confirmed.

All cancellations must be submitted on email.

Important Note:

- ❖ It is non-refundable, non-transferrable under any circumstances.
- ❖ The provided itinerary serves as a reference, and no services or seats are guaranteed until confirmation.
- ❖ Prices may vary based on seat availability, inventory, and peak travel dates.
- ❖ Ensure that your passport contains at least 4 blank pages for visa application.
- ❖ Any date changes to the tour will be subject to a change fee & availability; please refer to the Terms and Conditions for further details.

- ❖ Make sure your passport is valid for at least 6 months, and your resident visa for either 6 or 3 months (depending on destination requirements) from the date of your return flight.
- ❖ The offers presented are current but not confirmed until conveyed to you in writing.
- ❖ Optional tours may require a minimum number of participants. If the minimum is not met, a surcharge may apply, or the tour may not operate. Prices will be as per the confirmation date of the optional tour.
- ❖ Flight and hotel arrangements may be adjusted based on the group size, with tentative details provided at the time of booking.
- ❖ As this is a group tour, all internal transfers and transportation will be conducted by bus unless otherwise specified in the itinerary.
- ❖ The orientation tour will involve sightseeing from the bus with photo stops at designated locations. Entry to all attractions mentioned in the itinerary is not included.
- ❖ Travel insurance is compulsory for all travelers and is highly recommended at the time of booking. Travel insurance covers medical situations, trip cancellation/curtailment, baggage loss, damage, delay, personal liability, hijacking, emergency family travel, legal fees, bail bonds (under platinum policy only), loss of passport, missed departures, credit card fraud, mugging, and more, depending on the selected plan. Opt for the premium plan for comprehensive coverage, with the highest tier being the Elite policy.
- ❖ Requests for interconnecting/adjoining rooms, early check-in, late checkout, wheelchair accommodation, and seats together on flights are subject to availability and are not guaranteed.

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