

Georgia & Azerbaijan I From The Caspian Sea To The Black Sea Coast

The Great Silk Road was stretched from the Caspian Sea to the Black Sea coast. Once upon a time ancient caravans passed here, carrying delicate jewels, precious stones and spices. Today the Great Silk Road sites can be visited while travelling in the South Caucasus Countries.

Day - 8 Kutaisi

GUDAURI – KUTAISI (B, L)

Today's trip is to the oldest urban settlement in the Georgia. Uplistsikhe rock-hewn town (1st Millennium BC), which is notable for unique combination of various styles of rock-cut cultures and the co-existence of pagan and Christian architecture. Here you can see ancient wine presses carved in stone. Continue after lunch to Stalin's Museum and the house, where Stalin, the leader of the Soviet Union, was born. Continue then to Kutaisi, the ancient Kingdom of Colchis. It is Georgia's second largest city. You will enjoy learning about a turbulent history of the city, which retained its greatest monuments – Bagrat Cathedral (11th century) and Gelati Monastery complex.

Overnight: Kutaisi

Inclusions

- 10 nights in your chosen accommodation
- Meal as specified in itinerary
(B = Breakfast, BR = Brunch, L = Lunch, D = Dinner)
- Activities and excursions according to itinerary

FOR EXAMPLE:

- CityTour of Baku
 - Visit Gobustan National Park
 - Visit the Sheki Khan's Palace
 - Half Day CityTour of Tbilisi
 - Wine Tasting at the Tsinandali Family Estate
 - Visit Jvari Monastery, Svetitskhoveli Cathedral, Ananuri Architectural complex
 - Hike up to the Gergeti Trinity Church
 - Learn more about Stalin at his birth-house
 - Visit Gelati Monastery - UNESCO World Heritage Site
 - Free day in Batumi
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- Tours and excursions in mini buses/buses
or with public transportation according to itinerary
 - English speaking tour guide
 - Admission fees according to itinerary
 - One bottle of mineral water per person/ per day

Exclusions

- International flights
- Meals other than mentioned in itinerary
- Tours and Excursions other than mentioned in itinerary
- Early check-in and late check-out at hotels
- Personal travel insurance
- Personal expenses and tips for driver/guides
- Visa fees