

WHAT TO READ & WATCH BEFORE TRAVELLING TO INDIA & SRI LANKA

Congratulations, you've booked your small group tour to India or Sri Lanka! We thought you might enjoy a list of our favourite movies/documentaries and books about these fascinating countries to add to the excitement of your upcoming holiday.

SUGGESTED READING & WATCHING LIST

Movies

- ❑ Elephant Walk (1954)
- ❑ The Road from Elephant Pass (2008)
- ❑ Kannathil Muthamittal (2002)
- ❑ The God King (1974)
- ❑ The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (2011)
- ❑ The Lunchbox (2013)
- ❑ The Darjeeling Limited (2007)
- ❑ Amal (2007)

Documentaries

- ❑ Wild Sri Lanka - Real of the Leopard (2018)
- ❑ The Song of Ceylon (1934)
- ❑ After the Tsunami (2019)
- ❑ The Genius of the Place (2023)
- ❑ The Story of India (2007)
- ❑ The Great Indian Railway (1995)
- ❑ Powerless (2014)
- ❑ Beyond All Boundaries (2013)



Fiction Books

- ❑ Reef by Romesh Gunesequera
- ❑ Island of a Thousand Mirrors by Nayomi Munaweera
- ❑ Cinnamon Gardens by Shyam Selvadurai
- ❑ Mosquito by Roma Tearne
- ❑ Funny Boy by Shyam Selvadurai
- ❑ The Henna Artist by Alka Joshi
- ❑ Chronicle of a Corpse Bearer by Cyrus Mistry
- ❑ The White Tiger by Aravind Adiga
- ❑ Midnight's Children by Salman Rushdie
- ❑ Life of Pi by Yann Martel

Non-fiction Books

- ❑ The Seasons of Trouble: Life Amid the Ruins of Sri Lanka's Civil War by Romini Mohan
- ❑ The Cage: The Fight for Sri Lanka and the Last Days of the Tamil Tigers by Gordon Weiss
- ❑ War Journey: Diary of a Tamil Tiger by Malaravan
- ❑ The Teardrop Island: Following Victorian Footsteps Across Sri Lanka by Cherry Briggs
- ❑ Elephant Complex: Travels in Sri Lanka by John Gimlette
- ❑ India After Gandhi by Ramachandra Guha
- ❑ In Spite of the Gods: The Strange Rise of Modern India by Edward Luce
- ❑ The Argumentative Indian by Amartya Sen
- ❑ An Era of Darkness: The British Empire in India by Shashi Tharoor
- ❑ Land of the Seven Rivers: A Brief History of India's Geography by Sanjeev Sanyal

WE WISH YOU A WONDERFUL JOURNEY IN THIS FASCINATING PART OF THE WORLD!