

JamiesJoy.org is all about sharing the legacy of Love\*Joy\*Peace & Connection by serving children, youth & families, locally and globally.

Join us as we learn and grow in SPIRITUAL JOY by serving the children of Ramana's Garden.

"Ramana's Garden Children's Home currently provides free primary and junior level education to more than 200 students from local BPL ("Below Poverty Line") families, including the nearly 70 kids who live onsite at Ramana's at any given time. Students typically come from homes with deceased, absent, or illiterate parents who are unable to provide a quality education for their children. Some kids walk for over an hour each way just to attend school. Without Ramana's, many of our students likely would be begging in the streets or engaging in child labor."



# Visit and Serve in India! March 22-April 4, 2020

Sponsored by Jamie's Joy Memorial Fund, <u>JamiesJoy.org</u> Register at <u>https://bigbluemarbletravel.wixsite.com/visitindia</u>

**This tour offers Seva. Seva means Selfless Service.** Focus on serving, having fun, & exploring the beauty of India.

We will be spending time in sacred service with the students and staff at **Ramana's Garden**, a Children's Home on the banks of the Holy Ganges river.

- Service may include helping with homework, teaching, reading, taking walks, helping in kitchen (they have a fabulous organic, vegan restaurant on the premises), gardening, handiwork.
- If you have a special skill ie: building/repairs, nursing, computers, we will try to utilize your expertise.

For more information about this amazing organization and the tremendous work they accomplish, go to <u>ramanas.org</u>



- INDIA
- Small Group Tour, 4–8 travelers
- Visit the bustling markets and monuments of Delhi, India's Capital
- See the Taj Mahal in Agra
- Experience Seva and Yoga in Rishikesh, the yoga capital of the world

# \$2500 (Land only) includes:

- All breakfasts and one lunch/dinner per day
- All entrance fees to sites and events
- All city-to-city transportation within the itinerary
- All hotel accommodations

#### NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE OF TOUR:

- Round-trip airfare not included. Complimentary flight-booking services
   offered by Big Blue Marble Travel
  - https://bigbluemarbletravel.wixsite.com/visitindia
- Costs associated with passports and visas not included
- Mandatory Travel Insurance not included
- Tips and miscellaneous personal expenses not included
- Overweight baggage fees for intra-country air travel not included

FOR MORE INFORMATION, SEE WEBSITE ABOVE OR PLEASE CONTACT:

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- \$100 Deposit will save your place; Monthly payment plan available
- Payment-in-full due January 1st, 2020
- 100% of trip cost refundable if trip is cancelled by organization
- 90% of trip cost refundable if trip is cancelled by Feb. 19, 2020
- 80% of trip cost refundable if trip is cancelled after Feb. 19, 2020
- Checks payable to Big Blue Marble Travel; Credit cards accepted
- Please note that the itinerary is subject to change

## <u>Itinerary:</u>



Itinerary subject to change. Detailed information available at

#### https://bigbluemarbletravel.wixsite.com/visitindia

We suggest booking your international flights *after* we contact you that we have registered the minimum number travelers for this trip.

Day 1: Sunday, March 22nd	Arrive Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi; Check in at hotel
Day 2: Monday, March 23rd	Day trip to Agra to visit the <b>Taj Mahal</b>
Day 3: Tuesday, March 24th	Fly to Dehradun, Drive to Rishikesh
Day 4: Wednesday, March 25th	Orientation at Ramana's Garden
Day 5: Thursday, March 26th	Work/Play at Ramana's Garden (RG) each day through April 1st See Daily Extra activities listed below
Day 6: Friday, March 27th	RG/Visit Parmath Niketan Ashram
Day 7: Saturday, March 28th	RG/Evening Ganga Aarti @ Triveni Ghat
Day 8: Sunday, March 29th	RG/Visit Lakshman Jula and Ram Jula
Day 9: Monday, March 30th	RG/Visit Ashram of Mahareshi Mahesh Yogi (Beatles Ashram)
Day 10: Tuesday, March 31st	RG/Free day to revisit sites or visit new ones
Day 11: Wednesday, April 1st	Last Day of Service to Ramana's Garden
Day 12: Thursday, April 2nd	Depart Dehradun, Arrive back in Delhi
Day 13: Friday, April 3rd	Evening Event at <b>Kingdom of Dreams</b> Cultural Entertainment venue and show

Depart Indira Gandhi International Airport

Day 14: Saturday, April 4th