



Explore

Join us on an exciting 10-day tour to China! Created especially for food and gourmet enthusiasts and the adventurous traveler.

The Culinary Tour package is a combination of education, leisure travel and cultural exploration personally designed by celebrity Chef, Martin Yan.

HIGHLIGHTS:

- Local market tours to study exotic & traditional ingredients
- Culinary classes with food, tea and wine pairings taught by Chinese Master Chefs
- Meals (lunch and dinner) include dishes of regional cuisines
- Sightseeing, cultural shows and arts and craft exhibitions
- Tai chi exercise, spa treatments, shopping excursions in Hong Kong and more!

CITIES:

- Hong Kong
- Shenzhen
- Panyu
- Guangzhou
- Lijiang

Itinerary

DAY 1 - MAY 13

Embark on your journey with a direct flight from San Francisco to Hong Kong.

DAY 2 - MAY 14

Hong Kong - Shenzhen

You will arrive in Hong Kong in the evening and will be transported across the border to the modern city of Shenzhen.

DAY 3 (B, L, D) - MAY 15

Begin your day with a Chinese breakfast, followed by a visit to a local market to shop for seafood, produce, fruits, spices and other exotic ingredients. You will get acquainted with the basic Chinese cooking tools and learn to identify and use local and exotic ingredients followed by a demonstration and tasting. In the evening, tour Splendid China and be entertained at a spectacular cultural show. Enjoy a sumptuous Sichuan banquet for dinner.

DAY 4 (B, L, D) - MAY 16

Panyu

Visit a traditional Baomo Yuan Garden and Panyu's world-renowned Silk factories. See how silk is made, from the silkworm to the loom. Lunch at the Cantonese restaurant, Four Seas in One, with an exclusive behind-the-scenes tour.

DAY 5 (B, L, D) - MAY 17

Guangzhou

Watch Guangzhou's restaurateurs and residents prepare for the day at the region's largest seafood market. Walk through the herbal market. Smell, feel and touch traditional Chinese herbs. Lunch at a unique rice noodle restaurant. Visit the first college in Guangdong, the Guangdong Folk Arts Museum and Zhenhai Tower Museum.

DAY 6 (B, L, D) - MAY 18

Guangzhou - Lijiang, Yunan

Visit 72 -Martyrs Memorial Park. Create your own congee soup at a clay pot restaurant. Departure for Lijiang.

DAY 7 (B, L, D) - MAY 19

Lijiang, Yunan

Experience the historical Old town Lijiang. Lunch will be at a specialty cross-bridge noodle restaurant. Dinner at a Musuo-style restaurant.

DAY 8 (B, L, D) - MAY 20

Lijiang, Yunan

Take in the natural scenery with views of the majestic Jade Dragon Snow Mountain, providing a magnificent backdrop to the Moon-Embracing Pavilion at Black Dragon Pond. Lunch will be in old town Shuhe, where special mushroom dishes will be served. Enjoy Naxi ethnic music and a cultural show.

DAY 9 (B, L, D) - MAY 21

Lijiang, Yunan

Visit Dongba Village in Yushui Stockade- built completely according to the traditional lifestyle of the Naxi people. You can feel the traditional atmosphere of national culture from the layout of its yard, architecture, and daily life. We will cap off the day with a lavish Dongba banquet.

DAY 10 (B, L, D) - MAY 22

Shenzhen - Hong Kong

Depart for Hong Kong. Take a City tour that includes Stanley Market, Aberdeen, Cat Street, Languaifong, Manmo Temple, Hudaxian Temple sightseeing. Dinner at Liyumen fishing village.

DAY 11 - MAY 23

Depart for SFO

