CIRCUITOS (PLAN-9)

PACHACUTEC

"First Emperor mighty conqueror"

LIMA, ICA (Ballestas islands & Nazca Lines), AREQUIPA (Colca Canyon),

CUZCO & PUNO (Lake Titicaca)

(14 days - 13 nights)

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No	City	Time	Transportation	Itinerary	Meal
1	Lima			Arrival in Lima, meeting & transfer to the selected hotel. Guided tour of the Colonial and Modern Lima including the "Plaza Mayor" (main square) where the Government Palace, the Cathedral and the City Hall are located surrounded by colonial streets that shows why downtown Lima is considered a world heritage. Then proceed to the residential district of San Isidro and the modern Miraflores, in front of the Pacific Ocean where the nightlife is concentrated. PM Guided visit of the National Museum of Archaeology & Anthropology offering a comprehensive view of Peru's historical and archaeological past. (NOTE: depending of time arrival of passengers, this tour could be provided the last day at Lima) Accommodation.	
2	Lima Paracas			AM Departure by first class regular service bus to Paracas Arrival in Paracas, transfer to the hotel & accommodation. Guided tour to the Paracas National Reserve including Lagunillas, the "Mirador de Lobos", Yumaque (where a fossil of a dinosaur has been found) and the site museum Julio C. Tello. Accommodation	В
3	Paracas Ica			American breakfast at the hotel. AM Yacht tour to the Ballestas Islands. Return to the hotel and immediate transfer to the city of Ica. Brief tour of the city including the Huacachina Lagoon, the Regional Museum and if time enough a vinery. Accommodation.	В
4	Ica Nazca			American breakfast Transportation to Nazca to over fly the Nazca Lines & Drawings. Lunch at a local hotel or restaurant. PM Brief local tour to the Kantalloc Inca acueducts and Nazca. NAZCA / AREQUIPA Evening departure by regular first class night bus to Arequipa with snack included.	B
5	Arequipa			Early arrival in Arequipa. Meeting at the bus station and transfer to the selected hotel. Morning at leisure to rest or get adjusted to the medium altitude. PM Guided tour of the City including the Main Square, the Cathedral, Church and Cloisters of the Company and the Santa Catalina Monastery which is the most arresting and interesting monument of Arequipa, built in 1580 it is almost a city within a city.	В
6	Arequipa Colca			American breakfast at the hotel. AM Early departure for a full day tour to the Colca Valley including box lunch. Our road will pass through the villages of La Pulpera, Callali and Sibayo. Enjoy the nature of this incredible valley while your stay. Dinner and accommodation at the selected hotel.	В
7	Colca Cusco			American breakfast at the hotel. AM Departure to the "Cruz del Condor" to see the to see the deepest Canyon of the world and with a bit of luck condors flying on their own habitat. Continuing trip (by private coach) to Cuzco thorugh a surprising route on the Andes which will let you enjoy wonderful natural landscapes and beautiful scenery. (Box lunch is included) After 6 hours approximately, you will reach your reserved hotel at Cuzco city.	B

8	Cusco	American or buffet breakfast at the hotel. Morning check-out and transfer to the airport. After a 35 minutes flight, arrival in Cuzco and transfer to the hotel Morning at leisure to rest or just stroll on your own. PM Guided visit of the city including the main square and the Cathedral and the nearby ruins of Q'enko, PucaPucará, Tambomachay & the Sacsayhuamán fortress. Evening free to enjoy the "Cuzco night lighting". Accommodation.	В
9	Cusco Machu Picchu Cusco	American or buffet breakfast at the hotel. AM Transfer to the station for a rail departure to Aguas Calientes by VISTADOME train. 3.5 hours journey enjoying the beautiful scenery provided by the valley formed by the sacred Urubamba (Vilcanota) river considered so because its water runs from the south to the north. Mini bus transfer from the station up to the ruins of the "Lost City of the Incas" Machu Picchu. Guide visit of this spectacular Inca citadel. Lunch at the Sanctuary Lodge. PM Train journey back to Cuzco. Arrival and transfer from the station to the hotel. Accommodation	B
10	Cusco	American or buffet breakfast at the hotel Full day excursion to the small village of Pisac with its indigenous and handcrafts market and the Inca fortress of Ollantaytambo with lunch included. (this excursion takes place only on Tuesdays, Thursdays or Sundays)	В
11	Cusco Puno	American or buffet breakfast. Transfer to the bus station for a journey of about 8 hours to reach Puno enjoying a beautiful landscape and Andean scenery. (Train can be provided instead of bus) Lunch will be included. Arrival in Puno and transfer to the selected hotel and accommodation.	B
12	Puno	American or buffet breakfast. Early start for a full day tour beginning with the Uros Indian floating islands made entirely of "totora" reeds. These Indians descend directly from the original lake dwellers and have maintained their traditional life style and customs. Continuing our launch trip on the lake, in about 2 hours we will reach the Taquile Island. Upon arrival, warm welcome by the inhabitants who are hospitable host and offer trout to eat. The island population steadfastly resists changes to its regional customs. Although the neighbouring communities speak "Aymara", they speak "Quechua". However two essential characteristics set them even more apart: the geography of the island with its beautiful landscape and beaches visible from its hills; and the fact that Taquile is an important textile centre. Typical lunch is included at the island but if you prefer, box lunch will be provided . Return to the hotel and accommodation.	B
13	Puno Lima	American or buffet breakfast Transfer to the Juliaca airport, on the way, guided visit of Sillustani, an archaeological site near Lake Umayo. It is well known for the great number of "Chullpas" or funerary towers of different shapes and sizes which contains the remains of Colla nobles, a race descended from the Tiahuanaco civilization Flight departure back to Lima. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.	В
14	Lima	American or buffet breakfast at the hotel Transfer to the airport for your international flight "End of our services"	В

HOTELS FOR CATEGORY				
Category	City	Hotels		
	Lima	JW MARRIOTT LIMA STELLARIS CASINO DOUBLE TREE EL PARDO HOTEL		
	Paracas	HOTEL PARACAS		
	Ica	LAS DUNAS SUN RESORT		
A	Arequipa	HOTEL LIBERTADOR AREQUIPA		
	Colca	COLCA LODGE		
	Cusco	HOTEL LIBERTADOR PALACIO DEL INKA NOVOTEL CUSCO (Habitacion Colonial)		
	Puno	HOTEL LIBERTADOR LAGO TITICACA		
В	Lima	HOTEL & SUITES LAS AMERICAS LOS DELFINES HOTEL & CASINO		
	Paracas	HOTEL PARACAS		
	Ica	LAS DUNAS SUN RESORT		
	Arequipa	SONESTA POSADA DEL INCA AREQUIPA EL CABILDO		

	Cusco	NOVOTEL CUSCO
		HOTEL JOSE ANTONIO CUSCO
		PICOAGA HOTEL
	Colca	CASA ANDINA COLCA
		SONESTA POSADA DEL INCA LAGO TITICACA
	Puno	CASA ANDINA PRIVATE COLLECTION PUNO
	Pullo	TITIKAKA LAKEVIEW HOTEL
		HOTEL ECO INN
	Lima	HOTEL JOSE ANTONIO
		HOTEL BOULEVARD
		POSADA DEL INCA SAN ISIDRO
	Paracas	HOTEL MIRADOR
	T.e.e	HOTEL MOSSONE
	Ica	HOTEL EL HUARANGO
	A	POSADA DEL MONASTERIO
	Arequipa	SAMANA HOTEL
С		HOTEL RUINAS
C	Cusco	HOTEL LOS ANDES DE AMERICA
		HOTEL DON CARLOS
		COLCA INN
	Colca	POSADA DEL CHIVAY
		KOLPING
		HOTEL LA HACIENDA PUNO
		CASONA PLAZA HOTEL
	Puno	QELQATANI HOTEL
		HOTEL COLON INN
		CASA ANDINA PUNO
	Lima	FARAONA GRAND HOTEL
		HOTEL CARMEL
		HOTEL MARIEL
	Paracas	HOTEL MIRADOR
	Ico	HOTEL MOSSONE
	Ica	HOTEL EL HUARANGO
	Arequipa	CASA ANDINA AREQUIPA
D	Cusco	HOTEL SAN AGUSTIN PLAZA
D		HOTEL SAN AGUSTIN EL DORADO
		HOTEL VILANDRE
	Colca	COLCA INN
		POSADA DEL CHIVAY
		KOLPING
	Puno	HOTEL SILLUSTANI
		HOTEL ITALIA
		BALSA INN

NOTE: Our packages mostly inlude american or buffet breakfast, but some hotels would provide continental breakfast depending on its policy **CHILDS:** Price includes own bed but must share room with 2 adults. Services and meals will be the same as adults.

INCLUDED Bus tickets Lima / Paracas & Nazca / Arequipa Private coach Colca / Cuzco Domestic air tickets Juliaca / Lima Bus or train ticket Cuzco / Puno NOT INCLUDED Airport taxes for domestic and international flights Meals and services not mentioned on above program. Extras at hotels.