


DEFENDER

JOURNEYS

**KONKAN
EXPERIENCE**



An aerial photograph of a narrow, light-colored dirt path that winds through a dense grove of tall palm trees. The trees have vibrant green fronds, and the ground is covered with lush green undergrowth. The path leads from the bottom center towards the top of the frame, creating a sense of depth and journey.

A series of journeys across India, for you to explore the natural wonders of our beautiful country. From the natural beauty of Coorg with its stunning coastal regions to the whitewashed peaks of the Himalayas or the ephemeral dunes of Thar, every journey is a curated travel experience like no other. You'll drive through awe-inspiring vistas and a myriad of landscapes behind the wheels of the iconic Defender.

**KONKAN EXPERIENCE
GOA – BENGALURU,
DECEMBER 9-15, 2023**

The Konkan Experience is a journey that is as idyllic, as it is relaxing. You'll explore towns along the Konkan coast, the hills of the Western Ghats and everything in between. This adventure will surprise you at every turn, be it exploring the beaches along the coast or sipping artisanal coffee in the cool mountain air.



WHAT YOU CAN LOOK FORWARD TO

A spectacular drive
down the Konkan
coast with its stunning
landscapes

Savouring the region's
cuisines and cooking
with celebrity chefs


Visiting one of
the world's eight
biodiversity hotspots

Immersing yourself
in unique cultures
and lifestyles with
traditional art, pristine
beach walks, yoga,
meditation, coffee
roasting and tasting

Negotiating difficult
off-road trails with ease
behind the wheel of
your Defender

Staying at the finest
luxury hotels, culturally
rich villas, and bungalows

A dedicated team of
instructors assisting you
along your journey

A close-up, low-angle shot of a car's front end, focusing on the headlight and grille. The car is dark-colored, and the lighting is dramatic, with the headlight reflecting light. The grille features a prominent chrome bar.

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DAY 1 – GOA | FENI DISTILLERY DINNER

On the first day, you'll arrive at Goa where you'll be chauffeured to the hotel. You'll spend the evening with your fellow travellers for a pre-drive briefing.

Visit the Fazenda Cazulo, a centuries old Feni distillery, for a Garrafoes ceremony and dinner.

Hotel: Zuri White Sands | Meals: Dinner



DAY 2 – GOA | OFF-ROAD TRAILS AND FARM TO FORK LUNCH

Spend the morning with the Defender negotiating off-road trails. Visit C'est La Vie, the chef's artisanal table in the hills, for some reimagined Goan food and explore Goa's culture, heritage, and cuisine.

**Hotel: Zuri White Sands | Meals:
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**



DAY 3 – GOKARNA | DRIVE, YOGA, AND BEACHSIDE DINNER

Leave Goa and drive along the Konkan coast to Gokarna, a small pilgrimage town framed by the Western Ghats. Visit its famed temple or indulge in a relaxing yoga session at your wellness resort. End your day with a beachside dinner.

**Hotel: CGH Earth SwaSwara | Meals:
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**

An aerial photograph of a tropical coastline. On the left, a dense forest of palm trees covers a sandy beach. The ocean is a vibrant turquoise color, with white waves breaking on the shore. The right side of the image shows deeper, darker green water.

DAY 4 – BEKAL | DRIVE, SUNDOWNER, AND BACKWATER CRUISE

You'll continue driving along the Arabian Sea to enter 'God's own country - Kerala.' Spend the evening with a sundowner on the beachfront of your resort followed by a backwater cruise on a floating raft.

**Hotel: Taj Bekal Resort & Spa | Meals:
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**



DAY 5 – COORG | DRIVE, COFFEE PLANTATION TOUR, AND BONFIRE

Ascend into the mountains of the Western Ghats to experience some of the most exotic flora and fauna in the world. Visit a coffee plantation for a tour followed by a tasting session hosted by an expert. Unwind at your heritage bungalow around a bonfire.

Hotel: Ama Stays & Trails Coffee Plantation Heritage Bungalow | Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner

DAY 6 – BENGALURU | DRIVE, TRAILS, AND EXPRESSWAYS

Drive to Bengaluru passing through dense forest trails and modern expressways. Spend the evening with your fellow travellers reminiscing about the days gone by.

**Hotel: Taj Yeshwantpur | Meals:
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**

DAY 7 – BENGALURU

Enjoy your final goodbye breakfast and wish everyone well on their next adventures.

Meals: Breakfast





VEHICLE

Defender 110 HSE with an Ingenium 4-cylinder 2.0 I P300 powertrain

OFF-ROAD LEVEL

2

LANDSCAPE

4

TYPES OF DRIVING

Mud & Ruts, Tarmac

ACCOMMODATION STYLE

Luxury 5-star hotels, traditional villas, and heritage bungalows

MAX NO. OF VEHICLES AND GUESTS

5 and 10 respectively

NO. OF INSTRUCTORS:

2

MINIMUM DRIVING AGE

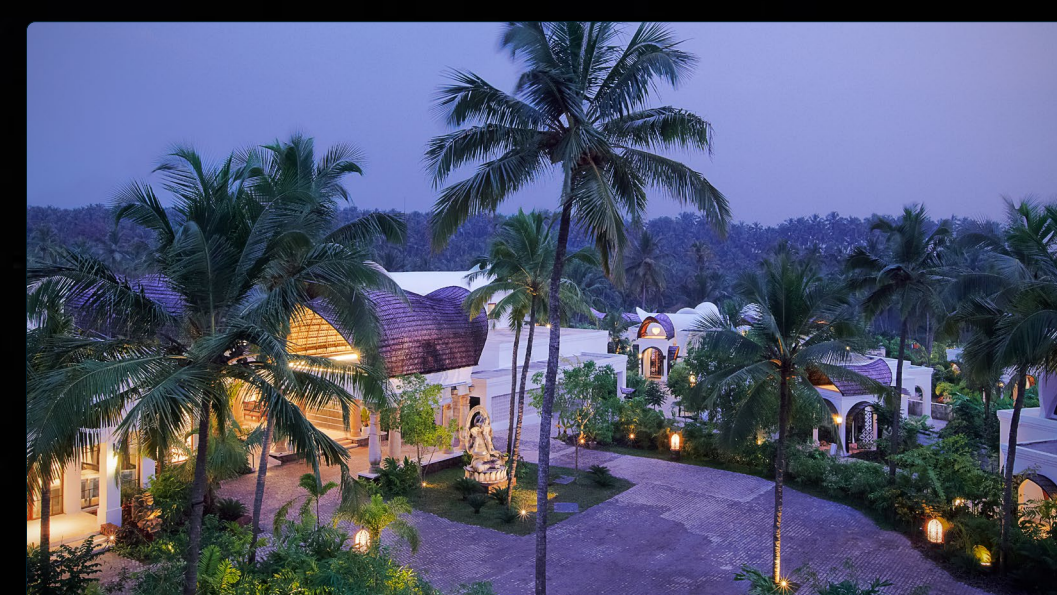
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CGH Earth, SwaSwara



Ama Stays and Trails Coffee
Plantation Heritage Bungalows



Taj Bekal Resort and Spa



Taj Yeshwantpur

DATES

9th-15th December, 2023

ROUTE

Goa – Gokarna – Bekal – Coorg
Bengaluru



COST

₹ 450,000 (Prices in INR, for two adults on twin/double occupancy and subject to GST @5%)

*Including use of Defender, accommodation, meals, and experiences.

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