

☞ Pingyao Ancient Town & Datong ☜



☞HIGHLIGHTS☜

🕒Duration

3 Day 2 Nights



Hanging Temple



Yungang Grottoes



Pingyao City Wall

☞ITINERARY☜

☛Day 01 Xi'an to Pingyao (3 hours train) (L)

Today you take express train to Pinyao.met by your tour guide and tour to Pingyao ancient town. Shuanglin Temple, Rickshaw Tour inside Ping Yao Ancient City Wall.

Pingyao is a county in central Shanxi province in China. During the Qing Dynasty, Pingyao was a financial centre of China. The ancient city, whose history dates back some 2,700 years and which is renowned for its well-preserved city walls,and well preserved Ming and Qing Residence, is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and a major tourist

attraction. It is still inhabited by some 50,000 residents.

Shuanglin Temple. Located in the Qiaotou Village about six kilometers (four miles) to Pingyao, the Shuanglin Temple is reputed to be the 'ancient painted sculptures museum'. It houses more than 2,000 colorful sculptures reflecting the exquisite skills of the artisans of the Song, Yuan, Ming and Qing Dynasties. In 1997, it was included in the **World Heritage List by UNESCO** as an important cultural site of Ping Yao City in 1997.

Pingyao City Wall: Being one of the four wholly-protected ancient cities in China, Pingyao Ancient City is thought of as the 'treasure house' of ancient Chinese architectures. Among the 'Three Treasures' of Pingyao, the City Wall is rated highest, the other two being Zhengguo Temple, and Shuanglin Temple. Although there has been repeated renovations, the city walls, streets, shops, temples and other buildings are still in a very good condition.

Rickshaw Tour, you will experience the atmosphere of ancient times On the Ancient Ming and Qing Street.

Lunch at local restaurant
Dinner on your own
Stay over night in Pingyao

☛ **Day 2 Pingyao-Datong (B/L) (4 hours by car)**

Breakfast at hotel

After breakfast, Drive to Datong, visit Yungang Grottoes, Hanging Temple and Wooden Tower.

Yungang Grottoes, one of the three major cave clusters in China, punctuate the north cliff of Wuzhou Mountain, Datong. The area was excavated along the mountain, extending 1 km (0.62 miles) from east to west, revealing 53 caves and over 51,000 stone statues.

Hanging Temple stands at the foot of Mt. Hengshan, 5 kilometers (3 miles) south of Hunyuan County, and 65 kilometers (40 miles) from downtown Datong City. Since it hangs on the west cliff of Jinxia Gorge more than 50 meters above the ground, it is called Hanging Monastery.

Wooden Pagoda is the oldest and highest wooden structure in China. It is regarded as the 'First Pagoda in the World' and a gem in the architectural field. It has now also been placed under national emphases under the Cultural Relics Protection Units.

Lunch at local restaurant
Dinner on your own
Stay over night in Datong

☛ **Day 3 Dept. Datong(B)**

Breakfast at hotel

In the morning, then transfer to the airport for your flight to Beijing.

Tour ends

❧QUOTATION ❧

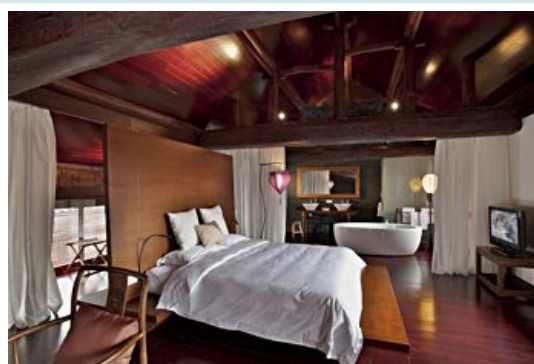
Net Rates per person (USD)	4 Star Hotel	5 Star Hotel
1 pax	825	935
2-5 pax	575	685
6-9 pax	405	515
10+ pax	325	435
Single Room Supplement	90	200

❧HOTEL INFORMATION❧

**4 Star –Pingyao HongShanYi Hotel
Datong Local Best-Datong Hotel**



**5 Star-Pingyao Jing's Residence
Datong Local Best-Datong Hotel**



❧ADDITIONAL INFORMATION❧

What's Included	What's Not Included
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Private tour with English speaking guide by car / van in Ping Yao & Datong 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Xian-Pingyao train ticket ➤ Air ticket with tax ➤ Transfer from hotel to Xian express train station
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Admission fees and activity expenses, as noted in the itinerary ➤ Meals as noted in the itinerary with complimentary drinking water 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Meals not included in the itinerary ➤ Tips to guide & driver
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ All accommodations for 2 nights based on 2pax sharing one room including breakfast, service charge, and government tax ➤ Bottled water 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Any personal expenses