

Group Getaway 2027 Southeast Asia by Solstice

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Dec 31, 2026 - Jan 13, 2027 - 13 Days / 12 Nights



Iconic Sites & Luxury Cruising



Avg Temp: 68°F - 90°F

TRIP ITINERARY

Dec 31 | Day 1 Arrive in Hong Kong

On arrival at Hong Kong Airport, you will be met by your representative and assisted to your private vehicle for transfer to your hotel. Enjoy bringing in the New Year Hong Kong style!

Jan 1 | Day 2 Hong Kong & Kowloon Highlights Tour

See all the highlights of Hong Kong Island on this orientation tour. This is a wonderful way to get to know Hong Kong and its famous landmarks and history.

Start the tour with a ride on the World's steepest funicular railway, the **Peak Tram**! Pulled by steel cables, the tram climbs 373 meters (about 1,200 feet) and is so steep that the buildings you pass look like they're leaning. Looking down from **Victoria Peak**, you'll be amazed by the spectacular view of the surrounding city skyline, the world-famous Victoria Harbor and Kowloon, towering skyscrapers and peaceful green hillsides.

Returning down on the peak tram you will then make your way to **Man Mo Temple**, the oldest temple in the city. You will have the chance to search for a bargain on Cat Street.

Next, a short walk through **Graham Street wet markets** will give you a real insight into the way the local people shop for daily groceries. You'll stop by a local sugar cane juice shop that has patterned tiled floors and walls and fans swirling in place of air conditioners. The shop is still being run by the same family using the traditional methods to press the juice today.

No trip to Hong Kong is complete until you enjoy a ride on the iconic **Star Ferry** as you cross **Victoria Harbour**, one of Hong Kong's greatest assets and a jewel that people marvel at no matter how many times they visit the city.

After this morning's walking tour, you will surely have a big appetite and need to rest your feet. Indulge in Hong Kong's traditional lunch of **Dim Sum** at local Chinese restaurant. This afternoon you will explore the back streets of Kowloon and see into the daily lives of local residents. We walk through colorful streets and come across some of Hong Kong's most lively markets, where you will feel first-hand the energy and soul of everyday Kowloon. As you walk, you will be immersed in the living culture of the local districts - one of the most densely populated spots on earth - and where much of daily life is lived at street level.

The first stop is a stroll around the **Jade Market**, where around 400 stall holders sell accessories made from the revered green stone. The local belief is jade can protect you from evil spirits and calm your emotions, therefore it is often given to children in the form of jewelry. This market is also full of fresh-water pearls. Then, amid the burning incense coils, you will learn the history of the local Tin Hau Temple - Our Empress of Heaven - one of the most popular deities of South China and without question the clear favorite of the boat people.

Continuing on to the Prince Edward area, you will visit the busy and colorful **Flower Market**, the center of Hong Kong's wholesale and retail flower business. The area is chock-a-block with vendors selling all manner of flowers, pot plants, bonsais and more. Following this, you will walk along **Yuen Po Street Bird Garden**, a tranquil scene of men and their bird cages.

You will finish the tour with a visit to the **Goldfish Street** to see the brightly colored tropical fish and a wide range of aquarium supplies on sale. Hong Kong people believe fish bring wealth, so the market is always packed and a fun place to visit.

Jan 2 | Day 3 All Aboard!

You will be transferred from your hotel to the cruise ship terminal to board Celebrity Solstice.

Jan 3 | Day 4 Celebrity Solstice Cruise - Day at Sea

While at sea, indulge in some well-deserved relaxation before your next adventure. Unwind by the pool, pamper yourself at the spa, savor exquisite cuisine, or discover the unique venues on board. Your next incredible destination awaits.

Jan 4 | Day 5 Hanoi (Ha Long Bay), Vietnam

Nothing can prepare you for the beauty of Ha Long Bay and its 2,000 limestone karsts, nor the experience of trekking around mountainous Sapa. Designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1994, this port city with its sweeping lush landscapes and calm waters lies just 100 miles from the bustling streets of Hanoi. Catch a water taxi out to one of the many floating restaurants on the bay.

There's so much to explore on a Vietnam cruise. Head to Hanoi, the country's captivating capital, where you'll find a blend of Parisian grace and Asian pace. Rise early to watch t'ai chi practiced at dawn near Hoan Kiem Lake, then take in the rich heritage and history with a visit to the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum and the bustling back streets of the Old Quarter. Or embark on an adventure through the Red River Delta. Experience one of the world's most magnificent natural wonders- Ha Long Bay in the Gulf of Tonkin from the decks of a traditional Chinese junk boat.

Jan 5 | Day 6 Hanoi (Ha Long Bay), Vietnam

Enjoy another day exploring Hanoi.

Jan 6 | Day 7 Hue/Danang (Chan May), Vietnam

The Nguyen Dynasty founded this former capital in the 17th century on the banks of the Perfume River. Today it sits as a massive open-air museum of temples, pagodas, palaces and tombs.

Explore the Imperial Citadel, then take a river cruise for a view of the Tombs of the Emperors and Thien Mu Pagoda. Pago Pago is the main settlement on Tutuila, surrounded by peaks rising out of deep water harbor rimmed with palm-shaded beaches.

Jan 7 | Day 8 Day at Sea

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Jan 8 | Day 9 Ho Chi Minh (Phu My), Vietnam

Located on the edge of the Mekong Delta, this dynamic metropolis also features the ageless beauty of an ancient culture. French colonial architecture mixes with modern Asian influences, providing a diverse backdrop for the many motorbikes, scooters, pagodas, and street markets. Stroll the wide boulevards of this city, formerly known as Saigon, and visit The History Museum, which houses artifacts from two thousand years of Vietnamese history.

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Jan 10 | Day 11 Bangkok/Laemchabang, Thailand

Bangkok is a city of contradictions: high-rise buildings and popular clubs abound, but so do golden temples and lively street fairs. A visit to the National Museum is great for history buffs, while shoppers will love the bargains in the Banglamphu district. Klong Toey, in central Bangkok, features a highly discounted market, offering fresh eel, dried fish, and the lively smells, sights, and sounds of this waterfront-pier area.

Jan 11 | Day 12 Ko Samui, Thailand

This small tropical paradise, lined with coconut palms and white sand beaches and encircled by turquoise water is a perfect place to escape and explore. Gaze up at the Big Buddha, cool off in the natural pool at the base of Na Muang Waterfall and view the astonishing natural rock formations of Hin Ta and Hin Yai.

Jan 12 | Day 13 Day at Sea

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Jan 13 | Day 14 Singapore, Singapore

At first glance, this diamond-shaped island just off the coast of Malaysia gleams with modernism and commercialism, making it seem more Western than Eastern. But as you continue to discover the city-state, you'll uncover the eclectic mix of cultures, religions, ancient treasures and British colonial impressions that give rise to a unique Singaporean identity. The cultural fusion is perhaps best expressed in Singapore's unofficial language, Singlish, a unique patois of English, Chinese and Malay.

Upon disembarkation from the cruise ship, the group will be picked up and will be taken straight to Singapore Changi Airport.

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