



North-East

The Mekong River

NONG KHAI
SANGKHOM
CHIANG KHAN



SIAMROUTES
Tailor Made Experiences

Day 1

From Bangkok to Nong Khai.

(Breakfast and lunch included - dinner on your own)

- Arrival at **Udon Thani** train station from **Bangkok** by sleeper train.
- Local breakfast.
- Transfer to **Nong Khai** with planned stops along the way: visit to a coconut plantation and a local chocolate factory.
- Explore **Sala Kaew Ku**, a large park housing numerous statues of Buddhas and mythological figures, created by a Laotian artist.
- Check-in, settle in, and overnight stay at a charming hotel in **Nong Khai**.

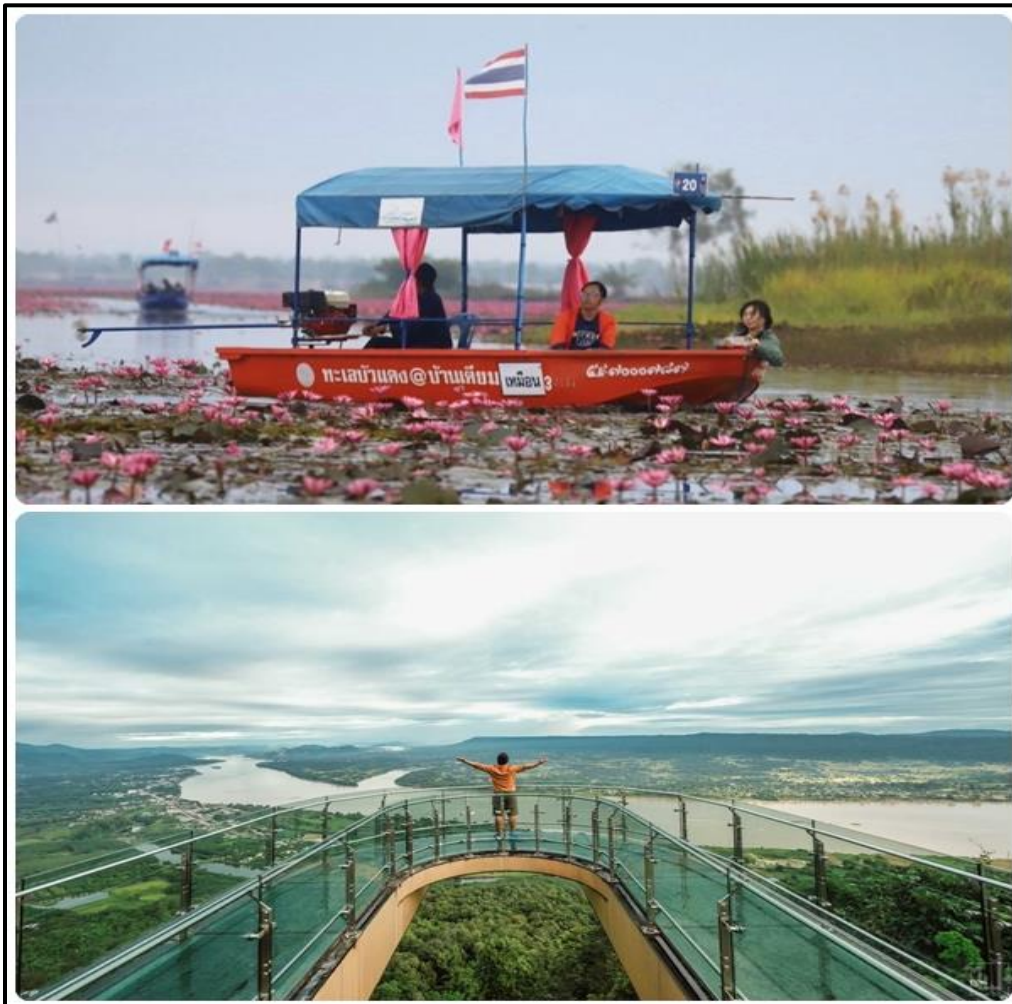


Day 2

En route to Chiang Khan.

(Breakfast included - lunch and dinner on your own)

- After breakfast, check-out and embark on an early morning boat tour on **Wang Bua Daeng Lake**, ideal for enjoying the tranquil lake scenery.
- Continue to **Sangkhom** with lunch and relaxation time on a floating raft (optional visit to a small waterfall if time permits).
- Visit the Skywalk at **Wat Pa Tak Suea** for a panoramic view of the region.
- Arrival and check-in at your hotel in Sangkhom, along the **Mekong River**.
- *Dinner on your own choice: Mookata, a Thai barbecue, at the local restaurant across from the hotel, or dinner at the hotel.*
- Overnight stay at your charming riverside hotel.



Day 3

Welcome to Chiang Khan.

(Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included)

- Early morning departure from the hotel around 5:00 AM to reach the starting point of the first tour of the day. You'll embark on a unique tractor ride up the mountain to witness the sunrise with breathtaking views over the **Mekong River**.
- Return to the hotel for breakfast, then check-out and hit the road towards **Chiang Khan**.
- En route, stop at a café with a cocoa plantation where they produce their own chocolate. Enjoy a tractor tour of the plantation.
- Arrival in **Chiang Khan**, check-in at your hotel, and free time.
- At 5:00 PM, gather for a **sunset cruise on the Mekong River**. After the cruise, enjoy a stroll and dinner on your own at the Walking Street.
- Return to your hotel on the banks of the Mekong River for the night.



Day 4

Discovery of Chiang Khan and Homestay.

(Breakfast, lunch, and dinner included)

- At 6:30 AM, participate in the morning almsgiving ceremony with the **monks**, followed by a riverside walk to witness the **sunrise**. Return to the hotel afterward for breakfast.
- Around 10:00 AM, visit a shop specializing in "coconut crystals". Learn about the production process of these treats and enjoy tasting them on site.
- After the visit, hop on your bicycle for a ride along the Mekong River bike trail, heading towards the rapids.
- Lunch will be at one of the food stalls near the rapids, offering picturesque views of the Mekong. After lunch, cycle back to town.



- In the mid-afternoon, arrival at the **Tai Dam** community, an ethnic group from Southeast Asia, particularly from northwest Vietnam.
- Visit their museum, with the opportunity to witness folk dances and participate in games with the children. Engage in a **workshop** where you'll learn to craft spirit houses using thread, a traditional artisanal activity.
- Dinner with your host family, enjoying a magnificent view of the surrounding mountains.
- Overnight stay in your homestay with the Tai Dam community.

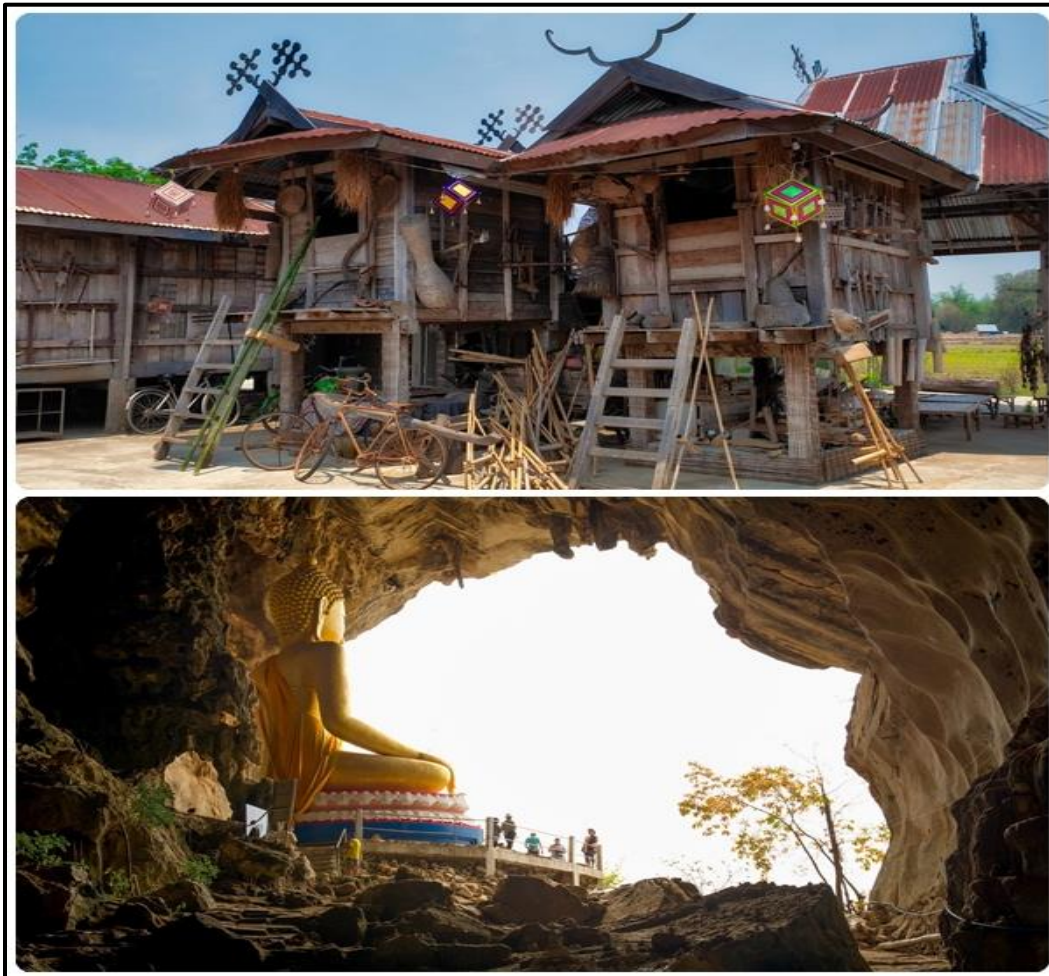


Day 5

Morning in the community, then departure.

(Breakfast and lunch included - dinner on your own)

- Enjoy a traditional Thai breakfast with your host family, followed by a village stroll and a demonstration of weaving, a wonderful opportunity to explore local craftsmanship.
- Between 10 and 11 AM, depart for **Udon Thani**, stopping for lunch at a typical local restaurant to savor regional dishes along the way.
- Visit **Tham Erawan Cave** to admire its large Buddha statue and explore this historical site.
- Transfer to Udon Thani Airport for your next destination.
- **End of our services.**



Your accomodations

Your hotel in Nong Khai :



- Aircon rooms;
- Fridge, kettle;
- Free WiFi on property.

Your hotel in Sangkhom:



- Aircon rooms;
- Fridge, kettle;
- Free WiFi on property.

Your hotel in Chiang Khan :



- Outdoor swimming pool;
- Aircon rooms;
- Fridge, kettle;
- Free WiFi on property.

Your homestay in Tai Dam village:



- Rooms with fans;
- Fridge, kettle;
- Private bathroom;
- Free WiFi on property.