

# 2026 ULTIMATE KOREA GETAWAY "12 NIGHT" LAND TOUR

2 Nights Incheon Plus 4 Nights on Jeju Island,  
2 Nights in Busan & 4 Nights in Seoul



## You asked for it...a more relaxed pace!

- Relax for 2 nights at the "4-Star" NEST HOTEL INCHEON after your flight to Incheon, Korea.
- Enjoy 4 nights at the luxurious "5-Star" GRAND HYATT JEJU in your spacious hotel room with superb dining, shopping, spa, and a casino.
- Then 2 nights at the "5-Star" PARADISE HOTEL BUSAN.
- 4 nights at the perfect hotel in Seoul, the "5-Star" NOVOTEL SUITES AMBASSADOR SEOUL YONGSAN with many choices for shopping.

12 Nights / 14 Days • 28 Meals (12 Buffet Breakfasts, 10 Lunches, 6 Dinners)

Escorted from Honolulu • Includes an English-Speaking Professional Local Guide

Tour #5: August 25 – September 07, 2026 • Tour Manager: Paul Ledesma

Tour #8: September 29 – October 12, 2026 • Tour Manager: Gabriele Finn

Tour #9: October 29 – November 11, 2026 • Tour Manager: Melanie Lum

**VISIT:** Incheon, Jeju Island, Busan & Seoul

**TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:** Incheon Chinatown, Jayu Park, Wolmi Theme Park, Hallim Park, OSULLOC Tea Museum, Hwansang Forest Gotjawal Park, Jeju Beer Company Tour and Tasting, Sungsan Peak Rise, Haenyeo Museum, Dongmun Market, Gwaneumsa Temple, Haedong Yonggungsa Temple, Sailing on a Yacht, Gamcheon Culture Village, BIFF Square, Korea Train eXpress (or KTX) Ride, LOTTE World Tower, SEOUL SKY Observation Deck, LOTTE Mall, Han River Cruise, Namdaemun Market, Downtown Myeongdong, Icheon Ceramics Village, Ye's Park, Korean Folk Village & Costco Shopping

**HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE:** Ganjang Dakgalbi (Marinated Chicken with Soy Sauce)

Cooking Class

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**Day 1:** HONOLULU. Depart Honolulu.

**Day 2:** INCHEON. Arrive Incheon, South Korea. After entry formalities, enjoy a special galbitang (beef short rib soup) dinner at a local restaurant in town before transferring to your hotel. NEST HOTEL INCHEON (2 Nights) (D)

**Day 3:** INCHEON. After a morning of leisure, enjoy lunch in **Incheon Chinatown**, the only official Chinatown in Korea, which was formed in 1884, shortly after the opening of the Incheon Port in 1883. Nearby **Jayu Park**, also known as Freedom Park, is the first Western-style park in Korea. Established in 1888, the park is located on a bluff overlooking the city's harbor. A statue of General Douglas MacArthur is prominently on display there. Also nearby is **Wolmi Theme Park**, which is located on Wolmido Island in Incheon. It features various amusement rides including a ferris wheel, swing boat, and go-karts. One of its highlights is the tagada ride, where riders sit on circular seats that move in all directions to the beat of music while a DJ adds to the excitement. Return to the hotel, where the remainder of the day is at your leisure. The Local Guide will have suggestions for nearby dining and shopping. (B, L)

**Day 4:** INCHEON – JEJU ISLAND. After a morning of leisure, transfer to the airport and fly to Jeju. Transfer to the hotel. Enjoy dinner at the hotel. GRAND HYATT JEJU (4 Nights) (B, L, D)

**Day 5:** JEJU ISLAND. Begin the morning with a tour of **Hallim Park**, one of the most popular tourist spots on Jeju Island, with 1.2 million visitors each year. Visitors can enjoy Palm Tree Road, Jeju Stone and Bonsai Garden, Water Garden, Subtropical Botanic Garden, and much more. The most famous tourist sites in Hallim Park are Hyeopjaegul and Ssangyonggul Caves, known to be the only two-dimensional caves in the world. Next, visit **OSULLOC Tea Museum**, which showcases the rich history of Korean tea within the beautiful scenery of the tea farm. The many clouds and fog created by the nearby Hallasan Mountain, the tallest mountain in Korea, creates a natural shading effect and helps to improve the color and quality of the tea leaves – resulting in some of the best tea in the world. **Hwansang Forest Gotjawal Park** was created when trees, grass and flowers settled on land formed by the hardening lava from erupting volcanoes. Since the forest was formed on round, lumpy basalt, its appearance is wildly different from inland forests. The roots of tall trees are clearly exposed above ground, due to the lack of available top soil. Take a **tour of the brewery** at the **Jeju Beer Company**, and learn how the island's first local beer is produced using Jeju ingredients. At the end of the tour, **you can sample the beers** at the pub located on the third floor of the brewery building. Return to the hotel for dinner. (B, L, D)

**Day 6:** JEJU ISLAND. View the surrounding countryside from **Sungsan Peak Rise**, a tuff cone crater that was formed more than 5,000 years ago by a volcanic eruption under the sea. Next, learn about the haenyeo (Jeju's female divers) at the **Haenyeo Museum**. Exhibiting the history of the haenyeo culture dating back to ancient times, all exhibits were donated by the haenyeo themselves. A replica of the haenyeo's house, detailed exhibits on their food culture, upbringing, semi-agricultural and semi-fishing culture are on display. **Dongmun Market** is Jeju's largest and oldest permanent market. A street market, night market, traditional market and seafood market are all combined in one place. Offering an array of goods such as vegetables, fruits, seafood, medicinal herbs, grains, and clothing. Return to the hotel, where the remainder of the day is at your leisure. The hotel has many amenities to explore, including a 24 hour arcade, foreigners only casino, jjimjil spa (modern Korean bathhouse) for a nominal fee, and many more. The Emart Jeju Market is conveniently

located next door to the hotel, and offers a diverse selection of products, from clothes, household goods and food. Visitors can enjoy tax-free shopping by presenting their passport after spending over 30,000 won (subject to change). The market also features a food court where you can order affordable and delicious meals through touchscreens. The Local Guide will also have suggestions for nearby dining and shopping. (B, L)

**Day 7:** JEJU ISLAND. Enjoy a full day of leisure. A perfect day to explore more of Jeju on your own. The Local Guide will be available to assist with your plans. Or you may just want to relax at the hotel. (B)

**Day 8:** JEJU ISLAND – BUSAN. **Gwaneumsa Temple** is a historic Buddhist Temple located at the foot of Hallasan Mountain, the most famous mountain in Korea. The temple is widely believed to have been first built during the Tamra Dynasty era (BC 476~AD 1005), however, there is no concrete evidence suggesting the exact year of construction or the temple's original builder. In the early 1700s, when leaders of the Joseon Dynasty proclaimed Confucianism as the national religion and executed a policy to destroy all the Buddhist temples in the Jeju area, Gwaneumsa Temple was demolished. It was rebuilt in 1912 by a Buddhist nun, Anbongryeokwan, and renovated in 1964. Transfer to the airport and fly to Busan. Enjoy dinner in Busan before arriving at the hotel. PARADISE HOTEL BUSAN (2 Nights) (B, L, D)

**Day 9:** BUSAN. **Haedong Yonggungsa Temple** is situated on the coast of the north-eastern portion of Busan. It's rare to find a temple along the shore line as most temples in Korea are located in the mountains. Haedong Yonggungsa Temple was first built in 1376 by the great Buddhist teacher known as Naong during the Goryeo Dynasty (although this claim has been disputed). The main sanctuary of the temple was reconstructed in 1970 with careful attention paid to the colors that were traditionally used in such structures. On the right-hand side, inside a cave, is a uniquely designed Buddhist sanctum, while situated just in front of the main sanctuary is a three-story pagoda with four lions. The four lions symbolize joy, anger, sadness, and happiness. If the weather conditions are right, enjoy **sailing on a yacht** in the waters of Busan. Return early to the hotel, where the remainder of the day is at your leisure. The Local Guide will have suggestions for nearby dining and shopping opportunities. (B, L)

**Day 10:** BUSAN – SEOUL. The **Gamcheon Culture Village** was formed by refugees of the Korean War who built their houses in staircase-fashion on the foothills of a coastal mountain. In 2009, as a part of the "Village Art Project," students, artists, and residents decorated the village – which transformed the hillside slum into a vibrant cultural hub – which revitalized the village and improved living conditions. The many alleys that cut through this community are vibrantly decorated with murals and sculptures created by the residents. To the street food lovers, **BIFF Square** is a well-known food paradise. It's a great place to go to shop for souvenirs and have great street food. Many stalls selling Korean snacks such as tteokbokki (simmered rice cake), sundae (Korean-style blood sausage), and mandu (Korean dumplings), all within a reasonable price. One of the most popular specialties at BIFF Square, often seen in Korean TV shows (including *Running Man*) and Asian travel/food TV shows is ssat hotteok (Korean sweet pancake stuffed with seeds). Long lines of customers queued at the popular stalls visited by celebrities. This yummy ssat hotteok is a must-try in Busan! Take a ride on the **Korea Train eXpress (or KTX)**, Korea's high-speed rail system via bullet train to Seoul. Transfer to the hotel for the evening. NOVOTEL SUITES AMBASSADOR SEOUL YONGSAN (4 Nights) (B, L, D)

**Day 11:** SEOUL. The **LOTTE World Tower**, with 123 floors rising 555 meters above the city of Seoul, is the country's first building to exceed 100 floors and the 6th tallest building in the world. A pair of double-deck elevators take just 60 seconds (traveling at 10 meters per second) to ascend to **SEOUL SKY**, the seven-floor observatory. Located at the base of the LOTTE World Tower is



the **LOTTE World Mall**, which includes many local and international retailers, a department store, duty free shop, aquarium, HIMART (electronic goods store), cinema, bowling alley, and much more. Take a **leisurely cruise on the Han River**. Next is **Namdaemun Market**, the largest traditional market in Korea selling clothing, shoes, house wares, foodstuff, flowers, tools, wigs, glasses, accessories of every kind, gifts, sporting goods, electric appliances, furniture, and more. Explore the **Myeongdong Shopping District**, Korea's famous shopping and fashion district (usually open until 10:00 pm), has long been the trendsetting center of Korean fashion – LOTTE and Shinsegae Department Stores, underground stores, and shopping malls for apparel, shoes, accessories, cosmetics, and more. Shoppers can enjoy shopping and dining in a pedestrian-friendly (car-free) area. Many local, international brands and department stores lined the streets and alleys, selling everything from cosmetics, clothes, shoes to accessories. In 2023, it was listed as the 9th most expensive shopping street in the world. Enjoy time to shop and dine (on your own) here, before returning to the hotel for the evening. (B, L)

**Day 12:** SEOUL. The **Icheon Ceramics Village** produces high quality, traditional Korean ceramics. The village became the center of traditional pottery during the Joseon Dynasty (1392–1910) for about 500 years due to the easily obtainable materials in the areas. Icheon Ceramics Village was also the center of Joseon Baekja ceramics. Presently, about 80 pottery factories are congregated at the village, and about 300 pottery kilns are in use. Visitors can observe the pottery production process, and purchase them directly from the artists. **Ye's Park** is Korea's largest craft village, with facilities for the production, display and sales of ceramics arts. This vast park houses over 350 craft studios, allowing visitors to immerse themselves in the world of Korean ceramics. The **Korean Folk Village** is a living museum that recreates the lifestyle of several centuries ago. There are potters, weavers, blacksmiths, and other artisans who practice their trades in traditional fashion. There are also 260 traditional houses and a small amphitheater for folk music and dance performance. Enjoy a buffet dinner before returning to the hotel for the evening. (B, L, D)

**Day 13:** SEOUL. Enjoy a full day of leisure. A perfect day to explore more of Seoul on your own. Or you can shop until you drop. The Local Guide will be available to assist with your plans. (B)

**Day 14:** SEOUL – HONOLULU. Enjoy a morning of leisure. **Learn how to make ganjang dakgalbi (marinated chicken with soy sauce)**. Enjoy your yummy creation for lunch! After lunch, get some **last minute shopping** done at **Costco**, before transferring to Incheon International Airport for your return flight to Honolulu. Depart Seoul, South Korea. Arrive Honolulu the same day. Aloha and welcome home! (B, L)