

NICARAGUA TOURS: NICARAGUA COLONIAL GEMS

4 Day / 3 Night Program featuring the capital city of Managua and the charming, colonial gems of Leon and Granada.

Prices begin from \$ 609.00. Includes Land Arrangements only. Please ask for our Airline Specials, too!

Day 1 Home City - Managua

Meet and Greet upon arrival to Managua's International Airport, and Transfer to the Crowne Plaza Hotel or similar www.crowneplaza.com. Balance of day free to stroll, shop, and explore the city streets on your own. Be sure to try one of Nicaragua's specialties, a delicious, succulent steak at a nearby restaurant.

Day 2 Leon - Hot Spring

Visit to Leon, historic colonial city which shared with Granada the capital of Nicaragua until 1852. Enjoy its impressive Cathedral considered one of the most outstanding colonial buildings in Central America. Its walls are decorated with beautiful oleos and frescoes. At the entrance are six engraved lions decorating the atrium and a fountain adorns the center of the church's plaza. Several prominent Nicaraguans are buried here including its most renowned poet, Ruben Dario. Marvel at its rooftoop view of the Maribios Volcanic chain and numerous colonial style buildings including Nicaragua's first university, one of the two oldest in Central America. Includes Lunch. B L

Day 3 Granada - Lake Nicaragua

City Tour of Granada, founded in 1524, and the oldest city in the Americas. Enjoy its colorful colonial homes, neoclassical and baroque churches and cobblestone streets. Sites to see include San Francisco Church and Convent, the oldest church in Central America founded in 1529, Central Park, the Palacio de Cultura and Casa de los Tres Mundos. Continue to stunning Lake Nicaragua for a glimpse of Las Isletas, 350 small islands formed when the Mombacho Volcano exploded over 20,000 years ago. Includes Lunch. Overnight in beautiful Granada at the **Hotel Dario** www.hoteldario.com. B, L

Day 4 Granada - Managua - Home City

At scheduled hour, Transfer to Airport for flight homeward or next destination. B

Package Includes:

- Meet and Greet upon arrival to Managua's International Airport
- Round Trip Transfers Airport to Hotel
- 2 Nights Hotel Accommodations in Managua
- 1 Night Hotel Accommodations in Granada
- Sightseeing Excursion Colonial Granada and Lake Nicaragua (Includes Lunch)
- Sightseeing Excursion Colonial Leon & Hot Spring (Includes Lunch)
- Breakfast Daily

^{*}For more information, contact your travel agent or **Festival Tours**.