

GUATEMALA

Lake Atitlán Cultural Journey

Markets, Lake & Villages

FULL DAY



SAN ANTONIO PALOPO



FULL-DAY TOUR TO CHICHICASTEN- ANGO AND LAKE ATITLAN



Price

\$135

Minimum of 7 participants



Schedule

05:30 AM: Departure from hotel

07:45 AM: Traditional breakfast
in Chichicastenango

08:45 AM: Start of the tour

- **Chichicastenango:**
Traditional indigenous
market, Santo Tomás
church and local cemetery
- **Santa Cruz La Laguna:**
Cooking experience and
lunch with Amigos de Santa
Cruz
- **San Juan La Laguna:** Coffee
tour with the La Voz
cooperative and free time in
the village

05:00 PM: Return to Antigua
Guatemala (arrival 8:00 - 8:30
PM)

*Meet your guide at the lobby
of the hotel*

Begin your adventure in the Guatemalan highlands with a visit to Chichicastenango, home to one of the largest and most vibrant indigenous markets in Latin America, and continue to Lake Atitlán, surrounded by majestic volcanoes, where a boat ride connects two Mayan villages on its shore: Santa Cruz La Laguna and San Juan La Laguna.

In Chichicastenango, you will walk through the traditional market and discover K'iche' Maya textiles, crafts and local produce, visit the Santo Tomás church, where Mayan spirituality and Catholic tradition come together, and stop at the town's colorful cemetery.

The journey continues to Santa Cruz La Laguna, where you will take part in a hands-on Guatemalan cooking experience with Amigos de Santa Cruz, a local community organization, and enjoy the lunch prepared by the group.

A short boat ride takes you to San Juan La Laguna for a coffee tour with the La Voz cooperative, from the plant to the cup, followed by free time to explore the village's murals, textile workshops and community shops.

Throughout the day, you'll experience breathtaking panoramic views of the highlands, the lake and its volcanoes. A rich and immersive experience of Guatemala's heritage.



Important Notes

This tour departs from the hotel at 5:30 AM. Please be ready at the lobby 15 minutes in advance.

For a comfortable trip, we recommend you bring:

- Athletic clothes
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen (at least SPF 30), even if it is overcast
- Hat or cap
- Athletic shoes
- Camera
- Snacks
- Light jacket or sweater for the early morning in the highlands

Package Details

Included

- ✓ Traditional Guatemalan breakfast in Chichicastenango
- ✓ Cooking experience and lunch in Santa Cruz La Laguna
- ✓ Shared transportation from Antigua Guatemala to the highlands and Lake Atitlan (round trip)
- ✓ Visit to Chichicastenango: market, Santo Tomas church and cemetery
- ✓ Boat transportation on Lake Atitlan (Santa Cruz - San Juan)
- ✓ Coffee tour at the La Voz cooperative in San Juan La Laguna
- ✓ Professional bilingual guide (Spanish/English)

Not Included

- ✗ Tips
- ✗ Personal expenses