

Mekong Delta

Experience the essence of Vietnam and the Mekong Delta, with its friendly people and unique water based lifestyles. The cycling is superb, at any moment there are a multitude of unique sights to see and we have included many off-the-bike experiences for you to enjoy. Enjoy the trip in the company of your fully trained and experienced Vietnamese guides who will provide the local interpretation, as well as looking after your every need.

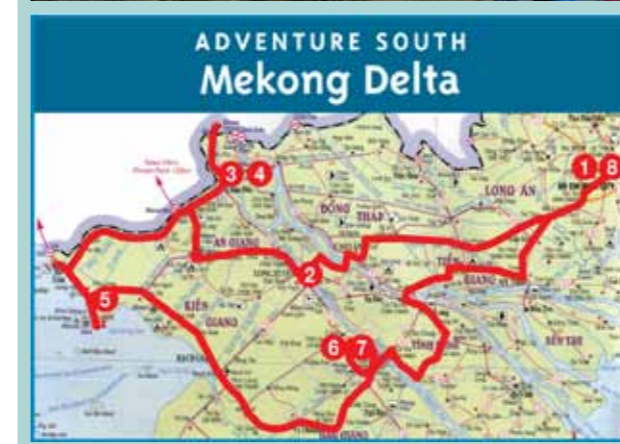
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Together with our local Vietnamese partners we are excited to introduce a revised itinerary, for our very popular cycle tour in the exotic Mekong Delta. We now spend two nights each, in the very beautiful Victoria Resort Hotels in Chau Doc and Can Tho and have added in some more quiet road cycling into the little visited western Mekong Delta region. Tours are timed for the dry season when, although still hot, it is not humid. This tour caters for all levels of cyclists - distances are great enough to challenge strong riders but as the route is nearly all flat it is also suitable for recreational cyclists, combined with our vehicle support system. Enjoy delicious meals, Vietnamese cuisine is world renowned with its combination of Western and Asian influences and we have carefully chosen restaurants with a high standard of hygiene. You will learn so much from our local English speaking guides who take great pleasure and pride in introducing you to their region. We guarantee they will become lifelong friends and you will leave with this unique corner of Vietnam occupying a special place in your heart.

- Visit the Mekong Delta's only Crocodile farm, which supplies live crocodiles, crocodile meat and crocodile leather to the export and local markets
- Take a boat trip to visit a floating village where people live above their fish farms
- Cycle alongside the Cambodian border where you will see Khmer people in their stilt houses alongside sugar palm trees
- Visit the famous Tay An pagoda and temples and Sam Mountain overlooking Cambodia
- Spend two rest days at the lovely Victoria Hotels

on the banks of the Mekong River, with options for local cycle rides, exploring the towns in the company of your local guides, or relaxing by the pool and watching the fascinating river life pass before your eyes.

- Cycle past monkey bridges and alongside Xe-Loi, the unusual pedal-powered rickshaws unique to the Mekong
- Take an early morning boat trip to the vibrant Cai Rang floating market
- Ride past brilliant green rice paddies, endless canal networks and peaceful villages.



DURATION	8 nights, 9 days itinerary
MEALS	8 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 6 dinners
PRICES	Trip price US\$1635 Single Supplement US\$450 2 pax surcharge US\$1735
START	Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon) at 2.00 pm
FINISH	Ho Chi Minh City – after breakfast
2010 - 2011 DATES	
	November 13 - 21
	November 27 - December 5
	December 11 - 19
	December 22 - 30
	January 1 - 9
	January 15 - 23
	February 12 - 20
	February 26 - March 6

