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Universally known as "God's own Country", Kerala is one of the most sought after tourist destinations in the south-western part of India. Nature has gifted this state with such incredible attractions whose significance is just beyond the words and visual delight. Right from invigorating hills majestically set on the western-Ghats, picturesque backwaters, palm-fringed pristine beaches, exotic wildlife parks to ranges of floras and faunas; it offers every thing to the nature lovers. Apart from its virgin natural attractions it is equally popular for its mouth-watering cuisine, warm-hospitable people, excellent luxurious hotels and several healing Ayurvedic salons rejuvenates the body and soul. People who prefer to spend their vacations in the lap of nature visit this state in a great numbers, throughout the year. There are plenty of interesting things in this state but among many things houseboat backwater cruise, thrilling wildlife safari, beach trip are the few popular activities of Kerala.

If there is any thing that makes this state unique and incredible then its exclusive backwaters which are worth visiting at least once in a lifetime span. Backwaters are the perfect combination of brackish lagoons, lakes, inlets and several rivers which team up together and forms the breathtaking locale and that we call backwaters.

The green city Kerala is bestowed with several amazing backwater destinations but none can be explored without well organized houseboats often referred to as Kettuvallams in traditional language. Houseboats in backwater take tourists in the beautiful world of water and wonder and fill their heart with fun and ecstasy. And it is the only way to explore and experience the real virgin beauty of this state. No wonder if we would say most of the people visit this state just for thrilling backwater houseboat cruise.

In ancient time or before the advent of roads in this state houseboats or Kettuvallams were used as the major source of transportation supply one thing to another place but later considering a huge influx of tourists houseboats were modified into contemporary facilities that include bath-attached rooms, lounge, sun-deck, kitchenette and etc. houseboat of the state is not less than any luxurious five star hotels and resorts renders almost every facilities to the visitors and give them a memorable holidaying experience.

Houseboats Kerala are distributed into different categories such as standard, deluxe, luxury, non-luxury and etc and you may choose them according to your budget and priorities. And the major thing about houseboat is that it is very eco-friendly and do not create any kind of pollution. Kerala is bestowed with several amazing backwater destinations and among many Kumarakom and Alleppey are the most visited by travellers with reason.

Popularly called as "Venice of the East", Alleppey is the largest backwater destination of the state also famous for national snake boat race yearly conducts in the beloved memory of Indian former Prime Minister Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru. Kumarakom is another beautiful backwater destination also mentioned in the world famous novel "The God of Small Things" has written by booker prize winner Arundhati Roy. Well if you really love nature and wish to experience by it close then must go for backwater houseboat cruise.

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