Angkor Cambodia

Angkor, in northern Cambodia, is one of the most important archaeological sites in South-East Asia. Stretching over some 98,000 acres, including forested area, Angkor Archaeological Park contains the magnificent remains of the different capitals of the Khmer Empire, from the 9th to the 15th century. They include the famous Temple of Angkor Wat and, at Angkor Thom, the Bayon Temple with its countless sculptural decorations. For several centuries Angkor, was the centre of the Khmer Kingdom. The architecture and layout of the successive capitals bear witness to a high level of social order and ranking within the Khmer Empire. Breaking from Shaiva tradition of previous kings, Angkor Wat was dedicated to Vishnu for the Khmer Empire. It is so vast that the following pictures give only a small glimpse into what it is like.











































































































