

## Responsible Travel Guide Cambodia

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**Pujita Nanette Mayeda, Friendship with Cambodia : Responsible Travel Guide Cambodia** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Responsible Travel Guide Cambodia:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. useful but limited infoBy Lawrence MancusoNot as extensive a travel guide as I expected, but I'm hopeful that it has provided us with some useful places to spend our money.26 of 26 people found the following review helpful. Be a better touristBy R. DayThis is a very thoughtful and well written book. I've been to several of the establishments listed in it and wholeheartedly agree with those suggestions. I've given copies of this book as gifts to individuals and groups traveling to Cambodia.Cambodia is an amazing, enchanting and at times, horribly perplexing county. No book can fully prepare you for your first trip but this one makes a solid attempt to point you in the right direction. This book is the best of the dozen or so Cambodian travel guides that I own; in combination with the free guides at canbypublications.com (also available at many hotels and restaurants in tourist areas) it can get you through your Cambodian vacation/adventure smoothly.One thing from the book that I want to emphasize is avoiding Orphanage Tourism. It might seem like a nice idea but as the book points out it's often counter-productive. You'll start to understand when you're try to eat dinner on Pub Street in Siem Reap. Please see thinkchildsafe.org for a much more detailed explanation.Safe travels22 of 22 people found the following review helpful. Must Have Guide for Responsible TravelersBy M. S. MeyersWhile traveling extensively in Cambodia on my own as a single woman I found this travel guide extremely helpful in selecting accommodations and restaurants. I wanted to support worthwhile, responsible local businesses and was not disappointed with the recommendations listed

in the book.

Responsible Travel Guide Cambodia provides tourists with the resources they need to have an enjoyable and meaningful vacation that helps local people. Arranged by city, the selection of hotels offers options to suit everyone's comfort preferences and budget. These hotels support local humanitarian activities, protect children from sex-tourism, have environmental policies, are locally-owned, treat their staff well, and train or employ disadvantaged youth. This guidebook includes restaurants that are training programs for former street children or are helping in other ways - such as supporting the arts. It offers a wonderful section of restaurants ranging from gourmet to vegetarian and from coffee shops to traditional Cambodian cuisine.

If you have traveled in the Third World, you have likely faced the ethical challenge of vacationing in a place where most people can't afford food or school tuition. Responsible Traveler's Guide Cambodia is unique in its approach to travel in a country where tourism has the potential to make a positive difference in so many lives. Travelers with a desire to give something back to the people of Cambodia will find all the information they need for making sure their vacation dollars are well spent. - Carol Pucci, Travel Writer, The Seattle Times