

## Kazakhstan revisited 13-20 MAY



Another chance to visit this friendly and very interesting country, before the remaining Russian residents are removed or scrapped. With fantastic ramp access.

**SAT 13** We depart from LHR on the evening Air Astana flight.

- NO VISA REQUIRED -

**SUN 14** Early arrival in ASTANA and transfer to our hotel for a refreshing buffet breakfast. We then return to the airport for our Ramp tour. In the afternoon we have lunch in the city at the Antonov 24 restaurant. Then a short city tour and drop back at the hotel early for a relaxing evening.

**MON 15** We transfer to the airport for a quick drive around, to see what has changed. Then we drive on towards an An2 airfield at BUKHAR-ZHYRAU and then the main airport at KARAGANDY. We hope for tours here. We return via TSE to our hotel.

**TUE 16** We leave again for the airport and our morning flight to ALMATY. On arrival we meet our guide and start our airport ramp tour, visiting all parts of the ramp, storage area and hangars. We then head for our lunch and short city tour, before arriving at our luxury hotel for the next 2 nights, the Rahat Palace.

**WED 17** Today, we have a morning visit to BORALDAI airport with ramp tour. In the afternoon we visit BAISERKE airfield, We have a chance of flights (including air to air) on AN-2, Mil2, Yak18T or Technam. During the flights we can watch the flying and eat our packed lunch. Return to hotel by about 1700

**THU 18** Early breakfast and departure for our E190 flight to SHYMKENT On arrival we visit airport with SCAT airlines, as before, walking around the stored Antonovs and scrap area. We then check-in and have a delicious buffet lunch at the luxurious RIXOS hotel. After lunch we visit some aircraft in city, including an AN24 and visit a skydiving airport outside city, with several AN2s. Return to hotel for a relaxed evening.

**FRI 19** Late departure for the airport and lunchtime flight back to ASTANA. We meet our guide and transfer to hotel via the GARRISON MUSEUM, Arriving at the hotel by 1600.

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SAT 20 Late morning transfer to airport for LHR flight, arriving back early evening.

## Tour Cost: £1299 Deposit: £499 Single Room: £299

Includes: Flights including all taxes, Ground transport, Local guides, Ramp tours, 6 nights hotel (Bed & Breakfast) 1 x Packed lunch.

