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12 The Ultimate Rising Sun Adventure

You think just because you've navigated Napa Valley and conquered the Cote d'Or, you've seen it all?

Not even close—not until you've adventured in the gustatory wonderland of Japan! For this lot, you and another couple (4 people total) will be guided by Napa Valley man-about-town and sake expert Eduardo Dingler. Eduardo was the Global Beverage Director for the Morimoto restaurant group, and the dude knows Japan like a Ryori-cho knows his sushi naifu.

You'll start by taking in two days of Tokyo: the shrines, parks, markets, and of course Eduardo's top spots for authentic fine dining, cocktails, and street food. Then it's time to speed on the Shinkansen (bullet train) with Eduardo to Niigata and Toyama prefectures: sake country. You'll pay a visit to several breweries, including the world-renowned IWA, founded by former Dom Pérignon Chef de Cave Richard Geoffrey. Geoffrey ditched his 20-year gig at Dom to start this brewery, and now the sakes are on the list at places like EMP, The French Laundry, and Per Se.

After that, it's on to Kyoto, to explore the most culturally significant areas of the city, plus the best bars and restaurants. Finally, you'll take in the Japanese landscapes as you bullet back to Tokyo for one more night, gallivanting in that magical metropolis.

Lot includes:

- 🐾 For 2 couples (4), 7 nights
- 🐾 Accomodations
- 🐾 Transportation throughout the region
- 🐾 Two nights of adventures in Tokyo with Eduardo Dingler including unique dining, sake experiences, favorite cocktail bars, coffee shops, street food, shrines, and parks.
- 🐾 A visit to with Eduardo to Sake Country (Niigata and Toyama) with stops at Sake Breweries, including IWA (founded by former Dom Perignon's Chef de Cave).
- 🐾 A stop in Kyoto to explore some of the most culturally significant areas of the city, bars and dining experiences.
- 🐾 A journey through Japan to explore the unique landscapes via Shinkansen (bullet train)
- 🐾 Mutually agreeable dates
- 🐾 Airfare not included

