

# Travel Bug Tour Connections



## Nepal

### Mysterious Möntang Upper Mustang

May 9 to May 24, 2020  
\$4700 Deposit \$900

Travel through the awe-inspiring mountains of the central Himalaya!

We will follow the Kali Gandaki River, home to the deepest gorge on the planet, making our way to the capital of the formerly restricted, demilitarized Mustang Kingdom of Lo, the last authentic, intact Tibetan society on the planet.



The road from Mustang's Chinese border south thru the realm to Jomsom is now finished and fully navigable. This rough thru-way (and, now, the electricity and spotty mobile cellular service the road has allowed) will forever alter not just the landscape but Upper Mustang's 5,000 inhabitants and their culture. What, for the last 1000 years has been at least a week's trek at high altitude can now be done in a one or two day (sometimes dizzying) drive -- if one does not stop to smell the roses. Join us as we take our time and gain elevation to enter this Tibetan cultural area in its last years of sparse tourism.

Please tell the tour operator that you were referred by Travel Bug.

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