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Transformational Japan

Your Journey to
Deep Japan



Helping people come to Japan, get acquainted with its unique and astonishing culture, food, and the irrepressible kindness we find everywhere here has been a great privilege and honor for my wife, Kazuyo, and I. We love our work. Not just because working in the luxury industry is rewarding, but because this work is extremely important and meaningful. Connecting Japanese friends, artists, musicians, chefs, and people who nurture and protect

vanishing traditions of this ancient culture is something we take seriously. As such, we do not offer our services to any and all. We need a little time to get to know our client-agents, and the people that they work with and serve. Most people are really great in this sector, so we rarely have issues with anyone. Nevertheless, a deep, meaningful, transformational experience discovered in travel is not for everyone.

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Create Your Journey

Discover the Japan that has been at the edges of your dreams. Time for travel is precious, almost sacred. Let's talk about the clients you serve and how to get them the adventure of a lifetime. The undiscovered Japan that we know well awaits.



NEWSLETTER ICHI-BAN

I've been a professional in Japan now for over 25 years. I'm a Canadian guy, but Japan is where I live, where my wife and I raise our kids, where we meet our clients and try to be of some benefit to those around us.

We've always been motivated by the primary code of "do the right thing", and sometimes that is easy to say and hard to do. We got into this business because we are strong advocates for our city and our region and we were not satisfied with the lack of work done to help bring the West to the un-Google-able treasures and experiences, and exquisite experiences we kept discovering.

So, we made our company and as we continually add to our own massive lists of places to go, things to see and do, and people to befriend, we would really like to take you and your people along with us.





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With Your Own Hands



ALL SENSES ENGAGED

One of the greatest pleasures of intimate and experiential travel is the actual "doing of things". We all know that it is lovely to go to a new place, a new country, one with many cathedrals and walls of art and statues.

And it can also be nice sometimes to listen to a thoughtful lecture about a particular piece of art, an important point in history or the biography of an architect.

But, but... sometimes that is not the thing that gives us pleasure and joy, sometimes just the passive watching and listening is not enough to engage us as a whole person. We need to touch, and interact, and smell, and taste.

We have a few ideas for how to get you and your people into Japan, and doing things that are not easy to access. We have sushi creations experiences, indigo dyeing, sake tasting, a whole bunch of different martial arts experiences, flower arrangement, meditation with monks, pilgrimage and hiking, pottery, calligraphy, cooking, and time to meet kabuki and geisha experts too.

Let's get in touch and talk about your people and how to give them the gift of deep culturally relevant and unforgettable experiences.