

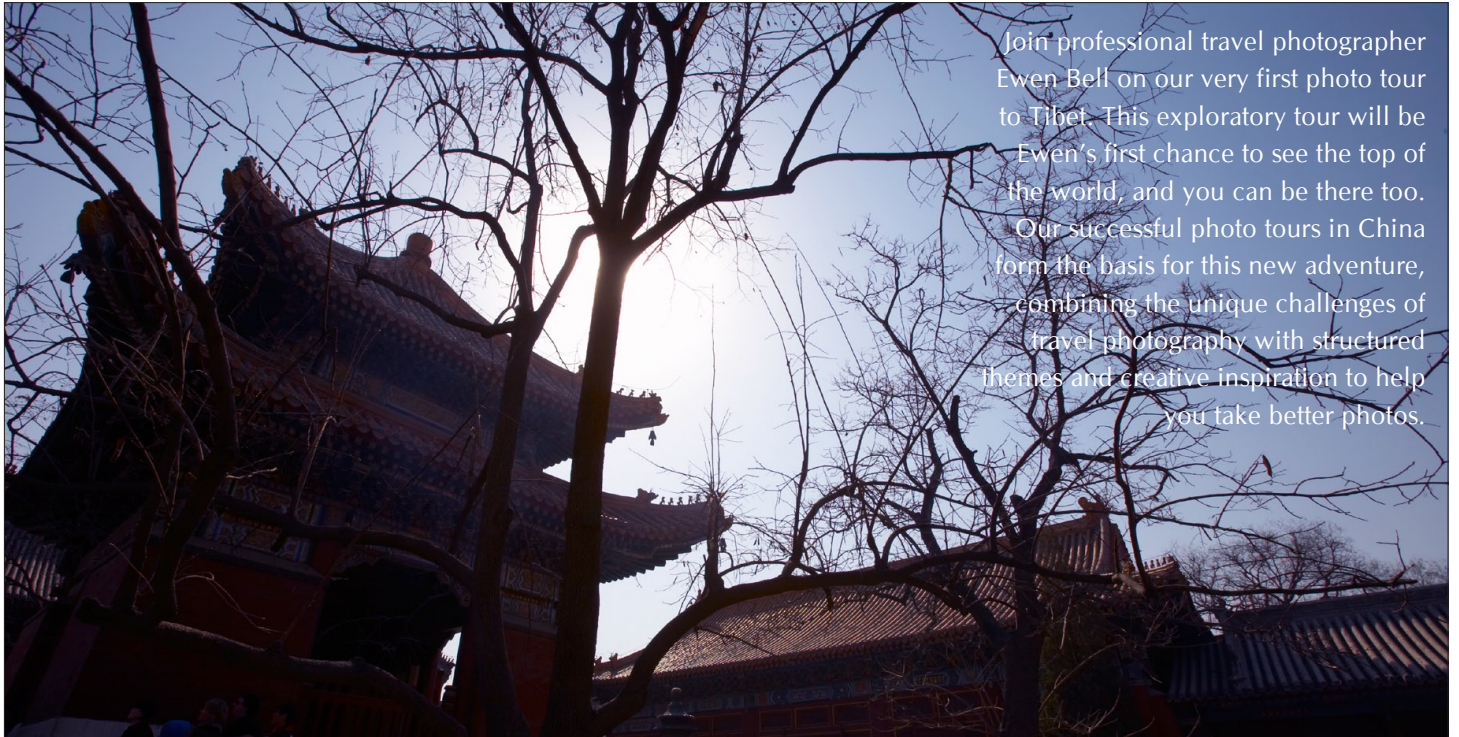
TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHY ADVENTURE

TIBET



GRASSHOPPER
ADVENTURES

PHOTOGRAPHY
by Ewen Bell



Join professional travel photographer Ewen Bell on our very first photo tour to Tibet. This exploratory tour will be Ewen's first chance to see the top of the world, and you can be there too. Our successful photo tours in China form the basis for this new adventure, combining the unique challenges of travel photography with structured themes and creative inspiration to help you take better photos.

Itinerary

This 14 day photographic expedition is an "Exploratory Tour", our very first journey into Tibet. The itinerary has been planned with the help of local experts and good friends, but please note that changes to the schedule and destinations are possible. Exploratory trips are genuine adventures, so expect the unexpected and enjoy this rare chance to see a professional travel photographer dropped into the thick of it.

Day 1 Chengdu - Sichuan Dining, Giant Pandas, Tibet Permits

Days 2-5 Lhasa - Flight to Lhasa Potala Palace, Markets, Drepung and Sera

Days 6-7 Samye - Remote Villages, Drolma Lakhang, Yambu Lakhang

Days 8-9 Gyantse - High Passes, Yamdrok-Tso Lake, Gyantse Dzong Sunset

Days 10-11 Shigatse - Tashilhunpo Monastery and excursion to Sakya

Days 12-13 Lhasa - Journey along Brahmaputra River and visit scenic Ganden

Day 14 Chengdu - Flight back to Chengdu is included

Photographic Themes

People of any skill level will benefit from the photographic guidance included with this journey. In addition to one-on-one tuition with the instructing photographer, you will receive specialised notes to follow through the journey with a series of photographic themes to apply and discuss at key destinations.

Level of Comfort

The style of travel in Tibet is varied. Some nights will be four star hotels, and others will be basic guesthouses in remote villages. We aim to venture far and wide, but rest well every evening. All transport is privately catered to ensure safety and comfort. You won't need to carry your bags much further than from the bus to your hotel room.

Tour Details:

August 26 - September 08, 2007

Maximum group size of 8, Minimum group size of 2

US\$3,100 (ex Chengdu)

Contact Grasshopper Adventures: www.grasshopperadventures.com

AN EXPLORATORY ADVENTURE

What to expect

This adventure is different to all the other tours run by Grasshopper Adventures, because it's an Exploratory Tour - it has never been run before. You will have the benefit of local guides and a very experienced operations team. The group size will be very small, so you can expect even more personalised service than one of the regular photo tours.

A journey of discovery

This will be Ewen's first trip to Tibet, so you can see first hand the techniques and skills that a photo-journalist uses to capture the essence and charms of a new country. The art is not without its science. Ewen Bell's trusted techniques for inspiration and instruction will be part of what makes this tour special.

Go online to www.ewenbell.com to see Ewen's work.

