
Subject: RE: About your hotel at Kobe

From: Kanno, Chiharu (Chiharu.Kanno@mts.com)

To: rodlarson100@yahoo.com;

Cc: Masayuki.Ito@mts.com; Dave.Kusner@mts.com; Yutaka.Otsuka@mts.com;

Date: Tuesday, November 20, 2012 10:21 PM

Hello Rod-san,

You can stay at the Oriental Hotel whole your staying in Japan from Dec. 13th to Dec. 31st.

Total room charge is JPY180,800 for 18 nights.

If you have any questions and requests, please let me know.

Best regards,

Chiharu

From: Rod Larson [mailto:rodlarson100@yahoo.com]
Sent: Tuesday, November 20, 2012 12:53 PM
To: Kanno, Chiharu
Cc: Ito, Masayuki; Kusner, Dave; Otsuka, Yutaka
Subject: Re: About your hotel at Kobe

Chiharu,

THANK YOU so much for your assistance. I appreciate your efforts a great deal.

The hotel amount is very satisfactory. There is no problem with the one night charge.

Rod Larson

From: "Kanno, Chiharu" <Chiharu.Kanno@mts.com>
To: Rod Larson <rodlarson100@yahoo.com>
Cc: "Ito, Masayuki" <Masayuki.Ito@mts.com>; "Kusner, Dave" <Dave.Kusner@mts.com>; "Otsuka, Yutaka" <Yutaka.Otsuka@mts.com>

Sent: Monday, November 19, 2012 6:50 PM

Subject: RE: About your hotel at Kobe

Hello Rod-san,

I have extended your stay at Oriental Hotel until 12/31.

Room rate is different for each day, but total price for your 17 nights staying with breakfast (including tax & service charge) is JPY163,000.

Average rate for a stay is JPY9,588 under JPY10,000.

Only Osaka stay for 15th night is JPY18,494, a bit high rate.

I still try to book 15th night at Oriental Hotel for you to stay the same hotel through your staying in Japan.

If I will be able to book it, I will let you know.

Best regards,

Chiharu

From: Rod Larson [<mailto:rodlarson100@yahoo.com>]

Sent: Tuesday, November 20, 2012 12:59 AM

To: Otsuka, Yutaka

Cc: Kanno, Chiharu; Ito, Masayuki; Kusner, Dave

Subject: Re: About your hotel at Kobe

Yutaka-san,

I checked the ANA hotel w/ MTS Travel and the price is outrageous for me. It is \$250-350 per night for the duration I will be there. That is way too much. I do have my flight arranged though today. I should get the itinerary tomorrow. I have to stay until the 1st of Jan to go home because of full flights.

I will stay at the Oriental Hotel but I need the reservation to go from [12/13 thru 12/31](#). I will check out on 12/31 and go stay at Kansai Airport (I have hotel already booked). Could you tell me the rate at Oriental ? I only need a single room w/ internet - should be about 10,000 to 11,000 per day. They might have a surcharge but it won't be 24,000 like the ANA. To make life easier for you, I will take the subway to Shin-Osaka in the morning to meet you at the ANA hotel when you pick up Brad. You can drop me at ANA going home and I will take the subway to Seishin-Chuo.

It is unlikely that I can get a flight home after about the 23rd to the 1st of Jan - even if there is an opening, it will cost > \$1500 to get home one-way (business class). I might be able to go home through Nagoya on Delta, but I am not sure. Every Filipino on the planet goes home for the holidays. Also, I am not going to hold my breath on how well this disabling might actually work. I have only a vague idea what we have to do. My job is to re-tune the table after Brad's disabling works.

This Xmas holiday is a pain, eh ?

Sorry to be so cheap, but I am retired, remember ? I only have what I have accumulated from Xian.

Rod

From: "Otsuka, Yutaka" <Yutaka.Otsuka@mts.com>

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Sent: Monday, November 19, 2012 8:38 AM

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Hello Rod-san,

I understood that. I think if MTS travel help you to stay all days, that would be great.

If MTS travel could not find it please let me know.

The schedule we described, it is really depends on you and Brad, we only need to do four settings. We will build 37 patterns but MHI/NIED requesting us to do only four. So this means you may not need to stay such long week.

Best Regards,
Yutaka

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Sent: Monday, November 19, 2012 7:33 PM
To: Otsuka, Yutaka
Cc: Kanno, Chiharu; Ito, Masayuki
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Yutaka-san,
I really don't want to rent a car because I have to pay for that up-front and MTS doesn't pay me real fast.

Therefore, I think the best idea is for me to stay at the ANA hotel. I will try tonight to book that through MTS travel. Another option is to stay at the ANA until Brad leaves then move to the Oriental if that is better for you to pick me up there. If I don't hear from you before about 11:30PM tonight, then I will just try to get a reservation at ANA. That will cost me another \$1,000 over Oriental, but it has to be, I guess.

Because of the airline non-availability due to MTS taking so long to get me a Purchase Order (last Friday), I have to arrive on 12/12 and leave on 1/1/2013. However, I cannot stay in Kobe New Year's Eve because my plane leaves Kansai early. I have to move to near Kansai Airport on New Year's Eve. Therefore, I will try to get ANA w/o breakfast from 12/12 to 12/31. I can get hotel near Kansai online.

Rod

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Cc: "Kanno, Chiharu" <Chiharu.Kanno@mts.com>; "Ito, Masayuki" <Masayuki.Ito@mts.com>
Sent: Sunday, November 18, 2012 11:41 PM
Subject: About your hotel at Kobe

Hello Rod-san,

We tried book your same hotel during stay, but as you know December is most busy season in Kobe.
So for now we booked your hotel, as follows.
You have to move twice on weekend.

Kobe Seishin Oriental Hotel
Single room (Non smoking / Breakfast)

12/13in, 12/15out

Osaka Shin Hankyu hotel
Single room (Non smoking / Breakfast)
12/15in, 12/16out

Kobe Seishin Oriental Hotel
Single room (Non smoking / Breakfast)
12/16in, 12/29out

And Brad will stay in Crown Plaza in Shin Kobe.
So I have to pick him up every day. Do you mind rent a car?
Or should we keep look for another hotel down town Kobe?
If you have any question please let me or Chiharu-san know.

Best Regards,
Yutaka

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