

# AFRICA

including the Middle East, Mauritius & Madagascar

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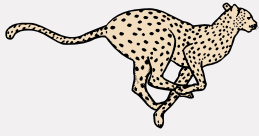


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*57 Years*

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# Welcome to Our 2024/25 Brochure.

KARIBU! Swahili for welcome. This one Swahili word evokes all that is Africa and African Travel Specialists, and I would like to welcome you to our new online brochure. African Travel Specialists has built up a reputation over the years for offering the best in travel to Africa, through the combined on-ground experiences and knowledge of all my staff and my various trips. This is what makes African Travel Specialists different – my wonderfully skilled, friendly, and passionate staff that only deal with Africa and are on hand to assist you.

I have had wonderful experiences travelling by 4x4 vehicle, minibus, expedition truck, train, light aircraft, on foot and by canoe, staying in magnificent lodges, bush camps, and tents in the most spectacular national parks in the World and viewing the greatest array of animals. Over the past 30 years I have covered almost every game reserve, National Park and lodge in Eastern and Southern Africa from DRC to Angola. These trips form the basis of the tours, expeditions, safaris, and the range of accommodation packages I am proud to offer in this 2024 digital brochure.

Of course, our world has changed dramatically with COVID, and the post-COVID World can be very complex in negotiating travel to the out-of-the-way places like Africa. Luckily, and with the huge support from our loyal clients and travel agents, and my amazing staff, we came through the last few years, stronger and keener to show how amazing it is to see the different areas of Africa. Of course, COVID changed people as well, and the demand to make the most out of life in seeing the World, and fulfilling visiting dream places like Africa, means demand is very high to work with us, as people want the best advice and to deal with a company that knows Africa – and I would say we know it exceptionally well.

We had a strong demand for group travel to Africa and had a lot of very happy travellers return creating significant buzz about their African travel experience. We've had an overwhelming response to our collection of online African product both across our social platforms and via web enquiries. We pride ourselves on being "ahead of the game" and this year has seen us negotiate an exclusive arrangement with Enaidura Mobile Camp in the Masai Mara. This is a camp that is located in one of the best locations for wildlife viewing no matter what time of the year, but is in the best position during the wildebeest migration. So much so, that many clients found themselves not having to leave the camp as the migration was all around them. Our focus for 2024 and beyond, is to continue leading the way with



Richard and Sue Ruskin on Safari, Kenya

## African Travel Specialists *...we're ahead of the game...*

new and exciting products as well as listening to our customers and further developing those products.

From its humble beginnings as a suburban travel agency the company has grown to a group of specialist businesses offering tours and safaris to clients all over Australia and the World, to the most interesting places on Earth, including my favourite, Africa. What sets African Travel Specialists apart is our flexibility to tailor-make your trip at the most competitive and value for money rates in Australia. As one of the longest established travel companies in Australia, (established 1967), the knowledge bank and expertise of the staff is renowned; something of which I am immensely proud. In this new online brochure, there are destinations like West Africa, Ethiopia and Egypt as well as a greatly expanded choice of tours and accommodation for Mauritius, South Africa, Namibia, Kenya, Madagascar and Mozambique. There are also small group safaris, some of which I will be guiding personally in East Africa. These are ideal for those wanting to join a small group as they offer a greater insight into the birds, animals, people and scenery in these exciting areas in Africa. These safaris are thrilling, educational, and lots of fun, and over the years have attracted singles, couples, and families.

I am delighted to offer you the tours, safaris, expeditions, and individual arrangements in this brochure to assist you in opening your eyes to what Africa has to offer. I am sure it will inspire you to visit my favourite destination in the World – Africa. But don't take my word for it, see it for yourself!

**RICHARD RUSKIN**  
Managing Director,  
African Travel Specialists

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# Why African Travel Specialists?

We are a passionate team of travel specialists with a reputation for delivering premium travel experiences to Africa, the Middle East, Mauritius and Madagascar.

African Travel Specialists, a division of The Travel Specialists, is there not only to ensure you get the trip you have always dreamed of, but at the best value for money price.

All our staff have at least 10 years experience in selling, travelling and working in Africa. This gives all the staff the expertise that will ensure you get the right advice for your whole safari including: best time to travel, best lodge for your budget, most interesting activities and special inclusions.

We know every individual is unique which is why we take time to understand what you are looking for and to ensure we deliver you a trip of a lifetime. We craft your itinerary ensuring attention to detail utilising our wealth of experience and our extensive knowledge bank.

Explore Africa with us and you will soon see why African Travel Specialists is a part of one of the longest established and reputable travel companies in Australia. We love what we do and we're confident you will too.

And remember our other divisions offer the same expertise, level of service and attention to detail with separate specialists in India, South America & Central America and Antarctica.











# TESTIMONIALS

"I have had the great pleasure of knowing Richard for over 3 decades and during this time I have watched him grow his company and develop his personally led safaris to Africa. Through his extensive knowledge of Africa, its great parks and his relationships with some of the finest safari operators, he and his company have earned themselves a formidable reputation in the destinations and quality safari itineraries that they offer. Due to Richards personal passion for Africa, his enthusiasm and competence in guiding guests on the ground on this diverse continent and his extensive knowledge of photography puts African Travel Specialists and Richard among the leaders in Africa's tourism industry. He has a great collection of consultants who also have a thorough knowledge of African safari tourism. I wish Richard and his team continued success especially in their landmark year of operation as they celebrate 50 years of operation."

## **GARTH THOMPSON**

### **Top Guide Zimbabwe**

*Author of the book "A Guides Guide to Guiding", Friend, Mentor and Inspiration to Richard*

## **Kenya & Tanzania Migration Safari**

### **GUIDED BY RICHARD RUSKIN**

"This trip well and truly exceeded my expectations. The meticulous planning and organising prior to leaving along with the interesting and knowledgeable guiding made this trip unforgettable. The African Travel Specialists delivered an amazing African travel experience. Thank you."

#### **Jenifer**

## **Kenya & Tanzania Migration Safari**

### **GUIDED BY RICHARD RUSKIN**

"Our migration safari trip to Africa was an amazing experience. Our group, which was guided by Richard Ruskin, was a mixture of friends and strangers, but soon we were all mingling freely and enjoying each other's company. Richard is a passionate and knowledgeable guide and companion who carries Africa in his heart and gives you great insight into contemporary Africa. Every day is spent in a sweeping landscape such as the Serengeti where wild animals you have only seen in books or the zoo are there in abundance, and you are swept away by the beauty and excitement; every night spent in animated discussion over the day's events with keen photographers comparing shots and techniques with Richard, who is, incidentally, an accomplished photographer. All our arrangements went smoothly and watching the mass crossing of zebras and wildebeest over the Mara River at the end of our safari was an unforgettable highlight."

#### **Susan & Gary Hearst**

## **Kenya and Tanzania**

"The African Travel Specialists (Richard) listened to what I wanted from the experience and provided me with a completely life changing trip within my budget. The guide and support staff on the ground were brilliant and I am still amazed at their knowledge and their 'tracking' abilities are first class. Being so close to these animals is completely surreal. Words cannot describe it."

#### **Kevin**

## **Botswana**

"We absolutely loved our time in Africa. The accommodation was excellent and the people we met were friendly and helpful. The camps in Botswana were wonderful, we saw many wild

animals, even getting up close to lions lying on the road. I would recommend African Travel Specialists (division of The Travel Specialists)."

#### **Claudia**

## **Namibia**

"Everything went perfectly - all connections, flights, pick-ups and the safaris. We had a fabulous time and saw so many amazing things. Namibia was great and our tour guide there was incredible, he knew so much about everything. He ate meals with us and we got to know him and he got to know us. When we went to look for the desert adapted elephants, he was actually getting in and out of the safari vehicle tracking them- following their tracks, poo and broken branches. All the accommodation was better than we expected and the food was great, we are very happy we booked with your company."

#### **Janet**

## **Kenya and Tanzania**

"Everything went perfectly. It was wonderful to see so many animals (some up close and personal). We got lucky with timing and witnessed a crossing at the Mara which was out of this world! We highly recommend African Travel Specialists and are already planning our next trip with this specialist group."

#### **Ross and Michele**

## **East Africa and Gorilla Safari**

"The service from African Travel Specialists, especially all the individuals on the ground, was exceptional. Meeting the mountain gorillas was the most exhilarating moment of my life. Together with the bountiful game, especially the big cats in the great migration in the Maasai Mara, my whole journey was simply perfect."

#### **Karin**

## **Tanzania**

"We had a brilliant holiday that was meticulously planned and executed thanks to the wealth of knowledge and expertise demonstrated by the African Travel Specialists team (division of The Travel Specialists). We had exceptional service and guidance throughout Africa. We were captivated by the open spaces of the Serengeti, the geological uniqueness of Ngorongoro Crater, and of course the breadth of wildlife. The "glamping" was a highlight and I couldn't think of a better way to see the

Serengeti. Thank you for delivering an exceptional African experience."

#### **Jo and John**

## **Botswana, Kenya and Victoria Falls**

"African Travel Specialists created the perfect itinerary that delivered a wonderful African family holiday. The combination and sequence of camps dry then wet, Botswana ahead of Maasai Mara with a break at Victoria Falls was ideal. We thoroughly enjoyed the different camps and we had three excellent guides. On safari we saw all that we wanted to (except the rhino) and more, including an amazing crossing as well as all the cats in action multiple times. Thank you for a meticulously planned and truly fabulous African safari holiday."

#### **James**

## **Zambia**

"The trip advice from African Travel Specialists was excellent. The South Luangwa bush camps were a real highlight and the guides were so knowledgeable. Each camp was very different but all were nothing less than fabulous. This is right up there with the best travel experience I have ever had."

#### **Nikki**

## **South Africa**

"The dictionary doesn't have enough words to describe how much we loved our trip! Everything ran as smoothly as it possibly could. Gemma did a great job with our African adventure from the directions to the airport hotel to the fabulous place where we stayed, the Idube Game Reserve. Our flights were great and we had no hassles. The timing of the flights to and from Kruger was perfect and everything ran like clockwork. We enjoyed six game drives and had the most amazing up close and personal experiences with the Big 5. Incredibly, we saw the Big 5 within our first full day of being there so everything after that was a bonus! We saw a pack of wild dogs fighting over a kill, only to be overrun by hyena looking for their share. It wasn't long before some vultures swooped in to finish things off. We saw two prides of lion, two elephant herds and five leopards. Not to mention giraffes, zebras, warthogs, hippos and rhinoceros. It was truly an amazing experience. I can see us visiting Africa again in the future."

#### **Marea and Michael**



## OUR TEAM



RICHARD

What sets African Travel Specialists apart is the amazing staff, all of whom only deal with Africa, and the areas nearby. All the staff are passionate about Africa, and have enormous on-ground experience. As the name suggests, these are true specialists with a combined knowledge, second to none. Their knowledge and on-ground experience means that they can work out the best ways of putting together an itinerary with the least amount of backtracking, and also ensuring that the safaris or tours flow properly, ensuring that the highlights of the areas are included. From their on-ground experience, they know which lodges, areas and time of the year is best to see the animals, birds, or particular festivals and also what is the most suitable for families, couples, single travellers or groups. Weather plays an important part, particularly for game viewing, so this is another factor that can make or break a safari, which is why it is so important to talk to specialist consultants. The staff at African Travel Specialists are renowned for their friendliness, helpfulness and knowledge, and we are very proud of the level of service and professionalism they offer. Without question, they are our greatest assets.

Richard Ruskin



SAVIO



REBECCA



SOULA



GEORGE



DEBRA



JULES



AMANDA



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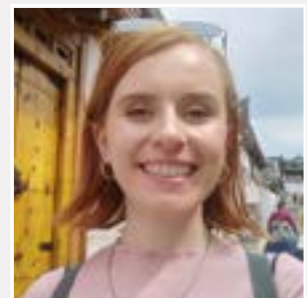
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NAOMI



RAHUL



ELIZA





## OUR DRIVER / GUIDES AND VEHICLES

One of the most important factors on a safari is the guide and vehicle selected. We are very proud of the quality of the hand-picked driver/guides that proudly wear the African Travel Specialists uniform and look after our clients all over East Africa. All of our driver/guides are fully trained and between them have the most experience of any driver/guides in Kenya & Tanzania. Richard Ruskin spends time each year training drivers/guides to ensure they will make each client's trip the most enjoyable and memorable possible.

African Travel Specialists offer the best vehicles, which are 4x4 land cruisers and semi open 4x4 land cruisers in Kenya & Tanzania, all proudly bearing the African Travel Specialists livery. For Kenya only, we can offer for some safaris, an alternative option of 4x4 minibuses. In Southern Africa the choice is normally semi open or fully open 4x4 land cruiser or landrover, whilst in South Africa, the safari vehicles are generally open vehicles.



## BROCHURE GUIDE

### ULTIMATE

Usually indicates 5-star accommodation or in the best locations. Also will include the best areas of the countries visited and often less travelling time.

### CLASSIC

Usually indicates 4 to 5-star boutique accommodation but still in excellent locations.

### BEST OF

Mostly indicates 3½ to 4-star accommodation and sometimes more travel time.

### TASTE OF

Usually indicates shorter time in the areas visited and often based on 4-star accommodation.



# TYPES OF HOLIDAYS

*African Travel Specialists have a wide range of different types of safaris and can tailor make packages to suit every type of traveller and every type of holiday: Below are some of the types of holidays that may suit you but we have many more including safaris for corporate team building, family reunions and conferences.*



## SPECIAL INTEREST

We can arrange special tours & safaris for any special interest – e.g – photography, cultural, festivals, sporting, wellness, diving, and volunteering.



## FAMILY DISCOVERY

We have the knowledge and on-ground experience to recommend the best family friendly lodges, the best areas, and the best experiences to suit all ages.



## WEDDINGS & HONEYMOONS

We have the contacts to make that special day memorable as well as the deals for accommodation including some resorts that offer 50% off for the bride.



## GROUPS

We have a dedicated groups department – if you have the group whether it be a family or a group of friends, then we have the most competitive rates and experience to assist.



## NEVER TOO OLD

We tailor make safaris for those “young at heart” looking for a more comfortable or luxury safari at a relaxed pace but still with the excitement of Africa.



## MULTI GENERATIONAL FAMILIES

We can recommend the right areas, the most appropriate accommodation and the right guides to make this the most memorable time together.



## SOLO EXPLORER

We have a huge range of escorted tours and safaris ideal for solo travellers to join, including some personally guided or escorted by our specialists.



## LGBT

We have the knowledge and experience to recommend and tailor make that special safari offering gay friendly lodges and hotels, with recommended restaurants and bars to visit.



## PHOTOGRAPHY

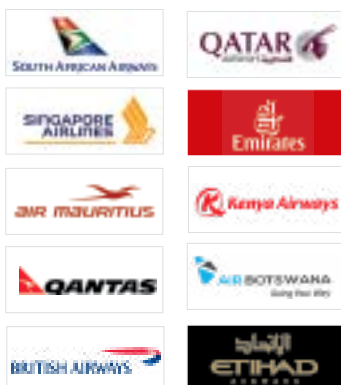
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# African Continent Map



## Airline Partners:









# Best Time to Travel

Botswana	May – Nov
Dubai	October – May
Ghana	November – Apr
Egypt	November – May
Ethiopia	September – May
Kenya	January – March / Mid June – October
Madagascar	April – October
Malawi	April – November
Mauritius	April – October
Morocco	March – May / September – November
Mozambique	May – November
Namibia	March – December
Rwanda	June – February
South Africa	January – May / August –December
Senegal	November – March
Seychelles	March – November
Tanzania	January – March / Mid June – October
Uganda	December – February/ June – September
Zambia	May – November
Zimbabwe	April – November

\*\*This is a guide only. Variations in weather patterns can occur.



# WOMEN FOR WOMEN IN AFRICA

*Imagine an area of one square kilometre with over a million people living in tiny tin shacks with no running water or sewerage – this is the slum “that does not exist” – Kibera in Nairobi, Kenya. Women for Women in Africa (WFWIA) is a registered charity that is run by a group of like minded people offering their services and expertise for free. Its aim is to give the children of Kibera an education and a future, and the women skills and training, to be able to support themselves. As a Director of WFWIA, our Managing Director, Richard Ruskin is passionately involved in ensuring a future for the people of Kibera, by using his expertise, knowledge, donating safaris and other initiatives. It is also through the amazing generosity of many of our clients donations that help raise some of the necessary funds so desperately needed.*



"In the West we complain about the things we don't have;  
In Africa we are grateful for what we do."



## SECONDARY EDUCATION

Kibera, Nairobi, Kenya, has thousands of children that have nothing and often don't eat for days at a time. They live in tin shacks with no toilet, no running water and no electricity. They often have open sewers outside their “homes”. For these children and their families, education is the key to finding a better life outside Kibera and to breaking free from the cycle of poverty. Whilst the Kenyan Government supports education to the end of primary school, they don't offer any support for secondary or tertiary education. In Kibera around 45% of children attend primary school yet only 1% complete their secondary education. Nonetheless, there is a burning desire amongst the children of Kibera for education. Currently WFWIA have over 400 children in boarding schools all over Kenya. All of these would not have the opportunity for secondary education if it were not for the generous sponsorships of people like you living in Australia. All it takes is \$1,250 a year for four years and you can have the chance to make a difference to a child, and it is tax deductible. This money covers accommodation, books, clothing, transport, uniforms, shoes and food for one year for one child. The philosophy of WFWIA is simple – “We cannot solve all the problems of Africa, but we can make a difference to the lives of some of the people living in Kibera”.

## GIRL'S EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

The Girl's Empowerment Centre provides a two year boarding program for poorly educated and homeless young women from the slums of Kibera with a framework to learn life skills and personal health issues. They are taught valuable skills like tailoring, catering, basic education, health care and computer knowledge. Many of the centre attendees are young mothers. WFWIA provides education on teenage pregnancy, health advice, life skills, self-esteem development and self-respect and assertiveness.

## WOMEN'S CENTRE – SKILLS TRAINING

This is a truly exciting part of what WFWIA does in Kibera. Using old fashioned sewing machines and needles and threads, the women make superb clothes, school uniforms, jewellery and other items. The small amount of money they make ensures that they will eat and provide for their children. In 2022, we finalised the purchase of land and housing in Otiende, as a meeting place for these women, generously donated by one of our couples that was introduced to WFWIA, on one of Richard's safaris.

## VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

There is a wide choice of volunteer programs for those wanting to assist with the many children at the WKW Centre or helping the women with skills training at the Women's Centre. Please contact African Travel Specialists for more details, or Women for Women in Africa.

So please help us now by supporting a child or by donating today – see the website for details on how you can help.

Website: [www.womenforwomenin africa.org.au](http://www.womenforwomenin africa.org.au)



# SOME OF THE INITIATIVES WE SUPPORT

## HOEDSPRUIT VOLUNTEER PROGRAM ([www.hesc.co.za](http://www.hesc.co.za))

*The Hoedspruit Endangered Species Centre (HESC), located in Hoedspruit South Africa, is a facility dedicated to the quest of ensuring the survival of rare, vulnerable and endangered species (in particular the cheetah) in South Africa, as well as the rehabilitation and care of orphaned and injured animals. The centre is home to cheetah, wild dog, black-footed cats, lion, African wild cat, ground horn bill, sable antelope, and many other species.*



**Participation** – Students will work alongside the team at the HESC as they go about their daily activities of feeding the animals, ensuring their environment is clean and safe and administering medical care. Students may also get the opportunity to view surgical procedures in the veterinary facility, as well as sharing in the education and involvement of underprivileged children from the surrounding rural communities. The programme aims to equip students, to actively participate in conserving the wildlife of Southern Africa and build awareness of conservation on a broader global scale to experience the beauty and rich diversity of South Africa. The course includes daily lectures on all major aspects of conservation and includes specialist input on animals, grasses, trees and basic biodiversity. Practical exercises include a trip to the reptile park, identification of plants on walking excursions, tracking in the bush, a visit to a local tribal village, an excursion to the World famous Kruger National Park, stargazing, natural and traditional food preparation as well as game drives.

**The centre is actively involved in:**

- The breeding of endangered, vulnerable or rare animal species
- The release and establishment of captive-bred cheetahs to the wild
- The treatment and rehabilitation of orphaned or injured animals which are brought to the centre
- The education of students and the general public in conservation and conservation activities
- Eco-tourism
- A hands-on Student's Program to educate on the methods of conservation from around the World

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## RHINOS WITHOUT BORDERS ([www.rhinoswithoutborders.com](http://www.rhinoswithoutborders.com))

*One of the most threatened species in Africa is the rhinoceros, poached for its horn, in the misguided belief that it will enhance men's virility and now as a valuable commodity to trade. With demand for rhino horn now at the highest level in history, two leading conservation and tourism companies, Great Plains Conservation and andBeyond, teamed up to translocate 100 rhinos to the safe haven of Botswana.*



Since 2008, 7,130 rhinos have been poached in South Africa. Now, with over 100 rhinos killed by poachers every month, more of these African icons are lost to these poachers. With rhino killed every eight hours, more of these African icons are lost to poachers every year than are being born. The project is very costly, as the rhinos have to be transhipped by air, with just one rhino costing USD 45,000 to be moved. The whole project, including ongoing monitoring and security, requires a total budget of USD 4.5 million.

Rhinos Without Borders has already succeeded in moving 77 rhinos from high-risk poaching zones with a remaining 23 to be translocated within the next 12 months. African Travel Specialists is a proud supporter of this very worthwhile and important project, and we ask all our clients and those reading this brochure to please help. You can help by donating to the fund via their website below.

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## VILLAGE VISITS

*There are hundreds of villages in Kenya but the villages below are very special to the African Travel Specialists. We support them strongly and clients are delighted with the interaction they experience when visiting them. If you are visiting these areas on one of our safaris, we will include a half day visit to any of these villages for free – we only ask for a US\$20 per person donation be paid directly to the village. There are many other villages that we support both in Kenya and in parts of Tanzania, such as Ngorongoro Crater and Serengeti. Please contact African Travel Specialists for further details.*



**Richard's Village – Maasai Mara**

This Maasai village is located in the heart of the Maasai Mara, not far from Olonana Luxury Camp and is one of the friendliest villages and most welcoming in Kenya. The village and its people are closest to the heart of Richard Ruskin, African Travel Specialists' Managing Director. Richard was given the highest honour by being "named" as a Maasai elder into the village – a rarity for a Mzungu (white person). It is a great opportunity to see the Maasai culture up close and personal.

**Iptek's Village – Amboseli**

This Maasai village is located in Amboseli and is one of the most pro-active there. With the help of our clients and our support, the village successfully survived one of the worst droughts in Kenya's history a few years ago. Financial support has been given to the village to replenish their stock of cows, goats and sheep, as well as plans for a bore hole to be dug. A school has now been built close by, and all the clients who have visited the school have voted it as one of the most moving and special visits they experienced on their whole safari.

**Josphat's Village – Samburu**

This village is located in Samburu, Northern Kenya. This is a great opportunity to see a village in one of the harshest environments in East Africa. It differs to a Maasai village in both the style of the huts and the dress of the people. One of the great highlights is being invited inside a family's home. There is also an opportunity to learn about how the village operates.









# Combined & Escorted Tours

Africa is still the most exciting and most diverse place on Earth. It has amazing wildlife, superb beaches, traditional villages and tribes, extraordinary scenery, friendly people, wonderful food and stunning wineries. African Travel Specialists have the largest range of multi-country tours all over Africa, with consultants that are experienced in working out complex itineraries with any number of countries included, with the least amount of back tracking as possible. Of course, one of the best ways of travelling to Africa is with a personally guided or escorted safari with one of the African Travel Specialists team. Their knowledge, passion, and excitement of all things African, makes the trip even more exciting, than just travelling on your own.

Remember when you are booking your safari or tour to Africa, make sure it is an African Travel Specialists safari!





© Richard Ruskin

# RICHARD'S SEPTEMBER EAST AFRICA MIGRATION SAFARI

Guided by ATS Managing Director **Richard Ruskin** – Departing 1st September, 2024

MD Richard Ruskin guides his favourite event of the year - the annual wildebeest migration. Having guided during the migration every year for the last 20 years, Richard can attest to it being one of the most exciting events in the world. This safari visits some of the best areas for game viewing such as Lake Nakuru, Ol Pejeta Conservancy (Chimp Sanctuary and refuge for rhinos), Lake Manyara, Ngorongoro Crater, Serengeti National Park and the jewel in Africa's crown, the Maasai Mara – home to the migration at this time of year. Accommodation comprises of four and five-star luxury tented camps, lodges and hotels. Suited to people of all ages, families and groups, this is a wonderful way to see the wildebeest migration, as well as amazing wildlife and birds, and all in the care of specialist guide Richard Ruskin.

16 Days / 15 Nights

**KENYA  
TANZANIA**

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**

Twin Share \$TBA\*

Single Supplement \$TBA

**PRICE INCLUDES**

- 15 nights in 4 and 5-star luxury accommodation on a twin share basis
- All airport transfers
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Specialist guiding by Richard Ruskin
- Services of English speaking driver/guides
- Internal flights and transfers

**NOTE:**

African Travel Specialists can arrange international airfares to suit this safari. Please contact us for more details and for a more detailed itinerary.

## DAY 1: ARRIVE NAIROBI

On arrival at Nairobi's Jomo Kenyatta Airport, you will be transferred to your hotel. Two-nights at FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL where you will be met by Richard Ruskin.

## DAY 2: NAIROBI

After breakfast you will be taken on a tour of the David Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage, Karen Blixen Museum and the Giraffe Centre, with lunch at Tamambo Restaurant. In the evening, enjoy a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. (B, L, D)

## DAY 3: NAIROBI – LAKE ELMENTAITA

This morning you will be met at reception and begin your safari with a drive to Lake Elmentaita, located in Kenya's Great Rift Valley. Overnight at LAKE ELMENTAITA. (B, L, D)

## DAY 4: LAKE ELMENTAITA

Today you will be taken on a morning and afternoon game drives to Lake Elmentaita National Park, home to amazing aquatic birdlife including flamingos. (B, L, D)

## DAY 5: LAKE ELMENTAITA – SAMBURU

After breakfast, you will continue your safari driving to Samburu. Two nights at SAMBURU INTREPID. (B, L, D)

## DAY 6: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Today, you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in Samburu National Park. It is here you will have the opportunity to see the 'Special 5' – the Reticulated Giraffe, Grevy's Zebra, Somali Ostrich, Gerenuk and Beisa Oryx, as well as other varieties of game. (B, L, D)

## DAY 7: SAMBURU – KILIMANJARO

After breakfast, you will head back to Nairobi for your flight to Kilimanjaro Airport. On arrival you will be met and transferred by road to the FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON ARUSHA for your overnight stay. (B, L)

## DAY 8: KILIMANJARO – LAKE MANYARA – NGORONGORO CRATER

This morning, you will be driven to Lake Manyara for a game drive, followed by lunch at Lake Manyara Serena. In the afternoon you will travel by road to Ngorongoro Crater. For the next two nights you will stay at NGORONGORO SERENA SAFARI LODGE. (B, L, D)

## DAY 9: NGORONGORO CRATER

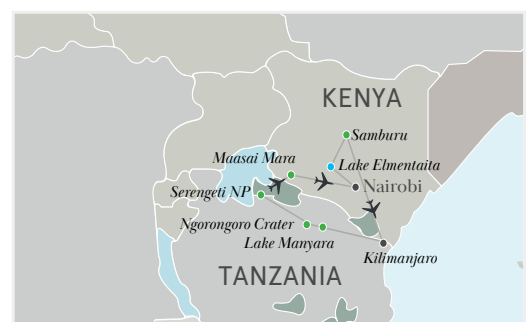
This morning you will descend into the crater for a full day of game viewing and a picnic lunch. In the late afternoon you will visit a Maasai village. (B, L, D)

## DAY 10: NGORONGORO CRATER – SERENGETI NP

Today is a long but exciting day with most of the time spent driving through the Serengeti to MBALAGETI SERENGETI, which is located in the western corridor. You will have a picnic lunch and an afternoon game drive en-route to the lodge. Many clients say this is one of the highlights of the safari. (B, L, D)

## DAY 11: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives. This park is known as one of the world's last great wildlife refuges, home to 35 species of plains game and 500 birds. Overnight at MBALAGETI SERENGETI. (B, L, D)







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#### DAY 12: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK – MAASAI MARA

This morning you will be transferred to the Grumeti Airstrip for your scheduled flight to Tarime. On arrival you will be taken by road to Migori connecting with your scheduled flight to the Maasai Mara. On arrival, you will be met and transferred a short distance to Kichwa Tembo in time for lunch and an afternoon game drive. For the next three nights, you will stay at KICHWA TEMBO TENTED CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 13 – 14: MAASAI MARA

Two days spent in the Maasai Mara game viewing with the option of taking a balloon safari (additional cost). The Maasai Mara is host to the most spectacular array of wildlife with 320 square kilometres of open savannah, woodlands and tree-lined rivers creating an eco-system which supports huge numbers of bird and mammal species. It is here that the wildebeest migration should be in full swing, providing opportunities to see them amassing as well as crossing the river. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 15: MAASAI MARA – NAIROBI

After breakfast, you will board your scheduled flight to Nairobi Wilson Airport. On arrival you will be transferred back to FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL for your overnight stay. In the evening, there will be a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

#### DAY 16: DEPART NAIROBI

After breakfast you will be transferred to Nairobi's Jomo Kenyatta Airport for your onward flight. (B)



**Richard Ruskin**  
MANAGING DIRECTOR  
African Travel Specialists

Richard Ruskin is a specialist guide, who has been guiding in East Africa for nearly 20 years. Richard will open your eyes to the animals, plants, birds and scenery that makes this area the most exciting in Africa. A keen photographer (many of his photos are in this brochure), he is on hand to help potential photographers improve their photos whilst on safari. Richard also has great friends in various villages in both Kenya and Tanzania, giving you a more intimate opportunity to meet these amazing Africans. Richard hand picks the African Travel Specialists driver/ guides that accompany this migration safari.



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Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp





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## RICHARD'S JUNE EAST AFRICA MIGRATION SAFARI

Guided by ATS Managing Director Richard Ruskin – Departing 23rd June, 2024

*They say there are more animals in East Africa than anywhere else on Earth. This safari visits some of the best areas for game viewing and who better to take you than African Travel Specialists MD and experienced guide, Richard Ruskin. Accommodation is 4 and 5-star comprising of luxury safari tented camps, lodges and hotels. Perfectly timed to take advantage of these school holidays, this safari is ideal for singles, couples and families.*

15 Days / 14 Nights

KENYA  
TANZANIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Twin Share \$18,999

Single Supplement \$3,295

PLUS new increase in park fees  
\$634\*

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 14 nights 4 and 5-star luxury accommodation on twin share basis
- All airport transfers
- All meals as indicated
- Specialist guiding by Richard Ruskin
- Services of English speaking driver/ guides
- Game drives, game park and entrance fees

\*The Kenya Government introduced large increases to Park Fees effective for all travel to National Parks, Game Reserves, Visits to Daphne Sheldrick Animal Orphanage etc for all visitors entering parks from 01 January 2024, which is the additional cost listed above. Not all parks have increased in price, and ongoing discussions are continuing as to whether they will increase or not. There is also talk of introducing a mandatory concession fee levy on all lodges and accommodation in and around the parks. Should these be introduced, as they are out of our control, these will need to be added to the above costs.

**NOTE:** This safari is based on 10 passengers travelling together to be guided.

### DAY 1: ARRIVE NAIROBI

On arrival at Nairobi's Jomo Kenyatta Airport, you will be met by Richard Ruskin and transferred to FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL for your two-night stay.

### DAY 2: NAIROBI

After breakfast you will be taken on a tour of the David Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage, Karen Blixen Museum and the Giraffe Centre. In the evening enjoy a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: NAIROBI – AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

This morning you will be met at the hotel reception and begin your safari with a drive to Amboseli National Park. After lunch, enjoy an afternoon game drive, returning to the lodge at sunset. The next two nights will be spent at AMBOSELI SERENA SAFARI LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in Amboseli National Park, hopefully seeing views of Mt. Kilimanjaro. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK – ARUSHA

This morning you will travel by road to the Namanga Border and cross over into Tanzania, where you will continue to Arusha for a late lunch (own expense). Overnight stay at FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON ARUSHA. (B)

### DAY 6: ARUSHA – LAKE MANYARA

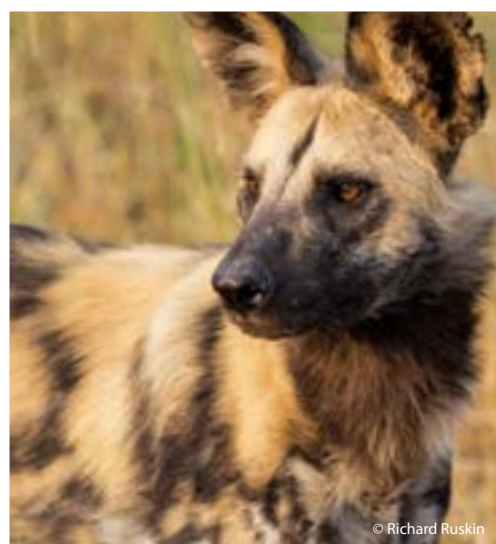
After breakfast, you will be driven to Tarangire National Park for a game drive. After lunch you will continue to LAKE MANYARA SERENA SAFARI LODGE for your overnight stay. (B, L, D)

### DAY 7: LAKE MANYARA – NGORONGORO CRATER

After breakfast, you will depart on a game drive within Lake Manyara National Park. After lunch you will continue to NGORONGORO SERENA SAFARI LODGE, located on the rim of Ngorongoro Crater. This will be your accommodation for the next two nights. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: NGORONGORO CRATER

After breakfast you will descend into the crater for a full day of game viewing with a picnic lunch. In the late afternoon you will visit a Maasai Village. (B, L, D)



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#### DAY 9: NGORONGORO CRATER – SERENGETI

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#### DAYS 10 – 11: SERENGETI

For the next two days you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives to hopefully see the Wildebeest Migration as it heads north to the Mara River. This park is known for its amazing abundance of plains game and predators, especially lions. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 12: SERENGETI – MAASAI MARA

This morning you will be transferred to the airstrip for your light aircraft flight to the Maasai Mara. On arrival you will be transferred to Kichwa Tembo in time for lunch followed by an afternoon game drive in the Maasai Mara. You will spend the next two nights at KICHWA TEMBO TENTED CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 13: MAASAI MARA

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in the Maasai Mara Game Reserve. The Maasai Mara is host to the most spectacular array of wildlife with 320 square kilometres of open savannah, woodlands and tree-lined rivers creating an eco-system which supports huge numbers of bird and mammal species, especially lion, cheetah and leopard. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 14: MAASAI MARA – NAIROBI

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Nairobi Wilson Airport. On arrival you will be transferred back to FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL for your overnight stay and a farewell dinner. (B, D)

#### DAY 15: DEPART NAIROBI

This morning you will be transferred to Nairobi Airport for your onward flight. (B)



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## GRAND AFRICA

*This 20-day itinerary showcases some of the vast and diverse areas of Eastern and Southern Africa. From the beauty of Cape Town in South Africa to the awe-inspiring Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe, as well as Chobe National Park in Botswana and the unique wildlife areas of Kenya and Tanzania, this tour finishes on the idyllic island of Zanzibar.*

### 20 Days / 19 Nights

**SOUTH AFRICA  
ZIMBABWE  
BOTSWANA  
KENYA  
TANZANIA  
ZANZIBAR**

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$16,355

High Season \$20,125

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 20 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Sightseeing, game viewing and excursions as per itinerary
- Experienced driver/guides
- Entrance fees where applicable
- All transfers where indicated
- Flights as detailed in itinerary

**NOTE:** Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

To make the most of seeing the Migration, the East Africa portion may be reversed. The itinerary is flexible and can be amended to suit.

Accommodation is 4-star throughout and most activities are included.

#### DAY 1: ARRIVE CAPE TOWN

On arrival at Cape Town International Airport you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Three nights at the PORTSWOOD HOTEL. (B)

#### DAYS 2 – 3 : CAPE TOWN

Enjoy a full-day tour showcasing the highlights of the Cape area, visiting Cape Point Nature Reserve and the Cape of Good Hope, Chapman's Peak, Hout Bay and Sea Point. The next morning you will have another half-day tour of the city and Table Mountain. Afterwards you will have free time to relax and wander around the waterfront area. (B)

#### DAYS 4 – 5: CAPE TOWN – VICTORIA FALLS

This morning you will be transferred to Cape Town Airport for your flight to Victoria Falls (flight not included). On arrival, you will be transferred to VICTORIA FALLS SAFARI LODGE, where you will stay for the next two nights. The lodge overlooks a waterhole where wildlife come to drink. It also provides a regular shuttle to and from the Victoria Falls township and the falls. Enjoy free time to explore the area, with a sunset dinner cruise arranged on one of the evenings. (B)

#### DAYS 6 – 7: VICTORIA FALLS – CHOBE

Today, you will be transferred by road to Chobe National Park in Botswana. Your lodge is located on the banks of the Chobe River, just outside the park and next to a local village. You will spend the next two days exploring Chobe National Park with morning and afternoon game drives in open 4x4 vehicles plus boat cruises on the Chobe River. Two nights at CHOBE BAKWENA LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: CHOBE – NAIROBI

Today, you will be transferred to Victoria Falls airport for your scheduled flight to Nairobi (flight not included). On arrival you will be met by a representative of African Travel Specialists and transferred to SAROVA STANLEY for your two-night stay. The rest of your day is at leisure to explore the city. (B)

#### DAY 9: NAIROBI

This morning you will be collected from your hotel for your tour of the Karen Blixen Museum (made

famous in the movie – Out of Africa) and the Giraffe Centre. At the Giraffe Centre you can hand feed the magnificent Rothschild Giraffes. You will have the afternoon free to explore the many markets, art galleries and museums of Nairobi. (B)

#### DAY 10: NAIROBI – LAKE NAKURU

Today, you will be driven into the Great Rift Valley where Lake Nakuru National Park is located. You will be transferred to your lodge within the park, noted for its rhino population and aquatic birds. After lunch, embark on a late afternoon game drive in the park after which you will return to the lodge by sundown. Overnight at SAROVA LION HILL LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 11 – 12: LAKE NAKURU – MASAI MARA

After breakfast, you will be driven to Lake Naivasha, for a boat ride on the lake and a walk on Crescent Island. Lunch will be at Lake Naivasha Sopa Lodge, before you are taken to your scheduled flight (included) to the Masai Mara. On arrival you will be met by your driver/guide and taken to your lodge. Here you will explore the rich grasslands and rolling hills known for the huge herds of plains game, black-maned lion, elephants and many other species. You may also like to take a guided walk or an early morning balloon safari (at additional cost) over this magnificent area. Two nights accommodation at MARA INTREPID. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 13: MASAI MARA – SERENGETI

Today you will depart from the Masai Mara to Serengeti (Tanzania) by air (flight included). On arrival at Seronera Airstrip you will be met and transferred with game viewing en-route to the lodge, arriving in time for lunch. Enjoy an afternoon game drive in Serengeti National Park. Two nights accommodation at SERENGETI SERENA LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 14: SERENGETI

The day will be spent viewing game in the Serengeti. The area is regarded as having the greatest concentration of wildebeest, zebra, giraffe and antelope in Africa. During the migration, there are millions of hoofed animals crossing the treeless plains of the Serengeti. The Serengeti





boasts large numbers of predators such as lion, cheetah, leopard and hyena. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 15: SERENGETI – NGORONGORO

After breakfast, you will travel by road to Olduvai Gorge, the world-famous archaeological site where you will stop for a picnic lunch. In the afternoon continue to the Karatu area, where you will arrive at NGORONGORO SERENA LODGE for dinner and spend the next two nights. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 16: NGORONGORO

This morning you will head into the crater for a full day of game viewing enjoying a picnic lunch on the crater floor. Return to the lodge in time for dinner. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 17: ZANZIBAR

After breakfast, depart by road to Arusha with a packed lunch box, arriving at the airport in time for your scheduled flight to the island of Zanzibar (flight included). On arrival you will be met and transferred to your hotel set amongst mosques, minarets, Hindu temple towers and church spires in the middle of Stone Town. Three nights at KISIWA HOUSE. (B, L)

#### DAYS 18 – 19: ZANZIBAR

This beautiful “spice island” is a mix of many cultures and you will be captivated by the unique architecture, the exotic cuisine, the smell of spices, the hospitality of the people, the white sandy beaches and the clear blue sea. You will have two full days to explore the island at leisure. (B)

#### DAY 20: DEPART ZANZIBAR

After breakfast, you will be met and transferred to Zanzibar International Airport for your outbound flight, marking the end of your trip.



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*“The quandary we had was where to start with planning a trip to Africa. So many places to see and only 4 weeks to do it all. Then we found the Grand Africa Tour and it ticked all the boxes, and the reality was so much better than what we thought was possible. The safari was so well paced, with wonderful accommodation, superb guides, and amazing game. Finishing off in Zanzibar was a highlight that capped off the whole trip. Everything went like clockwork, from the meet and greet staff waiting for us to the lodge staff that made us feel like royalty. We certainly recommend this safari to everyone as a great taste of what Africa has to offer. Now we are planning our next trip to Africa and seeing it in more detail and there is only one company we would book with – African Travel Specialists”*

Client (name withheld)  
on return from the  
Grand Africa Tour







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## TASTE OF EASTERN AND SOUTHERN AFRICA

Discover one of Kenya's best game reserves – the Maasai Mara. Explore rich grasslands and rolling hills known for their huge herds of plains game, black-maned lion, elephant and many other species. Experience the fabulous Victoria Falls and finish in the beautiful city of Cape Town. The 4-star plus accommodation has been specifically selected for their fabulous positions, superb comfort and in the case of the game lodges, the quality of guides and game viewing.

11 Days / 10 Nights

KENYA  
ZIMBABWE  
SOUTH AFRICA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$5,740  
High Season \$7,660

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Airport transfers
- Flights Wilson – Mara return
- 2 game drives per day at game lodges
- Park entrance fees
- Services of English speaking driver/Guide

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Tour departs on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday.

### DAY 1: ARRIVE NAIROBI

On arrival into Nairobi, you will be met by an African Travel Specialists representative and transferred to the EKA HOTEL for your overnight stay.

### DAY 2: NAIROBI – MAASAI MARA

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Wilson Airport for your flight to the Maasai Mara where you will be met and transferred to your game lodge, in one of the best areas of the Mara. Enjoy lunch and an afternoon game drive. Three nights at MARA INTREPID. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 3 - 4: MAASAI MARA

Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in the Maasai Mara, well known for its multitude of animals and birds living within the reserve. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: MAASAI MARA - NAIROBI

Enjoy a morning game drive before flying back to Nairobi. On arrival you will be transferred to your hotel. Overnight at the EKA HOTEL. (B)

### DAY 6: NAIROBI – VICTORIA FALLS

Today you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe. Upon arrival, you will

check in to ILALA LODGE for your two-night stay. (B)

### DAY 7: VICTORIA FALLS

The lodge is located just a short walk away from the falls. Spend your day exploring the area on a guided tour, helicopter flight, river cruise or other adventure activity (own expense). (B)

### DAY 8: VICTORIA FALLS – CAPE TOWN

Enjoy the morning at leisure before being transferred to the airport in time for your flight to Cape Town. On arrival you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Three nights at the PORTSWOOD HOTEL. (B)

### DAYS 9 – 10 : CAPE TOWN

Enjoy exploring picturesque Cape Town. You may wish to visit the Winelands, Cape Point, Robben Island or simply wander the waterfront and the city. A trip to the top of Table Mountain is highly recommended. (All activities at own expense). (B)

### DAY 11: DEPART CAPE TOWN

After breakfast you will be transferred to the airport for your onward flight. (B)



Family Tent, Mara Intrepids



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## BEST OF EAST AFRICA AND GORILLAS

*This 13-day safari exclusive to the African Travel Specialists offers excellent value for money, staying in 4-star hotels and lodges with an unforgettable safari experience. This exciting journey starts in Arusha, Tanzania, with game viewing in Lake Manyara, Serengeti, and Ngorongoro Crater, including a visit to a Maasai village. The trip then continues into Kenya with game drives in Amboseli, Lake Nakuru and the famous Maasai Mara, finishing in Uganda. Here, visit Bwindi National Park, where you will trek to see the unforgettable mountain gorillas.*

### DAY 1: ARUSHA

On arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport, you will be met and transferred to your hotel in Arusha. Overnight at FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON HOTEL.

### DAY 2: ARUSHA – SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be transferred to Arusha Airport for your flight to Seronera Airstrip in the Serengeti National Park. On arrival, you will be met by your Tanzanian African Travel Specialists driver/guide who will start your safari with a transfer to Ole Serai Luxury Camp in the Serengeti. Enjoy an afternoon game drive in one of the best areas to see lion, cheetah or even the elusive leopard. Two nights at OLE SERAI LUXURY CAMP (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

Today, you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: SERENGETI NP – NGORONGORO CRATER

After breakfast, you will depart for Ngorongoro Crater, stopping en-route for a picnic lunch. Two nights at OLDEANI MOUNTAIN LODGE, located on the eastern rim of the crater. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: NGORONGORO CRATER

This morning you will be taken down into the crater for a full day of game viewing with a picnic lunch to enjoy on the crater floor. Ngorongoro Crater is the only "living" caldera in the world, and is home to thousands of animals that live within the crater walls. Visit a Maasai Village before returning to your lodge in the late afternoon. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: NGORONGORO – LAKE MANYARA – ARUSHA

After breakfast, you will travel by road to Lake Manyara National Park for a game drive and a picnic lunch. Continue to Arusha for your overnight stay at THE FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON HOTEL. (B, L)

### DAY 7: ARUSHA – AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will head to the Namanga Border Post. After clearing immigration formalities, you will meet your Kenyan African Travel Specialists' driver/guide who

will take you to Amboseli National Park. Enjoy a game drive en-route to your lodge. Two nights at OL TUKAI LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

Today, you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives within the park. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK – MAASAI MARA

Today, you will be transferred to Wilson Airport for your flight to one of the most famous game reserves in Africa – the Maasai Mara. After lunch you will be taken on a game drive in search of lion, cheetah, leopard and other predators, before returning to the camp. Two nights at ENAIDURA LUXURY TENTED CAMP. (B, L, D)

### DAY 10: MAASAI MARA

Enaidura is a beautiful luxury camp located in the best position in the Mara during the wildebeest migration. The most outstanding part of your stay is heading out on game drives with the camp's exceptional guides. This is the only camp or lodge in East Africa with all gold-rated guides – which are recognised as the best. (B, L, D)

### DAY 11: MAASAI MARA – KIHIFI

This morning you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Entebbe. Upon arrival you will be met and assisted through customs and immigration, before checking in for your flight to Kihifi. Here you will be met and transferred to your lodge overlooking the rainforest. Two nights at BUHOMA LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 12: BWINDI NATIONAL PARK

Today, you will trek to see the amazing mountain gorillas, where you will have the opportunity to spend an hour with these magnificent creatures – an hour that will be one of your most memorable. (B, L, D)

### DAY 13: BWINDI NATIONAL PARK – ENTEBBE

Today, you will be transferred to Kihifi Airstrip for your flight to Entebbe, where your tour will end. (B)

## 13 Days / 12 Nights

### TANZANIA KENYA UGANDA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$15,670

High Season \$18,160

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 12 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All airport transfers
- Flights: Maasai Mara – Kihifi & Kihifi – Entebbe
- Game drives in African Travel Specialists 4 x 4 landcruisers
- Services of African Travel Specialists driver/guides

#### NOTE:

Excludes gorilla trekking permits – currently USD 700 per trek. Minimum age for Gorilla Trekking is 15 years. Excludes chimp permits – currently USD 200 per person.

This safari is based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Please check with African Travel Specialists for departure dates.





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## KRUGER TO VICTORIA FALLS OVERLAND

*This 12-day overland safari explores the many jewels in southern Africa's crown. Combining game drives, game walks, cultural excursions, a sunset boat cruise, and an opportunity to experience the famous Victoria Falls, this tour really does have it all. Utilising 3 and 4-star accommodation with excellent guides, you can expect an abundance of opportunities for wildlife viewing from within a collection of southern Africa's finest parks and reserves.*

12 Days / 11 Nights

**SOUTH AFRICA  
ZIMBABWE  
BOTSWANA**

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
\$5,130

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 11 nights accommodation in lodges, hotels and tented camps with private facilities on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Airport and hotel transfers as per itinerary
- Transport is in a Mercedes Sprinter

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

Local park fee and activity payment: \$250 USD per person payable to guide in cash on day of arrival

### DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG

On arrival, you will be met and transferred to the SAFARI CLUB or similar for your overnight stay. (D)

### DAY 2: JOHANNESBURG – HAZYVIEW

After breakfast, you will be transferred to your accommodation via the Panorama Route. Spend the day exploring the Blyde River Canyon, Bourkes Luck Potholes and Gods Window. Three nights at HIPPO HOLLOW ESTATE. (B)

### DAY 3: KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

Today you will enjoy a full-day game drive within Kruger National Park, home of the Big 5 and an incredibly biodiverse ecosystem. (B)

### DAY 4: KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, enjoy the morning at leisure. In the afternoon, embark on an afternoon game drive in Kruger National Park. (B)

### DAY 5: KRUGER – MAPESU PRIVATE GAME RESERVE

Today you will depart Kruger and travel north through Limpopo Province, towards the Botswana border. Visit Mapungubwe National Park, the site of the first southern African kingdom and some San rock art sites. Two nights MOPANE BUSH LODGE WILDERNESS TENTED CAMP. (B, D)

### DAY 6: MAPESU PRIVATE GAME RESERVE

Enjoy a morning walk to view the Kaoya Bushman paintings. Later in the day, you will be taken on a sunset drive to admire the spectacular views over a baobab-dotted landscape. (B, D)



Chobe Safari Lodge

### DAY 7: MAKGADIKGADI PANS

This morning you will be transferred across the Botswana border and into the Nata area. In the afternoon, visit the iconic Makgadikgadi Pans, where you can enjoy a captivating view of the sunset over the remains of the ancient lake. Overnight at NATA LODGE. (B, D)

### DAY 8: CHOBE RIVER

Today you will head north to CHOBE SAFARI LODGE, where you will spend two nights. Your accommodation is situated on the banks of the Chobe River. (B, D)

### DAY 9: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Today you will depart on an early morning game drive in Chobe National Park. Chobe is renowned for its large elephant and buffalo populations, array of birdlife and diverse landscape. (B, D)

### DAYS 10 – 11: VICTORIA FALLS

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Victoria Falls, known locally as Mosi-oa-Tunya– 'the smoke that thunders'. Arrive at midday and enjoy both days at leisure to experience all that this wonderful site has to offer. Take a tour of the falls, enjoy a sunset boat cruise, or experience some of the many activities on offer at the 'adrenalin capital' of Africa (own expense). Two nights at SPRAYVIEW HOTEL. (B)

### DAY 12: VICTORIA FALLS

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Victoria Falls Airport for your onward flight, which marks the end of your tour. (B)







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## NAMIBIA, BOTSWANA & ZIMBABWE OVERLAND

*This 20-day overland accommodated safari showcases some of Africa's most diverse and exciting regions. From the majestic Table Mountain in Cape Town, South Africa, to the giant dry red dunes of Sossusvlei, Namibia, and the game-rich labyrinth of lagoons, and channels of the Okavango Delta, Botswana, this is an experience rich safari in the heart of Southern Africa.*

### DAYS 1 – 2 : CAPE TOWN

The tour starts with a pre-departure meeting at 18:00 in the lobby of the hotel. Enjoy a full-day peninsula tour on day two, with a visit to Table Mountain included (weather dependent). Overnight at BREAKWATER LODGE or similar. (B)

### DAY 3: CAPE TOWN – NAMAQUALAND

Depart Cape Town and be driven through Namaqualand en-route to your accommodation. In the afternoon, there is the opportunity to enjoy a wine tasting (own expense). Overnight at HIGHLANDERS LODGE AND CAMPSITE or similar. (B, D)

### DAY 4: NAMAQUALAND – AUGRABIES FALLS NATIONAL PARK

Today you will head north to the Augrabies Falls National Park, where you will sight the mighty Orange River and its majestic falls. Overnight at KAKAMAS HOTEL or similar. (B)

### DAYS 5 – 6: AUGRABIES – KGALAGADI TRANSFRONTIER PARK

Head into the Kalahari and the Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park. Here, enjoy morning and afternoon game drives. Overnight at KGALAGADI LODGE or similar. (B, D)

### DAY 7: KGALAGADI – FISH RIVER CANYON

Enter Namibia and visit Fish River Canyon. Overnight at CANYON VILLAGE or similar. (B, D)

### DAYS 8 – 9: FISH RIVER CANYON – SESRIEM

Head north to your accommodation located on the edge of the Namib Desert. The next day, leave for Sossusvlei, where you can explore the dunes, Deadvlei and Sesriem Canyon. Two nights at DESERT QUIVER CAMP or similar. (B, D)

### DAY 10: SESRIEM – SWAKOPMUND

Head to the coast at Walvis Bay, then to Swakopmund. Spend the afternoon and following morning at leisure exploring the German colonial town, with optional excursions available (own expense). Overnight at THE DELIGHT HOTEL or similar. (B)

### DAY 11: SWAKOPMUND – DAMARALAND

Today, drive through Damaraland. Your lodge is located on top of a mountain. Overnight at UGAB TERRACE LODGE or similar. (B, D)

### DAYS 12 – 13: DAMARALAND – ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Today you will proceed to Etosha National Park for your first game drive. The following day, enjoy a full day game drive.



Two nights at ETOSHA VILLAGE or similar.

### DAY 14: ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK – OKAVANGO RIVER

Departing Etosha, you will enter the Caprivi Strip en-route to your river lodge. An optional boat cruise on the river is available (own expense). Overnight at HAKUSEMBE RIVER LODGE or similar. (B, D)

### DAYS 15 – 16: OKAVANGO RIVER – OKAVANGO DELTA

Continue into the Caprivi and to the edge of the Delta, where SWAMP STOP CHALETS is located. Over your two-night stay, explore the channels of the Nxamasire area on mokoro and boat excursions, as well as on game walks. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 17– 18: OKAVANGO DELTA – CHOBE RIVER

Today, you will cross back into Botswana into Chobe National Park. Overnight on the banks of the CHOBE RIVER. The following day, set out on a morning game drive and enjoy a sunset game viewing cruise on the Chobe River. One night at CHOBE SAFARI LODGE or similar. (B, D)

### DAY 19: CHOBE RIVER – VICTORIA FALLS

Today, you will head to Victoria Falls. Spend the afternoon and following morning at leisure to see the falls or participate in one of the many optional activities (own expense). Overnight at CRESTA SPRAYVIEW HOTEL or similar. (B)

### DAY 20: DEPART VICTORIA FALLS

Your tour will conclude after breakfast. (B)

### 20 Days / 19 Nights

**SOUTH AFRICA  
NAMIBIA  
BOTSWANA  
ZIMBABWE**

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$6,499

High Season \$6,879

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 19 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Activities and game viewing as listed
- Transport in custom built Mercedes or Toyota overland vehicle

### NOTE:

Tour also operates in reverse. Set departure dates.

Local park fee and activity payment of ZAR 3,500 per person payable to guide on arrival.

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

*For full details and departure dates, please contact African Travel Specialists.*







# Kenya Tanzania Uganda Rwanda

East Africa is home to more animals than anywhere else in Africa, and on Earth, and is featured in countless wildlife documentaries, in particular the famous Wildebeest Migration.

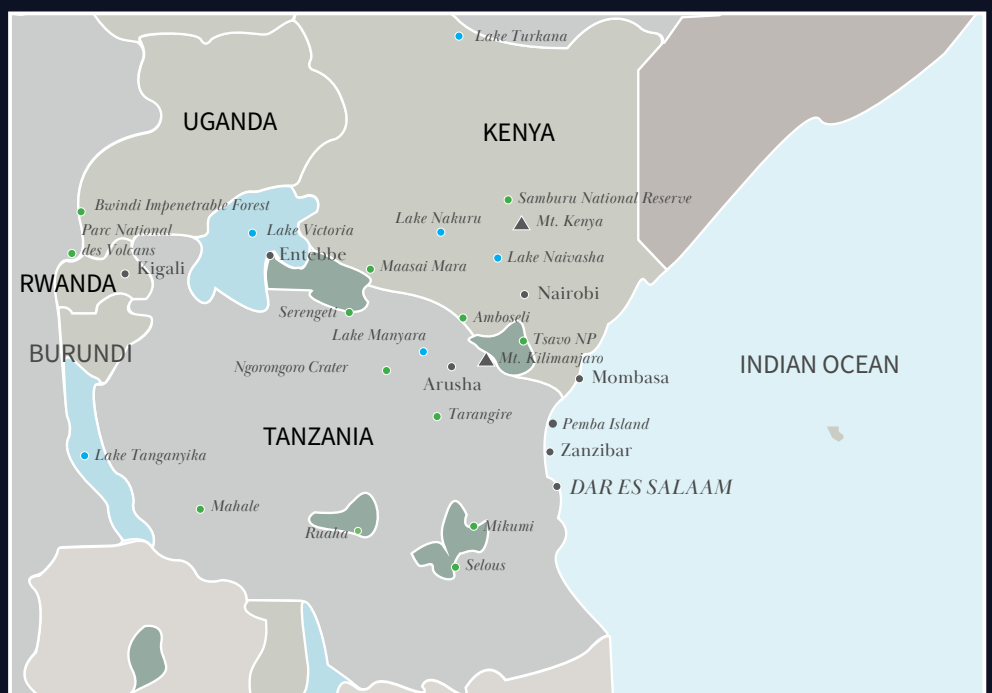
The Maasai Mara, Samburu National Park, Lake Nakuru, Amboseli National Park and Lake Naivasha are amongst Kenya's, and Africa's, premier game viewing areas. On the coast, stunning beaches await you in Mombasa and provide the perfect, relaxing end to any safari.

Tanzania features a more diverse game viewing experience with the unique caldera of the Ngorongoro Crater, the vast plains of the Serengeti and the more densely vegetated Lake Manyara and Selous Game Reserve. Africa's

highest peak, Mt. Kilimanjaro, can be conquered by the adventurous, or enjoyed simply as a stunning backdrop to a game drive. East African safaris often end on the spice island of Zanzibar, with its pristine white beaches and historic Stone Town.

Both Kenya and Tanzania have unique tribes, still observing ancient customs and traditions. Interactions with the Maasai, Samburu, or any of the other tribes, provide an invaluable insight into the friendly people of each respective country.

Venturing further inland will lead you to Rwanda and Uganda where trekking with gorillas and seeing the chimpanzees are a highlight.







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## TASTE OF EAST AFRICA

East Africa is often regarded as the best region in Africa for game viewing. This safari will allow you to experience the best reserves and parks in Kenya and Tanzania, including Serengeti National Park, Ngorongoro Crater, Lake Manyara, Amboseli National Park and the renowned Maasai Mara. Spot the 'Big 5' and experience the Maasai culture as you journey through this unique pocket of the world.

11 Days / 10 Nights

KENYA  
TANZANIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$12,140  
High Season \$14,190

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Meet and greet services
- All transfers
- Service of a bilingual English-speaking driver/guide
- Game drives and Crater tour
- All park fees and government taxes
- Visit a Maasai Village

### NOTE:

Daily departure based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

### DAY 1: KILIMANJARO - ARUSHA

On arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport, you will be transferred to your hotel in Arusha. Overnight at FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON ARUSHA.

### DAY 2: ARUSHA – SERENGETI

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Arusha Airport for your flight to Seronera Airstrip in the Serengeti National Park. Enjoy game viewing en-route to OLE SERAI LUXURY CAMP where you will stay for the next two nights. After lunch, depart on a game drive returning in the early evening to your lodge. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: SERENGETI

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in Serengeti National Park. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: SERENGETI – NGORONGORO

This morning, you will depart for Ngorongoro Crater with a stop en-route for a picnic lunch before

continuing on to NGORONGORO SERENA LODGE for your two-night stay. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: NGORONGORO CRATER

Today you will travel into the Crater for game viewing in this unique conservation area, with a picnic lunch on the crater floor. Ngorongoro Crater is home to an abundance of game including lion, hyena, rhino and a huge variety of plains game. It is also home to a small number of flamingo that live by the lake as well as other aquatic bird life. In the afternoon you will be driven back to your lodge. Visit a Maasai Village in the afternoon before returning to your lodge (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: NGORONGORO – LAKE MANYARA – ARUSHA

Today you will leave the Crater and head to Lake Manyara for a game drive with a picnic lunch. The area is renowned for its tree climbing lions and large herds of elephant. Continue on to Arusha where you will overnight at FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON ARUSHA. (B, L)



Enaidura Luxury Camp



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Ostrich





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#### DAY 7: ARUSHA – AMBOSELI

After breakfast you will be met and transferred to Amboseli National Park in Kenya, via the Namanga Border Post. Arrive at your lodge in time for lunch, after which you will enjoy an afternoon game drive. Two nights at OL TUKAI LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be taken on an early morning game drive, viewing herds of elephant, packs of lions, leopard, over 600 species of bird, and, enjoying views of Mt. Kilimanjaro. Enjoy lunch and an afternoon rest before departing on an afternoon game drive. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 9: AMBOSELI – MAASAI MARA

Today you will journey to the iconic Maasai Mara. Fly from Amboseli to the Maasai Mara via Nairobi, before being met and transferred to ENAIDURA LUXURY CAMP where you will spend the next two nights. The camp offers excellent safari tents with private facilities, in one of the best locations in the Mara, especially during the wildebeest migration. Enaidura is also the only camp or lodge with all Gold guides. After lunch, enjoy a game-viewing drive looking out for lion, cheetah and other predators before returning to camp for dinner. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 10: MAASAI MARA

Today will be spent on morning and afternoon game drives in search of a variety of wildlife that make this reserve their home. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 11: DEPART MAASAI MARA

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Nairobi. On arrival, and if time permits, you will be transferred to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport for your onward flight, marking the end of your tour. (B)



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*With no expectation of what Kenya and Tanzania had to offer, African Travel Specialists consultant Ashleigh, recommended this safari, and boy did it deliver! Each day we would wake up to another exciting day with our ATS guides. The guides are what sets African Travel Specialists apart from other companies, with their incredible knowledge, their great sense of humour and their ability to find the animals. For us the Maasai Mara was the highlight yet everywhere was fabulous. A huge thank you to the whole ATS team.*

Jenny and Rob



Amboseli



Rothchild's Giraffe





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## CLASSIC KENYA & TANZANIA (AIR/ROAD)

*This private safari is a taste of the best that East Africa has to offer, but with less time spent on the road, by flying the longer distances. It visits the incredible Ngorongoro Crater, the vast plains of the Serengeti National Park and Maasai Mara Game Reserve, as well as Lake Manyara, Samburu Game Reserve and Amboseli National Park. This safari is based on 4 and 5-star accommodation located in some of East Africa's most beautiful areas.*

15 Days / 14 Nights

KENYA  
TANZANIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$15,360  
High Season \$18,750

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 14 nights accommodation in 4 and 5-star hotels, tented camps and lodges, on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Comprehensive sightseeing, game drives as per itinerary
- Internal flights and transfers as per itinerary
- Game park and national park entrance fees
- Service of an African Travel Specialists Kenyan and Tanzanian driver/guide

### NOTE:

Daily departure based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

### DAYS 1 – 2: NAIROBI

On arrival at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport you will be transferred for a two-night stay at FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL with day two at your leisure. (B)

### DAY 3: LAKE MANYARA NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, you will be flown from Nairobi to Kilimanjaro Airport. On arrival you will be met by your African Travel Specialists Tanzanian driver/guide who will be with you during your time in Tanzania. You will then be taken by road to Lake Manyara National Park. Overnight at LAKE MANYARA SERENA LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: NGORONGORO CRATER

After a morning game drive in Lake Manyara National Park, you will be driven to Ngorongoro Crater, known as Tanzania's 'Garden of Eden'. The Crater has amazing wildlife and a large variety of birdlife. Two nights at NGORONGORO SERENA LODGE. (B, L, D)



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Black Rhino

### DAY 5: NGORONGORO CRATER

Today you will be taken into the crater, for an almost full-day safari, with a picnic lunch. Ngorongoro Crater is the only living caldera in the world and is home to thousands of animals that live within the crater walls. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: SERENGETI

After breakfast, you will travel by road to Serengeti National Park. From the park entrance to the lodge it is like a long game drive through the national park. Lion, leopard and cheetah sightings are common, as well as ostrich, hyena, elephant, buffalo, zebra and giraffe. Two nights at MBALAGETI LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 7: SERENGETI

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in the Western Corridor of the Serengeti National Park. The Western Corridor is away from the main tourist area but still offers fabulous game viewing, especially around the Grumeti River. (B, L, D)



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Sunset over Ngorongoro Crater

#### DAY 8: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast you will fly to Arusha. After lunch you will be transferred by road to Amboseli National Park via the Namanga border where you will be met by your African Travel Specialists Kenya driver/guide. On arrival at Amboseli, you will have a game drive en-route to your lodge. Two nights at OL TUKAI LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 9: AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in Amboseli National Park. Amboseli is one of the best places to see Mt. Kilimanjaro, with unsurpassed views of the summit, if not clouded in. The park also has one of the largest concentration of elephants in East Africa, as well as many species of aquatic birdlife, especially at the marsh. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 10: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Today you will fly from Amboseli to Samburu via Nairobi. After lunch, you will be taken on a game drive. Two nights at ELEPHANT BEDROOM CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 11: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives in Samburu National Reserve. Samburu is very different to other parts of Kenya as it is a far drier environment. It is here you will be able to see the 'Special

5' - the Reticulated Giraffe, Grevy's Zebra, Somali Ostrich, Gerenuk and Beisa Oryx, as well as other varieties of game. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 12: MAASAI MARA

Today you will be transferred to the Samburu airstrip for your scheduled flight to the Maasai Mara Game Reserve. On arrival at the airstrip you will be transferred to MARA INTREPID TENTED LODGE where you will spend the next two nights. In the late afternoon, you will be taken on a game drive. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 13: MAASAI MARA

Today you will have a full day of game viewing in one of the best game viewing areas in Africa, especially during the Wildebeest Migration when millions of wildebeest and zebra fill the plains. It is also home to good numbers of lion, leopard and cheetah. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 14: NAIROBI

Enjoy an early morning game drive before your return flight to Nairobi, where you will be met and transferred to the FAIRMONT THE NORFOLK HOTEL for your overnight stay. (B)

#### DAY 15: DEPART

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport for your onward flight. (B)

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*We were recommended to African Travel Specialists and met with our personal consultant who recommended this safari, especially given the time of year we were travelling. The whole safari was organised superbly with great guides, and wonderful lodges, all the best locations. The advice we received as to visas, inoculations, and general advice, about travelling in Africa was brilliant. We will definitely return as it was the best trip we have ever experienced.*



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Maasai Jewelry





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Samburu Village

## CLASSIC KENYA AIR SAFARI

*This special safari concentrates on three of the most famous and diverse areas in Kenya – Samburu, Lake Nakuru and the Maasai Mara. Offering exceptional value for money, this almost fully inclusive safari features lodges renowned for their quality, food, friendliness and guides. This is an ideal choice for those wanting to see the best that Kenya has to offer in a short period of time, including outstanding and diverse game viewing.*

8 Days / 7 Nights

KENYA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$8,855

High Season \$10,395

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All transfers
- Game drives and activities as specified
- Round trip domestic flights Nairobi – Samburu then Naivasha – Maasai Mara – Nairobi
- Visit to a Maasai village and a local primary school

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

### DAY 1: NAIROBI

On arrival in Nairobi, you will be met and transferred to the SAROVA STANLEY HOTEL or similar. (B)

### DAY 2: NAIROBI – SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

This morning you will be transferred to Wilson Airport for your scheduled flight to Buffalo Springs Airstrip in Samburu. You will be met and transferred to the camp. After lunch you will embark on the first game drive of your safari, returning to the camp in the late afternoon. Two nights at SAMBURU ASHNIL TENTED LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Morning and afternoon game drives and optional bush walks in Samburu National Reserve. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: SAMBURU – LAKE NAIVASHA

Today you will enjoy an early morning game drive in the park, before being transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight back to Nairobi. On arrival, you will be met and transferred by road to Lake Naivasha. In the afternoon you will be taken on a boat trip on Lake Naivasha. Two nights at THE GREAT RIFT VALLEY LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: LAKE NAIVASHA

Today you will enjoy a game drive to Lake Nakuru National Park and return back to the lodge for lunch. The afternoon will be spent at your leisure. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: LAKE NAIVASHA – MAASAI MARA GAME RESERVE

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the Naivasha Ebony Curio Emporium for a visit. After lunch you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Olkiombo airstrip in the Maasai Mara. You will be collected in an open-sided 4x4 vehicle and taken on a game drive en-route to your lodge. Two nights at MARA INTREPID TENTED LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 7: MAASAI MARA GAME RESERVE

Today you will enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in the Maasai Mara National Reserve as well as a visit to a Maasai village and a local primary school. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: MAASAI MARA GAME RESERVE – NAIROBI

After a morning activity and lunch, you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight back to Nairobi. On arrival in Nairobi you will be met and transferred to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport for your onward flight. (B, L)



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Lake Nakuru





Solio Lodge

## LUXURY KENYA SAFARI

Explore the diverse landscapes of Kenya and experience the incomparable, rich and diverse wildlife of this incredible country, all whilst experiencing the ultimate luxury safari. This itinerary will allow you to stay in some of Kenya's best 5-star hotels, lodges and camps in Nairobi, Samburu National Reserve, Mt Kenya (Solio Reserve) and the renowned Maasai Mara Game Reserve, including staying at the famous Giraffe Manor in Nairobi.

### DAY 1: NAIROBI

On arrival in Nairobi, you will be met and transferred to GIRAFFE MANOR for your overnight stay. This boutique hotel is also home to a herd of Rothschild's giraffe who are known to poke their long necks through open windows.

### DAY 2: NAIROBI – SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Today you will be transferred to Wilson Airport for your flight to Samburu National Reserve. You will then be transferred by road to SASAAB LODGE, where you will stay for two nights. This beautiful lodge is located in an area renowned for the 'Samburu Special Five' (Grevy's zebra, reticulated giraffe, Somali ostrich, gerenuk and Beisa oryx), and commands views across the reserve towards Mt Kenya. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE

Spend the day exploring the game-rich, semi-arid reserve by partaking in a range of activities including game drives, guided bush walks, camel walks and community visits. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: SAMBURU NATIONAL RESERVE – SOLIO RESERVE

After breakfast you will take a private charter flight from Sasaab to Solio Lodge, located in the Solio Reserve. The reserve is Kenya's largest private rhino breeding reserve and sightings of large groups of rhino are not uncommon. Two nights at SOLIO LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: SOLIO RESERVE (MOUNT KENYA)

Today you may enjoy a range of activities including game drives, guided walks, horse riding and mountain biking, exploring the reserves ecosystem. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: SOLIO RESERVE – SAND RIVER (MAASAI MARA)

This morning you will fly from Nanyuki to the renowned Maasai Mara – Africa's most treasured game reserve. On arrival you will be transferred to SALA'S CAMP, in the reserves southern corner, for your three-night stay. The camp's ideal location at the confluence of the Sand and Keekorok Rivers attracts large numbers of wildlife and is the first camp in the Mara that witnesses the Wildebeest Migration. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 7– 8: SAND RIVER (MAASAI MARA)

Enjoy morning and late afternoon game drives or enjoy a guided bush walk to fully appreciate the sights and sounds of the wonderful Mara. The reserve is one of the best game viewing areas in Africa and is renowned for leopard, cheetah and lion sightings. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: MAASAI MARA – NAIROBI

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Nairobi's Wilson Airport. From here, you will be transferred to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport or your hotel (not included), where your safari will be at an end. (B)

9 Days / 8 Nights

KENYA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$15,540  
High Season \$20,990

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as per itinerary (B, L, D)
- Local wines & spirits
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Activities including game drives, guided bush walks, camel walks, community visits, horse riding, mountain biking, children's activities
- Flights as per itinerary

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.



Giraffe Manor







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## ULTIMATE KENYA AIR SAFARI

*Kenya is a land of rich contrasts – from Nairobi, a modern cosmopolitan city, to lush farmlands, harsh deserts, and wide-open plains known for the great herds of roaming wildlife. This safari has been designed to take in the highlights of this wonderful country staying in luxury boutique lodges offering outstanding cuisine and service, at the same time offering amazing value for money, and wonderful game-viewing experiences.*

10 Days / 9 Nights

### KENYA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low/Mid Season \$16,560

High Season \$21,090

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 9 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Soft drinks, beer, selected spirits & house wines
- Conservation/park fees
- Shared game drives in 4x4 vehicles
- English speaking driver/guide
- Activities as per itinerary
- Airport/airstrip transfers
- All domestic flights and taxes
- Laundry (except at the Hemingways Hotel)
- Medical emergency evacuation insurance (conditions apply)
- VIP fast track at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

Baggage limit of 15kgs per person in soft bags only.

#### DAY 1: NAIROBI

On arrival at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, you will be met and transferred to HEMINGWAYS HOTEL for your overnight stay. (D)

#### DAYS 2 – 3: NAIROBI – AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

This morning, you will be transferred to Wilson Airport for your scheduled flight to Amboseli – best known for its views of Kilimanjaro and its large elephant population. On arrival at the airstrip, you will be met and transferred to ELEWANA TORTILIS CAMP for your two-night stay. Afterwards, depart on an afternoon game drive. The following day enjoy an early morning safari and walking safari following lunch. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 4: AMBOSELI – LOISABA CONSERVANCY

After breakfast, depart for Amboseli airstrip with a game drive en-route. Board your scheduled flight to Loisaba Conservancy, where you will be met and transferred to your accommodation. Enjoy lunch upon arrival, with the option for activities or a game drive in the afternoon. Three nights ELEWANA LOISABA TENTED CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 5 – 6: LOISABA CONSERVANCY

Spend the next two days exploring Loisaba Conservancy. Rise early for a walking safari with Samburu guides, enjoy

game drives, visit the anti-poaching sniffer dog team, go horse/camel-back riding, or trekking. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 7: LOISABA CONSERVANCY – MAASAI MARA

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the Loisaba airstrip. Here you will board your scheduled flight to the Maasai Mara. On arrival, you will be transferred to ELEWANA SAND RIVER MAASAI MARA CAMP for your three-night stay. After lunch, enjoy a game drive and sundowners. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 8 – 9: MAASAI MARA

Spend two full days game viewing in the Mara. The area is host to a large concentration of big cats, such as lion, cheetah, leopard and plains game such as gazelle and zebra. On the final evening, enjoy a farewell dinner at the camp. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 10: MAASAI MARA

After your last game drive in the Maasai Mara, you will be transferred to the airstrip to catch your scheduled flight back to Nairobi. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel day room. Then transfer to Jomo Kenyatta International Airport for your onward flight. (B)



Tortilis Camp



# NAIROBI ACCOMMODATION



## Fairmont The Norfolk Hotel

Fairmont The Norfolk Hotel is regarded as one of the best hotels in Nairobi, and one of the favourites for clients due to standards of service, luxury, hospitality and comfort. Artefacts from the hotel's history are featured in the decor, and this hotel offers all the comforts of a modern first class hotel combined with an intriguing sense of history. It has a choice of two restaurants, a health club and a large swimming pool. It is also now one of the most secure hotels in Nairobi.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$320pp (BB)



## Nairobi Serena Hotel

Ideally located, the newly remodelled and appointed Nairobi Serena is an upmarket hotel offering excellent accommodation and service. The hotel has 183 rooms and suites, with a choice of garden or city views, all equipped with flat screen TVs, tea and coffee making facilities and beautifully styled bathrooms. There is a choice of dining options as well as 2 bars, a pool, gym and spa.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$340pp (BB)



## Giraffe Manor

Giraffe Manor, located just outside Nairobi, is an elegant and personally hosted hotel famous for its resident herd of Rothschild giraffe. It is one of a kind, where guests can enjoy the experience of feeding giraffe over the breakfast table or at the front door. Giraffe Manor features six double bedrooms with large four poster beds, antique furnishings, striking art decor and spacious bathrooms. But book well in advance, as it's very popular.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$2,069pp (FB)



## Villa Rosa Kempinski

The 5-star Villa Rosa Kempinski is in an ideal location near Westlands. The hotel features 200 luxuriously appointed rooms and suites offering all modern conveniences and amenities including a mini-bar and flat screen TV. The hotel has 4 restaurants, a pool, spa and fitness centre.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$415pp (BB)



## Hemingways Nairobi

This luxury boutique hotel has 45 suites and is a 40-minute drive from Nairobi's International Airport. Beautiful in its symmetry and flooded with natural light, this plantation-style property is airy and spacious. It's 80-square-metre bedrooms each have a private balcony overlooking the iconic silhouette of the Ngong Hills. Each room has its own butler to look after your every need.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$835pp (BB)



## Four Points by Sheraton Nairobi Airport

Four Points by Sheraton is a contemporary hotel conveniently located at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport. All 172 rooms offer modern amenities, including a rain shower and a 42" LED TV. The hotel itself features a heated rooftop pool, spa and fully equipped gym, and offers a range of dining options including a 24-hour room service menu.

2 DAYS / 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$199pp (BB)

PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE: 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated. BB - Bed & Breakfast

## EXCURSIONS



## David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust, Karen Blixen & Giraffe Centre

This full day tour begins with a visit to the David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust to see where his wife Daphne's dedicated team raise orphaned elephants in the hopes of releasing them back into the wild. Afterwards, explore the Karen Blixen Museum, located on what was the 'Out of Africa' author's coffee plantation. The day will end with a visit to the Giraffe Centre, for a close encounter with the world's tallest animal.

PRICES FROM: \$645pp\*

\* Includes lunch



## Nairobi City Tour

Discover the must-sees of Kenya's capital in this comprehensive half-day tour of Nairobi. Enjoy the sights of this modern city centre including the colourful city market, the renowned National Museum and the landmark parliament building, as well as the final resting place of Kenya's first president, Mzee Jomo Kenyatta. The city tour ends at Capitol Hill in Central Park where you can get a bird's eye view of Nairobi city.

PRICES FROM: \$125pp



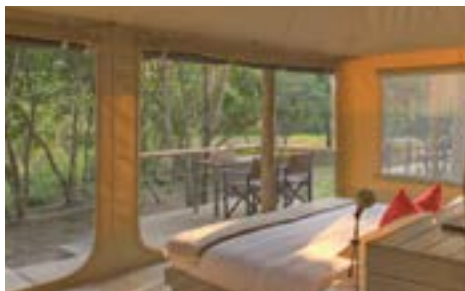
## Nairobi National Park

Located on the doorstep of Nairobi's central business district is the wide-open grass plains of the Nairobi National Park. Spend an afternoon among the scattered acacias that play host to a variety of Kenya's most famous wildlife: endangered black rhinoceros, lion, leopard, cheetah, hyena, buffalo, giraffe and over 400 species of diverse birdlife. A unique experience so close to the city centre.

PRICES FROM: \$415pp



# MAASAI MARA LODGES



## Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp

Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp looks out onto the seemingly endless plains of the Maasai Mara. Set on a private concession leased from the Maasai in the less populated northern part of the Mara, the camp offers 40 beautifully renovated superior tents, all with modern conveniences. The lodge has superb public areas and a swimming pool offering unparalleled views of the Maasai Mara.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,500pp\*



## Enaidura Luxury Tented Camp

(Exclusive to African Travel Specialists)

Enaidura means "migration" in the Maa language, and Enaidura Luxury Tented Camp is located in the best position to take in the wildebeest migration in the Maasai Mara. The camp is limited to 6 luxury guest tents, all with private bathrooms. Ping, the senior guide, was named as one of Conde Nast's Best 25 Safari Guides for all of Africa. This is ideal for those wanting to have a true luxury bush experience.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,660pp\*



## Mara Plains Camp

Mara Plains Camp is a small, high quality, luxury camp located along the Ntiakatek River within the private Olare Orok Conservancy. The camp caters for only 14 guests in six spacious and comfortable en-suite canvas rooms built on raised decks. The central area is under canvas with a dining tent and two comfortable lounge tents. With a relaxed intimate feel, the day's activities and meals are tailored around guest's preferences.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$5,045pp\*



## Sand River Maasai Mara

Situated on a secluded and picturesque site on the banks of the Sand River, Sand River Maasai Mara replicates the heyday of exclusive permanent tented camps of the late 1920s, but with modern luxuries. There are 16 tents which are divided into two sections, each with its own dining tents and communal areas, making it ideal for groups looking for a semi private safari experience.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,325pp\*



## Elephant Pepper Camp

Elephant Pepper Camp is a step back in time but with all modern comforts. Evenings by the camp fire and dinner under the stars are a special feature of this tented camp. Relax with nature and enjoy the absence of the sounds of noisy generators and vehicles passing. Relish in the lack of permanent structures jarring the skyline, and just enjoy the sights and sounds of the bush which completely surround you.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,190pp\*



## Mara Serena

Mara Serena is set high on a hill above the plains of the Maasai Mara. Styled to echo the circular motif of a traditional Maasai manyatta, the lodge blends international sophistication with raw African beauty, while featuring twin rows of individual rooms, each with its own view of the famous Mara River. The 76 'huts' each offer guests uninterrupted views from a private balcony.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,085pp



## Mara Bushtops

Mara Bushtops sits on a hillside located within its own Bushtops Conservancy, bordering the Maasai Mara. All 12 luxury tents feature spacious private decks with a hot tub, offering breathtaking views of the open plains and wildlife seen at the neighbouring salt licks. Each tent features indoor and outdoor showers as well as 24-hour butler service. Families are welcome, with a spacious 2-bedroom family tent accommodating up to 6 people.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,165pp\*



## Mara Intrepids Camp

Mara Intrepids sits above a sweeping bend in the Talek River, at the confluence of the Maasai Mara's 4 game-viewing areas. Mara Intrepids Camp is a short drive from the Mara River, where more than a million wildebeest and zebra make their perilous migration crossing every year. The camp has 30 elegant guest tents with modern en-suite bathrooms, as well as a central dining room, curio shop and swimming pool.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$810pp



## Little Governors Camp

Little Governor's Camp is intimate in character, with just 17 luxury en-suite tents tucked around a large watering hole, that attracts birds and wildlife. The camp is approached by boat crossing the Mara River, then an escorted walk through the riverine forest. Vehicles are left on the far river bank so the camp is quiet and undisturbed. The guest tents have recently been renovated and now have large verandahs for guests to enjoy the game activity that takes place around the watering hole at the camp.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,660pp\*

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees and flights)

\* Includes Drinks



# SAMBURU, MERU, LEWA & AMBOSELI



## Sasaab

Located on the Westgate Community Conservancy above the Uaso Nyiro River, Sasaab is an intimate lodge of nine rooms. Each room features a private plunge pool, perfect for admiring the view over the Laikipia Plateau towards the iconic Mount Kenya. Rooms feature modern amenities and are tastefully furnished in a mix of Swahili and Moroccan style. A range of activities are available such as camelback safaris, walking, quad biking and game drives.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,520pp\*



## Saruni Samburu

Built in and around a volcanic rock face, Saruni Samburu is one with its dramatic environment. Located within the Kalama Community Wildlife Conservancy, the lodge offers unsurpassed views of the 200,000 acres of protected wilderness. The lodge features 6 spacious villas, accommodating groups of up to four guests. Each villa features an outdoor shower and private veranda with sprawling views of the reserve.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,930pp\*



## Elephant Bedroom Camp, Samburu

Set on the banks of the Ewaso Nyiro River in Samburu National Reserve surrounded by Doum Palms and other beautiful indigenous trees, Elephant Bedroom Camp, is a small and exclusive camp of 12 luxury tents all furnished in rustic African style. Herds of elephant, lion and leopard are regular visitors to the camp. Dining is a culinary experience, with dinners set either under the African sky or inside dining area.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,730pp



## Ashnil Samburu

Ashnil Samburu is situated in the Buffalo Springs Game Reserve, separated from the Samburu National Reserve by the Ewaso Nyiro River. The lodge features an outdoor pool, garden and a lounge bar offering views of the African savannah. Each tent features luxury amenities as well as a private deck offering panoramic views of the Ewaso Nyiro River. Ashnil Samburu offers a range of exclusive activities including, cultural visits to a Samburu village.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$730pp



## Sirikoi, Lewa

Sirikoi is a small, intimate, luxury, family-run lodge on the northern slopes of Mt Kenya. Guests are made to feel at home in an area that has an abundance of wildlife including endangered species such as black rhino, white rhino and Grevy's zebra. Sirikoi offers fabulous comfort, unmatched wildlife viewing and world class gourmet food. Sirikoi is a must for those seeking the best in luxury and attention to detail.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,445pp\*



## Tortilis Camp, Amboseli

Tortilis Camp is a luxury camp that offers superb views of Mt. Kilimanjaro. The camp has a relaxed feel and offers 17 spacious tents raised on wooden decks, a dressing area, as well as modern bathrooms with hot showers and flush toilets. The tents are sheltered by a makuti (thatched) roof overhanging a large verandah, ideal for an afternoon siesta. What sets Tortilis Camp apart is the outstanding food and friendly intimate service.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,545pp\*



## Amboseli Serena

The 4-star Amboseli Serena is framed against the glorious backdrop of Africa's highest mountain, the magnificent Mount Kilimanjaro. Each of the 96 guest rooms are influenced by local architecture and interiors are inspired by distinctive African design motifs. The lodge, set in beautiful gardens, features an open air restaurant, a large outdoor swimming pool and verandah, and views over the salt lick and waterhole.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,085pp



## Ol Donyo, next to Amboseli

Ol Donyo Lodge provides an exclusive, intimate and personalised safari experience. With accommodation for up to 16 guests, this luxury lodge is situated in the heart of the 275,000-acre Mbirikani Group Ranch in the Chyulu Hills. There are 6 pool Suites and 1 two-bedroom Sambu suite ideally suited to families with children under 15. Each suite features a plunge pool and roof terrace where you can experience sleeping under the stars of the African night.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,180pp\*



## Elsa's Kopje, Meru

Elsa's Kopje is almost invisible to the eye as you approach its home on Mughwango Hill. It blends into the rocky crags of the "kopje" (small hill). Every cottage is the ultimate 'room-with-a-view', uniquely designed, incorporating the natural features of the rocky hillside. Each cottage has spacious double or twin beds with en-suite facilities. There is an open bar, lounge and dining room with an inviting infinity pool overlooking the Meru plains.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,735pp

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees)

\* Includes Drinks





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## BEST OF SOUTHERN TANZANIA

Visit three of the most stunning game parks in Tanzania, all offering a variety of game and diverse landscapes. Mikumi National Park is a picturesque landscape of baobabs and grassy plains, home to elephant, wildebeest, lion and leopard. Ruaha National Park is a beautiful reserve that promises an intimate safari experience and the chance to see the rare Sable and Roan antelopes, as well as wild dog. Selous Game Reserve offers pristine wilderness, superb game viewing opportunities and the amazing birdlife of the Rufiji River. This safari offers a remote escape into an untouched wilderness whilst still enjoying all the comforts of luxury accommodation.

11 Days / 10 Nights

### TANZANIA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$10,920

High Season \$12,360

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Internal light aircraft flights as per the itinerary
- All meals as per itinerary (B, L, D)
- Tea and coffee
- Park entry fees
- Laundry
- Shared activities as per lodge schedules

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"Of all the areas of Africa I have visited and guided, Southern Tanzania still takes my breath away. From the remoteness and the intimacy with the bush to the close encounters and privacy of meeting animals on foot, there is nowhere like it!"

Richard Ruskin  
Managing Director and Guide  
African Travel Specialists

#### DAY 1: DAR ES SALAAM – MIKUMI NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight from Dar es Salaam to Mikumi National Park. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to your lodge before being taken on an afternoon game drive. Three nights at STANLEY'S KOPJE. (D)

#### DAYS 2 – 3: MIKUMI NATIONAL PARK

Spend two days game viewing in 4x4 vehicles with experienced guides. Mikumi National Park is home to a plethora of big game and a wide variety of birds. Spend your days exploring golden grasslands set against the backdrop of the Uluguru Mountains and Mikumi Hills. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 4: MIKUMI NATIONAL PARK – RUAHA NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Ruaha National Park. After lunch you will head out on a game drive. Four nights at RUAHA RIVER LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 5 – 7: RUAHA NATIONAL PARK

Enjoy three full days of game viewing. Ruaha has a large lion population and elephant are often sighted.

You will also have the opportunity to see the elusive wild dog, leopard, cheetah, hyena and greater and lesser kudu. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: RUAHA NATIONAL PARK – SELOUS GAME RESERVE

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Selous Game Reserve. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to RUFIFI RIVER CAMP for your three-night stay. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 9 – 10: SELOUS GAME RESERVE

Spend the next two days game viewing in 4x4 safari vehicles or on a walking safari. There is also the option to view game from the river aboard a boat, looking out for game such as hippos and crocodiles. Rufiji is also a great spot for bird watching, where thousands of birds live and nest along the banks of the river. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 11: SELOUS GAME RESERVE – DAR ES SALAAM

Enjoy breakfast and an early morning game drive before being transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Dar es Salaam. This will mark the end of your safari. (B)



Ruaha River Lodge



Stanley's Kopje





Lake Manyara Tree

## ULTIMATE NORTHERN TANZANIA

*Famous for its national parks and game reserves, Tanzania remains incredibly beautiful and untouched. This safari visits three of the best areas– Lake Manyara, renowned for its tree climbing lions, Ngorongoro Crater, with its caldera of abundant wildlife, and the famous Serengeti, home to nearly 3 million wildebeest and zebra during the migration. The lodges are 5-star and should satisfy the most discerning client.*

### DAY 1: ARUSHA

On arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport, you will be transferred to your lodge in Arusha. Overnight at ARUSHA COFFEE LODGE. (D)

### DAY 2: ARUSHA – LAKE MANYARA

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Arusha Airport for your flight to Manyara. On arrival you will be met and transferred to Lake Manyara National Park, in time for a leisurely lunch and an afternoon game drive. Lake Manyara is home to an abundance of animals such as hippo, giraffe, zebra, warthog, leopard and Sykes monkey. It is also known for its aquatic birds. Two nights at LAKE MANYARA TREE LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: LAKE MANYARA

Today will be spent exploring Lake Manyara. Enjoy an afternoon bike ride through the nearby Mayoka community village and down to the lakeshore for the opportunity to see flamingos and other birdlife or enjoy an evening game drive. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: NGORONGORO CRATER

Today you will travel to Ngorongoro Crater – a wonderful haven for wildlife. Your accommodation is perched

on the crater rim. Ngorongoro Crater Lodge, with its quirky design and unusual chimneys, offers luxury and unsurpassed views. Two nights at NGORONGORO CRATER LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: NGORONGORO CRATER

Your day will be one of discovery with game viewing in the crater. Ngorongoro Crater is unique in that most of the wildlife only live within the crater walls. Lunch will be provided on the crater floor. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast you will transfer to Lake Manyara and fly to Serengeti National Park. Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in open 4x4 vehicles, staying at KLEIN'S CAMP for three nights. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 7 – 8: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

On both days you will have the opportunity to enjoy early morning, late afternoon and night game drives. Bush walks are also on offer to see the wildlife in its own habitat. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: DEPART

After breakfast you will be transferred to your flight to Kilimanjaro International Airport. (B)

## 9 Days / 8 Nights

### TANZANIA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$17,365

High Season \$27,765

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation with private facilities on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D) including local spirits, house wine, beer, soft drinks, tea and coffee
- Scheduled domestic flights
- Transfers
- Scheduled game activities as specified
- Tanzania National Park entrance fees

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Lake Manyara Tree Lodge is closed in April, so an equivalent lodge would be selected.

\* Grumeti Serengeti River Lodge or Serengeti Under Canvas are also options in the Serengeti.



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## TANZANIA LUXURY TENTED SAFARI

*This safari is ideal for those wanting to feel they are away from other people, in the bush, yet with all the enjoyment of a luxury lodge. These small boutique luxury tented camps are stylish and in the best locations available in each area visited. With wonderful food, service and excellent game viewing this is an exciting and unique way to visit some of the best game parks in Tanzania.*

9 Days / 8 Nights

### TANZANIA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$9,095  
High Season \$11,890

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Fully inclusive at Tarangire Balloon Camp, Lemala Ngorongoro Camp and Kubu Kubu Tented Lodge
- 4x4 vehicle with photo roof
- Services of an English-speaking driver guide
- Guaranteed window seat
- Game drives and crater tour
- All park fees and government taxes
- One bottle of mineral water per person per day during game drives
- Flight from Seronera to Kilimanjaro inclusive of taxes

#### DAY 1: ARRIVE ARUSHA

Upon arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport you will be met and transferred to Arusha, where you will check in to FOUR POINTS BY SHERATON ARUSHA HOTEL.

#### DAY 2: ARUSHA – TARANGIRE

After breakfast, you will be transferred by road to Tarangire National Park, where you will check in to TARANGIRE BALLOON CAMP on arrival. Enjoy lunch before an afternoon game drive. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 3: TARANGIRE

Today you will have a full day game drive in Tarangire National Park with a picnic lunch. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 4: TARANGIRE – NGORONGORO

This morning you will be transferred by road from Tarangire to Ngorongoro Crater. On arrival, check in to LEMALA NGORONGORO CAMP for your two-night stay. Enjoy lunch at the camp before going on a walking safari led by Maasai guides. You will have the chance to learn about plants and identify animal tracks as well as smaller insects and animals. Return to the lodge in time for dinner. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 5: NGORONGORO

Today you will be taken on a full day tour of the crater with a picnic lunch. In the late afternoon return to the camp for dinner. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 6: NGORONGORO – SERENGETI

After breakfast, you will be transferred by road to Serengeti National Park. On arrival, check in to KUBU KUBU TENTED LODGE for your three-night stay. Enjoy lunch at the lodge before an afternoon game drive. Return in time for a sunset dinner. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 7: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in Serengeti National Park. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in Serengeti National Park. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 9: DEPART SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

This morning you will be transferred to Seronera airstrip with a picnic lunch in time to board your onward flight. This marks the end of your safari. (B, L)



Lemala Ngorongoro Camp





Mt Kilimanjaro

## MT KILIMANJARO CLIMBS

*They say that to climb Mount Kilimanjaro is the ultimate adrenaline rush, and the greatest adventure. This opportunity lies within the range of anyone who is reasonably fit, as no technical mountaineering skills are required. Dominating its surrounding landscape and lying on the border of Tanzania and Kenya, the physical beauty of this mountain is overwhelming.*

### MACHAME ROUTE: 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS (6 DAY HIKE)

This route offers some of the best scenery ascending from the western side of Kilimanjaro, and descending down the south face. Each trip is led by a senior guide, with other guides in a ratio of approximately one guide per two or three climbers. This route gives you an opportunity to learn mountain skills as it maximises the time on the mountain to acclimatise as well as climbing at a more leisurely pace. Your nights will be spent in high quality 3 man alpine tents which sleep a maximum of two persons per tent. All your supplies and camping equipment will be portered up for you and all your meals are prepared.

### RONGAI ROUTE: 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS (6 DAY HIKE)

This route will begin on the northern side of the mountain and on one of the least travelled routes. It is a very long drive to the starting point but your reward will be the fantastic views. This route approaches the highest mountain in Africa from the north and has a relatively gentle gradient and short daily stages. There are magnificent views throughout of the glaciers and ice cliffs, summit, and all across the East African plains far below. Nights will be spent in high quality three-man alpine tents, sleeping a maximum of two persons per tent. All your supplies and camping equipment will be portered up for you and all your meals are prepared.



Mt Kilimanjaro

### MARANGU ROUTE: 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS (6 DAY HIKE)

The Marangu Route is the most common route, and gives all novice hikers a good opportunity to reach the summit. This is the easiest and the most popular route up Kilimanjaro with excellent well-defined trails. Marangu is the classic trail with comfortable mountain huts and good facilities spaced at ideal locations.

### UMBWE ROUTE: 10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS (6 DAY HIKE)

The Umbwe Route is incredibly beautiful and one of the shortest routes to the Southern Glaciers and the Western Breach of Kibo. It is quite a taxing hike due to the relatively fast ascent to higher altitudes, but the rewards are plentiful.

### LEMOSHO ROUTE: 9 DAYS / 8 NIGHTS (6 DAY HIKE)

This route starts on the western side of the mountain and is an unspoilt, remote and very beautiful route to the Shira Plateau. The trail leads up to the western edge of the Shira Plateau, and the hike across the plateau is said to be one of the most stunning in Africa. (Climbers may be accompanied on the first day by an armed ranger, as the forests around the Lemosho Glades are rich with buffalo, elephant and other big game animals).



Camping on Mt Kilimanjaro

## Mountain Climbs

### TANZANIA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Marangu Route	\$3990
Machame Route	\$3965
Umbwe Route	\$4020
Rongai Route	\$4379
Lemosho Route	\$5410

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 2 nights accommodation in Moshi and twin share accommodation at camps en-route
- Camping fees and park fees
- Breakfast in Moshi and all meals whilst on the climb
- Transfers to and from the gate
- Guides and porters
- Tents and mattresses
- Rescue fees

#### NOTE:

Minimum 2 clients. Prices for solo climbers on request. Transfers ex Nairobi available on request. For quality equipment hire including sleeping bag, down jacket etc, allow approx \$80 – \$100 USD. Minimum age 16.



# ZANZIBAR ACCOMMODATION



## Zanzibar Serena Inn

Idyllically situated on the sea-front of ancient Stone Town, and flanked by an exotic mix of sultan's palaces, Portuguese forts, ancient dhow harbours, and bright bazaars, the Zanzibar Serena Inn is a haven of tranquillity and luxury. The resort has 51 luxury bedrooms overlooking the Indian Ocean all with private facilities and some with balconies. It also has a large outdoor swimming pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$305pp (BB)



## Park Hyatt Zanzibar

Sitting majestically on the beachfront in the heart of Stone Town, the Park Hyatt Zanzibar provides the ultimate haven amongst Stone Town's winding alleys, markets and mosques. The hotel is housed in two buildings and offers 67 luxuriously appointed, spacious guest rooms, as well as a restaurant offering authentic cuisine. It also has an ocean front infinity pool and fitness centre.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$355pp (BB)



## Kisiwa House

Kisiwa House is located in a quiet street in the heart of Stone Town, within walking distance of the significant landmarks, antique shops and restaurants. The hotel has 10 luxuriously appointed rooms all with a modern Zanzibari feel. Each room has plush interiors with every amenity including flat screen TVs, wireless internet, air-conditioning and tea/coffee makers. There is a rooftop restaurant on-site serving traditional and continental specialties.

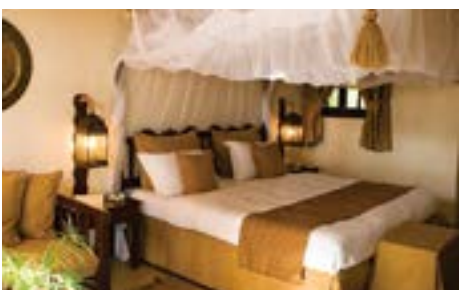
2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$175pp (BB)



## Baraza Resort and Spa

Located on the east coast of Zanzibar, this luxurious and beautiful resort is set on one of the best white sand beaches in Zanzibar. The resort is a fusion of Arabic and Zanzibari architecture offering 30 one and two bedroom villas. The spacious villas are exquisitely appointed with every modern convenience. The resort is known for its superb food and service.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$865pp (AI)



## Breezes Beach Club

Breezes Beach Club is a beautiful 70 room resort, situated along a pristine, unspoilt beach. All rooms are tastefully decorated in ivory tones, with cotton throws, teak wood finishes and Zanzibari carvings, are fully air-conditioned and feature en suite bathrooms. There is a choice of dining options as well as many activities including a diving school, tennis courts, swimming pool and spa.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$265pp (HB)



## Zanzibar White Sand Villas & Spa

Situated on the east coast of the Zanzibar archipelago, Zanzibar White Sand features 11 spacious, luxuriously appointed suites. Nestled amongst lush tropical gardens, each suite offers a sense of intimacy and privacy. The Relais & Chateaux property also has a spa, two restaurants and three bars.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$545pp (HB)



## Bluebay Beach Resort

Blue Bay Beach Resort is built on the very edge of the Indian Ocean and is an ideal place to relax and unwind. The property offers 112 rooms made up of Garden Rooms, Superior Rooms, Club Rooms, Junior Suites and Sultan Suites all situated over a 30 acre property with verdant gardens, a swimming pool and easy access to the beach beyond. There is a choice of dining options including a beach bar restaurant.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$210pp (HB)



## Zuri Zanzibar

Zuri Zanzibar is a new resort, situated on its own white sand private beach, located on the northern Coast of Zanzibar. This luxury resort offers bungalows, suites and villas set amongst lush tropical gardens, featuring full or partial views of the ocean. Zuri is situated very close to Mnemba Atoll Marine Park and Tumbatu Island with its turtle-nesting zone, providing the perfect setting for snorkeling and diving nearby. The resort also features an infinity pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$455pp (HB)



## Essque Zalu

Essque Zalu is an intimate boutique resort located at the north east coast of Zanzibar. This luxury resort has 40 suites and 8 villas with picturesque views over the lush tropical gardens or the ocean. Each room is comfortably furnished with a more modern style, with beautiful en suite bathrooms. There are 2 restaurants, 3 bars, a spa, sauna, gym and PADI dive centre, as well as a large infinity swimming pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$260pp (HB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits





Baby Mountain Gorilla

## GORILLA TREKKING

Tracking mountain gorillas in the wild is one of the most thrilling experiences to be had in Africa, and the reason why most people choose to visit Rwanda and Uganda. Around 880 mountain gorillas live in the mountainous regions of these countries and are split into family groups. In Uganda they are found in Bwindi National Park and Mgahinga National Park, and in Rwanda they are found in Parc National des Volcans (PNV).

A pre-purchased permit is required to visit these magnificent creatures with the cost of the permit depending on whether you choose to visit Rwanda or Uganda. In both instances the money you pay goes towards conserving these primates for future generations. Bwindi Impenetrable Forest has nine habituated families and PNV in Rwanda has ten. Both countries have 8 permits available daily for each group and can easily sell out so it is essential to book this activity well in advance.

The terrain for both countries is similar with the groups living at high altitudes although Bwindi is considered more challenging due to the denseness of the forest and steeper hills. You don't need to be super fit to embark on this adventure but a general level of fitness is required for your own enjoyment. Depending on the time of year and which family group you track you could be walking for several hours before you find them. Once you do find the group you will have one precious hour to spend in their company before returning to your accommodation.

Please note that mountain gorillas are wild animals and sightings cannot be guaranteed however viewing success rates are over 95%.

## GORILLA FLY-IN SAFARI

This safari is tailor-made for those with limited time, allowing you to experience the beauty of the Bwindi Impenetrable National Park over two days. This is the best place in Uganda to see the gorillas in their natural habitat or to see the chimpanzees on an excursion to Ngamba Island. It is essential that you purchase your gorilla permits when you book.

### DAY 1: ENTEBBE

Upon arrival to Entebbe airport you will be met and transferred to HOTEL NO. 5 for your overnight stay. A visit to Ngamba Island can be arranged if time permits.

### DAY 2: ENTEBBE – Bwindi National Park

This morning you will be taken to your scheduled flight to Kihikihi airstrip, where you will be met and transferred to BUHOMA LODGE for your two-night stay. An afternoon forest walk or cultural visit may be done at additional cost. (FI)

### DAY 3: Bwindi National Park

Today you can take an early morning trek into the forest on the slopes of mountains in search of the mountain gorillas (excludes Gorilla Trek permit cost). You will return either in time for lunch or later depending on the location of the gorillas. (FI)

### DAY 4: Bwindi – Entebbe

After breakfast you will be transferred to Kihikihi airstrip for your scheduled flight to Entebbe. (B)



Buhoma Lodge



Buhoma Lodge

### 4 Days / 3 Nights

#### UGANDA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$3,595

High Season \$3,990

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 3 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Arrival transfer
- Flights Entebbe – Kihikihi return
- Meals as indicated FI (Fully inclusive - all meals, local wine and spirits)
- Shared return airstrip transfers
- Buhoma trekking transfer

#### NOTE:

Excludes gorilla trekking permits – current price USD 700. Prices increasing to USD 800 from 01 July 2024. Minimum age for gorilla trekking is 15 years.

There is also an optional forest or community walk in Bwindi, and an optional excursion to Ngamba Island Chimpanzee Sanctuary from Entebbe (time permitting).





Ishasha Wilderness Camp

# GORILLAS AND CHIMPS SAFARI

*This 8-day safari features Mountain Gorilla trekking in Bwindi, chimpanzee tracking in Chambura (Kyambura), Gorge and game/bird-watching in Queen Elizabeth National Park which includes a boat cruise. You may add an optional visit to Ngamba Island Chimpanzee Sanctuary or Mabamba Swamp. There is an opportunity to do up to two gorilla treks on this safari but gorilla permits must be pre-purchased at time of booking and will be subject to availability.*

8 Days / 7 Nights

UGANDA

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$8,350  
High Season \$9,420

PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Park entry fees
- Game drives in QENP
- Boat Cruise on Kazinga Channel in QENP
- Ishasha Community project visit
- Flights Entebbe to Kihiki, Mweya to Entebbe

NOTE:

Excludes gorilla trekking permits – Current price USD 700. Prices increasing to USD 800 from 01 July 2024. Minimum age for gorilla trekking is 15 years.

Excludes chimp permits – Current price USD 50. Prices increasing to USD 100 from 01 July 2024.

NB This safari is based on set departures, although a private version of this is available subject to availability.

- DAY 1: ENTEBBE

On arrival at Entebbe airport you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Overnight at BEST WESTERN PREMIER GARDEN HOTEL or similar. (B)
- DAY 2: ENTEBBE – BWINDI IMPENETRABLE NP

This morning you will be taken to Entebbe airport for your scheduled flight to Kihiki airstrip where you will be met and transferred to your accommodation, passing local villages on your way. Two nights at BUHOMA LODGE. (B, L, D)
- DAY 3: BWINDI IMPENETRABLE NP

Today you will take an early morning trek into the forest on the slopes of the mountains in search of the mountain gorillas. Spend a precious hour with these creatures before returning to the lodge. Upon your return, enjoy a complimentary massage or explore the local area. (B, L, D)
- DAY 4: BWINDI – ISHASHA, QUEEN ELIZABETH NP

This morning if you have opted for a second trek, you will again set off into the forest. Afterwards, you will be

- transferred to Ishasha in Queen Elizabeth National Park, where you will be able to visit a community project on the border of the park. In the afternoon, with time permitting, you will be taken on a game drive in search of the famous tree climbing lions. Two nights at ISHASHA WILDERNESS CAMP. (B, L, D)
- DAY 5: ISHASHA, QUEEN ELIZABETH NP

Game viewing in Queen Elizabeth National Park. (B, L, D)
- DAY 6: ISHASHA, QUEEN ELIZABETH NP

After breakfast you will drive to the Mweya sector of Queen Elizabeth National Park for a game drive and boat cruise on the Kazinga Channel. Two nights ELEPHANT PLAINS LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)
- DAY 7: ISHASHA – MWEYA, QUEEN ELIZABETH NP

Today you will enjoy chimpanzee trekking in Chombura (Kyambura) Gorge and later, game drives in Queen Elizabeth National Park. (B, L, D)
- DAY 8: QUEEN ELIZABETH NP – ENTEBBE

Enjoy an early morning game drive before being transferred to the airstrip for your light aircraft transfer to Entebbe. This marks the end of your safari. (B)



Ishasha Wilderness Camp



Chimps





Bisate - © C. Culbert

# RWANDA GORILLA SAFARI

*This 4-day safari travels to Parc National des Volcans in Rwanda to track the Mountain Gorillas, made famous by Dian Fossey. This short trip is designed for those with limited time who want to see, not only gorillas, but also the environment where Dian Fossey lived and worked for nearly 20 years. This safari offers comfortable 4-star accommodation.*

## DAY 1: KIGALI

On arrival at Kigali Airport you will be met and transferred to HOTEL DES MILLE COLLINES overnight.

## DAY 2: KIGALI

This morning you will be met and taken on a Kigali city tour including a visit to the Genocide Museum, one of the most moving experiences. Late in the morning, you will continue to the place that Dian Fossey called home for many years – the foothills of the Volcanoes National Park. Two nights at MOUNTAIN GORILLA VIEW LODGE. (B, L, D)

## DAY 3: PARC NATIONAL DES VOLCANS

Today you will have the opportunity to see the endangered mountain gorillas in Rwanda's Volcanoes

National Park. After a briefing with National Parks' personnel, you will be taken to the start of your gorilla trekking hike. Once you reach the gorilla family, you will be privileged to spend an hour watching them as they interact with each other, possibly eating, grooming or playing. This is one of the most exciting and breathtaking experiences you can have. Whilst it may take half a day to find the gorillas, it is well worth the effort. (B, L, D)

## DAY 4: RETURN TO KIGALI

This morning you will have the opportunity for a second Gorilla Trek or Golden Monkey Trek (2<sup>nd</sup> permit required). In the afternoon you will leave for Kigali. Your safari finishes with your transfer to the airport. (B)

4 Days / 3 Nights

## RWANDA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

\$3,210

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 3 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- All transfers and park fees
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Return airport transfers
- Kigali city tour and Genocide Museum visit
- Transport to/from Kigali to Volcanoes National Park

Excludes Gorilla Trekking Permit US\$1,500 per person per trek & US\$100 Golden Monkey Permit.

**NOTE:** Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.



Kigali Town



Dian Fossey Grave







# South Africa

South Africa is known as “A World in One Country” on account of it boasting the greatest diversity of scenery and experiences in Africa. Beautiful cities like Cape Town with Table Mountain, its well-known waterfront and its surrounding Winelands, and wilderness areas like Kruger National Park with many beautifully-appointed, private lodges, are amongst the many reasons why South Africa is one of Africa’s most visited countries.

South Africa has activities and sights for everyone including superb shopping,

outstanding restaurants, great game viewing in open vehicles, beautiful scenery along the famous Garden and Panorama Routes and a broad range of activities including shark diving, paragliding, golfing, bush walks and ballooning. A visit to South Africa also allows travellers to delve into the country’s fascinating and tumultuous history, notably the struggle through apartheid and the life of Nelson Mandela.







## ULTIMATE SOUTH AFRICA

*This safari offers the two main game viewing areas in South Africa; Madikwe Game Reserve, known for its wild dog population and Sabi Sands Game Reserve (Kruger), with wonderful wildlife sightings, particularly leopard. The safari also includes two nights at Sun City and ends with three nights in Cape Town, where you will experience a city tour and a visit to the Cape Point Nature Reserve, the tip of the Cape Peninsula that has captivated travellers for centuries with its dramatic scenery and fascinating history. Accommodation is luxury throughout and all ideally located.*

12 Days / 11 Nights

### SOUTH AFRICA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$18,840

High Season \$22,540

#### PRICE INCLUDES:

- 11 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All transfers
- Flight Madikwe to Skukuza (departs Mon, Wed and Fri only)
- Touring as per itinerary
- Two game activities per day at Madikwe Safari Lodge and Lion Sands River Lodge
- Park fees

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

This package can only start on Wednesdays, Fridays or Sundays (due to flight schedule Madikwe/Skukuza)

#### DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG – SUN CITY

On arrival at Johannesburg Airport you will be met and transferred by road to Sun City. Two nights at THE PALACE OF THE LOST CITY.

#### DAY 2: SUN CITY

Spend the day exploring the resort and all its attractions, such as the Valley of the Waves, the casinos, the golf courses, restaurants and adventure zone. (B)

#### DAY 3: SUN CITY – MADIKWE GAME RESERVE

This morning you will depart Sun City and travel by road through the Madikwe Game Reserve to your lodge. Three nights at MADIKWE SAFARI LODGE. (B, L, D)

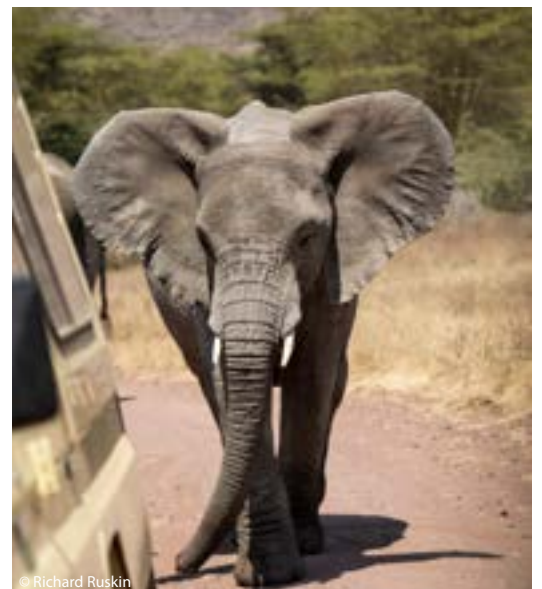
#### DAYS 4 – 5: MADIKWE GAME RESERVE

Madikwe Private Game Reserve is located in South Africa's North West Province, bordering Botswana. This 75,000 hectare reserve is home to over 300 species of birds plus

Africa's Big Five, as well as cheetah, brown and spotted hyena, oryx, eland, springbok and ostrich. It is also one of the best areas to see wild dog, known as the most successful predator. There are a number of dens in the park with the opportunity to see the pups growing up. Wild dogs are very social and the pups are well looked after by the whole den. It is certainly one of the great thrills to watch a wild dog hunt. You will head out on morning and afternoon game drives with your expert guide to explore this fantastic reserve with its rich biodiversity of animals. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 6: MADIKWE GAME RESERVE – SABI SANDS GAME RESERVE

After an early morning game drive you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Kruger (flight included). On arrival at the airstrip you will be met by your guide and transferred to LION SANDS RIVER LODGE for your three







night stay. (B, L, D)

#### **DAYS 7 – 8: SABI SANDS GAME RESERVE**

Spend the next two days on morning and afternoon game drives in one of South Africa's best wildlife areas. In between the game drives there will be time to relax and enjoy the lodge. Lion Sands Game Reserve offers excellent game viewing with very few vehicles due to it being a private game concession, with only Lion Sands vehicles on game drives except for one area that one other lodge is allowed to traverse. Lion, elephant, leopard, cheetah, giraffe and zebra are common sightings, as well as other plain game and bird species. (B, L, D)

#### **DAY 9: SABI SANDS GAME RESERVE – CAPE TOWN**

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Skukuza airport to board your scheduled flight to Cape Town (flight not included). Here, you will be met and transferred to the luxurious MORE QUARTERS HOTEL for your three-night stay. (B)

#### **DAY 10: CAPE TOWN**

After breakfast, enjoy a guided city tour. Visit the summit of Table Mountain, South Africa's prominent landmark, on an aerial cableway (the cableway ticket is not included as it is weather permitting). Other noteworthy sites and

stops include the Malay Quarter (Bo Kaap), city centre, Company Gardens, the Castle of Good Hope (time permitting) and the Diamond Works. (B)

#### **DAY 11: CAPE TOWN**

This morning, you will be taken on a full-day guided tour of Cape Point. Travel along the Atlantic seaboard with its white beaches and rugged mountains to Hout Bay. If time permits, there is the option of taking a half hour boat trip to Duiker Island to see a Cape Fur Seal colony (own account). If open, continue on Chapman's Peak Drive, noted as one of the most stunning roadways in the world. Visit the Cape Point Nature Reserve and the tip of the Cape Peninsula that has captivated travelers for centuries. The return journey to Cape Town takes guests along the False Bay coast with the option of visiting the colony of rare African Penguins at Boulders Beach (own account). Pass through the naval village of Simon's Town, Fish Hoek, Kalk Bay and Muizenberg. Visit Rhodes Memorial before returning to the hotel. (B)

#### **DAY 12: DEPART CAPE TOWN**

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Cape Town Airport for your onward flight, marking the end of your safari. (B)

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*Of all the places I have travelled in South Africa, this safari covers three of my favourite places. Madikwe Game Reserve is small, and offers up close and personal game viewing, especially for those with children, as it is an ideal place for families. Kruger National Park is the most famous reserve in South Africa with excellent sightings of lion, leopard and cheetah as well as an abundance of plains game. The safari finishes in one of my favourite cities – Cape Town. It is not only a beautiful city but has superb restaurants and bars and so many activities to keep you entertained.*

Gemma



Luxury Room, Lion Sands River Lodge



Madikwe Game Drive





© Richard Ruskin

## BEST OF SOUTH AFRICA

*This 13-day scheduled safari offers all the essentials and classic experiences that South Africa is famous for, from finding the 'Big 5' in the Kruger National Park, to the Winelands of the Cape. In between, explore iSimangaliso Wetland Park, Knysna and the beauty of the Garden-route.*

13 Days / 12 Nights

### SOUTH AFRICA

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
\$3,299

#### PRICE INCLUDES:

- 12 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as per itinerary (B, L, D)
- Entrance fees for Blyde River Canyon, Bourke's Luck Potholes, Wonder View, Kruger National Park conservation fee, Garden-route National Park conservation fee (Storms River Bridge)
- River cruise excursion
- Two game drives in Kruger National Park

#### NOTE:

This tour departs on selected Mondays. Contact African Travel Specialists for further details.

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

#### DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG

Enjoy the day at leisure exploring Johannesburg. In the afternoon return to your hotel, where you will be met by your tour guide for a briefing. Overnight at PROTEA HOTEL BY MARRIOTT BALALAIKA or similar. (B)

#### DAY 2: JOHANNESBURG – HAZYVIEW VIA PANORAMA ROUTE

After breakfast, depart for Hazyview via the Panorama Route. En-route, visit the breathtaking Blyde River Canyon and the Three Rondavels. Also see Bourke's Luck Potholes and Wonder View, before stopping for lunch (own account). Arrive in Hazyview in the late afternoon, where you will check-in to ANEW RESORT HAZYVIEW or similar for your two-night stay. (B)

#### DAY 3: HAZYVIEW – KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, you will be transferred by road to Kruger National Park where you will enjoy a closed vehicle game drive. Kruger is South Africa's largest national park and is home to an array of flora and fauna, including the Big 5. (B)

#### DAY 4: KRUGER NATIONAL PARK – MALELANE

After breakfast, enjoy a second day of game viewing in Kruger National Park. An optional full day safari is available (at own cost). After lunch, continue to Malelane where you will check in to PESTANA KRUGER LODGE or similar upon your arrival. In the evening, have pre-dinner drinks (own account) overlooking the Crocodile River before enjoying dinner at the lodge. (B, D)

#### DAY 5: MALELANE – ESWATINI (SWAZILAND) – HLUHLUWE

Today you will be transferred by road to Hluhluwe via the Kingdom of eSwatini. Visit Ezulwini Valley, also known as the "Valley of Heaven" before continuing to Hluhluwe, where you will see a Zulu cultural show. Overnight at ANEW HOTEL HLUHLUWE & SAFARIS or similar. (B)

#### DAY 6: HLUHLUWE – ST LUCIA – PORT EDWARD

After breakfast, you will be transferred by road to St. Lucia. Here, enjoy a boat cruise on the St. Lucia Estuary where you can view the rare birdlife and wildlife that live amongst the mangroves and sand dunes (own account). Afterwards, depart for Port Edward. Overnight at WILD COAST SUN HOTEL or similar. (B)

#### DAY 7: PORT EDWARD – MTHATHA

The morning is at your leisure before departing for Mthatha via the scenic Mandela Route. Overnight at GARDEN COURT MTHATHA or similar. (B)

#### DAY 8: MTHATHA – PORT ALFRED

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the town of Port Alfred. En-route visit Qunu, where Nelson Mandela spent his childhood and was laid to rest. Overnight at THE ROYAL ST ANDREWS LODGE or similar. (B, D)

#### DAY 9: PORT ALFRED – KNYSNA VIA EASTERN GARDEN-ROUTE

This morning you will enjoy a boat cruise, before travelling towards Knysna along the Eastern Garden-route, named for the ecologically diverse vegetation of the area. Enjoy lunch in Tsitsikamma (at own account) and a walk to the suspension bridge at the Storms River Mouth. Continue to PREMIER RESORT THE MOORINGS or similar for your overnight stay. (B)

#### DAY 10: KNYSNA – CANGO CAVES – OUDTSHOORN

After breakfast depart for Oudtshoorn, enjoying a scenic drive through Knysna. Have lunch at an Ostrich Farm (own expense) and tour the Cango Caves en-route to the PROTEA HOTEL BY MARRIOTT RIEMPIE ESTATE or similar for your overnight stay. (B)

#### DAY 11: OUDTSHOORN – CAPE WINELANDS – CAPE TOWN

Today you will continue along scenic Route 62, journeying through the Cape Winelands towards Cape Town. Enjoy lunch (own account) en-route before visiting the Robertson Wine Valley. Here, you will be taken on a cellar tour and have the chance to sample a selection of wines and cheese (own expense). Continue to Cape Town, where you will check in to STAYEASY CAPE TOWN CITY BOWL or similar for your two-night stay. (B)

#### DAY 12: CAPE TOWN

Enjoy the day at leisure. Explore the fantastic shopping and restaurants of Cape Town and discover the world-class art and cultural displays the city offers. Optional day tours available at own account. (B)

#### DAY 13: DEPART CAPE TOWN

After breakfast, enjoy the day at leisure. There is the option to join a Table Mountain and city tour (own account). (B)





# SOUTH AFRICA FAMILY SAFARI

*There is nothing more exciting than an African safari, but even more so when shared by a family. Ideally suited for families, this safari offers outstanding opportunities to see animals, learn the history of South Africa and see the sights of Cape Town. Starting in Hazyview with a guided tour of the Panorama route and a chance to experience many activities, this safari continues onto Manyeleti Game Reserve which is a private reserve that borders the famous Kruger National Park. This is an excellent area to see lion, leopard, elephant, cheetah, giraffe as well as all the plains game and birds. The tour finishes in the beautiful city of Cape Town, with a chance to explore the city on the hop on/hop off bus.*

## DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG – HAZYVIEW

This morning, you will fly from Johannesburg to Nelspruit Airport (flight not included). Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to HIPPO HOLLOW where you will stay for the next three nights in accommodation that has private decks overlooking the Sabie River.

## DAY 2: HAZYVIEW

This morning, you will be met by your private guide and taken on a full day Panorama Route tour, including lunch. The Sabie River Valley boasts a rich history and spectacular scenery. The tour continues through Graskop where you can enjoy the breathtaking sights of God's Window, the Blyde River Canyon, Bourke's Luck Potholes, and Berlin and Lisbon Falls. (B, L)

## DAY 3: HAZYVIEW

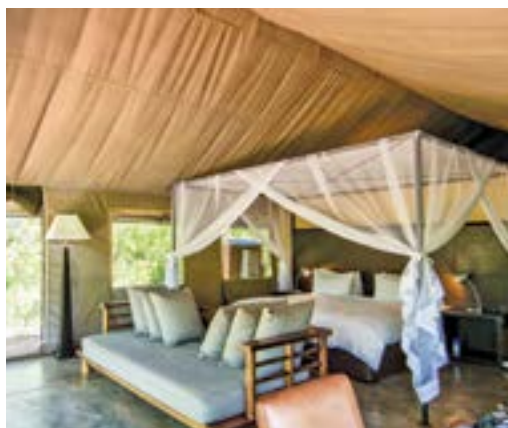
Today will be spent at leisure in Hazyview. Enjoy the many optional activities on offer such as hiking, quad biking, horse riding, visiting the Moholoholo Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre, Shangaan Tribal Village or Chimpanzee Eden. (B)

## DAY 4: HAZYVIEW – MANYELETI GAME RESERVE

This morning you will be transferred to your luxury tented lodge in the bush. Comfortably accommodating families of four, all tents are protected with mosquito nets. An afternoon game drive will introduce you to the amazing game of this area. Three nights at HONEYGUIDE KHOKA MOYA TENTED CAMP. (L, D)

## DAYS 5 – 6: MANYELETI GAME RESERVE

The next two days will be spent on game drives in open game viewing vehicles in the early morning and late afternoon / evening. Late afternoon and evening drives include sunset drinks, views over the Mohwareng Hills, and glimpses of nocturnal animals. Children of all ages are welcome at Khoka Moya. Special activities for children include beading and educational walks. (B, L, D)



Honeyguide Khoka Moya Tented Camp

## DAY 7: MANYELETI GAME RESERVE – CAPE TOWN

This morning you will be transferred to Hoedspruit airport for your flight to Cape Town (flight not included). You will be met on arrival and transferred to your hotel located near the Victoria & Alfred Waterfront. Four nights at SOUTHERN SUN WATERFRONT. (B)

## DAYS 8 – 10: CAPE TOWN

Three days are at leisure to enjoy the many activities in and around Cape Town, including Table Mountain, the famous Victoria & Alfred Waterfront area, the Cape of Good Hope, where the Indian and the Atlantic Oceans meet and the beautiful winery areas of Stellenbosch or Paarl. Included is a two day hop on/hop off bus tour on board an open-top, double-decker bus. Tours and activities can be pre-booked through African Travel Specialists. (B)

## DAY 11: CAPE TOWN

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Cape Town Airport. This will mark the end of your safari. (B)

11 Days / 10 Nights

## SOUTH AFRICA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Adult \$4,160  
Child \$1,255

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation on a share room basis in Hazyview, Manyeleti and Cape Town (1 room)
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Guided Panorama Route tour plus entrance fees and lunch
- 2 game drives a day plus park fees at Honeyguide Khoka Moya
- 2 day hop on/hop off bus pass in Cape Town

### NOTE:

Price based on 2 adults and 2 children under 12 years travelling together.

Excludes airfare.





Robberg Peninsula, Garden-route

## SELF-DRIVE GARDEN-ROUTE

A fabulous way to discover South Africa is to travel in your own vehicle. South Africa has an excellent road system with easy to read signs, and driving is on the same side of the road as Australia. Designed for those who want the flexibility of a self-drive holiday, but without the inconvenience of finding their own accommodation each day, we have carefully selected boutique country houses along the Garden-route, but these can be changed to suit.

8 Days / 7 Nights

### SOUTH AFRICA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$3,745  
High Season \$5,240

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights luxury accommodation
- 8 days vehicle rental based on Europcar Group B with Classic Plus insurance cover
- Meet and assistance at Cape Town International Airport
- Guided walk/horse riding at Grootbos Garden Lodge

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

#### DAY 1: CAPE TOWN – GROOTBOS

Collect your rental vehicle from Cape Town International Airport and head along the Garden-route to Grootbos. Two nights at GROOTBOS GARDEN LODGE. (L, D)

#### DAY 2: GROOTBOS

Today will be at leisure at Grootbos. Grootbos is an award winning luxury eco-friendly lodge in its own reserve. It is a superb place for guided walks or horse-riding. Whale watching is a highlight from June to December and can be done from the land. Alternatively, there is an option of seeing these magnificent creatures closer up from a boat cruise (at additional cost). (B, L, D)

#### DAY 3: GROOTBOS – GEORGE

This morning you will travel to George, sightseeing en-route. Two nights at THE FANCOURT HOTEL. (B)

#### DAY 4: GEORGE

Enjoy the day at leisure. The hotel offers a range of leisure facilities and a choice of three golf courses, or you can choose to explore the surrounding area. (B)

#### DAY 5: GEORGE – KNYSNA

Travel along the scenic Garden-route to Knysna. Two nights at KANONKOP HOUSE. (B)

#### DAY 6: KNYSNA

Enjoy the day at leisure. Explore the local sights or take a cruise on the Knysna lagoon (at own expense). (B)

#### DAY 7: KNYSNA – PORT ELIZABETH

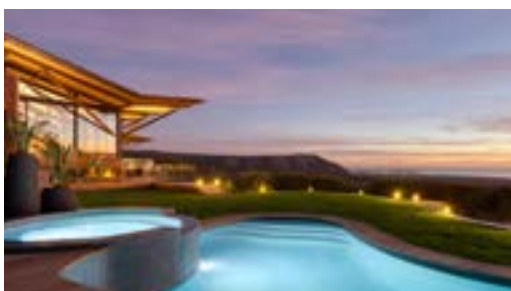
Continue towards Port Elizabeth, where you will overnight at THE BEACH HOTEL PORT ELIZABETH. (B)

#### DAY 8: DEPART PORT ELIZABETH

Head to Port Elizabeth Airport and drop off your rental vehicle, and check in for your onward flight. (B)



Grootbos Garden Suite



Outside View of Grootbos Garden Lodge



Garden Route





Blue Train

# LUXURY TRAIN: BLUE TRAIN

The 5-star luxury Blue Train offers clients an opportunity to see South Africa at a leisurely pace. The route between Cape Town and Pretoria is a journey of 1,600 kilometres. As the ever-changing scenery flashes past the windows, guests can savour exquisite meals freshly prepared on board by top chefs. The suites on The Blue Train feature the finest bed linen, marble tiles and well appointed bathrooms.

Cape Town to Pretoria

DAY 1

10:00

Register and check-in at The Blue Train Lounge, Cape Town Station. Guests enjoy pre-departure snacks and drinks.

11:15

Boarding commences. Butlers usher guests to their suites. Suite orientation done by butlers.

12:00

The Blue Train departs from Cape Town Station.

13:00 – 14:15

First sitting for lunch.

14:30 – 16:00

Second sitting for lunch.

18:30 – 20:00

First sitting for dinner.

20:15 – 22:00

Second sitting for dinner.

DAY 2

7:00 – 10:00

Breakfast is served on a first-come-first-served basis.

11:30 – 13:00

First sitting for lunch.

13:15 – 14:30

Second sitting for lunch.

15:00 – 17:00

Off-the-train excursion (weather and time permitting, including Open Mine Museum tour).

18:30

The Blue Train departs Kimberley Station for the journey northbound to Pretoria.

18:30 – 20:30

First sitting for dinner.

20:15 – 22:00

Second sitting for dinner.

DAY 3

07:00 – 10:00

Breakfast is served on a first-come first-served basis.

13:00 – 14:15

First sitting for lunch.

14:30 – 16:00

Second sitting for lunch.

18:00

Blue Train arrives at Pretoria Station.



3 Days / 2 Nights

SOUTH AFRICA

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Cape Town to Pretoria vv

Price pp: TWIN\*

Deluxe

01 Jan – 31 Aug 2024	\$3,009
01 Sep – 15 Nov 2024	\$4,069
16 Nov – 31 Dec 2024	\$3,009

Luxury

01 Jan – 31 Aug 2024	\$4,199
01 Sep – 15 Nov 2024	\$5,119
16 Nov – 31 Dec 2024	\$4,119

Departs selected Thursdays.

Train also operates reverse route – contact African Travel Specialists for departures.

PRICE INCLUDES

2 nights accommodation in a suite on a twin share basis

All meals, high tea, drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic)

Off-the train excursions

\* Single Occupancy POA





12 Days / 11 Nights

## SOUTH AFRICA NAMIBIA

### Namibia Safari

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
Pretoria to Walvis Bay or v.v

Pullman from \$16,500\*  
Deluxe from \$21,000\*  
Royal from \$25,800\*

**FROM PRETORIA**  
Departs 2 Apr, 30 Apr

**FROM WALVIS BAY**  
Departs 15 Mar, 15 Apr, 13 May, 17 May,  
15 Nov

**Itinerary:** Pretoria, Kimberley tour, Upington walking tour, Fish River Canyon, Kolmanskop, Keetmanshoop walking tour, Sossusvlei lodge, Windhoek tour, Etosha National Park, Walvis Bay.

13 Days / 12 Nights

## SOUTH AFRICA

### African Collage

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
Pretoria to Cape Town

Pullman from \$13,800\*  
Deluxe from \$19,200\*  
Royal from \$24,800\*

**FROM CAPE TOWN**  
Departs 1 Nov

**FROM PRETORIA**  
Departs 3 Apr, 24 Apr, 19 Oct

**Itinerary:** Pretoria, Kruger Park game drive (Leopard Creek)\*, Eswatini (Nkonyeni/Royal Swazi), Hluhluwe game drive, Durban tour (Durban/Zimbali), Spionkop drive/tour (Champagne Sports Resort), Golden Gate National Park & Clarens, Bloemfontein tour, Addo Elephant Park (Humewood), Knysna ferry ride (Pezula/Simola), Oudtshoorn ostrich visit (Fancourt), Cape Town.

\*Brackets indicate golf destination alternative.

\*Prices per person twin share  
– single supplement applies

## LUXURY TRAIN: ROVOS RAIL

They say that Rovos Rail has renewed the golden age of luxury train travel in the heart of the African bush. These beautifully restored 5-star trains consist of up to 19 coaches drawn by steam, diesel or electric locomotives operating at various stages of the journey.

### Victoria Falls Journey

4 Days / 3 Nights

	Pullman	Deluxe	Royal
Pretoria to Victoria Falls or v.v	\$4,430*	\$6,600*	\$8,660*

#### FROM PRETORIA

Departs most Thursdays and Wednesdays

#### FROM VIC FALLS

Departs most Sundays

### Victoria Falls Journey

Pretoria – Victoria Falls or V.V.

#### DAY 1: DEPART PRETORIA

The train departs Rovos Rail Station in Pretoria at 9:30am. Lunch is served in the dining car/s as the train travels north through Warmbaths and Nylstroom. The train then passes the edge of the escarpment and crosses the Tropic of Capricorn en-route to the border with Zimbabwe. Dinner is served en-route to the border at Beitbridge.

#### DAY 2: BULAWAYO

Breakfast is served in the dining car/s as the train traverses baobab country towards Bulawayo, second largest city in Zimbabwe, capital of Matabeleland and industrial capital of the country. Lunch is served in the dining car/s. Tea is served in the lounge and observation cars. Dinner is served en-route to Mpopoma for overnight.

#### DAY 3: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Breakfast is served in the dining car/s. Depart Mpopoma. Lunch is served as the train travels along one of Africa's longest stretches of straight railway line – 114km. Arrive at Kennedy Siding for a game drive at The Hide in Hwange National Park, a rich and diverse wildlife sanctuary. Dinner en-route to Thompsons Junction for overnight.

#### DAY 4: ARRIVE VICTORIA FALLS

Breakfast is served until 9:30am. Depart Thompsons Junction and arrive at journey's end in Victoria Falls at 10:00am.

### Durban Journey

3 Days / 2 Nights

	Pullman	Deluxe	Royal
Pretoria to Durban or v.v	\$3,120*	\$4,650*	\$6,300*

#### FROM PRETORIA

9 Feb, 22 Mar, 12 Apr, 6 Sep

#### FROM DURBAN

12 Feb, 25 Mar, 15 Apr, 9 Sep

**Itinerary:** Nambiti Private Game Reserve and Spioenkop Bat







## LUXURY TRAIN: ROVOS RAIL

The suites (as well as the observation and dining cars) have been refurbished in the style of the Edwardian period, but with all the modern comforts including en-suite private facilities. Rovos Rail offers unique rail safaris through some of the most spectacular scenery in Africa.

### Cape Town Journey

4 Days / 3 Nights

	Pullman	Deluxe	Royal
Pretoria to Cape Town or v.v	\$3,450*	\$4,970*	\$6,620*

#### FROM PRETORIA

Enquire for days of departure

#### FROM CAPE TOWN

Enquire for days of departure

*\*Prices per person twin share – single supplement applies*



### Cape Town Journey

Pretoria – Cape Town or V.V.

#### DAY 1: DEPART PRETORIA

The Pride of Africa departs Rovos Rail's Station in Capital Park. Guests may freshen up in their suites before joining fellow travellers in the midway lounge car or observation carriage at the rear of the train. Dinner is served in the dining car/s.

#### DAY 2: KIMBERLEY

This morning you will disembark in Kimberley and proceed by coach/combi for a tour of the city, the "Big Hole" and the Diamond Mine Museum. Depart Kimberley and proceed overnight via De Aar and Beaufort West to Matjiesfontein. Lunch and dinner served in the dining car/s.

#### DAY 3: MATJIESFONTEIN

Breakfast is served in the dining cars as the train travels through the Karoo. After lunch, disembark and walk into Matjiesfontein, where you will have the chance to explore this historic village. Return to the train for afternoon tea.

#### DAY 4: ARRIVE CAPE TOWN

Breakfast is served until 10am. Visit the historical village of Matjiesfontein. The train departs for Cape Town via Worcester. Lunch is served in the dining cars. Arrive at Cape Town Station at 6pm.



10 Days / 9 Nights

### SOUTH AFRICA

#### Golf Safari

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Pretoria – Pretoria

Pullman from \$9,120\*

Deluxe from \$13,850\*

Royal from \$18,180\*

#### FROM PRETORIA

Departs 8 Jan, 21 Feb, 11 Sep, 21 Oct

**Itinerary:** Pretoria, Pilansberg game drive (Sun City)\* Lost City, Spionkop battlefields tour (Champagne Sports Resort), Durban tour (Beachwood), Hluhluwe game drive, Mkhaya game drive & glass factory in Swaziland (Royal Swazi), Kruger Park game drive, Dullstroom (Highland Gate), Pretoria.

*\*Brackets indicate golf destination alternative.*

15 Days / 14 Nights

### SOUTH AFRICA

### TANZANIA

#### Dar es Salaam

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Cape Town to Dar es Salaam or v.v

Pullman from \$22,670\*

Deluxe from \$29,990\*

Royal from \$39,465\*

#### FROM CAPE TOWN

Departs 13 Jan, 29 Jun, 14 Sep

#### FROM DAR ES SALAAM

Departs 30 Jan, 12 Mar, 1 Oct

**Itinerary:** Cape Town, Matjiesfontein visit, Kimberley diamond tour, Pretoria tour, Madikwe Reserve lodge, Botswana, Victoria Falls, Zambia, Chrisimba Falls visit, Selous Game Reserve, Dar es Salaam Station





## LUXURY TRAIN: SHONGOLOLO EXPRESS

*Shongololo Express began operations in 1995 to provide a very special touring experience for visitors to southern Africa. With Shongololo, travel is on a fully serviced travelling hotel train, where like-minded people from all over the world meet. Shongololo travels at night, which means you awake each morning to a new and exciting view. Safari trains offer unbeatable value for money and comfort. They also have special safari vehicles on board which are unloaded at each destination for day tours, ensuring you enjoy an authentic safari experience.. No more packing and unpacking, with Shongololo your hotel travels with you.*

12 Days / 11 Nights

### SOUTHERN CROSS

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
**Pretoria to Victoria Falls or v.v**

Pullman from \$13,500  
Deluxe from \$18,600

Pretoria to Victoria Falls  
4 Jan, 7 Mar, 4 Apr, 6 Jun, 5 Sep, 1 Nov

Victoria Falls to Pretoria  
18 Jan, 21 Mar, 18 Apr, 20 Jun, 22 Aug,  
19 Sep, 14 Nov



### Southern Cross Northbound

Pretoria to Victoria Falls

#### DAY 1: PRETORIA

Depart Pretoria in the morning, with the train travelling along the eastern line towards the eMalaheni and Middleburg area.

#### DAY 2: PANORAMA ROUTE

Full day Panorama Route tour, then head for Malelane.

#### DAY 3: KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

Full day game viewing in the Kruger Park, then head to Mozambique.

#### DAY 4: MOZAMBIQUE

Enjoy a city tour of Maputo before the train heads to Mpaka in Swaziland.

#### DAY 5: ESWATINI

Visit Swazi Candle and Mantenga Cultural Village, then depart for Hoedspruit.

#### DAY 6: KAPAMA GAME RESERVE

Enjoy a game drive in Kapama Reserve and visit the Hoedspruit Endangered Species Centre. Train then heads to Tzaneen.

#### DAY 7: LIMPOPO PROVINCE

Full day on-board train heading for Oreti, Zimbabwe.

#### DAY 8: GREAT ZIMBABWE

Today you will take a tour of the Great Zimbabwe Ruins, before the train heads to Somabhula.

#### DAY 9: ANTELOPE PARK

Enjoy a full day visit to Antelope Park, before the train heads for Bulawayo.

#### DAY 10: MATOBO NATIONAL PARK

Today you will have a full day tour of Matobo National Park. Afterwards, the train heads to Dete.

#### DAY 11: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Full day of game viewing in Hwange National Park, then to Thompsons Junction.

#### DAY 12: VICTORIA FALLS

Arrive at Victoria Falls station, where you will disembark. Enjoy a tour of the falls and sunset cruise before the conclusion of your tour.



15 Days / 14 Nights

### AFRICAN TRILOGY

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
**Pretoria to Walvis Bay**

Pullman from \$27,470  
Deluxe from \$36,000

Pretoria to Walvis Bay  
1 Feb, 3 Oct

**PRICE INCLUDES:** *Compartment accommodation (shared bathroom facilities), breakfast and dinner daily, off-rail activities as per package, services of an English speaking guide throughout.*

*\*Prices pp twin share  
– single supplement applies*





# KRUGER GAME LODGES



## Lion Sands River Lodge

Lion Sands River Lodge has been built on the banks of the Sabie River. Hosted by a family of staff that make you feel like you are at a home away from home, the lodge is about spirit, warmth and nature. There are 18 luxurious thatched bedrooms with king-sized beds, en-suite bathrooms, outdoor and indoor showers, wooden viewing deck and minibar. Alternatively, for those wanting absolute 5-star-plus accommodation, there is also Lion Sands Ivory Lodge. All the lodges have been recently renovated.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,820pp (FI)



## Royal Malewane

Multi-award winning Royal Malewane, situated in the Thornybush Game Reserve, offers the ultimate in luxury and privacy, spectacular game and wildlife viewing, extensive flora and captivating views of picturesque African skies. This exclusive getaway combines outstanding five star plus accommodation, world-class cuisine and exceptional service, as well as intimate game experiences.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$9,885pp (FI)



## Leopard Hills

Leopard Hills is situated in the Sabi Sands Private Game Reserve bordering the world famous Kruger National Park. This 5-star luxury lodge offers fine dining with outstanding cuisine and an extensive wine cellar. Each of the 8 luxurious, glass fronted and air-conditioned suites have their own private rock plunge pool with spectacular views over the surrounding bushveld, waterhole and beyond. Enjoy morning and afternoon game drives and walking safaris with professional, knowledgeable rangers.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,765pp (FI)



## Savanna Private Game Lodge

Savanna Private Game Lodge is small, intimate and friendly with only four luxury suites, three executive suites with private plunge pools and one two-bedroom suite with a lounge and dining room. The suites all combine the romance of a tented roof with the sophistication of a permanent structure. Specially designed game viewing vehicles and highly trained guides with vast knowledge of the African bushveld, take guests on close and intimate encounters with a large variety of wildlife.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,130pp (FI)



## Kapama River Lodge

Kapama River Lodge is the largest of the four Kapama Camps. Near to Hoedspruit Airport, it is located on 16,000 hectares and borders Kruger National Park. The 4-star River Lodge has 40 suites, each beautifully appointed in traditional style with large en-suite bathrooms. For those wanting even greater luxury, you cannot beat the 5-star Kapama Karula Camp offering superb accommodation, outstanding food and service.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,955pp (FI)



## Honeyguide Mantoben

This tented camp is designed to reflect Hemingway's Africa. The 12 large Meru-style en-suite tents are comfortably furnished with king-sized beds and soft leather couches. All meals, refreshments, game drives and walking trails are included in the rate and a full bar service is available. Honeyguide operates eco-safaris in a vast private concession area in open game viewing vehicles or on foot under the guidance of armed and experienced rangers.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,070pp (FB & GDS)



## Sabi Sabi Bush Lodge

Sabi Sabi Bush Lodge is a wonderful escape, set in the heart of the Sabi Sabi bushveld overlooking a waterhole and African plain. It consists of 25 spacious, air-conditioned, thatched-roof suites all beautifully appointed with ethnic decor. The large viewing decks are an ideal setting to relax while spotting game, birdwatching, or cooling off in the filtered pools. This is an ideal lodge for families due to the free access to the "Elefun" kids club – one of the best kids clubs in southern Africa.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,110pp (FI)



## Sabi Sabi Selati Camp

Under the majestic acacia trees that line the Msuthlu riverbed, is Sabi Sabi Selati Camp. Each of the 8 large, luxuriously appointed thatched suites, including the Ivory Presidential Suite and Lourenco Marques Honeymoon suite, offers air-conditioning, beautiful furniture and an en-suite bathroom with indoor and outdoor showers. At night, Sabi Sabi Selati is lit by the flicker of oil lamps and the spectacular canopy of the southern night sky, creating a truly enchanting atmosphere.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,475pp (FI)



## Singita Boulders Lodge

Singita has an excellent reputation for 5-star accommodation and service. Boulders consists of 9 lavish suites that combine contemporary furnishings with antiques and fine African art. The luxury air-conditioned suites consist of sumptuous bathrooms, indoor and outdoor showers and an expansive living area with a double-sided fireplace. Guests can enjoy wrap-around views from most parts of the natural stone lodge, and the lookout deck offers the perfect spot to observe wildlife drawn to the Sand River.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$9,530pp (FI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives (excludes park fees and transfers)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local wine & spirits and game drives, **FB & GDS (Full Board & Game Drives)** - All meals and game drives.



# KRUGER GAME LODGES



## Tintswalo Safari Lodge

Tintswalo Safari Lodge is an exclusive lodge located in the Manyeleti Private Game Reserve. This luxury, 5-star lodge is located in an ancient sycamore tree grove, overlooking a waterhole frequented by large herds of elephant and other big game. This lodge has just 6 beautifully appointed suites and one magnificent presidential suite, all luxuriously appointed and air-conditioned. There is also a private luxury manor house with three en-suite bedrooms.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,255pp (FI)



## Lukimbi Safari Lodge

Lukimbi Safari Lodge is located within the southern sector of Kruger National Park, in a large exclusive private concession of prime bushveld (no other vehicles permitted) and is a photographer's delight, both inside the surrounds of the lodge and out in the game-filled bush. Raised walkways lead guests to sixteen spacious suites, all combining luxury and modern African décor including private decks facing the river with stunning views. Game walks are a highlight at this lodge.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,560pp (FB & GDS)



## Ngala Safari Lodge

Ngala Safari Lodge is nestled among thick vegetation under the canopy of immense mopane and tamboti trees. There are 20 thatched cottages among the trees, all with beautifully appointed en-suite bathrooms. There is also a family suite with a private pool, perfect for a family getaway. Breakfast and lunch are served under an enormous weeping Boer-bean tree, whilst other meals can be enjoyed either in the walled courtyard or in the outside boma. The lodge also features a swimming pool for guests to enjoy.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,300pp (FI)



## Shumbalala Game Lodge

Shumbalala Game Lodge is ideally situated within the Thornybush Game Reserve. This Greater Kruger Park lodge is situated under shady trees on the banks of the seasonal Monwana River. This lodge has a maximum of 8 guests at a time accommodated in 4 luxury suites or a presidential suite. Each air-conditioned suite comprises of a bedroom, lounge, en suite and private deck overlooking an active waterhole. Here you will be able to relax and enjoy the facilities of the lodge.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,460pp (FB & GDS)



## Idube Game Lodge

Idube Private Game Lodge is situated in the Sabi Sand Game Reserve in the heart of South Africa's premier wildlife conservation area. It has 10 individually decorated en-suite chalets set amongst green lawns and shady trees. Game, including the Big 5, can be viewed up close from open landrovers, or seen on guided walks. Idube is dedicated to giving guests an unforgettable and genuine experience in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,225pp (FB & GDS)



## Dulini Lodge

Dulini Lodge features 6 spacious suites situated along the banks of a riverbed. The air-conditioned suites boast generous plunge pools, shady decks, and en-suite bathrooms. The Dulini chefs are highly skilled and serve delicious dinners on the deck or in the privacy of the well-stocked wine cellar; offering an exclusive experience. The game viewing is excellent with good sightings of lion, leopard, elephant and plains game.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$5,025pp (FI)



## Londolozi Tree Camp

Nestled in the leadwood tree canopy, Londolozi Tree Lodge can be found on the Sand River in the heart of the Sabi Sand Game Reserve. Synonymous with luxury and style, this Relais & Chateaux property offers elegance and attention to detail that the world-renowned signature embodies. The food is known for its excellence, as is the service. There are 6 luxuriously appointed suites, private swimming pools and plenty of opportunities for wildlife watching in and around the camp.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$8,120pp (FI)



## Camp Jabulani

Camp Jabulani in Kapama Game Reserve is home to Jabulani the elephant and 12 Zimbabwean elephants, all rescued by owner, Lente Roode. Camp Jabulani offers luxurious accommodation in 6 elegant and spacious suites each with their own en-suite bathroom. Each suite has a private plunge pool. There is also a spa for a soothing massage. One of the great highlights is a visit to the nearby Hoedspruit Endangered Species Centre.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,270pp (FI)



## Moditlo River Lodge

Moditlo River Lodge sits at the heart of the Blue Canyon Conservancy, a stretch of protected land close to the Greater Kruger National Park. It is home to an astonishing array of fauna and flora. Moditlo, meaning 'place of the elephant', is a 16-bedroom lodge designed to combine the rustic nature of a bushveld retreat with the style and elegance of a lodge. Each room is fitted with a coffee station, personal safety box and mini-bar, as well as private facilities, including a free standing tub.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,310pp (FB & GDS)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives (excludes park fees and transfers)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local wine & spirits and game drives, **FB & GDS (Full Board & Game Drives)** - All meals and game drives.





### Mala Mala Camp

Mala Mala has been one of South Africa's best known safari camps for many years. Accommodation is 5-star, with great service and renowned attention to detail. Relax in the unpretentious elegance and style of one of the oldest lodges in Africa. Mala Mala offers lovely accommodation under traditional thatched roofs with spectacular views, air-conditioning and en suite bathrooms.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,780pp (FI)



### Simbavati River Lodge

The 4-star Simbavati River Lodge is an intimate and family friendly lodge located in the Timbavati Private Nature Reserve, in the northern part of the Kruger National Park. The lodge has a contemporary design and accommodation is either in 8 tented rooms or 3 family chalets, all with private en-suite bathrooms. The lodge has a curio shop, spa, bar, dining area and swimming pool.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,970pp (FI)



### Motswari

One of South Africa's jewels nestled within the Timbavati Nature Reserve, this family-owned and operated safari lodge prides itself on its warm atmosphere and luxurious accommodation. Motswari consists of 15 luxury en-suite bungalows with bush and river views. The lodge offers a traditional open-air boma and spacious lounge and bar overlooking a beautiful dam, art gallery and swimming pool.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,370pp (FI)

## MADIKWE LODGES



### Jaci's Safari Lodge

On the edge of a small stream in the heart of the Madikwe Game Reserve is Jaci's Safari Lodge. Jaci's offers a luxurious experience for couples, singles and especially families, catering for children with special game drives and activities. Jaci's Safari Lodge consists of eight double rooms, each with its own private deck. The main lounge, with its views out across the stream, is where breakfast, lunch and high tea are served. After a long day of game viewing, the loft bar offers guests another space in which to unwind.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,915pp (FI)



### Madikwe Safari Lodge

Nestled between rolling hills, overlooking the rich, game-filled plains of the reserve is Madikwe Safari Lodge. The lodge is home to three intimate camps, totalling just 20 luxury suites, each boasting a comfortable sitting area, fireplace, spacious dressing area, en-suite bathroom and french doors that open out onto a veranda with private plunge pool. Outdoor bomas provide dinners under the stars and activities include day and night game drives and bush sundowners.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,710pp (FI)



### Madikwe Hills

Set within 75,000 hectares of the Madikwe Game Reserve, Madikwe Hills Private Game Lodge is situated on a hill overlooking the bushveld. Madikwe Hills offers 10 ultra-luxurious glass fronted suites with their own verandahs, stunning views and plunge pools. All offer absolute privacy, with the suites are set amongst magnificent kopjes (hills) and boulders overlooking the reserve.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,285pp (FI)

## PHINDA GAME RESERVE LODGES



### Phinda Forest

One of the world's first eco-designed luxury lodges, Phinda Forest Lodge is located in a sand forest. Featuring 6 luxurious suites raised on stilts, the lodge is designed to sit between the sandy forest floor and the tree canopy above. The lodge offers a beautiful rim-flow pool at the edge of the forest, as well as expansive open decks, providing the perfect place to relax after a game drive and watch the resident dwarf forest antelope dart across the camp, as well as other wildlife grazing on the open meadow plains.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,200pp (FI)



### Phinda Vlei Lodge

Fringing the reserve's unique vlei (wetland) system along the edge of the rare sand forest, this charming lodge comprises 6 thatched suites decorated in a subtle blend of North and West African styles, with hints of Balinese influences. Each suite, complete with a luxurious en-suite bathroom, private plunge pool and game viewing deck, overlooks the grassy vlei where guests can observe herds of grazing antelope, zebra and a dazzling variety of birdlife.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,145pp (FI)



### Phinda Rock

Set in a dramatic cliff face, Phinda Rock offers unrivalled views of the valley below and Leopard Rock opposite. Each of the 6 luxury suites feature outdoor showers and private plunge pools. In addition, guests are treated to a personal butler service and in-room massage treatments. Days are spent on twice daily game drives, village tours, scuba and ocean safaris, black rhino tracking and participative conservation experiences.

3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,145pp (FI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local wine & spirits and game drives, **FB & GDS (Full Board & Game Drives)** - All meals and game drives.



# ACCOMMODATION

## CAPETOWN



### Table Bay Hotel

Table Bay Hotel is located on Quay Six at the V&A Waterfront and is an architectural work of art, combining Victorian grace with contemporary features and style. This property has superbly furnished rooms featuring views of Table Mountain or the bay overlooking Robben Island. The hotel offers restaurants, a cocktail lounge, spa, pool and health club and is also only a minute's walk from some of the finest restaurants, shops, boutiques and galleries found in Cape Town.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$660pp (BB)



### More Quarters Hotel

Located at Sea Point with close proximity to the V&A Waterfront and the Cape's beaches, this privately owned 4-star hotel offers stylish elegance, personalised service and comfort. There are a variety of rooms and suites to suit all tastes with mountain or sea views. It has a fantastic restaurant as well as a very popular and trendy bar. Rooms are spacious and elegant and all of them have either sea or mountain views.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$730pp (BB)



### Mount Nelson Hotel

Set in the vibrant heart of Cape Town, the luxurious Mount Nelson Hotel offers easy access to all that's happening in this dynamic city. Each of Mount Nelson's 209 rooms and suites has its own personality. There are suites ideally suited to families, with room for an extra bed, suites perfect for tourists needing a comfortable, well-equipped base in Cape Town, or for single travellers requiring a secure and friendly atmosphere.

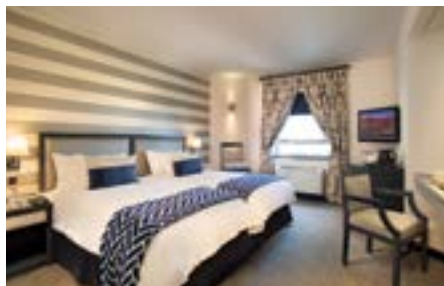
2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,560pp (BB)



### Cape Grace

With a classically inspired exterior and graceful elegance within, the Cape Grace offers the ultimate experience. Backed by the iconic Table Mountain and perfectly positioned on its own private quay in the centre of Cape Town's vibrant V&A Waterfront, Cape Grace epitomises style and sophistication in an atmosphere alive with genuine warmth and hospitality.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,360pp (BB)



### Portswood Hotel

The Portswood Hotel is regarded as a piece of Cape Town's history. The restaurant and lobby are built around the original wall and holding cells for prisoners en-route to Robben Island 300 years ago. Rich in South Africa's unique culture, the Portswood is a must for any traveller looking for a historical experience with luxury accommodation.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$220pp (BB)



### Southern Sun Waterfront

Located in the heart of Cape Town, the Southern Sun Waterfront hotel is situated within walking distance to the city's local attractions. Offering 537 standard and executive rooms as well as a number of luxurious suites, the hotel features an outdoor pool as well as a spa, wellness centre and fully equipped gym.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$350pp (BB)



### Winchester Boutique Hotel

Just twenty minutes from the Cape Town International Airport, the Winchester Boutique Hotel is located on the Sea Point Promenade. It features Table Mountain as a backdrop and boasts endless views of the Atlantic Ocean. Elegantly designed rooms and suites offer mountain or ocean views and are complete with luxury amenities as well as an electronic safe, minibar and en-suite bathroom. The hotel facilities include Wi-Fi as well as an outdoor pool and luxury spa.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$425pp (BB)



### Victoria & Alfred Hotel

The Victoria & Alfred Hotel is located on the V&A Waterfront, offering wonderful views of Table Mountain and the Cape Town Harbour from each of the 94 well-appointed rooms. Facilities of the hotel include the Sanctuary Signature Spa, where you can indulge in a range of rejuvenating treatments, the fully equipped gym, with optional personal training sessions, and the outdoor pool at the neighbouring Dock House Boutique Hotel.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$540pp (BB)



### The Silo

Built within the historic Grain Silo complex occupying six floors above the Zeitz MOCAA (Museum of Contemporary Art Africa), this 5-star hotel has 28 rooms and suites. The hotel features a range of bar and dining options, including The Granary Café, The Willaston Bar, The Sky Terrace and The Silo Rooftop (Bar & Restaurant). Additionally, the Silo offers a rooftop swimming pool, the Silo Spa and a fully equipped gym.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$2,660pp (BB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits



## WINELANDS



### Franschhoek Country House and Villas

Franschhoek Country House & Villas is located in the epicentre of the Franschhoek Valley, known for its delicious food and wine. The country house features 14 well-appointed rooms, all with en-suite bathrooms and a private balcony. The 12 luxurious villa suites provide guests with a lavish atmosphere complete with luxury amenities, en-suite bathrooms with double vanity and a large balcony or ground floor patio.

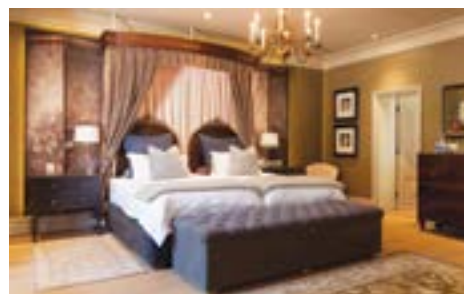
2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$550pp (BB)



### Babylonstoren Farm

Located next to a cultivated fruit and vegetable garden, the hotel features whitewashed walls, elegant gables and cosy fireplaces that exude the feel of an authentic farm stay experience. 22 luxuriously-appointed suites and cottages accommodate between two and four guests, while the exclusive Manor House accommodates up to ten guests. Facilities at the property include a fully equipped gym and an outdoor pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,395pp (BB)

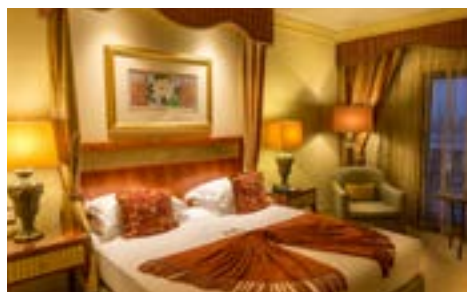


### Lanzerac Hotel and Spa

Located on its own wine estate, the Lanzerac Hotel & Spa effortlessly delivers old-world charm. Each room is individually designed to encapsulate the traditional Cape Heritage whilst providing modern luxury amenities. With lush gardens, rolling vineyards and a stunning mountain backdrop, the estate offers an abundance of luxury and charm. Activities on offer include the hydro-wellness spa, complimentary cellar tours and wine tastings.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$780pp (BB)

## JOHANNESBURG



### Peermont D'oreale Grande

This hotel is located at Emperors Palace near the airport and offers a complimentary shuttle to and from the airport. It features 196 beautifully appointed rooms and suites. These include classic, deluxe and superior rooms, executive suites, premier suites, presidential suites and special assistance rooms. Fitted with state-of-the-art facilities, each room overlooks either the front gardens or views across the landscaped Gardens of Vespasian.

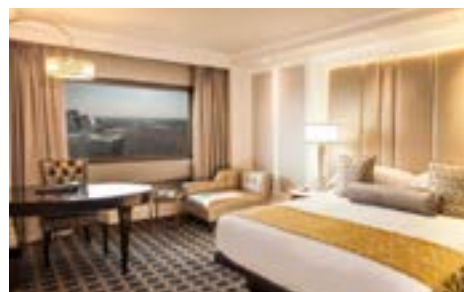
2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$475pp (BB)



### DaVinci Hotel and Suites

DaVinci Hotel and Suites, situated in Sandton with direct access to Sandton Shopping Centre, offers accommodation of 166 bedrooms and 54 luxury suites, all with en suite bathrooms. DaVinci Hotel and Suites also offers a fitness centre, restaurant, cigar lounge, health spa, room service, wheelchair accessible rooms, laundry services, bar, swimming pool, pool terrace and conference facilities.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$440pp (BB)



### Sandton Sun

The Sandton Sun Hotel is located 40 minutes from O.R. Tambo Airport and is attached to the famous Sandton Shopping Centre and Mandela Square, known for its choice of restaurants. The hotel offers a wide choice of beautifully furnished luxurious accommodation, with beautiful appointed en suite bathrooms. The hotel facilities include a dining area and bar as well as an outdoor bar area with views of the city.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$430pp (BB)



### Garden Court Sandton City

The Garden Court Sandton City caters for both the business and leisure traveller offering convenience and comfort. It is positioned in the Sandton business district directly across the road from the Sandton Convention Centre, Sandton City Shopping Centre and Mandela Square. Enjoy the modern hospitality of Garden Court Sandton City and unwind in one of the spacious en-suite rooms decorated with an art deco touch.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$220pp (BB)



### Fairlawns Boutique Hotel & Spa

Fairlawns Boutique Hotel & Spa is a contemporary 5-star hotel positioned on its own estate offering an urban sanctuary in Johannesburg. Offering 40 luxury suites, guests are treated to exceptional service and facilities. The hotel features an award winning Balinese inspired spa designed to relax and rejuvenate the mind and body. There is also an outdoor pool and gazebo providing the perfect place to relax and enjoy the lush surrounds.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$815pp (BB)



### Maslow

The Maslow is conveniently located in the Sandton financial district, only a few minutes away from Nelson Mandela Square. This premier business hotel offers a wide array of luxury rooms and suites featuring Wi-Fi, luxury amenities and en suite bathrooms. One popular feature of the hotel is the award winning Africology Spa – offering natural, holistic and eco-friendly products and treatments.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$305pp (BB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits







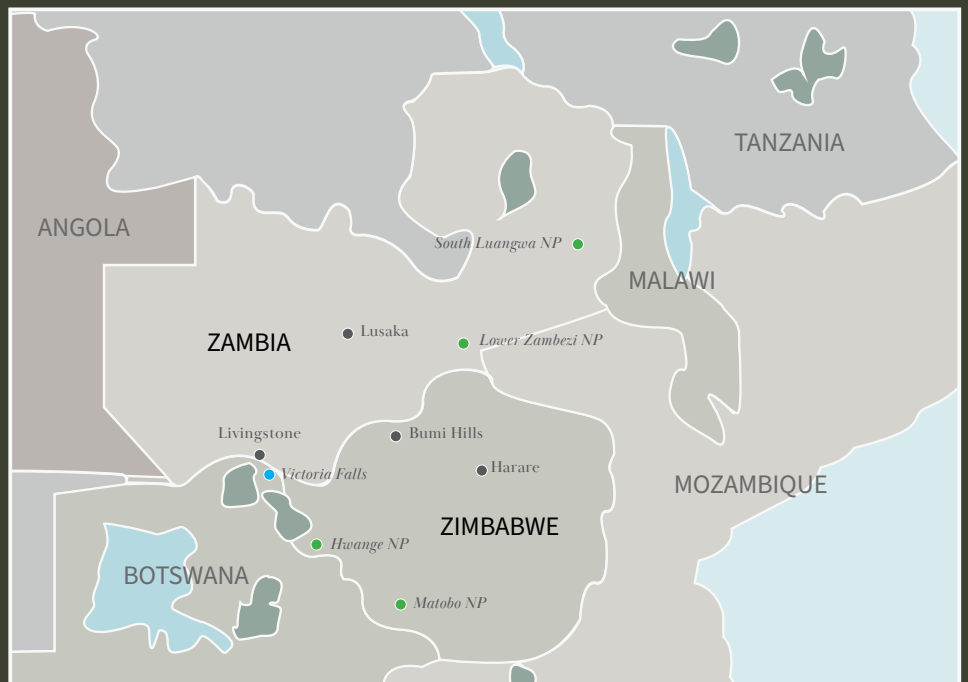
# Zambia Zimbabwe

More remote and less travelled to than other African safari destinations, Zambia and Zimbabwe offer some of the best opportunities for animal interactions and cruising along the mighty Zambezi, with an extremely high quality of guiding. Of course, the spectacular Victoria Falls is one of the highlights of both countries. Known locally as “Mosi-oa-Tunya” (“The Smoke which Thunders”), this natural wonder, considered to be the largest waterfall in the world, never fails to amaze.

Despite facing decades of economical and political disasters, Zimbabwe’s people have never failed to welcome visitors with open arms and continue

to do so. The country is famous for its game-rich parks including Hwange National Park and Mana Pools, both of which offer opportunities for experiencing exceptional walking and canoeing safaris – some of the best in Africa.

Similar experiences can be had in Zambia, where walking safaris originated. It offers a more intimate and personalised safari experience, with small sized lodges and bushcamps, as well as outstanding guides, particularly, in South Luangwa and Lower Zambezi National Parks.







Nyamatusi Camp

## ULTIMATE ZIMBABWE

Zimbabwe is truly a land of contrasts. This fully-inclusive safari showcases just some of its diversity: the mighty Victoria Falls, one of the Natural Wonders of the World; Hwange National Park, famous for its abundant herds of elephant; Bumi Hills, where you can take a boat cruise on Lake Kariba and Mana Pools National Park, one of the best game viewing areas in the country. Accommodation is 5-star and is superbly located.

11 Days / 10 Nights

### ZIMBABWE

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$13,700  
High Season \$22,710

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Guided tour of Victoria Falls
- Sundowner cruise on Zambezi River
- Two game drives in Zambezi National Park
- Two game activities per day in Hwange, Bumi Hills and Mana Pools National Park
- National Park and conservation fees (excluding Victoria Falls Rainforest Entry Fee - \$50 USD, payable direct)
- Transfers and flights as per itinerary

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. No children are allowed under the age of 10 without prior arrangement.

#### DAY 1: VICTORIA FALLS

On arrival at the airport, you will be met and transferred to your lodge located on a private stretch of the Zambezi River. Two nights at OLD DRIFT LODGE. (D)

#### DAY 2: VICTORIA FALLS

This morning you will be taken on a guided tour of the falls known locally as Mosi-oa-Tunya, 'the smoke that thunders'. Enjoy brunch or lunch at Lookout Café including drinks. This afternoon enjoy a sundowner cruise on the Zambezi River, with the chance to spot hippos and crocodiles while admiring an African sunset. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 3: VICTORIA FALLS – HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, take a scheduled flight to Hwange National Park then continue on to Somalisa Camp. This beautiful camp overlooks a waterhole frequently visited by local wildlife – mainly herds of elephant for which Hwange is famous. Three nights at SOMALISA CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 4 – 5: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Besides large herds of elephant you may also find the rare and endangered roan antelope, buffalo, lion, leopard, hyena, and many other wildlife species in Hwange. You will have a choice of several activities including game drives, bushwalks, bird watching, game viewing from hides, night drives and cultural tours of local villages. (B, L, D)



Nyamatusi Camp

#### DAY 6: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK – BUMI HILLS

After breakfast, take a scheduled flight to Bumi Hills. Offering outstanding views over Lake Kariba, your lodge is situated on an extensive wildlife conservation area that is home to lion, leopard, big herds of elephant and buffalo, as well as several different plains game. Two nights at BUMI HILLS SAFARI LODGE AND SPA. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 7: BUMI HILLS

Activities on offer at the lodge include game drives, a boat cruise, fishing, walking safaris, a visit to Kariba town and a cultural village visit. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: BUMI HILLS – MANA POOLS

After breakfast, you will fly to Mana Pools National Park. Your accommodation is a luxury tented camp located less than 10km from the Zambezi River. Three nights at NYAMATUSI CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 9–10: MANA POOLS

Over the next two days you will have the choice of open 4x4 vehicle game drives, walking safaris, canoeing and fishing (catch and release only). Alternatively, you may choose to relax on your private deck and take in the animals and birds that frequent the area. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 11: MANA POOLS – HARARE

After a final breakfast, fly to the capital of Harare where your safari will come to an end on arrival. (B)



Somalisa





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## CLASSIC ZIMBABWE

Discover the stunning scenery of Zimbabwe, exploring four national parks: Hwange, Lake Kariba, Mana Pools and Gonarezhou. Enjoying three nights in each location, this classic itinerary allows you to experience the very best of this magnificent country. Accommodation is based on 4-star lodges, all in excellent positions, and with excellent guides.

### **DAY 1: VICTORIA FALLS – HWANGE NATIONAL PARK**

Today you will be transferred by road to Hwange National Park, for your three-night stay at THE HIDE. (D)

### **DAYS 2 – 3: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK**

Hwange National Park is the largest reserve in Zimbabwe and is home to large herds of elephant, lion and wild dog. Enjoy birdwatching and explore the bush on guided walks and game drives. (B, L, D)

### **DAY 4: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK – LAKE KARIBA**

This morning you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight from Hwange to Lake Kariba. Upon arrival, you will be driven to CHANGA SAFARI CAMP where you will stay for three nights. (B, L, D)

### **DAYS 5 – 6: LAKE KARIBA**

Spend your days fishing, on early morning game walks, game drives and boat cruises, exploring the world's largest man-made lake and its surrounds. Along with hippo, crocodile and a variety of fish, the lake also attracts wildlife such as cheetah, antelope and elephant. (B, L, D)

### **DAY 7: LAKE KARIBA – MANA POOLS NATIONAL PARK**

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Mana Pools National Park. Upon

arrival, you will be transferred to MANA RIVER CAMP, where you will stay for three nights. (B, L, D)

### **DAYS 8 – 9: MANA POOLS NATIONAL PARK**

Enjoy activities such as game drives, fishing, bush walks and visits to local villages. Famous for its floodplains and the wildlife that flock to its waterways, the national park is a haven for hippo and elephant and is often regarded as one of Zimbabwe's most beautiful areas. (B, L, D)

### **DAYS 10 – 12: MANA POOLS – HARARE – GONAREZHOU NP**

This morning you will be transferred to the airstrip for your scheduled flight to Harare, where you will board a connecting flight to Gonarezhou National Park. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to CHILO GORGE SAFARI LODGE where you will stay for three nights. (B, L, D)

### **DAYS 11 – 12: GONAREZHOU NATIONAL PARK**

Spend your time birdwatching and on game drives, enjoying the chance to see wildlife such as lion, rhino, cheetah, wild dog, hippo and giraffe. Explore the spectacular sandstone cliffs, nearby Chivilila Falls and visit the local Shangaan village. (B, L, D)

### **DAY 13: JOHANNESBURG**

This morning you will be transferred to the airstrip in time for your onward flight to Johannesburg, where your trip will end. (B)

13 Days / 12 Nights

## ZIMBABWE

### **PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**

Low Season \$17,890

High Season \$20,870

### **PRICE INCLUDES**

- 12 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Locally branded drinks
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Scheduled flights as per itinerary (Harare departure tax payable locally)
- National park and conservation fees

### **NOTE:**

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

Subject to certain days of departure and flight schedules.

Airport tax out of Chilo Gorge (Buffalo Range Airstrip) is to be paid locally (USD \$50).



Changa Safari Camp



Changa Safari Camp



# VICTORIA FALLS ACCOMMODATION (ZIMBABWE SIDE)



## Victoria Falls Hotel

Victoria Falls Hotel has been welcoming guests for over 100 years and is a world-renowned deluxe hotel. Set amongst beautiful gardens, the hotel has breathtaking views over the gorge and famous Livingstone bridge. The hotel has suites and bedrooms recently redecorated in colonial style. With its own pathway, the property is only a short walk to the falls. The opulent Livingstone Room offers fine dining and the Jungle Junction is famous for its breakfast and dinner buffets, as well as its local dance displays in the evenings.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$470pp (BB)



## Victoria Falls Safari Lodge

Set high on a natural plateau, Victoria Falls Safari Lodge borders the Zambezi National Park and is just 4 km from the thundering Victoria Falls. Of the 72 bedrooms, 6 are split level suites with a lounge, cloak-room, and balcony on one level and a bedroom and en-suite bathroom upstairs. The lodge is renowned for its cuisine, especially the world-famous Boma restaurant. Offering every comfort, Victoria Falls Safari Lodge offers outstanding accommodation and hospitality together with a chance to see the wildlife that visits the lodge's waterhole.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$420pp (BB)



## Ilala Lodge

Ilala Lodge provides distinguished accommodation with the perfect platform from which to explore the natural wonder of the majestic Victoria Falls. Ilala Lodge offers 32 standard rooms and 2 deluxe suites all with an en-suite bathroom with separate shower, A/C, overhead fan, and satellite TV. The rooms are spacious with railway sleeper teak furnishings and patio doors leading onto either an open lawn or a balcony. Wild animals often graze on the hotel lawns which adds to the colour of the stay.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$350pp (BB)



## Old Drift Lodge

Old Drift Lodge sits on the banks of the Zambezi River within the Zambezi National Park and hosts 10 double suites and 4 family suites, each with their own private deck and plunge pool. Each suite also offers an outdoor shower and a bed perfectly positioned for star gazing. Only 7km away from the iconic Victoria Falls, Old Drift is ideal for those wanting to explore the falls. Other activities include morning and afternoon game drives, river safaris and guided walking safaris in Zambezi National Park.

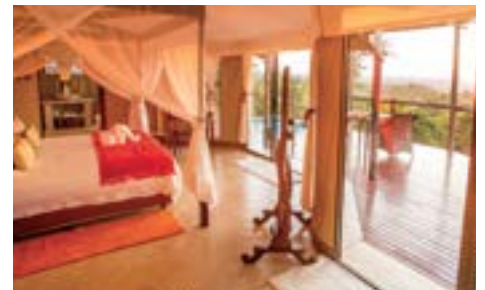
2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1090pp (AI)



## Stanley and Livingstone

A luxury boutique hotel offering 16 suites, Stanley and Livingstone is only a 15-minute drive from one of the famous Natural Wonders of the World – Victoria Falls. Each luxury suite has been designed with a contemporary colonial approach to style, with king beds, a minibar and private terrace. The hotel offers a range of activities including a Victoria Falls canopy tour, woodlands village tour, sunset cruise, fishing expedition and much more.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$885pp (BB)



## Elephant Camp

Less than 30 km from the world-renowned Victoria Falls, Elephant Camp has the unique attraction of being the only African safari camp where you can go for picnics with elephants. Elephant Camp accommodates a maximum of eighteen guests, and is also home to four orphaned elephants. All chalets have en-suite facilities and offer great views. The camp's main building has a lounge, bar and dining area and elevated deck where you can enjoy your meals.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1090pp (AI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits and activities

## ACTIVITIES



## Tour of the Falls

Experience one of the world's natural wonders with a guided tour of Victoria Falls. You will be mesmerised by the awe-inspiring beauty and grandeur of the falls. Make your way through the rainforest, enjoying the flora and fauna the area offers. Your guide will deliver a brief history of the falls, afterwards you will have time to explore this iconic landmark.

PRICES FROM: \$165pp



## Flight of the Angels

The best way to appreciate the true splendour of Victoria Falls is to view them from the air. This exhilarating helicopter flight or light aircraft is known as the 'Flight of Angels'. All of the helicopters have specially designed bubble shaped windows perfect for panoramic viewing and great photographic opportunities from all seats. 13-minute and 25-minute flights available.

PRICES FROM: \$365pp



## Meet the People

This half-day excursion enables you to see rural life in Zimbabwe first hand; visit rural family homes, see their fields being tended to, as well as possibly get the chance to help in some of the day-to-day chores. There is also an opportunity to meet and speak with the village chief.

PRICES FROM: \$130pp



# VICTORIA FALLS ACCOMMODATION (ZAMBIA SIDE)



## Thorntree River Lodge

Thorntree River Lodge is set in Zambia's Mosi-oa-Tunya National Park, just a short distance from the famous Victoria Falls. The lodge boasts 8 twin rooms and 2 family units. Each unit has its own indoor and outdoor bathrooms, as well as a private plunge pool. The main lodge consists of an open dining and lounge area, a communal deck and an infinity pool. Activities include visits to Victoria Falls UNESCO World Heritage site, game drives, cultural village visits, sunset river cruises (on a private boat) and much more.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,425pp (AI)



## Royal Livingstone Hotel

The Royal Livingstone is a 5-star luxury hotel that offers a serene haven right on the banks of the Zambezi River. The 173 luxurious rooms, are decorated in the soft earth tones of the bushveld and furnished with comfortable beds and crisp white linen, all bathrooms feature spacious showers and Victorian style baths and all rooms have views of the river and the acacia forest. Access to see the falls is at the end of the property and the park fee is included in the hotel's tariff. There is also a viewing platform at the river's edge and a large swimming pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$695pp (BB)



## Royal Chundu River Lodge

Although the larger of Royal Chundu's two lodges, the Royal Chundu River Lodge remains a small, intimate accommodation, hosting just 10 suites. Situated on the riverfront, suites are suspended in the canopy upon stilts and feature an open deck, perfect for enjoying views of the captivating Zambezi River. Rooms are decorated to accentuate the natural surroundings, and suites feature thatched roofs. Explore the surrounding areas with activities such as helicopter flights, canoeing, bushwalking, cruising, birding and tiger fishing.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$2,190pp (AI)



## Toka Leya Camp

Toka Leya Camp overlooks the Zambezi River and consists of 12 spacious en suite safari-style tents. Wooden walkways snake between rooms and the main area. The tent interiors boast cool wooden flooring, tasteful, uncluttered African décor, climate-control, and an expansive wooden deck. The camp's dining, lounge and bar areas offer ample space for relaxation and are complimented by an infinity pool. Meals can be served on the sundeck, the pool deck or in the dining room which all overlook the river.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,495pp (AI)



## Avani Victoria Falls Resort

The Avani Victoria Falls Resort (formerly the Zambezi Sun Hotel), located on the edge of the eastern cataract of the Victoria Falls, reflects the richness and diversity of the country's heritage; unpretentious, fun and welcoming. With its warm, earthy architecture, inspired by an African walled village and simple finishes highlighted in bright mosaics and fabrics. The newly refurbished rooms spill outwards into the natural African bush or face inwards onto a vast, cool, landscaped pool.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$360pp (BB)



## Tongabezi Lodge

An all-inclusive luxury safari lodge in Zambia, Tongabezi offers 5 houses and 4 river cottages accommodating between 2 and 5 guests. Each cottage is designed to reflect Zambia's heritage, and feature large pine decks offering spectacular views of the Zambezi River. Each house is unique and designed to reflect the lodge's surrounds. Tongabezi is located close to the falls and in the heart of the bush, making game drives, bush walks, village visits, sunset boat trips and much more easily accessible.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,455pp (FB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits

## ACTIVITIES



## African Queen Sundowner Cruise

The impressive African Queen is a triple deck 70-foot catamaran that offers you a luxurious sundowner cruise. A charming combination of the mighty Zambezi River and gracious hospitality delivers an unforgettable experience. There is a wide choice of drinks, including a variety of cocktails as well as delicious snacks offered on this cruise.

PRICES FROM: \$170pp



## Royal Livingstone Express Dinner

Upon departing Bushtracks Station, the Royal Livingstone Express visits the iconic Victoria Falls bridge revealing the stunning Victoria Falls at sunset. Indulge in a fine-dining experience as the steam train transports you through the unspoiled natural wilderness of Mosi-oa-Tunya National Park and the surrounding area.

PRICES FROM: \$490pp



## Rhino Tracking

Embark on a wilderness walk with professional guides and trackers through the Mosi-oa-Tunya National Park, just upstream from the mighty Victoria Falls. You will have the once in a lifetime opportunity to interact (at a safe distance!) with one of Africa's 'Big Five' – the rare square lipped (white) rhinoceros.

PRICES FROM: \$320pp



# VICTORIA FALLS AND CHOBE

*This unique package visits the magnificent Victoria Falls from the Zimbabwe side and explores the beautiful Chobe National Park in Botswana. This safari has been designed for those with limited time wanting to see the Victoria Falls and also fabulous wildlife.*

5 Days / 4 Nights

ZIMBABWE  
BOTSWANA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$3,235  
High Season \$3,645

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 4 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Local drinks and laundry at Chobe Bakwena
- Chobe National Park fees

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Victoria Falls Rainforest entry and river usage fee not included - \$50 USD & \$15 USD.

#### DAY 1: ARRIVE VICTORIA FALLS

Upon arrival you will be met and transferred to VICTORIA FALLS SAFARI LODGE for your two-night stay. Situated within the Zambezi National Park, the lodge has fantastic views of the African bushveld and is located near a waterhole frequented by elephant, buffalo and kudu. This evening, enjoy dinner at the award-winning MaKuwa-Kuwa restaurant, viewing wildlife as you enjoy your meal. (D)

#### DAY 2: VICTORIA FALLS

This morning you will be taken on a guided tour of the falls. Afterwards, you will have the opportunity to learn about the importance of vultures in an ecological talk given at the hotel. The afternoon is at leisure before enjoying a sunset cruise on the Zambezi River. In the



Chobe Bakwena Lodge

evening, have dinner at the Boma restaurant whilst enjoying performances from traditional drummers, singers and dancers. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 3: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be transferred by road to Chobe National Park in Botswana. In the afternoon, enjoy game viewing in the Chobe area by game vehicle or cruise. Two nights at CHOBE BAKWENA LODGE. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 4: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Spend the day game viewing in Chobe National Park, home to one of the largest concentrations of elephant in Africa, or visit the local village on a cultural walk. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 5: DEPART KASANE

Today you will be transferred to Kasane airport for your onward flight. (B)



Victoria Falls

# MOTOBH HILLS AND HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

*Delve into the fascinating culture and history of Motobo Hills, as well as discover the remarkable wildlife Hwange National Park. Over 7 days, this safari explores captivating Zimbabwe, with the chance of seeing two beautiful areas of the country. Perfect for those with limited time, this itinerary combines luxury accommodation with a true wilderness experience.*

7 Days / 6 Nights

ZIMBABWE

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$4,690  
High Season \$5,740

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 6 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Fully inclusive (FI)
- Locally branded drinks and laundry
- Activities as per itinerary
- Transfers as indicated
- National Park fees

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together

#### DAY 1: MOTOBH HILLS

On arrival at Bulawayo Joshua Nkomo Airport you will be met and transferred to AMALINDA LODGE for your three-night stay. In the afternoon, enjoy cocktails and the view looking over the hills as the sun sets. (FI)

#### DAY 2: MOTOBH HILLS

After breakfast you will be taken on a game drive to track the endangered hook lipped (black) and square lipped (white) rhino, before visiting Cecil John Rhodes' Grave nearby and ancient bushman rock art. (FI)

#### DAY 3: MOTOBH HILLS

Early this morning you will be taken to the local villages of the Ndebele tribe that live in coloured clay homesteads. It is here that you will meet a 'sagoma' or traditional healer as well as viewing some bushman rock art in the Silizwane Cave. Return to the lodge for lunch followed by an afternoon game drive. (FI)



Motobo Hills Rock Art

#### DAY 4: MOTOBH HILLS – HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast you will be transferred by road to Hwange National Park. Upon arrival, enjoy a welcome drink before being taken on an afternoon game drive. Three nights at KHULU BUSH CAMP. (FI)

#### DAY 5: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Early this morning depart for a full day of game viewing. Return to the camp for sundowner drinks before dinner. (FI)

#### DAY 6: HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

This morning you will depart on an early morning game drive before returning for brunch at the camp. In the afternoon enjoy a game drive or bush walk with a professional guide. Enjoy snacks and drinks at a waterhole before returning to camp, looking for nocturnal animals as you go. (FI)

#### DAY 7: DEPART HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast you will depart for Victoria Falls. This marks the end of your tour. (B)



Rhinos in Motopos



# HWANGE NATIONAL PARK

Hwange National Park is one of the premier game viewing areas in Zimbabwe. The park is over 14,600 sq. km and supports amazing wildlife including lion, elephant, buffalo, cheetah, wild dog, hyena and large herds of plains game. It is also an ideal place for bird enthusiasts, with the chance to sight some of more than the 400 species in the park. There is a great range of accommodation on offer, including our favourites below:



## Little Makololo

Little Makololo Camp lies in the heart of Hwange National Park, in one of its best game viewing areas (Linkwasha Concession), overlooking a vibrant waterhole. The camp's 6 tents have en-suite facilities, with both indoor and outdoor showers. The tents are connected via teak walkways to the main camp where there is a dining room, lounge, plunge pool and an open fire area. In an area dense with wildlife, morning and evening game drives as well as walking safaris are a highlight. Additionally there is a hide overlooking a waterhole where guests can enjoy wildlife viewing.

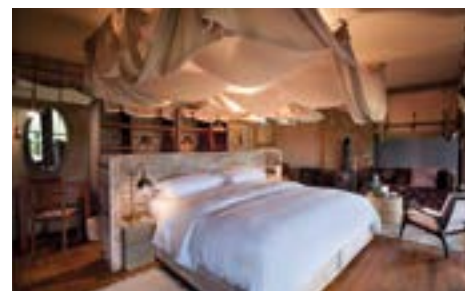
3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,200pp (AI)



## Davison's Camp

Davison's Camp is located in Hwange National Park, in north-west Zimbabwe. Situated on the private Linkwasha Concession to the east of the park, this is a classic safari camp with a stylish but cosy main area and campfire, overlooking a waterhole. There are 8 beautifully appointed tents and activities include day and night game drives as well as walking safaris. Wildlife viewing is reliable all year round with a wide range of plains game including buffalo, zebra, giraffe, lion cheetah, leopard and wild dog.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,810pp (AI)



## Somalisa Camp

Somalisa Camp is tucked away on an acacia island along the edge of an ancient seasonal flood plain in the Hwange National Park. Herds of elephant are often seen especially from the pool and deck area. There are 7 elegantly decorated sail tents each of which includes a private en-suite bathroom. The main camp area includes a separate lounge and dining area and a splash pool, from which guests can watch the adjacent 'elephant pool' and waterhole. Guided walks as well as day and night games drives are offered to guests.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,495pp (AI)



## Camp Hwange

Camp Hwange has 8 tented chalets, with thatched roofs, all overlooking a permanent waterhole. They are well spaced, allowing privacy and uninterrupted views of the waterhole and surrounding bush. Solar energy provides power to the tents and the main public areas as well as all the hot water. The main lodge is made up of a big lounge and a beautiful restaurant where you will savour delicious dinners.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,675pp (AI)



## Nehimba Lodge

Nehimba Lodge is located within Northern Hwange National Park. The main lodge has 7 spacious thatched tents, overlooking landscape frequented by a variety of wildlife including a large numbers of elephants, particularly in the dry season. Each tent offers a private balcony, en-suite bathroom, outdoor shower, hot running water and generated powered electricity.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,240pp (AI)



## Verney's Camp

Verney's Camp is located within Hwange National Park, in its own private 10,000-hectare concession. The camp features 10 luxury tents, 2 of which are family tents, all bordering an open waterhole at the camp. Carefully positioned at the camp, each tent offers total privacy and tranquillity. Being located on a private concession means no crowds, so guests can experience a truly private wildlife viewing experience when on game drives and nature walks.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,135pp (AI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees)

**AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits



# MANA POOLS NATIONAL PARK

Regarded as one of the best game viewing areas in Zimbabwe. Mana Pools National Park is remote, wild and relatively untouched. It is a photographers paradise due to the range of animals and birds seen close up, as well as the backdrop of the Zambezi River. It is also a unique area to see some elephants that can stand on their back legs to get the seed pods high in the trees. Accommodation is generally along the river – here are some we recommend.



## Ruckomechi Camp

Ruckomechi is a tented camp located in Mana Pools National Park in the Zambezi Valley. The camp has 10 spacious tents built on the banks of the Zambezi River. All tents feature en-suite bathrooms, as well as indoor and outdoor showers. The area is renowned for elephants, buffalo and hippo, all of which can be seen at the river from your tent. Mana Pools National Park also boasts an array of predators including lion, leopard and wild dog.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$3,510pp (AI)



## Kanga Camp

Kanga Camp is an intimate luxury camp located within Mana Pools National Park on its own private wilderness concession overlooking a waterhole. The camp features six Meru-style tents, each with their own private veranda providing the perfect place to witness the wildlife at the waterhole. Enjoy game drives and walking safaris, as well as canoeing safaris on the Zambezi River. A highlight of the camp is “Kanga Under The stars”, where guests can sleep on an open platform under the spectacular African sky.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,470pp (AI)



## Nyamatusi Camp

Escape to secluded luxury in one of the most remote and wild areas of Africa, Mana Pools National Park. Blending seamlessly with its surroundings and embracing sustainable design, Nyamatusi Camp is built from all-natural materials and is fully solar powered. Situated on the banks of the Zambezi, the camp is comprised of six luxury tented suites with stunning river views, each with a plunge pool. This seasonal camp offers the chance for thrilling and unique safari experiences with game that has had very little human exposure.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,495pp (AI)



## Vundu Camp

Vundu Camp is a luxury thatched chalet camp featuring just 8 chalets with spectacular views of the Zambezi River from the private terrace of each chalet. Each chalet features double or twin beds, as well as an indoor and outdoor shower delivering a true wilderness experience. The lodge is known for its wildlife sightings from the camp, with elephants, impala and hippo regularly spotted and occasionally leopard, lion and wild dogs.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,750pp (AI)



## Mana River Camp

On the banks of the Zambezi River lies Mana River Camp. Situated between this famous river and a water pan, this temporary mobile camp allows guests to experience nature up close. Six large canvas tents enjoy views of the picturesque Zambezi River, all with verandahs and folding chairs- perfect for admiring wildlife from afar as it wanders idly through the camp. Activities available at the camp include morning and afternoon game drives, guided bushwalks, canoeing and catch-and-release fishing.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,905pp (AI)



## Kavinga Camp

Situated on a private concession, Kavinga Camp is ideally located near the confluence of the Rukomechi and Chiwuye rivers, and a short drive from the Chitake Spring, renowned for its game-viewing opportunities. Accommodating a total of 14 guests, the camp has an intimate 7 tents, emphasising practicality and privacy. All the tents are raised, and viewing decks offer a wonderful view of the pans opposite. Enjoy game drives, birding, bushwalks and night drives.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,640pp (AI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees)

**AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits





Kakuli Camp

## ULTIMATE ZAMBIA

*This wonderful luxury safari visits South Luangwa National Park and Lower Zambezi National Park, and is suitable for people who are wanting to combine remoteness and amazing wildlife with staying in luxurious bushcamps like Kakuli and Chwongwe Camp River Suites, located right on the river. This safari ensures excellent guides with wonderful wildlife viewing opportunities by vehicle, boat and on foot.*

### DAY 1: LUSAKA – MFUWE (LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK)

Today you will fly from Lusaka Airport to Mfuwe, the gateway to South Luangwa National Park. Your guide will meet you on arrival and transfer you to your camp. Enjoy a delicious lunch and cup of coffee and settle into your room. Spend the afternoon relaxing or head out on an exciting game drive to see the local wildlife. Three nights at KAKULI CAMP (L, D)

### DAYS 2 – 4: SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

This is a superb area for game viewing, with a choice of game drives in open vehicles or walking safaris with a highly trained guide. South Luangwa is renowned for its fabulous wildlife and excellent birdlife, and without any of the tourist crowds. There are a good number of predators including lion, leopard and hyena, as well as plains game. The concentration of game along the meandering

Luangwa River and its lagoons are amongst the most intense in Africa. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 4 – 7: SOUTH LUANGWA – LOWER ZAMBEZI

Today you will fly to the fabulous Lower Zambezi National Park. Here you can spend three full days exploring the remarkable wilderness of the Lower Zambezi with experienced and knowledgeable guides. In addition to the traditional game drives and walking safaris, the Zambezi River allows for a variety of additional river based activities such as boat cruises, canoeing safaris and fishing, with the opportunity to catch one of the most exciting species, the Tiger Fish. Four nights at CHONGWE SUITES or similar. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: LOWER ZAMBEZI – LUSAKA

After your morning activity and brunch, you will be met and transferred for your flight back to Lusaka. (B)

8 Days / 7 Nights

## ZAMBIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low season \$13,080

High season \$16,440

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All transfers
- Internal flights Lusaka–Mfuwe–Royal–Lusaka
- Game viewing
- Walking safaris
- Activities\*
- Laundry services

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

\*Activities include: Boat cruises, fishing, canoeing (Chongwe only). Canoeing and walking minimum age 12 and is at the guide's discretion.



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Chongwe Suites





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## CLASSIC SOUTH LUANGWA

*This safari is an exciting way to relive the past as you follow in the footsteps of the great explorers. The relatively remote Luangwa Valley in Zambia is favoured by wildlife enthusiasts, photographers and first-timers alike. This safari offers a combination of the remote luxury of Mfuwe Lodge as well as two small exclusive bush camps with only 4 or 5 tents or chalets at each camp, and the thrill and adventures of walking in the bush.*

9 Days / 8 Nights

### ZAMBIA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$10,390  
High Season \$16,640

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Scheduled return flights to Mfuwe
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Local drinks (at Bushcamps only)
- All transfers
- All game activities, walking & driving
- Government park entry fees and bed levies
- Laundry and government taxes

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

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*"If you are looking for a private, intimate and exciting way to see the diverse game of South Luangwa this is my favourite Zambian safari – enjoy great camps, stunning food and service. It is one of my favourite places to take clients on a walking safari."*

Richard Ruskin,  
MD and Guide, ATS

#### DAY 1: LUSAKA – SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

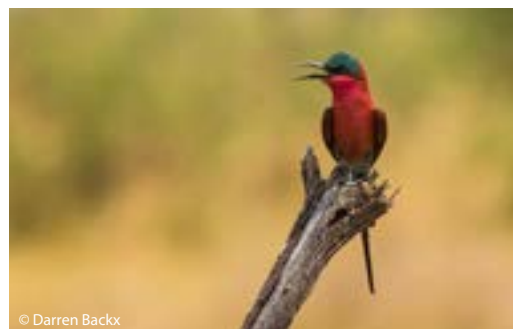
Make your own way to Lusaka airport for your scheduled charter flight to Mfuwe. Enjoy an evening game drive in the South Luangwa National Park. The South Luangwa National Park is a world-renowned wildlife haven. Overnight at MFUWE LODGE. (D)

#### DAYS 2 – 4: SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

You will travel by road to one of the most southern bushcamps, Bilimungwe. It is an impressive camp, with a central open-sided bar/dining area on wooden decking overlooking a waterhole. This is a fabulous area for game, positioned under the shady canopy of a huge old mahogany tree. Three nights at BILIMUNGWE BUSH CAMP. (B, L, D)



Mfuwe Lodge



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#### DAYS 5 – 7: SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

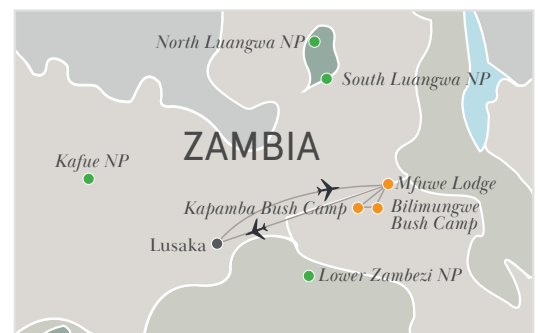
After breakfast you will set off along a walking trail to KAPAMBA BUSH CAMP. Spend the next three nights in spacious chalets overlooking the Kapamba River, nestled amongst matumi and sausage trees. Explore the diversity of wildlife and birdlife in the area on walking safaris and game drives. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 8: SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

Today you will return by road to MFUWE LODGE, where you will spend one night. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 9: DEPART

You will be transferred by road to Mfuwe airport for your scheduled charter flight back to Lusaka.



Bilimungwe Bush Camp



# CLASSIC ZAMBIA

Still relatively untouched, Zambia offers some of the best game viewing in southern Africa. This safari visits one of the most exciting areas, South Luangwa National Park, as well as one of the most beautiful, Lower Zambezi National Park. Explore game-rich areas on walking safaris, game drives, and river cruises. With good accommodation, great food and friendly service, this is a must for those looking for something different.

## DAY 1: LUSAKA – SOUTH LUANGWA

Today you will be flown to South Luangwa. On arrival you will be met and transferred to KAFUNTA RIVER LODGE for your five-night stay. This lodge has the only natural hot spring tub in the area and offers magnificent views. (L, D)

## DAY 2 – 5: SOUTH LUANGWA

Kafunta River Lodge is ideally situated, overlooking a vast floodplain of the Luangwa River. The area, home to an array of diverse game, is the perfect safari experience. Explore South Luangwa National Park on game drives in open vehicles, night drives, and bush walks. (B, L, D)

## DAY 6: SOUTH LUANGWA – LOWER ZAMBEZI

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Mfuwe airstrip, for your onward flight via Lusaka to Royal in the Lower Zambezi. On arrival, you will be transferred to your camp. Four nights at ZAMBEZI GRANDE. (B, L, D)



Zambezi Grande

## DAYS 7 – 9: LOWER ZAMBEZI

Spend the next three days discovering the Zambezi River area. Enjoy the plethora of activities available, including game drives (day and night), walking safaris, fishing, canoeing and boat cruises. (B, L, D)

## DAY 10: LOWER ZAMBEZI – LUSAKA

Early this morning you will be transferred to the airstrip for your return flight to Lusaka. This will mark the end of your safari. (B)



Kafunta River Lodge

10 Days / 9 Nights

## ZAMBIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$10,440

High Season \$12,360

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 9 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Internal flights and transfers as per itinerary
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All safari activities
- Park and community fees
- Standard drinks

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Terms and conditions apply. Please contact African Travel Specialists for full details.

# LOWER ZAMBEZI

The Lower Zambezi National Park is located on the Zambezi River. A remote and beautiful location offering excellent game viewing, the Lower Zambezi is also a paradise for birders, especially on the river. With comparatively few visitors, it's an ideal place for a getaway with a wide choice of activities including game viewing by safari vehicle, boat, canoe or on foot. Accommodation is located on the river with a choice to suit everyone.



## Royal Zambezi Lodge

Royal Zambezi Lodge is a luxury lodge offering 5-star luxury in the heart of the African wilderness. The lodge has a choice of classic suites, deluxe suites and a presidential suite, as well as a family suite. All suites are spacious and feature luxury amenities as well as an outdoor terrace overlooking the Zambezi River. Deluxe and presidential suites also offer dedicated plunge pools on the terrace. Experience one of Zambia's only bush spas providing a range of treatments and the perfect place to relax after a game drive.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,640pp (AI)



## Baines River Camp

Baines River Camp is a luxury safari lodge furnished in colonial style named after Thomas Baines – famous artist and explorer. This camp is located along the Zambezi River within the Chiawa Game Management Area. Accommodating up to 20 guests, each of the eight safari style chalets feature their own private veranda offering spectacular views of the Zambezi River. Engage in a variety of activities, from game drives and walking safaris to river cruises and canoe safaris, as well as tiger fishing and birding.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,845pp (AI)



## Sausage Tree Camp

Located in one of the best positions in the Lower Zambezi National Park, Sausage Tree Camp offers the ultimate in luxury chic tents, all situated along the banks of the Zambezi River. Each tent has massive gauze windows and sliding doors allowing cool breezes to flow through, and are well spaced from each other. They also offer comfortable beds and generous en-suite bathrooms. There is a central dining and bar area as well as a 25m lap pool.

3 DAYS / 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,425pp (AI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation and meals as indicated.

**AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits







# Botswana Namibia

An animal lover's paradise, Botswana's diverse landscape which spans the iconic Okavango Delta, the desertscape of the Kalahari Desert and the plains of the Chobe National Park, make the country one of the best places in Africa to see a variety of game, in a variety of environments. The floodplains of the Okavango are one of the best places for birding in Africa and offer a safari experience unlike any other in Africa.

In addition to its wildlife, Namibia attracts travellers on account of its diverse and enchanting landscapes. Natural beauty is showcased through the sand dunes of the Namib Desert, the contrasting colours of the dead tree valleys of Sossusvlei, the stunning Skeleton Coast and the amazing Fish

River Canyon. Wildlife lovers can also observe the desert elephants and lions of Damaraland, as well Africa's largest population of rhino. Etosha National Park in the country's north is rich in game, including cats, plains game and the rare hook-lipped (black) rhino.

Adding to the classic African safari experience, Botswana and Namibia are home to the fascinating San people ("Bushmen"). Along with the Himba people of Namibia, the tribes of the two countries are unique, and a chance to interact with and learn more about these indigenous people enriches any safari to these countries.







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## ULTIMATE BOTSWANA AND VICTORIA FALLS

Botswana offers exceptional game viewing as well as a varied safari experience across its broad and flat expanses of savannah, desert, salt pans and wetlands. This 5-star luxury safari takes you to the best areas of Botswana; the Makgadikgadi National Park, the famous Okavango Delta, Linyanti Wildlife Reserve and Chobe National Park, with your first two nights at the famous Victoria Falls Hotel, Victoria Falls.

11 Days / 10 Nights

**BOTSWANA  
ZIMBABWE**

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$21,170  
High Season \$33,500

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation in tented camps, lodges and deluxe hotels on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Guided walks and game drives as per itinerary
- Local drinks at Chobe Game Lodge, Savuti Camp, Xigera Safari Lodge and Camp Kalahari
- Internal flights and transfers as per itinerary

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

### DAY 1: VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE

On arrival at Victoria Falls Airport, you will be met and transferred by road to your hotel. In the afternoon you will have a sundowner cruise on the Zambezi River. Two nights at VICTORIA FALLS HOTEL. (B)

### DAY 2: VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE

This morning you will be taken on a scheduled tour of the falls on the Zimbabwe side. (B)

### DAY 3: VICTORIA FALLS – CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be transferred by road to Chobe National Park. In the afternoon you will be taken on an open 4x4 vehicle game drive to see the amazing wildlife. Two nights at CHOBE GAME LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Today you will enjoy a full day in the Chobe National Park with morning and afternoon game drives in 4x4 vehicles or game viewing by boat. Chobe is famous for its large herds of elephant and buffalo. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK – LINYANTI

Today you will be transferred to Kasane for your flight to the Linyanti Wildlife Reserve, a superb area for game viewing. Two nights at SAVUTI CAMP. (B, L, D)



Chobe Game Lodge

### DAY 6: LINYANTI

Spend a full day in the reserve with morning and afternoon game viewing by open 4x4 vehicle or on foot. (B, L, D)

### DAY 7: LINYANTI – OKAVANGO DELTA

You will be transferred to a local airstrip for your flight to the Okavango Delta. You will have a choice of game viewing activities either by open 4x4 vehicles, motorboat, by foot or in mokoros. Two nights at XIGERA SAFARI LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: OKAVANGO DELTA

Today you will spend a full day in the delta, an area renowned for its birdlife and aquatic mammals, like sitatunga and lechwe. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: OKAVANGO DELTA – MAKGADIKGADI NP

Today, you will be transferred by light aircraft to the Makgadikgadi National Park. Activities focus on the desert environment and include game drives, night drives, and game walks. Two nights at CAMP KALAHARI. (B, L, D)

### DAY 10: MAKGADIKGADI NATIONAL PARK

Spend a full day taking part in the activities on offer at the camp. (B, L, D)

### DAY 11: MAKGADIKGADI NATIONAL PARK – MAUN

Today you will be transferred to the airstrip for your flight to Maun Airport. This will mark the end of your safari. (B)





Savute Safari Lodge

## CLASSIC BOTSWANA

*This luxury 5-star accommodated safari takes you to some of the best reserves in Botswana – Moremi Wildlife Reserve, the Okavango Delta and Chobe National Park – offering a true African wilderness experience. Botswana has excellent game viewing for the enthusiast, plains game, zebra, giraffe, sitatunga and an incredible array of predators (lion, leopard, cheetah, hyena), as well as amazing birdlife in the quiet waterways of the Okavango Delta.*

### DAYS 1 – 2: MAUN – OKAVANGO DELTA

On arrival at Maun airport you will be met and assisted onto a light aircraft transfer to Camp Okavango, located in the remote northern part of the Okavango Delta. You will spend two days exploring the clear delta waters and channels, and beautiful open grasslands. Participate in walks with a guide and enjoy fishing, spectacular night drives and mokoro safaris, as well as morning and afternoon game drives. Two nights at CAMP OKAVANGO. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 3 – 4: OKAVANGO DELTA – MOREMI

Today you will be transferred by light aircraft from Camp Okavango to Camp Moremi located in the Moremi Game Reserve. Here you will spend two days enjoying game viewing in open vehicles in mopane forests, across lush grasslands and through the sinuous channels and floodplains. Two nights at CAMP MOREMI. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 5 – 6: MOREMI – SAVUTE

Today you will be transferred by light aircraft from Camp Moremi to the heart of Chobe National Park and your lodge. This area is renowned for its large concentrations of elephant and lion. Spend the next two days on morning and afternoon game drives. Two nights at SAVUTE SAFARI LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 7 – 8: SAVUTE – CHOBE

This morning you will be transferred by light aircraft to Kasane airport. On arrival at Kasane airport you will be transferred to your lodge. Spend two days exploring Chobe National Park, enjoying both land and water activities. Two nights at CHOBE GAME LODGE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: CHOBE – KASANE

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Kasane Airport. (B)

9 Days / 8 Nights

### BOTSWANA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$8,430

High Season \$13,360

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation with private facilities on a twin share basis
- Scheduled charter flights as per itinerary
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Laundry and all local brand drinks
- Sightseeing, guided walks and game drives as per itinerary
- National Park entry fees, domestic airport tax within Botswana

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

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*"As my guide expertly poled our mokoro silently through the water, we noticed the tiniest spotted reed frog, no bigger than my thumbnail, clinging onto a reed. It's not always the large animals that take your breath away in Africa, my encounter with this tiny reed frog remains one of my fondest memories."*

Gemma Steel



Camp Moremi



Savute Safari Lodge





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## BEST OF BOTSWANA

Explore three spectacular and diverse regions of Botswana on this 9-day safari. Be guided through the expansive plains of Makgadikgadi Pans National Park with an experienced Bushman tracker; discover the diverse landscapes of the Khwai Private Reserve and the sprawling floodplains of the Okavango Delta. Seek out a diverse range of wildlife including elephant, lion, leopard, wild dog, cheetah and sable antelope on game drives and from mokoros (dugout canoes).

9 Days / 8 Nights

### BOTSWANA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$11,780

High Season \$21,540

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All locally branded drinks
- All transfers by road and light aircraft
- Game viewing activities
- Park entry fees

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 people travelling together

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*"Gliding quietly through the waterways in the mokoro, the sun rose and Africa awoke – just us, the birds and the animals"*

Richard Ruskin  
Managing Director, ATS

#### DAY 1: ARRIVE MAUN

On arrival in Maun you will be met and transferred by road to your lodge. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Two nights at MENO A KWENA. (L, D)

#### DAYS 2: MAKGADIKGADI PANS NATIONAL PARK

Spend today on game drives, seeking out wildlife such as zebra, cheetah, wild dog and jackal. Alternatively, enjoy cultural safaris and walks with the local Bushmen. Cruise along the Boteti River and view wildlife at eye-level from a floating game-viewing hide. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 3: KHWAI PRIVATE RESERVE

This morning you will be transferred by road to Maun, where you will board a light aircraft to Khwai Private Reserve. Three nights at LITTLE SABLE. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 4 – 5: KHWAI PRIVATE RESERVE

Enjoy two days here exploring the reserve on morning, afternoon and evening game drives. Discover the

waterways of Khwai on a mokoro or boat and visit a ground level hide for some up-close wildlife viewing. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 6: OKAVANGO DELTA

This morning you will be transferred by light aircraft to your lodge. Three nights at DUKE'S CAMP. (B, L, D)

#### DAYS 7 – 8: OKAVANGO DELTA

Spend two days enjoying the activities offered at the camp. Explore the Delta on game drives where you will have the chance to see lion, leopard, elephant, hippo and the rare sitatunga antelope. This area is also home to a diverse array of birdlife including the slaty egret, Pel's fishing owl and the African skimmer. Explore the waterways by boat or mokoro and enjoy a sundowner as the sun sets over the stunning channels and plains. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 9: OKAVANGO DELTA – MAUN

This morning you will be transferred by light aircraft to Maun Airport. (B)



Little Sable



Duke's Camp



# BOTSWANA LODGES



## Zarafa Camp

Zarafa Camp has 4 luxuriously appointed 'marquis style' tents, the largest in Africa – made up of 3 tented rooms in one. Each of the spacious tented rooms are positioned along the edge of the forest to take advantage of the spectacular view over the floodplains and savannas. Complimentary SLR camera equipment is available in each tent. Meals are generally a la carte and include a light breakfast at dawn, a hearty brunch, afternoon tea and snacks, rounded off with a sumptuous dinner in the evening.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$6,450pp (FI)



## Duma Tau

Duma Tau is situated in Linyanti, on a private concession bordering Chobe National Park. This luxury camp is built around shady mangosteen trees overlooking a large hippo filled lagoon. The camp is renowned for its high concentrations of elephant and outstanding wildlife. The property accommodates 20 guests in thatched canvas cottages all beautifully appointed with private facilities. There is a dining room, lounge, and swimming pool.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$5,260pp (FI)



## Mombo Camp

Located in the Mombo Concession on Chief's Island in the heart of the Okavango Delta, the sheer numbers and variety of wildlife all year round defy description. Mombo Camp, regarded as being in the best concession in the Delta, comprises nine spacious tents. All the rooms take advantage of the very best views that the Okavango Delta has to offer. Mombo Camp's main living and dining areas are under thatch, and a boma makes for a delicious dinner under the stars.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$6,730pp (FI)



## Savuti Camp

Savuti Camp lies on the Savute Channel in northern Botswana and enjoys 'front-row' seats to view the abundant game in the area. This intimate camp's en suite accommodation consists of 7 large walk-in tents that are raised off the ground and face onto the Savute Channel. From the camp's thatched dining area, a plunge pool and large viewing area with fire pit extend outwards on raised wooden decks, providing a wonderful view of the Savute Channel and its wildlife.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,950pp (FI)



## Chitabe Camp

Chitabe Camp is situated in a private concession area on a beautiful island in the south-east of the Okavango Delta. Chitabe Camp's 8 spacious Meru-style tents are built on elevated wooden decks amongst the trees of the Okavango Delta. Each tent has twin beds, en suite facilities and an indoor as well as an outdoor shower. The thatched dining area, bar and lounge area are built on raised decks to provide superb views across the Okavango Delta floodplain.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,440pp (FI)



## Selinda Camp

Selinda Camp is built on a shady island overlooking the waters of the dramatic Selinda Spillway. With its large, game-rich floodplains Selinda Camp offers a unique wildlife experience. Each tent has en suite facilities, including a stone bath. The bathroom is uniquely "open air" with lots of natural light, yet is screened and virtually insect-proof. The tents are spacious and beautifully appointed with furniture and features that have been collected from around Africa.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$6,450pp (FI)



## Nxabega Okavango Tented Camp

Nxabega Okavango Tented Camp meaning "place of the giraffe" is located between the lagoons and channels of the Delta and Okavango floodplains, in the heart of the Okavango Delta. The lodge has 9 spacious en suite tented suites which allow guests to truly experience the sounds of the African bush without compromising on luxury. Nestled under a canopy of enormous ebony trees the lodge offer guests the chance to view the prolific wildlife on game drives and bush walks.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$4,250pp (FI)



## Sandibe Okavango Safari Lodge

Sandibe Okavango Safari Lodge is situated in a private concession to the southeast of the Moremi Game Reserve in the heart of the Okavango Delta. Recently renovated, the lodge combines luxury design with outstanding wildlife viewing. The lodge offers 12 suites; with a private plunge pool offering views over a permanent channel of the Delta that runs directly in front of the lodge. It is an ideal place to explore the floodplains and grasslands of the Delta on game drives and bush walks.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$6,170pp (FI)



## Machaba Camp

Machaba Camp is located in the Khwai area in the Okavango Delta. The camp is built in the classic 1950's style but with luxury safari tents, en suite bathrooms and living area. There are 8 luxury tents and 2 luxury family tents. The camp is ideal for children of all ages, although a private vehicle must be booked if the children are under 6 years of age. There is a library and a swimming pool with lounge for a relaxing break in between game drives.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,170pp (FI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees and flights)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local spirits & wines and game drives



# BOTSWANA LODGES



## Camp Okavango

This luxury camp accommodates just 24 guests in 11 intimate safari suites and one two-bedroom family suite, all built on individual raised wooden platforms and set beneath the lush Okavango Delta vegetation. The activities on offer at Camp Okavango include roaming the delta by motorboat or mokoro and if you want to get closer to the wilderness, there are also guided bush walks available.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,020pp (FI)



## Camp Moremi

For the classic African safari experience, look no further than Camp Moremi in Botswana's world-renowned Moremi Game Reserve. Camp Moremi is situated on the edge of the Xakanaxa Lagoon in an area well known for its spectacular game viewing opportunities. There are 12 tents, with twin or double occupancy, each one set on a raised teak deck, featuring an en suite bathroom. Accommodating a maximum of 24 guests, Camp Moremi ensures exclusivity and privacy in a tranquil environment.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,020pp (FI)



## Savute Safari Lodge

Savute Safari Lodge accommodates only 24 guests in local timber and glass chalets, beautifully furnished in fresh colours. All chalets have private decks, a combined bedroom/lounge area and en suite facilities, which sets the lodge apart from typical safari accommodation. The lounge, library and cocktail bar are situated in the exquisite thatch and timber main building, overlooking the channel. Savute boasts a viewing deck, and a swimming pool – ideal for watching game at the water hole.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,020pp (FI)



## Shinde Camp

Nestled on a lush palm island in the heart of the northern Okavango Delta, Shinde is an intimate camp located on the edge of Shinde lagoon, teeming with animal and birdlife. The main camp's unique tree house made of a multi-tiered raised dining/lounge area under canvas, set amongst the shade of ebony and mangosteen trees, compliments the atmosphere of this original safari camp. Shinde comprises 8 twin bedded classic safari tents each with en suite, hot and cold running water and a flush toilet.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,035pp (FI)



## Okuti Camp

This camp lies alongside the Maunachira River, which flows through the Xakanaxa Lagoon within the World renowned Moremi Game Reserve. This luxury camp has been designed in the African village style and is a delightful refuge in the Moremi Game Reserve. Okuti Camp is intimate, catering for only 18 guests at any one time. Accommodation is luxurious and includes an en suite bathroom as well as an outdoor shower. Activities on offer are 4x4 game drives, motorboat safaris and bird watching at the heronry.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,035pp (FI)



## Kanana Camp

Kanana Camp is located in the remote inner reaches of the Delta and features 8 luxury en suite tents with the common facilities of the camp built on stilts, encircling a massive ancient fig tree, ensuring great views of the floodplains. While game viewing in 4x4 vehicles is very popular, game viewing on foot or gliding silently through the Delta by mokoro are the highlights in this area. Fishing and visits to the local heronry are also available.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,035pp (FI)



## Duke's Camp

Inspired by Jack's Camp in the Makgadikgadi Pans, Duke's Camp brings a simple ethos and uncompromising luxury to the north floodplains of the Okavango Delta. Twelve safari suites on raised decks overlook the lush, sprawling surrounds in this intimate camp that accommodates a maximum of 24 guests. Suites and the main dining are decorated in a lavish vintage safari style, harking of a bygone era.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,995pp (FI)



## Savute Under Canvas

Savute Under Canvas is a small intimate luxury mobile camp located in a remote corner of Chobe National Park, known for its high concentration of lion. With only 5 mobile tents, this is ideal to enjoy getting back to nature, without compromising on the comforts of a full service lodge. The camp is positioned close to resident game and moves to a different site every 5 to 6 days, so that guests can enjoy exceptional game viewing in an area rarely frequented by other people or vehicles.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,940pp (FI)



## Ghoha Hills Savuti Lodge

Ghoha Hills Savuti Lodge is located in the Savuti area of the Chobe National Park. There are 9 luxury tented rooms and 2 family tented rooms, that can accommodate up to 4 people. Children from 5 years upwards can stay at the lodge. Each of the tented rooms are situated along a hillside, with wooden decks that offer 180° views over the area and the waterhole which attracts wildlife and a variety of birds.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,070pp (FI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees and flights)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local wine & spirits and game drives, **FB & GDS (Full Board & Game Drives)** - All meals and game drives.

# BOTSWANA LODGES



## Hyena Pan

Hyena Pan is a tranquil tented camp in a private concession in the Khwai area of Botswana. The 8 en suite tents offer simple comfort, furnished with twin beds, solar generated power and private facilities including gas generated showers. There is an international charging station within each tent for cameras and batteries. There is no phone signal or Wi-Fi facilities. Children are welcome although kids under 12 years must share with an adult or an older sibling.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,330pp (FI)



## Sable Alley

Located in the exclusive Khwai Private Reserve on the banks of a lagoon, home to dozens of hippo and a popular spot for elephants and buffalo, you don't even need to move further than your private veranda to see wildlife. Sable Alley has 12 luxury 600 sq ft canvas tents; featuring indoor and outdoor showers. Enjoy game drives, guided walks or explore the delta on a traditional mokoro, taking advantage of the unforgettable sights and sounds of the bush.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,995pp (FI)



## Linyanti Ebony

This small intimate tented camp is located alongside Linyanti Bush Camp on the western boundary of Chobe National Park. A luxury camp of only 4 tents, accommodating up to 8 guests, it is designed for private safaris; families and small groups who want to experience a true African safari and enjoy amazing wildlife in a private, exclusive atmosphere.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,960pp (FI)



## Khwai Tented Camp

Located in the Khwai Concession, Khwai Tented Camp is a true bush camp with 6 luxury Meru style tents in the Hemmingway style. They are on wooden decking and offer oversized twin beds and private facilities with open air bucket showers and a flush toilet. The food and service is excellent, with friendly and helpful staff. There are many activities on offer including game drives, guided bush walks, village visits and day trips to the nearby Moremi Game Reserve.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,960pp (FI)



## Jack's Camp

Jack's Camp is located on a private concession amid the desert and moon-like landscapes of the Kalahari Desert and the Makgadikgadi Pans – remnants of the once great Lake Makgadikgadi. Ten spacious, stylish canvas tents with en suite bathrooms and indoor and outdoor showers are set into a palm grove creating an oasis of civilization amongst the African bushveld. Persian rugs underfoot and cool cotton sheets form a striking contrast with the rugged wilderness.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$6,145pp (FI)



## Camp Kalahari

Camp Kalahari is a return to the traditional safari style of the old explorers, and is one of the best ways to experience the Makgadikgadi Pans, one of Botswana's most famous salt pans, in a fresh and affordable way. It is the ideal camp for those who want fun, comfort, style and adventure. Camp Kalahari accepts children of all ages so is an ideal location for a family safari. Camp Kalahari has 10 Meru style tents: 7 twin tents, 2 double tents and 1 family unit.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,270pp (FI)



## Chobe Game Lodge

Chobe Game Lodge is the only lodge actually situated within Chobe National Park overlooking the Chobe River and Caprivi floodplains. The architecture is moorish and graceful with high arches, barrel-vault ceilings and tiled floors that create an atmosphere of spaciousness and tranquility. All 47 luxury rooms are decorated with original African carvings and paintings. Chobe Game Lodge offers guests luxurious accommodation in air-conditioned river-facing rooms.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$2,015pp (FI)



## Chobe Safari Lodge

Chobe Safari Lodge is situated in Kasane on the banks of the Chobe River and shares a border with Chobe National Park. The Lodge offers tranquil and secluded accommodation in an area rich with diverse wildlife. The accommodation comprises safari rooms, river rooms and thatched rondavels. All the rooms are individually decorated and have en suite bathroom facilities with great views of this unique area.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,450pp (FB & GDS)



## Chobe Bakwena Lodge

Chobe Bakwena Lodge is an eco-luxury retreat comprising 10 rondavel style chalets, including 2 family units. Each chalet offers a river view, as well as laid-back luxury with its own raised deck with daybeds overlooking the river. The lodge's chefs prepare simple African – fusion dishes inspired by Setswana cuisine. There is also a lounge, restaurant and the Rain Tree bar overlooking the river, as well as the swimming pool.

3 DAYS/ 2 NIGHTS PRICES FROM: \$1,735pp (FI)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 2 nights accommodation, all meals, game drives and transfers from airstrip (excludes park fees and flights)

**FI (Fully Inclusive)** - All meals, local wine & spirits and game drives, **FB & GDS (Full Board & Game Drives)** - All meals and game drives.



# BOTSWANA HORSEBACK SAFARIS

There is nothing more exhilarating than riding through the African bush, surrounded by wildlife and spectacular scenery, especially in Botswana. The quality of the horses and equipment is first class, with guides that have enormous experience. As a general rule, riders need to be experienced and horses will be selected for you, based on the level of your skill. The accommodation is comfortable tents with private facilities.

6 Days / 5 Nights

BOTSWANA

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$9,730  
High Season \$13,240

PRICE INCLUDES

- 5 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Drinks supplied locally
- Game drives
- Horse and equipment
- Walks and mokoro safaris
- Air transfers in helicopter

NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

Recommended for more experienced riders.

\* Please do note our riding weight limit is 90 kg and we can dismount any clients we feel are not meeting the required riding standard - this due to safety.

**DAY 1: KUJWANA CAMP**  
On arrival in Maun you will be met and transferred by helicopter to Kujwana Camp. After lunch, you will be given an introduction talk on safety and game viewing from horseback. This is followed by an orientation ride lasting 1–2 hours. Four nights at KUJWANA CAMP. (L, D)

**DAY 2: KUJWANA CAMP**  
After breakfast, you will be taken on a morning game ride in the Xudum area. Return to camp for lunch and in the afternoon, explore the surrounding areas on a mokoro expedition. (B, L, D)

**DAY 3: KUJWANA CAMP**  
This morning enjoy a ride exploring the Qwaapu area. This is a river system with a unique landscape and many game viewing opportunities. Return to the camp for lunch, where there is time for a siesta before an afternoon game drive. In the evening, explore the area on a night drive. (B, L, D)

**DAY 4: KUJWANA CAMP**  
Today is a full day ride, moving through the floodplains and islands of the Matsebi river. Enjoy a picnic lunch followed by a siesta or swim, before continuing your ride back to Kujwana Camp in time for sunset. (B, L, D)

**DAY 5: KUJWANA CAMP**  
Spend the morning riding the southern route, following the edge of the Matsebi River. In the afternoon, you will be taken on a game drive or boat excursion to the hippo pans. Here, enjoy sunset drinks on game viewing platforms four metres above the ground, situated in the tree canopy. Return to Kujwana Camp at sunset. (B, L, D)

**DAY 6: MAUN**  
Early morning game ride out of Kujwana Camp if flight times permit. After breakfast you will be transferred to the airstrip for a helicopter transfer to Maun and your onward flight. (B)

*This itinerary may vary according to water levels and game movements. Mokoros (dugout canoes) are offered as an activity depending on water levels.*



# BOTSWANA PHOTOGRAPHY SAFARI

A unique landscape rich in wildlife makes Botswana a photographer's dream destination. On this safari you will explore two of Botswana's nature and wildlife gems: Chobe National Park and the Okavango Delta. You will be accompanied by a dedicated photography guide who will provide you with the skills and tricks of African wildlife and nature photography. This is a great way to improve your photographic skills - with the shots to prove it!

8 Days / 7 Nights

BOTSWANA

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$13,310  
High Season \$14,980

PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Airport meet & greet
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Photographic tuition throughout
- Use of a Canon DSLR camera, telephoto lens & memory cards
- Twice daily activities in Chobe NP
- Charter flights in and out of the Okavango Delta
- Twice daily game drives
- All park, landing and concession contributions

NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

**DAYS 1 – 4: CHOBE NATIONAL PARK**  
On arrival at Kasane Airport, you will be met and transferred to PANGOLIN CHOBE HOTEL, where you will stay for the next three nights. Enjoy splendid views from your accommodation, which is situated on a plateau overlooking the Caprivi floodplains and Chobe River. On arrival, enjoy the chance to explore the gallery, editing room, and underground hide before meeting your fellow photographers.

Afterwards, seek out the diverse animals of the Chobe National Park, such as elephants, crocodiles, buffalos, water birds and plentiful plains game. Every day you will enjoy a morning and afternoon activity with a photo review session afterwards. (B, L, D)



**DAYS 4 – 8: OKAVANGO DELTA**  
This morning you will check out of your hotel and be transferred to Kasane Airport, for your onward flight to the Okavango Delta. Arrive an hour later in the Shinde Concession airstrip, before being transferred to your accommodation for the next four nights, SHINDE FOOTSTEPS.

Perched on the edge of a lagoon, this exclusive and intimate camp hosts just five tents. Spend your days on game drives exploring this private concession known for its populations of wild dog, wildebeest, red lechwe and giraffe. On the final day you will be taken to Kadizora airstrip for your flight to Maun. (B, L, D)



# BOTSWANA CRUISING

*Moving along the banks of the great Chobe River, the Zambezi Queen is a 5-star, 42-metre long luxury houseboat offering unparalleled sophistication on one of the most interesting rivers in Africa. Best of all, as a guest on the vessel, you can enjoy a truly unique and adventurous river safari holiday while still being surrounded by complete comfort and elegance. Alternatively, board one of the three Chobe Princesses, which are smaller and offer a more intimate experience. You can book a cabin on one of the vessels or book the entire boat, exclusively, which will give you your very own private villa on the water. As you drift down the Chobe River and spot incredible wildlife scenes, you'll be able to completely relax on this intimate river safari experience.*



## ZAMBEZI QUEEN

Each of the 14 suites on the Zambezi Queen feature air-conditioning and your own private balcony, where you can enjoy unobstructed views of the Chobe River and the African landscape beyond. The houseboat is luxurious with classic yet contemporary interiors, and just like at any contemporary hotel, you can expect first class service at every turn. There are two journeys on offer – a 2 night or a 3 night cruise departing from near Kasane in Botswana. Unlike a land-based lodge, Zambezi Queen navigates roughly 25km of the Chobe River, allowing you to explore different vantage points to enjoy unparalleled game viewing. In fact, the banks of the Chobe National Park boast one of the densest populations of elephant on the African continent – estimated at approximately 120,000. The park is also home to a large number of buffalo, leopard and lion, along with a variety of antelope as well as abundant birdlife.

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2 NIGHTS STANDARD SUITE PRICE FROM: \$2,760 PER PERSON

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## CHOBÉ PRINCESS

There are three Chobe Princesses operating on the Chobe River offering a 2-night or 3-night journey from near Kasane. The Chobe Princesses are much smaller than the Zambezi Queen, making your experience more intimate. Each cabin on board the Chobe Princesses are tastefully decorated in a contemporary style, and each has its own private view onto the ever-changing landscapes beyond. Each houseboat has a minimum of three smaller "tender" boats for use on daily excursions to see the wildlife or some of the over, 450 bird species found in this wetland paradise. The cruises are a photographer's dream, as they provide opportunities to capture Africa's unique beauty. Alternatively, there is the opportunity to enjoy some time fishing the river, especially for the famous tiger fish – regarded as one of the greatest thrills in fishing.

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2 NIGHTS PRICE FROM: \$1,990 PER PERSON

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# BOTSWANA ADVENTURE CAMPING

*This 10-day fully serviced scheduled camping safari, utilising en suite dome tents, takes in all that the Okavango Delta, Moremi Game Reserve and Chobe National Park offers. The safari begins with a magical flight into Moremi Game Reserve, followed by the remarkable game viewing around the Savuti Channel, with the last few days spent alongside two of Africa's most beautiful rivers and finishing at the magnificent Victoria Falls.*

### DAY 1: MAUN – OKAVANGO DELTA

Upon arrival in Maun, you will be transferred to a shared light aircraft for your flight to Xakanaxa. On arrival you will be transferred to your private campsite, with a game drive en-route. Two nights at your PRIVATE CAMPSITE. (L, D)

### DAY 2: OKAVANGO DELTA

Today, you will explore the clear channels, lagoons and rivers of the Okavango Delta by motor boat. After a picnic lunch, you will head out on a game drive. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: KHWAI RIVER, MOREMI GAME RESERVE

Today you will be transferred to your campsite in the Khwai River area, with a game drive en-route. Two nights at your PRIVATE CAMPSITE (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: KHWAI RIVER, MOREMI GAME RESERVE

Today will be spent on early morning and afternoon game drives. This is a game rich area, with a large variety of antelope, zebra, lion, hyena, leopard, cheetah and wild dog. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: SAVUTI, CHOBÉ NATIONAL PARK

Today you will head to Chobe National Park. In the afternoon you will be taken on a game drive. Two nights at your PRIVATE CAMPSITE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: CHOBÉ NATIONAL PARK

Today you will be taken on morning and afternoon game drives. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 7 – 8: SERONDELLA AREA, CHOBÉ NP

After breakfast you will journey north toward the Chobe River. Two nights at your PRIVATE CAMPSITE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: VICTORIA FALLS, LIVINGSTONE – ZAMBIA

After breakfast you will head eastwards on your last game drive, before being transferred to Livingstone. The afternoon can be spent exploring the magnificent Victoria Falls. Optional activities such as white water rafting, flights over the falls, bungee jumping and much more are available. Overnight PIONEERS or BATONKA GUEST LODGE. (B)

### DAY 10: VICTORIA FALLS, LIVINGSTONE – ZAMBIA

After breakfast, your tour ends (B)



## 10 Days / 9 Nights

### BOTSWANA

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$6,685

High Season \$7,985

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 9 nights accommodation on a twin share basis in dome tents
- All transfers
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Professional guide and back-up crew
- Full service camping in private campsites and lodge in Victoria Falls
- Camp bed, mattress, sheets and blankets
- Botswana National Parks and Game Reserves entrance fees.
- Scheduled flight Maun – Xakanaxa

Contact African Travel Specialists for detailed itinerary and departure dates.





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## BEST OF NAMIBIA

*This scheduled safari highlights the best that Namibia has to offer. From the dramatic sand dunes of Sossusvlei to the lunar landscape of Damaraland, to the wildlife in Etosha National Park and the coastal area of Swakopmund, this tour truly showcases Namibia's vast contrasts. Experience walking safaris, game drives and kayaking adventures. Meet some of the last traditional tribes in southern Africa and learn about big cat conservation at the AfriCat Wildlife Sanctuary. Staying in comfortable accommodation with private facilities, this 10-day tour delivers the best that Namibia has to offer.*

10 Days / 9 Nights

NAMIBIA

PRICE PER PERSON FROM

Low Season \$7,980

High Season \$8,795

PRICE INCLUDES

- 9 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transportation in a luxury air-conditioned safari vehicle
- Services of a registered and experienced naturalist English-speaking safari guide
- Entrance fees and excursions as described in itinerary
- Mineral water on board the safari vehicle
- Option of either kayaking or catamaran boat cruise in Swakopmund
- Welcome pack

**NOTE:**

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together. Tour departs selected Tuesdays and Saturdays.

### DAY 1: WINDHOEK – SOSSUSVLEI

This morning, you will travel from Windhoek through the scenic highlands of the Great Escarpment, before arriving into the Namib Desert. Two nights at DEAD VALLEY LODGE. (L, D)

### DAY 2: SOSSUSVLEI

Wake early to explore the Namib Naukluft National Park, setting off before sunrise to capture a view of the dunes with the dramatic morning light on them. Explore Sossusvlei, Deadvlei and other nearby dunes, before enjoying a picnic lunch. (B, L, D)

### DAY 3: SWAKOPMUND

Early this morning, you have the option to enjoy a sunrise balloon flight or scenic light aircraft flight (at additional cost) over the Namib Naukluft National Park. Afterwards, drive through desert landscapes en-route to Walvis Bay and the Namibian coast. Continue north to the seaside haven of Swakopmund and enjoy the afternoon at your leisure to explore the town before enjoying dinner at a local seafood restaurant. Two nights at THE DELIGHT HOTEL. (B, L, D)

### DAY 4: SWAKOPMUND

After breakfast, you will be driven along the scenic coastal road back south to Walvis Bay for a kayaking adventure. Cape fur seals, bottlenose dolphins, flamingos and a wide variety of seabirds are just some of the wildlife commonly spotted. There is also the option to partake in a boat excursion to the outer lagoon instead. After exploring the waterfront area of Walvis Bay, return to Swakopmund for an afternoon at leisure. (B, L, D)

### DAY 5: SWAKOPMUND – DAMARALAND

Today you will head towards Damaraland and en-route you will pass Namibia's highest mountain, Brandberg Mountain. Spend the day admiring the captivating landscape of this area, from its table-top mountains to its bizarre looking rock formations. If time permits, visit the pre-historic rock engravings at Twyfelfontein. Two nights at CAMP KIPWE. (B, L, D)

### DAY 6: DAMARALAND

After breakfast, you will be taken on an exciting 4x4 excursion along the Aba Huab and Huab River valleys in search of the elusive desert elephants and other rare game. The afternoon is at your leisure, with the option to enjoy a guided walk in the local area. On return to camp, the rest of your day is at leisure. (B, L, D)

### DAY 7: DAMARALAND – SOUTHERN ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

After an early breakfast, journey to Ongava Game Reserve, situated on the southern border of Etosha National Park. Arrive in time for an afternoon game drive, exploring the open plains and woodlands that are home to lion, leopard, rhino, giraffe, zebra and much more. Three nights at ONGAVA COLLECTION. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: SOUTHERN ETOSHA NP

Today you will depart on an early morning game drive in Etosha National Park. Upon return to your accommodation, enjoy lunch before departing on an afternoon game drive. There is also the option for a full day game drive with picnic lunch. Spend your evening game viewing whilst enjoying dinner at the camp's waterhole. (B, L, D)

### DAY 9: ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK – ONGUMA GAME RESERVE

Today, you will be taken on another memorable morning of game viewing within Etosha National Park. Return to camp for lunch, then spend the afternoon on a game drive within the private Onguma Game Reserve. After sunset, enjoy your final safari dinner overlooking the waterhole. (B, L, D)

### DAY 10: ONGUMA GAME RESERVE – WINDHOEK

This morning, you will visit the AfriCat Foundation, a wildlife sanctuary which focuses on the research and rehabilitation of Africa's big cats. After lunch, enjoy an afternoon game drive and tour of the centre. You will then be transferred back to Windhoek Airport, or your accommodation (not included). (B, L)

# NAMIBIA SELF – DRIVE SAFARI

*The vast and diverse expanse of Namibia is best explored by road, and a self-drive itinerary is perfect for those who want the unique experience of driving through the desert, spectacular coast and game parks of the country. This route will take you through the country's most iconic and beautiful towns and areas including the desert areas of Sossusvlei and Damaraland, the coastal towns of Walvis Bay and Swakopmund, and Etosha National Park.*

## DAY 1: WINDHOEK

On arrival at Windhoek Airport, you will be met and transferred to GALTON HOUSE for your overnight stay. Here you will receive your vehicle, ready to start your self-drive safari. (B)

## DAY 2: WINDHOEK – SOSSUSVLEI

After breakfast you will drive towards Sossusvlei, renowned for its red dunes and white salt pan. Arrive at your lodge in time for lunch and enjoy the rest of the afternoon at leisure. Two nights at HOODIA DESERT LODGE (B, L, D)

## DAY 3: SOSSUSVLEI

This morning you will set off on a guided excursion to the dunes of Sossusvlei, Sesriem Canyon and Deadvlei with its iconic dead camel thorn trees. After a picnic lunch, you will return to the lodge. (B, L, D)

## DAY 4: SOSSUSVLEI – SWAKOPMUND

Today you will drive northwest through the desert landscape of the Namib Naukluft National Park, passing the Gaub and Kuiseb Canyons. You will arrive at the coastal town of Walvis Bay, before continuing further north to Swakopmund. You will be free in the afternoon to explore the town. Two nights at STRAND HOTEL. (B, L)

## DAY 5: SWAKOPMUND

Today is at your leisure to explore Swakopmund, Walvis Bay and the surrounding areas. The towns are full of history and there are many sights and adventure activities on offer. Take a scenic flight, go sandboarding, enjoy a morning dolphin cruise on the Walvis Bay harbour or visit Sandwich Harbour, one of the most important wetlands for migratory birds in southern Africa (own expense). (B)

## DAY 6: SWAKOPMUND – DAMARALAND

This morning you will continue to Damaraland. In the afternoon you will arrive at ONDULI RIDGE where you will stay for the next two nights. (B, L, D)

## DAY 7: DAMARALAND

Today you will leave early for a guided excursion into the Aba Huab River Valley in search of the elusive desert elephant and other desert-adapted wildlife including rhino and giraffe. Return to the camp in time for lunch and spend the rest of the day at leisure. (B, L, D)

## DAY 8: DAMARALAND – ONGAVA GAME RESERVE

After breakfast, begin the drive to ONGAVA LODGE in Ongava Game Reserve, a private game reserve on the border of Etosha National Park. (B, D)

## DAY 9: ONGAVA GAME RESERVE – EASTERN ETOSHA

This morning you will make your way to Etosha National Park, with the chance to stop at various waterholes along the way. Two nights at ONGUMA TENTED CAMP. (B, D)

## DAY 10: ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Today you will have the opportunity to either enjoy the activities offered by Onguma (at own expense) or set out on a game drive in your own vehicle. (B, D)

## DAY 11: ETOSHA – OKONJIMA

Today you will depart Etosha for Okonjima. This area is home to the renowned AfriCat Foundation, a wildlife sanctuary dedicated to wildlife conservation, especially cheetah. Two nights at OKONJIMA BUSH CAMP. (B, L, D)

## DAY 12: OKONJIMA

Early this morning you will set out on a guided morning activity before returning to the camp for brunch. (B, L, D)

## DAY 13: OKONJIMA – WINDHOEK

Today you will enjoy a morning activity in Okonjima before setting off to Windhoek on the last drive of your safari. After a stop in the town of Okahandja, you will arrive in Windhoek in the mid-afternoon, where you will return your rental vehicle. This will be the end of your Namibian journey. (B)

13 Days / 12 Nights

## NAMIBIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM

Low Season \$10,180

High Season \$12,170

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 12 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D/ FI)
- Vehicle hire of one 4x4 (including additional drivers)
- Excursions and activities as detailed in itinerary
- Arrival airport transfers from Windhoek Airport
- Departure 'meet and greet' services

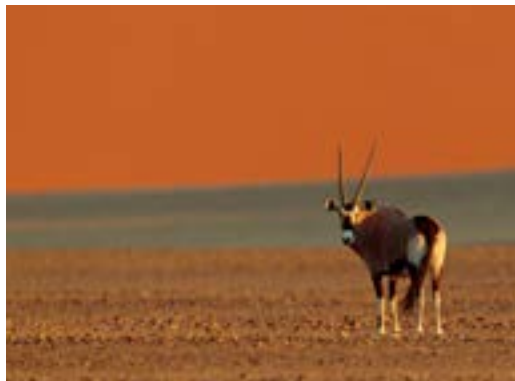
### NOTE:

Additional costs may apply and are not included such as airport taxes, fuel and refundable deposit for rental vehicle, GPS, and age supplement as well as additional activities and meals etc.

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.



Windhoek



Onyx, Sossusvlei

# SOSSUSVLEI BY ROAD

*This 4-day safari is ideal for those with limited time wanting to see the highlights of the Namib Desert. Explore the Gondwana Namib Park, the towering red dunes of Sossusvlei and the ghostly camel thorn trees of Deadvlei.*

## DAY 1: WINDHOEK

On arrival at Windhoek Airport you will be met and transferred to THE ELEGANT GUESTHOUSE for your overnight stay.

## DAY 2: NAMIB DESERT

Depart Windhoek for the Namib Desert. Today you will have the chance to explore this ever-changing landscape, consisting of towering dunes and diverse colours. Discover the oldest desert in the world, sighting fossilised dunes and exploring Gondwana Namib Park and the famous red dunes this area is known for. Two nights at NAMIB DESERT LODGE. (B, D)

## DAY 3: SOSSUSVLEI

Today you will leave early to see the rising sun paint the dunes at Sossusvlei a variety of different colours. You can explore Sossusvlei or Deadvlei on foot, enjoying a picnic lunch under the Camelthorn trees before returning to your lodge via Sesriem Canyon. In the afternoon, enjoy a nature drive to Marble Mountain, enjoying a sundowner drink on arrival. (B, L, D)

## DAY 4: NAMIB DESERT – WINDHOEK

Today, you will be transferred by road to Windhoek. (B)

4 Days / 3 Nights

## NAMIBIA

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM

Low Season \$1,275

High Season \$1,310

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 3 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transportation as per itinerary
- Services of registered driver/ guide throughout tour
- Entrance fees to Namib Naukluft National Park

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

This Sossusvlei excursion can also be done by air. Please contact African Travel Specialists for details.





# Madagascar Mauritius Mozambique Seychelles

The islands of the Indian Ocean are an ideal place to stopover on the way to or from Africa, offering the perfect beach break.

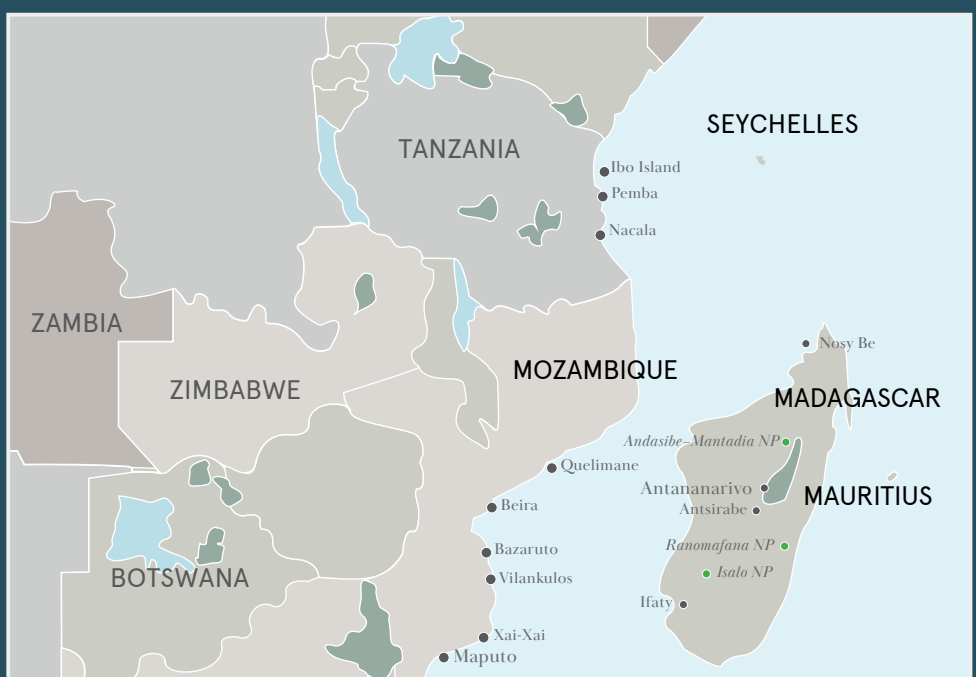
Glistening white sand beaches, water sports, golf resorts and sumptuous food and wine make the beautiful island of Mauritius a dream resort destination. Quiet fishing villages offer an insight into the mix of cultures that differentiate Mauritius from other countries. In the words of Mark Twain, "Mauritius was made first and then heaven, heaven being copied after Mauritius".

The stunningly beautiful Seychelles, often regarded as one of the most beautiful places on earth, is also

renowned for its beaches, water sports and luxury resorts. A paradise for honeymooners, the islands offer the perfect haven for tranquillity and relaxation.

Numerous islands off the coast of Mozambique offer equally enchanting and beautiful island getaways. Barefoot luxury resorts offering activities in smaller, more private settings epitomise the islands of Mozambique as the ideal romantic destination.

As a contrast, Madagascar is known for its unique wildlife, in particular, its variety of lemurs, chameleons and butterflies – the greatest number on Earth.





# ULTIMATE MADAGASCAR

Get off the beaten track and experience barefoot luxury in south-eastern Madagascar. Staying in two small and intimate properties this itinerary offers the chance to see lemurs and other wildlife on forest walks and experience cultural interactions at Mandrare River Camp, as well as canoeing, snorkelling, and seasonal whale watching at Manafiaty.

14 Days / 13 Nights

MADAGASCAR

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$12,750  
High Season \$13,220

PRICE INCLUDES

- 13 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transport by SUV or minibus with services
- Services of English speaking guide
- Sightseeing and excursions as per itinerary
- Entrance fees for national parks and reserves
- All transfers
- Domestic flight Antananarivo - Antsiranana (Diego Suarez)

NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

**DAY 1: ANTANANARIVO**  
On arrival at the airport, you will be met and transferred to your hotel in Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar. Overnight at MAISON GALLIENI or similar. (D)

**DAY 2: ANTANANARIVO – ANDASIBE**  
Today you will be transferred by road to your hotel in Andasibe. Two nights at MANTADIA LODGE. (B, L, D)

**DAY 3: ANDASIBE**  
Today you will visit Mantadia National Park, enjoying a picnic lunch at Rianasoa Waterfall and a night walk in the evening. (B, L, D)

**DAY 4: ANTANANARIVO**  
In the morning, visit Perinet Reserve in search of the fascinating Indri lemur. Return to the lodge for lunch, before being transferred by road back to Antananarivo. One night at RADISSON BLU WATERFRONT. (B, L, D)

**NOTE:** Dinner is a set menu only, drinks are excluded.

**DAY 5: ANTSIRANANA**  
Rise early for your flight to Antsiranana. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to NATURE LODGE for your two-night stay. (B, L, D)

**DAY 6: MONTAGNE D'AMBRE NATIONAL PARK**  
Today you will spend a full day in Montagne d'Ambre National Park. (B, L, D)

**DAY 7: ANKARANA**  
Today you will be transferred by road to your next accommodation, IHARANA BUSH CAMP, for your three-night stay. (B)

**DAY 8: TSINGY OF ANKARANA**  
Today you will spend a full day visiting the famous tsingy



Antsiranana

of Madagascar. Tsingy translates to “where one cannot walk barefoot” in Malagasy, an appropriate name for these rock formations that are thin and needle-like. (B, L, D)

**DAY 9: TSINGY OF IHARANA**  
You will have the chance today to visit the tsingy of Iharana. Afterwards, visit Chameleon Cave, Mandresy Cave and nearby Ankarana villages. (B, L, D)

**DAYS 10 – 13: NOSY AMBARIOVATO**  
Depart for Nosy Ambariovato, where you will spend four nights at TSARA KOMBA LODGE. Enjoy a half-day snorkelling trip, and spend the rest of your time at leisure. (B, L, D)

**DAY 14: DEPART**  
Today you will be transferred back to Nosy Be airport for your onward flight. (B)

# CLASSIC NORTHERN MADAGASCAR

This tour explores the diverse landscapes and fascinating wildlife of Madagascar. Discover the breathtaking waterfalls and lakes of Montagne d'Ambre National Park, the underground limestone caves of Ankarana Reserve and the exquisite beaches of Nosy Be.

8 Days / 7 Nights

MADAGASCAR

PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

\$4,790

PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All transfers as per itinerary
- Flights: Antananarivo – Diego Suarez, Nosy Be – Antananarivo
- Motorboat transfer from Ankify to Nosy Be (return)
- English-speaking guide from Diego Suarez airport to Ankify (Days 2-6)
- Specialist local guides in national parks as per programme
- Activities and excursions as mentioned
- Park and reserve entrance fees

NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

**DAY 1: ARRIVE ANTANANARIVO**  
On arrival at the airport, you will be met and transferred to your hotel in Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar. The city boasts bustling marketplaces, incredible royal palaces and churches. Overnight at RELAIS DES PLATEAUX or similar.

**DAYS 2 – 3: ANTANANARIVO – DIEGO SUAREZ – MONTAGNE D'AMBRE**  
This morning you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Diego Suarez. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to Montagne d'Ambre National Park where you will check in to NATURE LODGE, LITCHI TREE or similar. Spend the following day exploring the park and its unique ecosystem, flora and fauna. Here, you will have the chance to see seven species of lemur, mongoose and a variety of reptiles. (B, L)

**DAY 4: MONTAGNE D'AMBRE – ANKARANA RESERVE**  
Today you will be transferred to Ankarana, a nature reserve that features beautiful scenery, caves, underground rivers and a diverse range of wildlife. See the limestone ‘tsingy’ formations and explore the cave system, which is home to bat-filled grottoes. Two nights at ANKARANA LODGE. (B, D)

**DAY 5: ANKARANA**  
Spend a full day in the Ankarana Reserve, exploring the rich vegetation, flora and fauna. (B, D)

**DAY 6: ANKIFY – NOSY BE**  
After breakfast you will be driven to Ankify, a small beachside village. From here you will be transferred by boat to Nosy Be. Upon arrival, check in to RAVINTSARA

WELLNESS HOTEL for your two-night stay. Known as the “island of perfumes”, Nosy Be is covered in palm trees and bougainvillea. Enjoy the relaxed atmosphere and sparkling blue waters of its beaches. (B)

**DAY 7: NOSY BE**  
Enjoy the day at leisure. You can visit the Lokobe Reserve, where you will have the chance to see endemic wildlife such as lemurs, birds and chameleons. Alternatively, explore the surrounding islands on a day cruise. Offering both snorkelling and diving opportunities, the area is home to fantastic corals, clown fish, manta rays and starfish. (B)

**DAY 8: NOSY BE – DEPART ANTANANARIVO**  
Today you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Antananarivo. From here, you will board your onward flight. This marks the end of the tour. (B)



Nosy Be



Ring-tailed lemur, Madagascar

## BEST OF MADAGASCAR

Discover Madagascar, the world's fourth largest island that is rich in flora and fauna. It is home to almost all known species of lemur and half of the world's chameleons, as well as 350 species of butterfly and over 250 species of birds. This tour highlights the best that Madagascar has to offer, from bustling Antananarivo to Antsirabe in the south, as well as the best national parks in Madagascar like Perinet, Ranomafana and Isalo.

### DAY 1: ANTANANARIVO

On arrival at Antananarivo, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Overnight at HOTEL GREGOIRE or similar.

### DAY 2: PERINET NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, you will be taken to Perinet National Park, viewing the local wildlife and birds en-route. Two nights at FEON NY ALA or similar. (B)

### DAY 3: ANDASIBE RESERVE

Today you will visit Andasibe Reserve in search of the Indri – a rare species of lemur, then continue to Betsimisaraka village, before returning to your lodge. (B)

### DAY 4: ANT SIRABE

Today you will travel south by road to Antsirabe. Overnight at HOTEL DES THERMES or similar. (B)

### DAY 5: RANOMAFANA

This morning you will be taken on a short tour of Antsirabe, before continuing to Ambositra to see the Malagasy carvings at the centre of Madagascar's wood carving industry. Continue to Ranomafana National Park. Two nights at CENTREST SEJOUR or similar. (B)

### DAY 6: RANOMAFANA

Enjoy a forest walk to see exotic orchids, waterfalls, hot springs and various lemur species. (B)

### DAY 7: AMBALAVAO

Transfer to Ambalavao stopping at the paper manufacturing centre en-route. In the afternoon you

will visit the lemur park at Anja. Two nights at HOTEL TSIENIMPARIHY LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

### DAY 8: TSARANORO VALLEY

Today you will enjoy a guided hike along the Chameleon Track in the Tsaranoro Valley. Popular with hikers, the Tsaranoro Valley is home to a diverse landscape, boasting dramatic rock-faces, sweeping plains and lush forests. (B, L, D)

### DAYS 9 – 10: ISALO NATIONAL PARK

After breakfast, travel to Isalo National Park where you will have a full day to explore this unusual park, including a walk from the natural swimming pool to the waterfall of Namazaha. Two nights at HOTEL H1 or similar. (B, D)

### DAYS 11 – 12: IFATY

Travel south through the 'spiny desert' to see the spectacular Mahafaly tombs, before continuing to Ifaty. Two nights at IFATY BEACH CLUB or BELLA DONNA. (B, D)

### DAY 13: ANTANANARIVO

Transfer to Tulear for your flight to Antananarivo, where on arrival you will be met and transferred to your accommodation. Two nights at HOTEL GREGOIRE or similar. (B, D)

### DAY 14: ANTANANARIVO

Today is at leisure to explore the capital city. (B, D)

### DAY 15: ANTANANARIVO

Your tour concludes after breakfast. (B)

15 Days / 14 Nights

## MADAGASCAR

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$4,840

High Season \$5,230

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 14 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transport by minibus with services of an English speaking driver and 4x4 on day 8
- English speaking local guide for a walk in Reserve of Perinet, Ranomafana National Park, Tsaranoro Valley and Isalo National Park
- Sightseeing and visits with local guides as specified
- Entrance fees for the visits in national parks and reserves
- All transfers
- Domestic flight Tulear – Antananarivo

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.



Isalo National Park

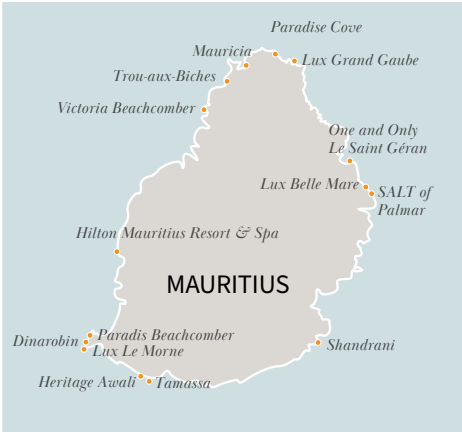


Camouflaged Chameleon, Madagascar



# MAURITIUS RESORTS

The island of Mauritius is a sparkling jewel set in the Indian Ocean. Superb hotels are located on some of the most beautiful beaches with a dramatic backdrop formed by the inland mountains. It is an exotic destination unspoilt by mass tourism and suitable for a relaxing resort holiday or stop-over en-route to Africa. Mauritius offers so many exciting activities including watersports, and land-based sports like golf as well as a range of spa and beauty treatments.



## Lux\* Belle Mare

Lux\* Belle Mare is a 5-star resort located on the east coast and on one of the best beaches in Mauritius. Set in lovely tropical gardens, its spacious rooms and jacuzzi equipped suites are furnished with vibrant colours. The resort has 174 suites in 8 categories with breathtaking sea views and 12 villas, each with a private swimming pool, garden, outdoor dining area and butler service.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$260 (BB)



## Lux\* Le Morne

Located in the south of the island, Lux\* Le Morne has been completely renovated to a very high standard. Lux\* Le Morne borders a fine sandy beach, protected by an off-shore reef and is sheltered by a rugged mountain that juts out into the ocean. It has 64 superior rooms, 15 ocean junior suites, 15 honeymoon junior suites, 10 classic junior suites and 45 prestige junior suites. All rooms have a balcony and are sea facing. It is an ideal place for a wedding, or for those looking for a place to spend their honeymoon.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$290 (BB)



## Lux\* Grand Gaube

Located in the centre of Grand Gaube, the Lux\* Grand Gaube is based on the principles of Feng Shui. It incorporates 104 ocean superior rooms, 46 deluxe rooms, and 23 junior suites, 22 superior rooms, 2 senior suites and 1 Lux villa which has a modern kitchenette, jacuzzi, private outdoor pool, and its own private beach. Complimentary activities include windsurfing, kayaking, mini-sail, snorkelling, glass bottom boat trips and waterskiing. For those who want to relax body and mind, 'The Source' complex offers a myriad of luxury amenities.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$245 (BB)



## Tamassa

Tamassa is located in the south-west of Mauritius. In this less commercialised area, you will be able to enjoy spectacular walks and drives through lush, tropical hillsides, as well as a range of activities. In front of the hotel, beyond the sandy beach, lies a turquoise lagoon that practically blends into the skyline. All rooms have their own furnished terrace or balcony with a sea view, air-conditioning, bath, separate shower and spacious wooden dressing room, satellite LCD TV, telephone, minibar, and safe.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$140 (BB)



## SALT of Palmar

The SALT of Palmar is a luxury resort located right on the beach. With only 59 rooms, this brand new resort is fully sustainable and all ingredients in their food are fresh and local. A true wellness retreat, the spa boasts a salt room and offers a range of salt-based treatments to get you feeling hydrated, detoxified, and energised. The rooms are fitted with handmade king size beds, a rain shower, a yoga mat and block, a radio and locally produced toiletries.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$160 (BB)



## Heritage Awali Golf Resort & Spa

Heritage Awali is a luxury all-inclusive 5-star beach resort in the southern part of Mauritius. It is designed specifically for families with an amazing array of land and water based activities, including complimentary waterskiing, a kids club for 2-17 year olds, quad bikes, fully equipped gym, beach cinema and water sports, as well as a spectacular 18-hole golf course.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$385 (AI)

PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE: 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated.

BB - Bed & Breakfast, HB (Half Board) - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, FB (Full Board) - All meals, AI (All Inclusive) - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits



### Victoria Beachcomber Resort & Spa

Located north west on the coast of Mauritius, Victoria Beachcomber is situated between the tourist hub of Grand Baie and Port Louis. It is one of the most popular family resorts in Mauritius and renowned for its spacious sea-facing rooms, a laid-back atmosphere and a wide range of activities for both children and teenagers. The property offers 154 superior and 58 deluxe rooms as well as family apartments and suites, all with sophisticated seaside decor.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$310pp (HB)



### Trou aux Biches Beachcomber Golf Resort & Spa

Trou aux Biches Resort is located on a strip of white sandy beach at the edge of a turquoise lagoon on the north west coast of Mauritius. Accommodation is in lavish chalet-style suites, while private villas are tucked among the lush tropical gardens. All Villas, Beach Front Suites and Senior Beach Front Suites have private pools.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$330pp (BB)



### Paradis Beachcomber Golf Resort & Spa

Paradis Beachcomber enjoys a superb location on the island's south-western tip, against the backdrop of the iconic Le Morne mountain and on one of the most scenic shorelines on the island. The resort has beautifully furnished rooms and suites. It offers a variety of complimentary water sports including a kite surfing school, stand up paddle boarding and all the usual water sports.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$370pp (BB)



### Dinarobin Beachcomber Golf Resort & Spa

The elegant Dinarobin Beachcomber Golf & Spa is the perfect sanctuary. Relax and enjoy the cascading pools dotted around the resort and unwind in suites with spacious wooden decks and terraces offering sea views. Located on the shoreline with Le Morne mountain behind, Dinarobin offers an intimate village setting. Dinarobin also has 4 restaurants, a poolside bar, a full service spa and of course, an 18-hole golf course.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$173pp (BB)



### Shandrani Beachcomber Resort & Spa

Shandrani is a high quality resort with a lively vibe. Set on a private peninsula, the resort has three different beaches to discover, whilst a short boat ride takes you to the famous Ile aux Aigrettes nature reserve. Shandrani's sports and leisure activities include water-skiing, golf and a sailing school. Other facilities include a spa and a wellness centre, as well as 5 beachfront restaurants.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$315pp (HB)



### Mauricia Beachcomber Resort and Spa

Located on the north coast of Mauritius, the 4-star Mauricia offers guests a cosmopolitan and relaxed, luxury Mauritian experience. Designed with traditional Mediterranean influences, the hotel provides views of the ocean from the public areas. Conveniently located within walking distance of the tourist hub of Grand Baie; guests are spoilt for choice with the array of restaurants, bars, clubs and boutiques to visit.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$280pp (HB)



### Paradise Cove

Paradise Cove Boutique Hotel and Spa is situated at Anse La Raie, on the extreme north coast of the island. It is a 5-star boutique hotel and is one of the most secluded upmarket properties in Mauritius. The 67 rooms and suites combine harmoniously modern comfort and traditional Mauritian architecture. The resort nestles in a tropical garden and is located on its own private cove and beach.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$360pp (HB)



### Hilton Mauritius Resort and Spa

The Hilton Mauritius Resort is located on the west coast of Mauritius, on a white sand beach in the famous Flic-en-Flac area. This award winning 5-star resort offers large guests rooms, each beautifully appointed with a marble bathroom and a large terrace with views over the gardens or the Indian Ocean. The resort has 3 restaurants and the Vista bar. There is a spa and sauna as well as a yoga studio, large lagoon style swimming pool, two tennis courts and a water sports centre. Nearby is an 18 hole championship golf course.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$390pp (HB)



### One & Only Le Saint Geran

The luxurious Le Saint Geran nestles on its own private peninsula on the East Coast of the island. With reef waves, protected lagoon waters, and ocean breezes, the hotel boasts incredible aquatic recreational opportunities. All suites feature a private terrace facing either the ocean or cove, or a door opening onto a tropical garden. All guests have a personalised 24-hour butler service.

2 DAYS/1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$875pp (BB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated.

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits



# MOZAMBIQUE BEACH STAYS

Mozambique has stunning white sand beaches, excellent diving and magical off-shore islands. Enjoy snorkelling around the Bazaruto Archipelago, sail on a dhow through mangrove channels, or laze under the palms in the Quirimbas Archipelago. This special beach destination is the perfect accompaniment to your African safari, honeymoon or just a fabulous getaway.



## Azura Benguerra

The stunning Azura Benguerra is situated on an unspoilt island within a national park with deserted beaches of pure white sand and sparkling turquoise seas. Azura is the country's first luxury eco-boutique retreat. Built entirely by hand by the local community and operated in partnership with them, it has just 14 luxury villas, each with their own infinity pool. It is ideal for couples or honeymooners seeking an intimate getaway.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,345pp (AI)



## Santorini Mozambique

Inspired by the romantic architecture and tranquil living of it's namesake, Santorini Mozambique boasts panoramic sea views and is just a twenty-minute drive from Vilanculos International Airport. Home to just three villas, each a five, two and three-bedroom respectively, Santorini provides a sense of exclusivity and intimacy, offering guests and parties of all sizes a sense of privacy. A range of activities are available, including island excursions, horse safaris, scuba diving, kite surfing, yoga and fishing.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,190pp (AI)



## &Beyond Benguerra Island Lodge

&Beyond Benguerra Island Lodge is set on a beach amid tropical vegetation. There are ten beautifully appointed rooms and two more modest, less expensive cabanas, as well as a two-room villa perfect for families. All rooms have butler service. The lodge is traditional in design, with elegant public areas tucked away amongst the trees, a dhow-shaped beach bar, plus a small spa and watersports centre. Activities include diving, water sports, expeditions across the island and horseriding.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,695pp(AI)



## Anvil Bay Lodge

Indulge in blissful eco-luxury and discover true unspoilt wilderness on the coast of Mozambique with Anvil Bay Lodge. Offering an intimate experience with just 10 casinhas secreted away in the dune forest, this location is perfect for those looking to unwind with a beach holiday, or for the more adventurous seeking to explore the surrounding areas. Whether it be on game drives or through activities such as snorkeling, whale watching, fishing and bike riding, there is plenty to see and do.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$1,075pp (FB)



## Bahia Mar Boutique Hotel

Bahia Mar Boutique Hotel offers modern accommodation with the choice of a sea view room or self-catering beach unit. It is located on an unspoiled palm-fringed beach with views over the Indian Ocean. It is the ultimate destination for visitors wanting to experience the local culture and beauty of the Bazaruto Archipelago. Bahia Mar activities include kite surfing, deep sea fishing, island visits and numerous other land and sea based activities.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$530pp (BB)



## Machangulo Beach Lodge

Machangulo Beach Lodge is a luxury lodge located on a secluded peninsula in Mozambique. The lodge is intimate and secluded surrounded by 3 nature reserves and 2 marine reserves, and offers 17 luxuriously appointed rooms and 2 luxury villas. All the rooms feature their own private deck, with ocean views. Activities include relaxing beach picnics, snorkelling, kayaking, fishing and birding as well as village visits within the local communities.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$350pp (FB)

PRICE TWIN SHARE PER PERSON INCLUDES: 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated.

BB - Bed & Breakfast, HB (Half Board) - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, FB (Full Board) - All meals, AI (All Inclusive) - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits

# SEYCHELLES

The Seychelles is an archipelago made up of 115 pristine Islands, located in the crystal clear waters of the Indian Ocean. They are often used by writers as a reference for 'paradise on Earth'. They are just 1,000km off the Kenyan Coast and offer white sand beaches, clear skies and the unspoilt charm of remote Islands. The Seychelles is an ideal honeymoon destination or addition to an African safari, as a beach stopover.



## Hilton Seychelles Labriz Resort & Spa

Located on the breathtaking Silhouette Island, the Hilton offers supreme luxury and an exclusive experience for its guests. Accommodation boasts a range of luxuriously appointed villas, all offering private decks and a short walk from the beach. The resort's spa provides a peaceful escape offering personalised spa treatments. Activities include nature walks and hikes through the forest as well as diving and fishing. In addition there is a designated kids club.

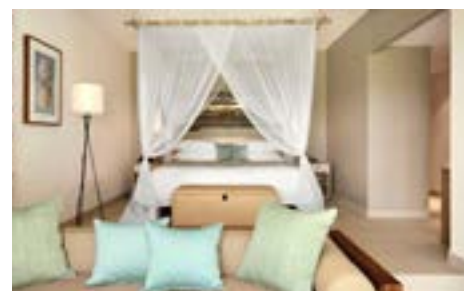
2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$415pp (BB)



## Constance Ephelia, Mahe

Located on the beautiful island of Mahé, overlooking the marine National Park of Port Launay, Constance Ephelia offers contemporary luxury accommodation. Suites and villas are well appointed, spacious and offer either garden or ocean views. The hotel has a wide array of restaurants and bars, providing ample dining options. Guests can relax by the beach, indulge in the U Spa by Constance, or engage in a range of sports and leisure activities on offer at the hotel.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$705pp (HB)



## Kempinski Seychelles Resort

Escape to true paradise at Kempinski Seychelles Resort, located in the southern part of the island of Mahé. Unwind in this secluded corner of the world, enjoying the resort's plantation style architecture with modern interiors. Surrounded by tantalising crystal clear waters, the resort is the perfect place to explore the beauty of the Seychelles. Enjoy a range of activities such as kayaking, paddle-boarding and scuba-diving. For the young ones, a kid's club is available. At the end of the day, enjoy the gourmet cuisine on offer.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$440pp (BB)



## STORY Seychelles

STORY, Seychelles is a deluxe 5-star resort, located on Mahé Island. It offers guests an array of luxury suites and villas, all ornately decorated to showcase the rich history of the Seychelles. Each of the hundred suites and villas feature a spacious balcony or terrace, indoor and outdoor daybed, an oversized free standing bathtub and a rain shower. The beach villas have their own secluded spot on the beach as well as a private pool, deck, cabana, and outdoor rain showers.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$495pp (BB)



## Carana Beach Hotel

The beautiful Carana Beach Hotel sits on an idyllic bay on Mahé Island. The resort boasts 40 luxurious chalets that are air-conditioned and located only a few steps away from the beach. Each chalet has a spacious bathroom with a walk in shower and double vanity. Twelve of the forty chalets also feature a private plunge pool with remarkable ocean views.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$695pp (HB)



## Constance Lemuria

Located on the northwest coast of the idyllic Praslin Island, Constance Lemuria is a luxury beach resort complete with its own 18-hole championship golf course. Each of the suites and villas are only metres away from the beach and are elegantly designed and spacious offering luxury amenities. Relax and unwind at the U Spa by Constance and indulge in a range of rejuvenating treatments. Additionally, the resort is family friendly and offers the Constance Kids Club.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$880pp (BB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated.

**BB** - Bed & Breakfast, **HB (Half Board)** - Breakfast & Dinner or Lunch, **FB (Full Board)** - All meals, **AI (All Inclusive)** - Inclusive of all meals, local wine & spirits





# Morocco

## Egypt

## Ethiopia

## West Africa

## Dubai

For those wanting a tour more centrally focused on history, culture, people, religion and iconic landmarks, journeying to African countries north of the equator is an ideal choice.

Home to arguably the world's most iconic ancient landmarks, Egypt offers travellers the chance to delve into ancient Egyptian history, marvel at the great pyramids and Sphinx, as well as cruise along the Nile, the longest river in the world.

Increasing in popularity, Morocco, the place of legends, features iconic cities like Marrakech and Fes, as well as the vast desert areas of Erfoud and Ouarzazate.

Just above the equator, the less well-known Ethiopia constantly fascinates those who choose to visit. As one of the world's oldest countries and

relatively untouched by colonialism, the country's unique tribes, customs, cultures, religions, 12th century rock-hewn churches and unusual wildlife such as the Galada baboon, Ethiopia is a captivating destination.

Although far less visited, the elusive West Africa enthralls all who pass through. The region's tumultuous past and clashes with colonialism have added to the already rich culture and history of the area. From the Ashanti Kingdom in Ghana to Senegal's exploitation during the slave trading era, West Africa's mystique and vibrancy are unlike any other part of the world.

As a contrast, and as a wonderful stopover, the exciting and modern city of Dubai offers a choice of dazzling hotels, activities and shopping.







Villa Des Orangers

## ULTIMATE MOROCCO

As a cultural melting pot, Morocco is an exotic destination that offers fascinating history, stunning architecture, outstanding shopping and mouth-watering cuisine. This 9-day private tour of Morocco's most captivating cities travels through the colourful dye pits and tanneries of Fes, the bustling souks of Marrakech and the laid-back seaside streets of Essaouira. You will stay in a combination of comfortable hotels and riads – traditional Moroccan homes, as well as peaceful havens, hidden away in the medinas (old towns) of Morocco's cities.

9 Days / 8 Nights

### MOROCCO

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$5,630

High Season \$5,860

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 8 nights accommodation on a twin share basis
- Transfers and transport as per itinerary
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Sightseeing as indicated
- Entrance fees as indicated
- Services of an English-speaking guide

#### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.

#### DAY 1: CASABLANCA

On arrival at Casablanca Airport, you will be met and transferred by private vehicle to your hotel. Overnight HYATT REGENCY.

#### DAY 2: FES

This morning you will be transferred by private vehicle to Meknes, often referred to as the 'Versailles of Morocco' with its opulent palaces of sultans past. You will also visit the Roman ruins of Volubilis – one of the best-preserved Roman towns in North Africa, before continuing on to Fes. Two nights RIAD FES. (B)

#### DAY 3: FES

Today you will be taken on a full-day tour of Fes with an English-speaking local guide. In the morning, explore the ancient streets and mosques of the World Heritage listed Medina of Fes el-Bali (Old Fes). Visit the Dar Batha Museum, a wonderfully maintained 18th-century traditional riad and discover the mellah (Jewish district) of Fes. In the afternoon you will have the opportunity to explore the newest part of the city, trendy Fes J'did, a stark contrast to the historical sites of the morning. (B)

#### DAY 4: MARRAKECH

After breakfast, head to bustling Marrakech. On the way you will pass through the Middle Atlas region

which offers spectacular scenic views and it is home to rustic Berber villages, some of which you will have the opportunity to stop at and discover, before continuing onto Marrakech. Three nights VILLA DES ORANGERS. (B)

#### DAY 5: MARRAKECH

Today enjoy a full-day tour of Marrakech with an English-speaking local guide, visiting the 12th-century Koutoubia Mosque, the labyrinthine El Bahia Palace and Jemaa el-Fnaa Square. In the afternoon, spend time wandering the colourful stalls of Morocco's largest souk. (B)

#### DAY 6: MARRAKECH

The day is at your leisure to explore Marrakech. (B)

#### DAY 7: MARRAKECH – ESSAOUIRA

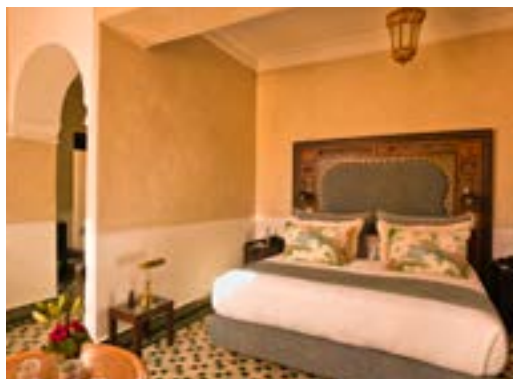
After breakfast, transfer to the medieval seaside town of Essaouira. Experience its World Heritage-listed fortified medina with its white-washed and blue-shuttered houses, colonnades, thuya wood workshops, art galleries and mouth-watering seafood. Two nights PALAIS HEURE BLEUE. (B)

#### DAY 8: ESSAOUIRA

Today will be spent at your leisure in Essaouira. (B)

#### DAY 9: MARRAKECH

This morning, you will be transferred to Marrakech Airport for your onward flight. (B)



Riad Fes



Houses in Berber, Marrakech





Riad El Amine

## CLASSIC MOROCCO

*This private tour embraces the African, European and Arabic influences of Morocco. Explore this exotic destination that boasts fascinating history, stunning architecture, outstanding shopping and mouth-watering cuisine. Over 11 days, travel through captivating cities, the snow capped Atlas Mountains and the Sahara Desert. Stay in 4-star hotels, a luxury tented camp and riads (traditional Moroccan homes), taking your time to explore the many medinas (old towns) of Morocco's cities.*

### DAY 1: CASABLANCA

On arrival at Casablanca airport you will be transferred by private vehicle to your hotel. Overnight at the KENZI BASMA HOTEL.

### DAY 2: FES

This morning you will be taken by private vehicle to Fes via the sacred town of Moulay Idriss and the Roman ruins of Volubilis – one of the best preserved Roman towns in North Africa. Three nights at RIAD EL AMINE. (B)

### DAY 3: FES

Today you will be taken on a full-day tour of Fes with an English-speaking local guide, visiting the Medina of Fes el-Bali (Old Fes). You will explore the labyrinthine souks with their variety of craft workshops, meat, fruit and vegetable markets, mosques and medersas, as well as the dye pits and tanneries. (B)

### DAY 4: FES

Today will be spent at your leisure in Fes. (B)

### DAY 5: ERFOUD

This morning you will depart Fes through the Saiss Valley into the High Atlas Mountains, passing Berber villages before descending into the palm groves and slopes of the Ziz Gorge. From here you will head to Erfoud, one of the largest oases in all of Morocco, located on the edge of the Sahara Desert. Overnight at KASBAH HOTEL XALUCA ERFOUD. (B, D)

### DAY 6: ERFOUD

This morning you will be taken to the Sahara Desert, visiting the historic 8th century caravan town of Rissani and the desert ruins of Sijilmasa en-route to your tented accommodation amongst the dunes. Experience a camel ride at sunset from the top of the dunes. Your desert experience includes an authentic Moroccan dinner under the stars. Overnight at the MERZOUGA LUXURY DESERT CAMP. (B, D)

### DAY 7: OUARZAZATE

After breakfast you will be driven to the spectacular Todra Gorge stopping in time for lunch amid canyon walls rising up to 1,200 ft. This afternoon you will cross



Les Jardins De La Medina

the southern slopes of the High Atlas Mountains before arriving at the captivating city of Ouarzazate. Overnight at the BERBERE PALACE. (B, D)

### DAY 8: OUARZAZATE – MARRAKECH

Today will be spent exploring Ouarzazate. Visit the Kasbahs of Taouirirt and Tifoultout, the fortified village of Ait Benhaddou, backdrop for the film 'Lawrence of Arabia' and now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. In the afternoon you will cross the Atlas Mountains and descend into Marrakech. Three nights at LES JARDINS DE LA MEDINA. (B)

### DAY 9: MARRAKECH

Today you will have a full day tour of Marrakech, with an English-speaking local guide visiting the 12th century Koutoubia Mosque, the Saadian Tombs and Djemaa El Fna Square. (B, D)

### DAY 10: MARRAKECH

Today you will experience a Moroccan cooking workshop with a local family. You will use local produce, learn how to make bread, and cook in a Moroccan traditional oven. Afterwards, enjoy the dishes you have prepared. A farewell dinner is included this evening at a local restaurant. (B, D)

### DAY 11: MARRAKECH

This morning you will be transferred to Marrakech airport for your onward flight. (B)

11 Days / 10 Nights

## MOROCCO

### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$7,095

High Season \$7,460

### PRICE INCLUDES

- 10 nights accommodation in riads and hotels on a twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Transportation as per the itinerary
- Services of an English speaking driver
- Local guide in Volubilis, Moulay Idriss, Fes day two and Marrakech day nine
- Cooking class in Marrakech
- Camel ride
- Entrance fees during touring where applicable

### NOTE:

Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together.





# BEST OF SOUTHERN ETHIOPIA

*This 11-day tour of Southern Ethiopia offers a rich and fascinating cultural experience as you visit six local villages where you can witness daily life and learn of their traditions. See large populations of hippo and huge Nile crocodiles as well as wide range of aquatic birds that call Lake Chamo their home. Ethiopia is the ideal destination for those wanting an “off the beaten track” travel experience, seeing some of the most interesting people of Africa.*

11 Days / 10 Nights

ETHIOPIA

**PRICE PER PERSON FROM:**  
\$7,915\*

**PRICE INCLUDES**

- 10 nights accommodation on twin share basis
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- All transfers, touring with an English-speaking guide and entrance fees. Local guide at each spot.
- Lake Chamo boat trip
- Domestic flights as shown (based on flying internationally with Ethiopian Airlines)

**NOTE:**  
Based on a minimum of 2 passengers travelling together  
\* A supplement applies for travel during major festivals in Ethiopia  
Terms and conditions apply. Subject to change without notice.

**DAY 1: ADDIS ABABA**  
On arrival at Addis Ababa airport you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Overnight at the GOLDEN TULIP HOTEL or similar. (B)

**DAY 2: ADDIS ABABA – ARBAMINCH**  
This morning you will visit the Ethnological Museum for an introduction to Ethiopian culture and history. In the afternoon, fly to Arba Minch, where you will be met and transferred to your resort on the edge of Langan Lake. En-route, you will visit the village of Chench, home to the Dorze people – known for their weaving culture and beehive shaped huts. Overnight at PARADISE LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 3: ARBAMINCH**  
After breakfast, head south to Lake Chamo, where you will be taken on a boat trip. The lake is home to large populations of hippopotamus as well as flocks of aquatic birds. Float past the ‘crocodile market’; one of the world’s greatest concentrations of giant Nile crocodiles. Overnight at PARADISE LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 4: ARBA MINCH – JINKA**  
Today you will visit the rock terraces of a local Konso village. Depending on the day of the week, you may have the chance to visit the local Key Afer market of the Ari, Benna, and Tsemay people. Continue to the town of Jinka. Overnight at ECO OMO LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 5: JINKA – TURMI**  
After breakfast, you will be taken to a Mursi village to visit and experience the culture of the Mursi tribe. One of the most fascinating tribes of Ethiopia, the Mursi are renowned for customs and rites of passage such as circular clay lip discs worn by young women. Continue to the town of Turmi for three nights staying at BUSKA LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 6: MURRULLE**  
This morning you will visit Murrulle, the village of the Kao people. The Kao are one of the smallest tribes in Ethiopia, but perhaps the most recognisable, with their chalk bodies and face painting. Return to Turmi in the afternoon and visit the village of the Hamar people. Depending of



Paradise lodge, Arba minch

the day of the week, you may be able to visit the Dimeka Market of the Hamar and Benna people. (B, L, D)

**DAY 7: OMORATIE**  
This morning you will be taken to Omorat, the village of Dasenech people. This tribe are agropastoralists in that they grow crops and keep cattle. (B, L, D)

**DAY 8: TURMI – ARBAMINCH**  
Today you will continue on to Arba Minch, en-route you will visit the villages of the Arbore and Borana people. These tribes are excellent jewellery makers and highly spiritual. Overnight at PARADISE LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 9: ARBAMINCH - YIRGALEM**  
After breakfast, drive through lush green landscapes and coffee plantations to the town of Yirgalem. Your lodge for the night is nestled in a peaceful forested area where many bird species and other animals are common. Overnight at AREGASH LODGE or similar. (B, L, D)

**DAY 10: YIRGALEM – ADDIS ABABA**  
Today you will be transferred to Awassa for your flight back to Addis Ababa. Overnight at the GOLDEN TULIP HOTEL or similar (B, L)

**DAY 11: ADDIS ABABA**  
Today you will be taken on a city tour of Addis Ababa taking in the National Museum, Trinity Cathedral, the Mercato – the largest open air market in Africa and Mt. Entoto for a panoramic view of the city. Enjoy a farewell dinner at an Ethiopian restaurant featuring ethnic dancers and musicians. (B, D)









Great Sphinx of Giza, Egypt

## ULTIMATE EGYPT

*The Ultimate Egypt tour showcases the archaeological sites of Cairo including the great Pyramids at Giza and their guardian the Sphinx before flying to Abu Simbel for a guided tour of the two temples built by the Egyptian King Ramses II. From there you will fly to Aswan where you will board your luxury four night cruise and travel the Nile in style. While on the cruise you will visit some of Egypt's most famous attractions such as the Valley of the Kings.*

9 Days / 8 Nights

### EGYPT

#### PRICE PER PERSON FROM:

Low Season \$4,990

High Season \$6,540

#### PRICE INCLUDES

- 4 nights accommodation in a 5-star hotel in Cairo
- 4 nights on-board 5-star cruise from Luxor to Aswan
- Meals as indicated (B, L, D)
- Sightseeing with an English speaking guide
- All transfers
- Domestic flights Cairo to Luxor, Aswan to Cairo.

#### NOTE:

Based on minimum 2 passengers travelling together.

Cruise departs Luxor on a Monday.

Please contact African Travel Specialists for details.

#### DAY 1: CAIRO

On arrival at Cairo International Airport, you will be met and transferred by air-conditioned vehicle to your overnight accommodation. Two nights at the FAIRMONT NILE CITY. (B)

#### DAY 2: CAIRO

After breakfast, you will be taken on a tour to visit the most famous sight in Egypt – the great Pyramids at Giza and their guardian the Sphinx. After lunch you will travel to Memphis to see the statue of Ramses II and Sakkara where you will be able to view the Step Pyramid of Zoser I. (B, L)

#### DAY 3: CAIRO – LUXOR

Early this morning you will be transferred to Cairo International Airport, where you will board your onward flight to Luxor. On arrival, you will be taken to board your 5-star vessel and commence your Nile Cruise. After lunch onboard, you will have an afternoon trip to the Karnak and Luxor Temple. In the evening, enjoy a belly dance show. Spend the next four nights ON-BOARD. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 4: LUXOR – ESNA

Today you will have an early start to explore the Valley of Kings on the West Bank, the final resting place of many

famous Egyptian rulers such as Hatshepsut, Tutankhamun, and Ramses III. In the evening, enjoy the Captain's Welcome Cocktail Party. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 5: ESNA – EDFU

After breakfast you will visit the Edfu Temple, also known as the Temple of Horus (the falcon-headed God). Return to the ship for lunch before visiting Kom Ombo Temple, dedicated to Sobek the crocodile-headed god and Horus the falcon-headed god. You will have the opportunity to take part in a Galabeya Party on board the ship. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 6: ASWAN

After breakfast onboard, you will visit the High Dam, the Granite Quarries and the Temple of Philae. Enjoy lunch onboard before you briefly disembark to sail on a Felucca (a traditional Egyptian sailboat) around Kitchener's Island and the Aga Khan Mausoleum. In the evening, enjoy a Nubian folkloric show before dinner onboard. (B, L, D)

#### DAY 7: ASWAN – CAIRO

This morning you will be transferred to the airport to board your domestic flight to Cairo. On arrival you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Two nights at the FAIRMONT NILE CITY. (B)

#### DAY 8: CAIRO

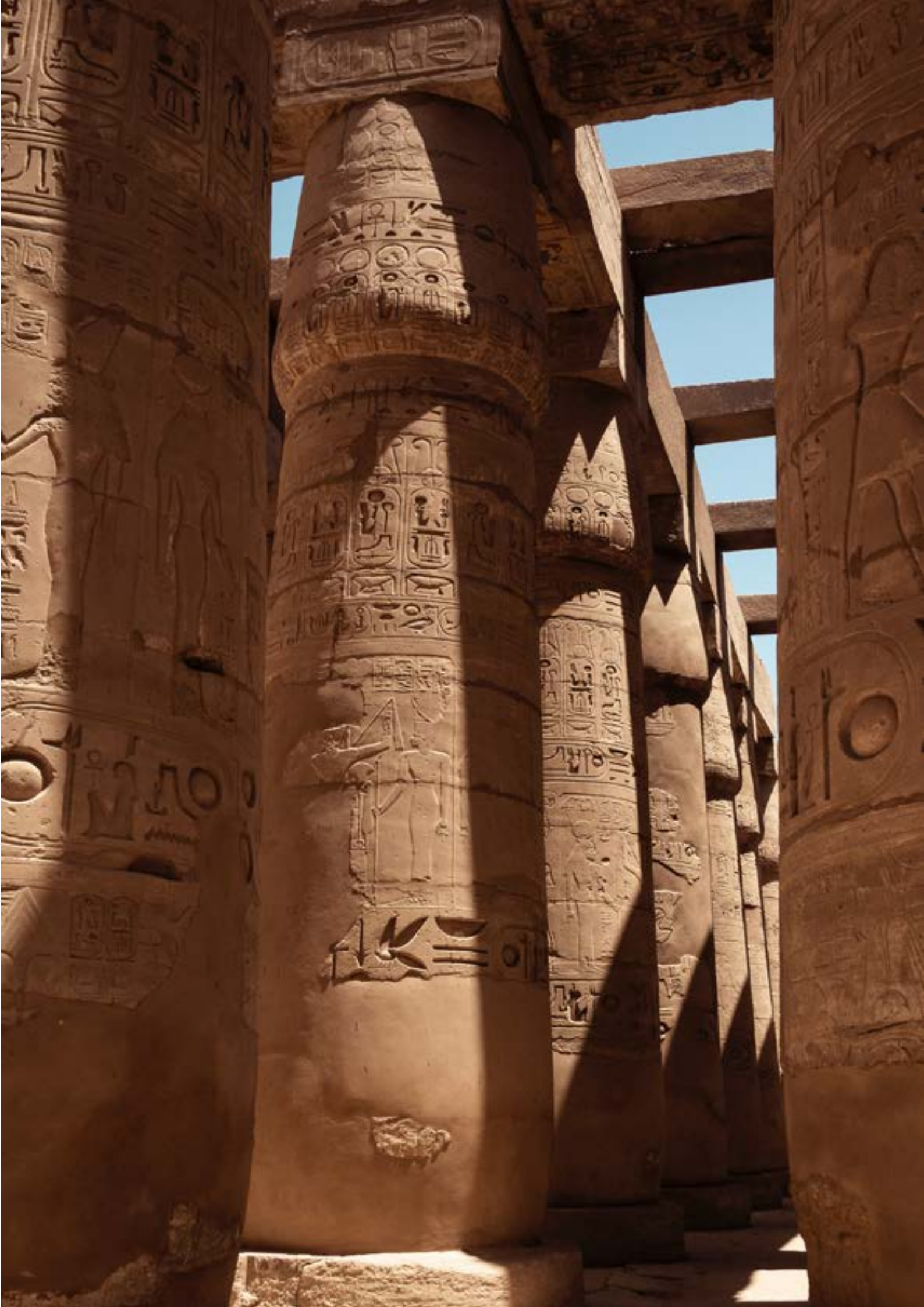
After breakfast, your Egyptologist guide will take you on a fascinating tour at the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities where you can reflect on 7,000 years of Egyptian history. After lunch in a local restaurant, you will have a guided tour of Islamic Cairo including the Citadel, Mohamed Ali Mosque and Khan El Bazaar where you will have a chance to buy some souvenirs. (B, L)

#### DAY 9: CAIRO

This morning you will be transferred to Cairo International Airport for your onward flight. (B)









# DUBAI ACCOMMODATION

## DUBAI CITY HOTELS



### Address Downtown Dubai

Conveniently located 15 minutes away from Dubai International Airport, Address Downtown Dubai is a luxury hotel offering exceptional accommodation in the heart of the city. Each of the rooms and suites feature luxury amenities as well as offering unparalleled views of the city from large windows and private balconies. The hotel's thoughtfully designed spaces and charming architectural design influences rival that of its surrounding structures.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$620pp (BB)



### Grand Hyatt Dubai

An architecturally magnificent structure, the Grand Hyatt towers beautifully over Dubai's historic creek overlooking the stunning Dubai skyline. With 682 luxurious rooms including 38 suites, the hotel provides guests with luxury, comfort and convenience. Unrivalled in its facilities, the Grand Hyatt offers 1 indoor and 3 outdoor pools, a state of the art business centre, a luxury Ahasees Spa, and 13 award winning bars and restaurants.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$215pp (BB)



### Al Seef Heritage Hotel

The luxury Al Seef Heritage Hotel is inspired by the country's rich culture and heritage. The hotel has 190 guest rooms featuring luxury traditional Arabian décor with modern amenities. The hotel's traditional Emirati design and architecture is highlighted through palm frond motifs, wooden ceilings and windows with traditional wooden panels overlooking the winding outdoor corridors of the Souk (marketplace) or the Creek.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$105pp (BB)

## DUBAI BEACH HOTELS



### Jumeirah Al Naseem

The beachfront Jumeirah Al Naseem features deluxe interiors inspired by sand dunes, sea breezes and Dubai's rich heritage of pearl diving and Bedouin traditions. Its 387 rooms and 43 suites feature spectacular views of the ocean as well as the iconic Burj Al Arab. The hotel's expansive terraces bring you closer to the outdoors providing areas of privacy and peacefulness. With over 50 world class restaurants and bars, you will be spoilt for choice.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$680pp (BB)



### Jumeirah Beach Hotel

Inspired by the Arabian seafaring tradition, with an architectural design in the shape of a breaking wave, the 26 storey Jumeirah Beach Hotel is a striking landmark. It is visually stunning and has cleverly incorporated the four elements of nature– Earth, Air, Fire and Water in all aspects of its design and furnishing. All rooms and suites, some with private balconies enjoy a spectacular panorama of the sea.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$465pp (BB)



### Aloft Palm Jumeirah

Located on the stunning Palm Jumeirah archipelago, the Aloft Palm Jumeirah offers easy access to the Arabian Gulf, expansive malls and world-renowned attractions of Dubai. The resort's design is fresh and offers an atmosphere where guests can relax and enjoy their stay. Each room features plush beds, a walk-in shower, custom amenities by Bliss® Spa, and spacious balconies with remarkable views.

2 DAYS/ 1 NIGHT PRICES FROM: \$155pp (BB)

**PRICE INCLUDES PER PERSON TWIN SHARE:** 1 night accommodation and meals as indicated. **BB** - Bed & Breakfast

## DUBAI ACTIVITIES



### Traditional Dubai City Tour

Learn more about Dubai's rich history and tradition on a tour of the old city. See merchant traders around Dubai Creek, get an insight into times gone by at the Dubai Museum and browse the famous Souks.

PRICES FROM: \$360pp



### Sundowner Dune Dinner

An iconic Dubai desert experience not to be missed. Spend the evening watching the sun go down on a dune drive in the Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve. Arrive at a traditional Bedouin-style camp where you'll be treated to an entertaining evening and delicious dinner in the desert.

PRICES FROM: \$180pp



### Authentic Dubai Food

Dubai is a true a city of the world. Discover an array of flavours inspired by the many cultures, people and ethnicities that call it home. On this food tour, indulge your tastebuds on a trip around the world, and learn about traditional Arabic dishes and the importance of food in the Emirati culture.

PRICES FROM: \$365pp









# BOOKING CONDITIONS 2024/2025

## BROCHURE VALIDITY

These booking conditions relate to any bookings received for travel in 2024 or 2025 booked in 2024. The information is presented in our online brochure for 2024/25 which was correct to the best of our knowledge at the time of being placed on our website but is subject to change without notice. Changes may occur after this, with respect to prices, itineraries, duration of holidays, service standards, tour content, vaccination needs, health or safety issues at relevant destinations, airline fares and schedules. Please confirm details of your requirements at the time of booking to ascertain if there have been alterations to the tour you select before you book.

## RESERVATIONS AND BOOKINGS

Bookings can be made directly with African Travel Specialists (ATS) or through recognized providers of agency/consultancy services (referred to as 'Travel Agents')

## PASSENGER DETAILS

We require the correct names and initials of all people travelling in order to make bookings. The names and initials must match exactly to each traveller's passport so as to avoid any problems with bookings. Should the wrong information be given, ATS reserves the right to charge additional fees to cover additional administrative costs to re-book or re-ticket the bookings under the correct name.

Whilst we do comply with the Privacy Laws in relation to keeping your personal information, as part of the booking process, from time to time, and required by some suppliers, operators, hotels, lodges, DMCs (Destination Management Companies), banks, airlines, shipping companies and government authorities, we do need to supply them with certain private information including, but not limited to: your full name, passport information, contact details, date of birth, weight, and any other private information as required. This we do without seeking your permission but only if it is a requirement to complete your booking. We do ensure that any company we hand your private information to complies with the privacy laws of their country.

## DEPOSIT AND BALANCE

A non-refundable security deposit of 25% of the tour price, (depending on destination) with a minimum of \$330.00 per person plus a signed booking form is payable at the time of booking. Payment of deposit represents acceptance of ATS Terms & Conditions by the purchaser and/or passenger/s. As a general rule the balance is payable 60 days prior to departure, or immediately if travelling within 60 days of booking, however certain hotels, lodges, suppliers of transport and/or accommodation require balances to be paid up to 120 days prior departure. You will be generally advised of this at time of booking or when the supplier advises us. Any monies paid to your Travel Agent shall not be taken as paid to us unless/until we receive them.

## SPECIAL DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS

Some of the tours and ground arrangements such as, but not limited to, Rovos Rail, Blue Train, Shongololo Safari Train, Fly-in safaris, lodge & camping trips in Africa, may require a higher deposit to meet the tour operator's booking conditions (usually between 25% to 50% of tour cost). Permits for Gorilla & Chimp trekking will require full payment immediately as cannot be arranged without full payment. Please contact ATS for further details on the particular trip.

## LATE BOOKINGS AND AMENDMENT FEES

A late booking fee of \$100.00 per file will be charged for bookings made within 14 days of departure. Should you wish to amend your arrangements or transfer to another trip, due to the extra administrative and communications costs incurred, there will be an automatic fee charged of \$50.00 per amendment or transfer. Additionally, there may be cancellation fees levied by the tour operator or fees may be applicable where arrangements have been pre-purchased. A land only fee of \$55.00 will be charged on land only bookings under 3 nights accommodation.

## PRICES

All prices are quoted in Australian Dollars and are generally current at the time of printing. They are generally valid from November 2023 to October 2024, although some expeditions have different periods of validity so prices will vary accordingly. Most prices are based on low season unless stated otherwise. All prices are indicative only and are subject to change at any time up to and including the day of your departure. As our costings are

based on conversions from foreign currencies, should the cost of any component of your package increase due to foreign currency fluctuations, ATS may charge that cost to you at any time prior to ATS receiving the full balance of monies due and the final documentation having been issued to you. Should additional taxes or Government charges or unforeseen new costs be payable or incurred, ATS may charge these costs to you at any time, even after your departure.

## GST

From 01 July 2000, the Australian government has introduced a 10% GST and even though at present overseas travel is exempt from GST, any service fees, courier, cancellation and amendment fees are subject to GST. We, therefore, reserve the right to vary the costing to incorporate the GST where applicable.

## INCLUDED IN TRIP PRICE

Specific trip and accommodation inclusions are generally listed. Meals are not included unless specified in the itinerary. Meals are indicated by B=Breakfast, L = Lunch and D = Dinner.

## BREAKDOWN OF COSTING

As all African Travel Specialists tours, packages, stopovers, car hire, train trips, fly-in packages, etc and other arrangements are based on confidential and specially negotiated rates, we reserve the right and will not give out nor supply a breakdown of costs at any time.

## GAME PARK FEES AND GOVERNMENT CHARGES

Please refer to the particular trip for details, however, game park fees and park entrance fees may be payable direct to the park authorities especially where the local regulations require them not to be paid in advance. Game park fees and park entrance fees are subject to change without notice. Also Government charges, for example entrance fees to certain sites, are subject to change and/or increase without notice. ATS reserves the right to charge extra for either, game park fees, park entrance fees or government charges, should they increase at any time, even after full payment has been received, without notice.

## AIRPORT/TICKET TAXES

Ticket taxes, airport taxes etc are subject to change without notice. Some airport taxes are not included on your air ticket are payable on departure from some international airports in Africa. These are usually payable in US Dollars in cash; exact amounts are required as no change is given.

## CANCELLATION FEES AND REFUNDS

Any cancellations must be received in writing and will take effect from the date it is received by ATS. The following cancellation fees will apply for tour costs:

More than 60 days before departure: Deposit 59 – 41 days before departure: 40% \*\*  
40 -35 days before departure: 60% \*\*  
35 days or less before departure: No refund \*\*

\*\* There are now more lodges, hotels, scheduled safaris, ground handlers, transfer companies, train operators, privately guided and scheduled safaris etc where their booking conditions state that cancellations after 60 or 90 days will incur 100% of cancellation fees. In this case, these and other booking conditions imposed by the supplier may override our booking conditions (refer Responsibilities & Liabilities clause).

The exceptions are those amounts that can be refunded, such as airfares (less those amounts forfeited under airline regulations and loss of profit incurred by ATS). Should payment be received in advance of 60 days, for example in the case when payment is made to avoid increases due to currency fluctuations, ATS reserves the right to charge cancellation fees of up to 100%, especially where full payment has been made to our ground handlers, hoteliers, and airlines etc. There are certain countries in Africa, when paid, where refunds of these payments are not possible, even if the reason for cancellation is outside your control. ATS reserves the right not to refund these amounts as these are also out of our control to receive the funds back. It is important that you are aware of these cancellation fees prior to your prepayment.

Further, should a refund be possible, refunds do incur fees including, but not limited to, bank fees, supplier and ATS administration fees, differences in exchange rates based on a buying rate when the funds are returned and as advised by ATS, and any Government taxes or fees. Further, in the case where a supplier agrees to refund monies, ATS will not refund any monies until the refunded amounts

have been received into our bank account by the supplier. In the case where suppliers will only hold a credit in exchange for a refund, ATS will not refund any monies or refund any monies until the credit is utilized, at the discretion of ATS.

Whilst insurance premiums are not refundable, should the reason for cancellation fall within the terms of the insurance cover, cancellation fees will normally be refunded by the insurance company. The non-issuance of an invoice or non-payment of deposit will not exempt passengers from these cancellation and administrative fees. We regret that we can make no exception to the charges and strongly recommend that insurance is taken out to cover cancellation fees (see Insurance below). There will be no refunds on unused tours, accommodation, or other services

## TRAVEL INSURANCE

It is a condition of booking that you are adequately insured for the full duration of your trip. We recommend a comprehensive travel insurance to cover cancellation, health requirements, luggage and additional expenses, in particular to cover emergency evacuation. Further we recommend a separate insurance cover for expensive camera and video and other equipment. Further we advise that insurance policies rarely cover for loss of cash. We strongly recommend that insurance be purchased at the time of booking. Should you not take out insurance, we cannot be held responsible for costs incurred (including cancellation fees) arising from circumstances outside our control.

## PASSPORT

You should be in possession of a passport valid for at least 6 months beyond your intended stay in Africa with at least 6 spare visa pages.

## VISA REQUIREMENTS

Australian passport holders currently require visas for Zimbabwe and Zambia (issued on arrival at a fee), Tanzania, Kenya and many West African, Central African and North African countries. Other nationalities require a re-entry permit to Australia and may require additional visas to the above. Please contact ATS for further details.

## VACCINATIONS AND HEALTH

For most trips to Africa, the following vaccinations are recommended: Yellow Fever (Compulsory for Zambia, East Africa and many countries in Central & North Africa), Typhoid, Meningitis, Hepatitis A, (maybe Hepatitis B for longer visits) Polio, Diphtheria, Cholera, Tetanus and Malaria. Whilst these vary depending on the countries visited, length of time away and the type of accommodation and transport used, we recommend that these and your other health needs be discussed with your doctor or specialist travel medical centre. It is your responsibility to ensure that you have the appropriate vaccinations and documentation.

## CURRENCY

Each country in Africa has its own currency. It is strongly recommended that you carry some US dollars cash in small denominations, (not US\$ 100 bills) as well as credit cards such as Visa or Mastercard. Foreign currency can be changed into local currency at banks, authorized money exchanges and your hotel.

## EXTENSIONS AND AMENDMENTS

Not possible after a holiday has commenced.

## HOTEL AND TOUR INFORMATION

Whilst every effort is taken to ensure the accuracy of hotel and tour information, we rely on the information supplied to us. As all hotels and tour operators are constantly changing services and facilities, we cannot be liable for any errors or omissions caused by the hotels and operators concerned.

## CHANGES IN ITINERARY

As we are only an agent for airlines, hotels, tour operators and other Service Providers (see below under "Responsibility and Liability") your booking may be required to be changed or cancelled due to circumstances outside our control; e.g: if a hotel is overbooked or an airline reschedules its flights or if a tour is cancelled. Further, at certain times of the year, due to heavy bookings, we may not be able to obtain the accommodation advertised. In this case, we will use alternative accommodation of a similar standard, or the next best available. Accordingly we reserve the right to vary your itinerary or cancel your booking at any time.

## NOT INCLUDED IN THE HOLIDAY COST

Costs of passports or visas, meals (other than those specified), all items of a personal nature such

as excess baggage, telephone calls, laundry, room service, airport taxes and government taxes (other than accommodation taxes) any costs in Australia, Australian Passenger Movement Charge, Sydney Noise Levy Tax and any international taxes and travel Insurance.

## PASSENGER CONTACT ADVICE

You must notify us or via your Travel Agent of any changes of address or telephone numbers to ensure any arrangement variations can be notified within 24 hours.

## THIRD PARTY INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

It is now a requirement that we, at times, may be required to pass on your private information to certain third parties, including some overseas suppliers. For example, most Airlines now require your contact details, such as home phone number, mobile phone number and email address, to be included in your booking, which require your permission under the Privacy Act. Also banks and other financial institutions may require details of travellers including their dates of birth, home address and phone numbers, for payments to certain countries that you may be travelling to, in order to comply with new strict Australian Government regulations. By signing the booking form, you agree in giving us permission for us to pass on this information in order to comply with these third party requirements.

## RESPONSIBILITIES AND LIABILITY

African Travel Specialists (a division of Four Corners Travel Group Pty Ltd ACN 004 712 734), (referred to as "ATS") does not itself provide carriage services, accommodation, transport or tours. ATS acts as an agent for accommodation providers, air, coach, shipping, rail, and other carriage or transport providers, tour operators and other service and product providers (referred to as 'Service Providers'). All products and services provided by Service Providers are provided on those Service Providers' own terms and conditions, which may include limitations and exclusions of liability. All bookings with ATS and all tickets, vouchers, receipts, coupons, exchange orders and other like documents issued to the client, are subject to each Service Provider's terms and conditions governing the provision of products and services to be provided by that Service Provider. ATS shall not be liable for any acts, omissions or defaults whether negligent or otherwise, of any Service Providers. ATS shall also not be liable (whether in contract, tort or otherwise) for any injury, illness, death, loss, damage, expense, delay or inconvenience resulting directly or indirectly from circumstances outside ATS's control, including acts of God, war, terrorism (perceived, threatened or actual) civil disturbance, strikes, fire, flood, acts of government (including border closures or change to the smart traveller advice – [www.smarttraveller.gov.au](http://www.smarttraveller.gov.au)) or other authorities, breakdowns, accidents, disease (including pandemics), quarantine, medical or customs regulations, and alterations, cancellations or delays concerning itineraries, timetables or accommodation. At ATS sole and absolute discretion, where possible and provided the supplier or suppliers will allow, we will:

1. Offer the client alternative arrangements of similar standard as appropriate to the circumstances. ATS may charge a reasonable fee to cover administration costs associated with providing alternative arrangements.
2. Defer the booking until it is possible to make alternate arrangements by up to 12 months at a time or as advised by the suppliers involved.
3. Seek a refund, if possible, less all costs incurred, including but not limited to bank fees, exchange rate differentials, administration costs and any loss of profit and/or costs incurred by ATS.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, ATS shall not be liable for loss of revenue, loss of profits, loss of anticipated savings or business, pure economic loss, loss of opportunity or expectation or any other form of consequential, special, indirect, punitive or exemplary loss or damages. Your Travel Agent is not acting as our agent. We will not be responsible for any information, statements or representations (whether orally or in writing) not made by us, or that are inconsistent with the current brochure.

## CONTRACT

The contract between ATS and the client shall be governed by the laws of the State of Victoria. By making a booking with ATS, the client agrees to be bound by all the terms and conditions referred to in the ATS brochure and in the ATS booking form.



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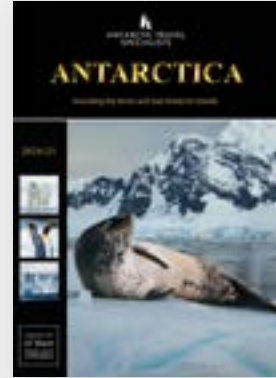
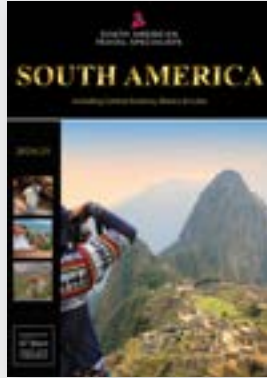
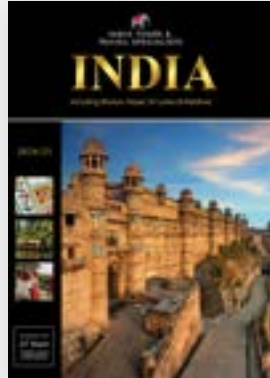
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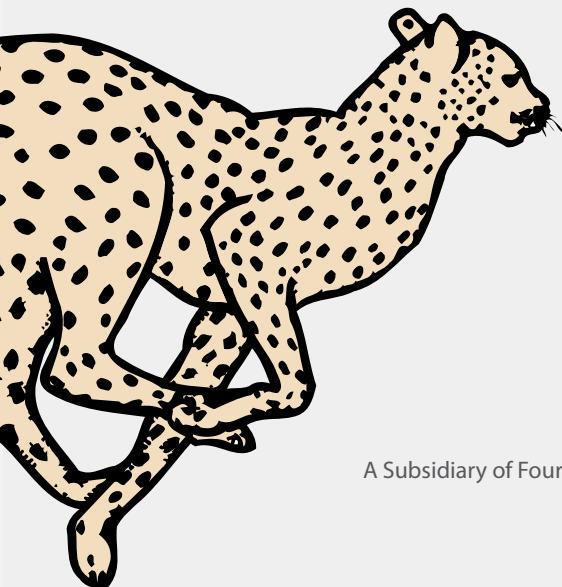
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