

WILDLIFE SAFARIS IN TANZANIA

SUMMARY

Total Duration of Trip (including travel time to and from Tanzania): 10 days Number of Days in Tanzania: 7 days Number of Guests: 2 adults Accommodation Format: 1 room shared by both guests

DESTINATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Arusha: The gateway to Tanzania's Northern wildlife parks, Arusha is also an eclectic town that melds African and European influences. Often called the "Switzerland of Africa", Arusha has beautiful museums and art galleries, as well as places to shop for local artwork (paintings, sculptures, masks) as well as jewelry (TANZANITE, etc.)
- Lake Manyara National Park: Lake Manyara National Park is one of Tanzania's smaller and most underrated parks. Its famous tree-climbing lions are an important reason to pay a visit to this park. The only kind of their species in the world, they make the ancient mahogany and elegant acacias their home during the rainy season and are a well-known but rather rare feature of the northern park. In addition to the lions, the national park is also home to the largest concentration of baboons anywhere in the world a fact that accounts for interesting game viewing of large families of the primates. Lake Manyara's ground water forests, bush plains, baobab strewn cliffs, and algae-streaked hot springs offer incredible ecological variety in a small area, rich in wildlife and incredible numbers of birds. The alkaline soda of Lake Manyara is home to an incredible array of bird life that thrives on its brackish waters. Pink flamingo stoop and graze by the thousands colorful specks against the grey minerals of the lake shore. Even reluctant birdwatchers will find something to watch and marvel at within the national park.
- Serengeti National Park: In the Maasai language, "Serengeti" means "Endless Plains". And that is exactly what this most famous of African parks is...a very large savannah/grassland area that is teeming with all the iconic African wildlife species living in an unadulterated, natural habitat. The location of several National Geographic shows and specials, Serengeti is also home to The Great Wildebeest & Zebra Migration, and fortunate guests are able to witness this natural phenomenon firsthand!
- Ngorongoro / Karatu: Often called "The Garden of Eden" because of the variety and density of wildlife, the Ngorongoro Crater is one of the most breathtaking places in the world. It has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site – for good reason. Karatu is a beautiful town located in the Ngorongoro Highlands.





DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

(*NOTE: This safari trip has fixed departure dates; so please pay attention to the days of the week shown in the itinerary below)

- Day 1: You will depart from your home airport in the U.S. Tanzania is waiting to give you its unique, warm welcome. Karibuni sana, marafiki zetu! (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package).
- Day 2: You will be en route to Tanzania.
- Day 3: You will arrive in Kilimanjaro International airport; Fair Trade Safaris will arrange meet & greet services at the airport for you and transfer you by road to your hotel in Arusha.
 - Accommodation: Planet Lodge (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 4: In the early afternoon (i.e. after lunch time), you will be driven to Lake Manyara National Park for your first safari game drive. Dinner and overnight at a tented camp or safari lodge.
 - Accommodation: Migunga Tented Camp (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 5: After breakfast, you will be driven to Serengeti National Park (with wildlife viewing on the way). We will carry packed meal boxes for picnic-style lunch at a stop-over location en route to Serengeti. In the afternoon, you will enjoy safari game drives in the world-famous Serengeti. Dinner and overnight stay will be at a tented camp or lodge in the Serengeti. Meals included: All meals.
- Days 6: You will have a full day of safari game drives in Serengeti National Park. Meals and overnight stay will be at the tented camp or lodge. Meals included: All meals.
- Day 7: After breakfast, you will be driven to Karatu/Ngorongoro Area. Afternoon will be at leisure an opportunity to relax at the lodge.
 - Accommodation: Bougainvillea Safari Lodge (or similar). Meals included: All meals
- Day 8: After a very early light breakfast, you will depart for safari game drives in Ngorongoro Crater (with picnic lunch boxes). In the late afternoon, you will return to the lodge in Karatu for dinner and overnight stay. Meals included: All meals.
- Day 9: After breakfast, you will be driven back to Arusha and dropped off at Kilimanjaro International Airport for your international flight back home. (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package).
- Day 10: You will arrive in the U.S. after a trip of a lifetime with beautiful photographs, amazing video clips, and of course unforgettable memories!





IMPORTANT DISCLOSURES

Travel dates, Changes & Additions to Itinerary, and Supplemental Costs:

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NOTE: There will be a supplemental upcharge for travel dates that fall in the Christmas & New Year holidays – i.e. between December 23rd an January 2nd.

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This package includes:

- Meet & greet at Kilimanjaro International Airport, including airport pick-up upon arrival and airport drop-off at the end of trip
- Ground transportation in a safari-grade minivan with an English-speaking driver/guide
- Accommodation and meals as stipulated in the itinerary
- Safari game drives or sightseeing as stipulated in the itinerary
- Park or reserve entry fees where applicable

This package excludes:

- Flights
- Visa fees
- Tips & gratuities (tipping guide will be provided)
- Inoculations and personal/medical/travel insurance
- Meals and beverages not included in the itinerary
- Optional activities and excursions
- Items of personal nature such as laundry services, shopping expenses, telephone charges, etc.





WILDLIFE SAFARIS IN KENYA

SUMMARY

Total Duration of Trip (including travel time to and from Kenya): 10 days Number of Days in Kenya: 7 days Number of Guests: 2 guests

DESTINATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Nairobi: Nairobi is one of the most interesting and happening cities in Africa. Highlights include visits to the Sheldrick Elephant Orphanage and the Giraffe Sanctuary.
- Lake Naivasha: Lake Naivasha is a freshwater lake in Kenya and lies northwest of Nairobi approximately 2 hours by road. It is part of the Great Rift Valley. The lake is home to a variety of wildlife including over 400 different species of birds and mammals such as monkeys, wildebeest, waterbuck, zebra, impala, buffalo, giraffe, Kongoni and a sizeable population of hippos. A visit to Naivasha is not complete without a boat ride on the lake...an opportunity to enjoy its breathtaking beauty and to fill your camera rolls (or memory sticks) with beautiful images of birds and animals.
- Amboseli National Park: Although it is lesser known amongst the Kenyan parks, Amboseli is famous for being the best place in the world to get close to free-ranging elephants. Amboseli was home to Echo, perhaps the most researched elephant in the world, and the subject of many books and documentaries. Amboseli offers some of the best wildlife safaris because the vegetation is sparse due to the long dry months. It is home to many of Africa's iconic species, including African elephants, cape buffaloes, lions, cheetahs, giraffes, zebras, wildebeest, hyenas, impala and a host of Kenyan birds, both large and small. Other attractions of the park include opportunities to meet the Maasai tribe and visit a Maasai village. The park also offers spectacular views of Mount Kilimanjaro, the highest free-standing mountain in the world.
- Maasai Mara: Famous for the National Geographic Specials and BBC Television Series that have been shot here, Maasai Mara is undoubtedly a must-visit for every wildlife enthusiast. Maasai Mara is part of the massive ecosystem that covers Tanzania and Kenya...the part of the ecosystem that lies in Tanzania is called "Serengeti", and the portion that falls in Kenya is "Maasai Mara". The Serengeti-Mara ecosystem is also the location of the Great Wildebeest & Zebra Migration – one of the most fascinating wildlife spectacles in the world!





DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

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- Day 2: You will be en route to Kenya.
- Day 3: Upon arrival, you will be met at Nairobi International Airport by our English-speaking driver/guide. You will be escorted and transferred to your hotel in Nairobi.
 - Accommodation: Four Points by Sheraton or Tamarind Tree Hotel (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 4: After breakfast, you will be driven to Amboseli National Park, a wildlife haven for large herds of elephants and other mammals, reptiles, and birds. You will have lunch at your lodge. In the afternoon, you will have your first wildlife safari game drive in Amboseli.
 - Accommodation: Sentrim Amboseli (or similar). Meals included: All meals.
- Day 5: You will have a full day in Amboseli, with two safari game drives. Accommodations and meals will be at Sentrim Amboseli (or similar).
- Day 6: After breakfast, you will be driven to Lake Naivasha. The afternoon / evening will be at your leisure. You can enjoy the lake from your lodge or go on a boat ride (at extra cost).
 - Accommodation: Lake Naivasha Country Club (or similar). Meals included: All meals.
- Day 7: After breakfast, you will depart for Maasai Mara National Park, which is world famous for its Big Cats (Lions, Leopards, and Cheetahs). You will also see other wildlife, including Africa's Big 5 Mammals (Lion, Leopard, Elephant, Buffalo, and Rhino) in their natural habitat!
 - o Accommodation: Sentrim Mara (or similar). Meals included: All meals.
- Day 8: You will enjoy a full day of wildlife safaris (2 game drives) in Maasai Mara National Park. Meals and overnight stay at Sentrim Mara (or similar). Meals included: All meals.
- Day 9: After breakfast, you will check out and do a safari game drive as you make your way back to Nairobi. You will be dropped off at the International Airport for your flight back home. (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package).
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This package includes:

- Meet & greet at Nairobi's International Airport, including airport pick-up upon arrival and airport drop-off at the end of trip
- Ground transportation in a safari-grade minivan with an English-speaking driver/guide
- Accommodation and meals as stipulated in the itinerary
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WILDLIFE SAFARIS & CULTURAL IMMERSIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA

SUMMARY

Total Duration of Trip (including travel time to and from South Africa): 10 days Number of Days in South Africa: 7 days Number of Guests: 2 adults Accommodation Format: 1 room shared by both guests

DESTINATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Johannesburg (Transit only upon initial arrival into South Africa): Johannesburg, affectionately known as "Jozi" or "Joburg", is a bustling mega city that melds people from all walks of life. The Johannesburg OR Tambo Airport (airport code JNB) will be your port of entry and exit.
- Cape Town: Also called "The Mother City", Cape Town is a coming-together of cultures, cuisines, and landscapes. Considered one of the most beautiful places in the world, there's nowhere quite like Cape Town, a singularly beautiful city crowned by the majestic Table Mountain National Park and flanked by the dramatic coastline and ocean.
- Kruger National Park or a nearby Private Game Reserve (Sabi Sands, Timbavati, etc.): Not only
 have several Wildlife Specials (National Geographic, Animal Planet, BBC, etc.) been shot here,
 but some of the most popular wildlife videos on the Internet have been shot in and around
 Kruger National Park the undisputed wildlife haven in South Africa. If you want to see Africa's
 Big 5 Mammals (Lion, Leopard, Rhino, Elephant, and Buffalo) in their natural environment, then
 you must visit Kruger or one of the private reserves neighboring this national park.





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- Day 2: You will be en route to South Africa.
- Day 3: Upon arrival at Johannesburg's OR Tambo International Airport, you will make your way to the airport hotel (which is connected to the airport terminal).
 - Accommodation: City Lodge OR Tambo (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 4: After breakfast, you will make your way back to the airport terminal to check in for your flight to Skukuza (an airport located near the Greater Kruger National Park). (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package). Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to your lodge-style hotel near the Kruger Park border.
 - Accommodation: Protea Hotel Kruger Gate (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast & Dinner.
- Days 5: You will have this full day on safari, with two game drives one in the morning and one in the afternoon/evening. Accommodations and meals will be at Protea Hotel Kruger Gate. Meals included: All meals.
- Day 6: After breakfast, you will be transferred to Skukuza for your flight to Cape Town. (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package). Upon arrival in Cape Town, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your hotel.
 - Accommodation: Southern Sun Waterfront Cape Town (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Days 7 & 8: You will enjoy two full days in Cape Town. Various tours and activities such as a tour of the Cape Winelands (the South African Wine Country), a tour of the Cape Peninsula (the southern-most tip of Africa including stopover at the Cape of Good Hope), a city tour of Cape Town, a visit to Table Mountain, cultural tours, etc. can be arranged <u>at extra cost.</u> Accommodations at Southern Sun Waterfront (or similar). Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 9: After breakfast, you will be transferred to Cape Town Airport for your flight back home. (NOTE: the cost of flights is not included in this package).
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This package includes:

- Airport meet & greet: pick-up upon arrival in JNB and drop-off at the end of the trip at CPT
- Ground transfers with an English-speaking driver/guide as per the itinerary
- Accommodation and meals as stipulated in the itinerary
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