

## DISCOVER AFRICA



### **3 NIGHTS CAPE TOWN PRE-CRUISE AND 2 NIGHTS VICTORIA FALLS POST-CRUISE**

Experience the beauty and natural wonders of iconic Cape Town; get up close to animals in their natural habitat; and explore one of the "Seven Wonders of the World." Spend three nights in Cape Town, discovering its many treasures with visits to Cape of Good Hope, Boulders Beach and Table Mountain. You also have a choice to visit the renowned Cape Winelands, or tour famous Robben Island. Next, fly to Victoria Falls and head west to the Botswana and Namibian borders to embark on your Chobe River safari cruise through the wondrous Chobe National Park, home to one of Africa's densest populations of wildlife. Encounter elephants, giraffes, leopards, zebras and buffaloes on excursions by boat and open-air vehicles. Conclude your journey with two nights at the majestic Victoria Falls. You also have the option to extend your trip in Johannesburg, following in the foot-steps of Nelson Mandela.

**COUNTRIES:** BOTSWANA, SOUTH AFRICA, ZIMBABWE

**RIVERS:** CHOBE

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### *Detailed Itinerary*

#### **DAY 1**

##### **ARRIVE IN CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA**

Situated amidst majestic mountains and lined with pristine beaches, Cape Town has a rich cultural heritage with extraordinary attractions. After being greeted at the airport by an AmaWaterways Representative, transfer to the Mt Nelson Hotel by Belmond. Get to know your Tour Director at the Welcome Reception. (WR)

#### **DAY 2**

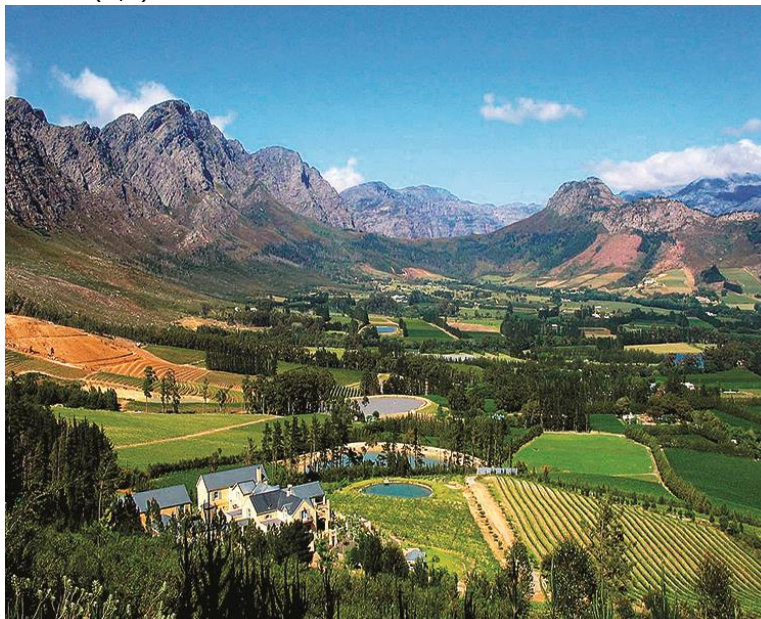
##### **CAPE TOWN**

Embark on a full-day exploration along one of the world's most stunning routes, taking you southeast along the Atlantic seaboard past the 12 Apostles, Hout Bay and Chapman's Peak. Stop at Cape Point, located in the nature reserve within Table Mountain National Park, which forms part of the Cape Floral Region, a World Heritage Site. You'll also visit Boulders Beach, home to thousands of African penguins, and then be treated to lunch with drinks overlooking False Bay—one of the world's most beautiful bays. (B,L)

#### **DAY 3**

##### **CAPE TOWN**

You have a choice of two excursions, depending on your interests. Take a cableway up to Table Mountain for spectacular views of the city and surrounding areas, followed by a trip to the Cape Winelands, which comprises the Stellenbosch, Franschhoek and Paarl valleys. South African wine is world renowned, and you'll get to visit two of its best vineyards, complete with wine tasting. A sumptuous lunch will be included along the way. Or choose to explore another side of Cape Town at famous Robben Island, once used as a prison for many political inmates, including Nelson Mandela. You'll ferry over to the island where you will take a tour led by a former inmate. Back in Cape Town, enjoy lunch, and then visit the colorful historic Bo Kaap neighborhood before boarding the cableway to Table Mountain's summit. (B,L)





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### DAY 4

#### **CAPETOWN – VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE – ZAMBEZI QUEEN – EMBARKATION**

In the morning, transfer to the airport for a flight to Victoria Falls. Here, you will be transferred to the Chobe River that forms the border between Botswana and Namibia. Then board tender boats that will take you to the Zambezi Queen moored on the Namibia side of the river. Settle into your stateroom, enjoy a mid-afternoon snack, and in the evening, be treated to a Welcome Cocktail Reception and Dinner. (B,D)

### DAY 5

#### **ZAMBEZI QUEEN**

Embark on an exhilarating, morning boat safari to explore the Chobe River's diverse game viewing. Afterwards, return to the Zambezi Queen for lunch. As the Zambezi Queen cruises along the Chobe River, relax on board in the afternoon and enjoy what nature has to offer. Be sure to spend time in the splash pool or perhaps catch-up with your favorite book. Later in the day, revel in panoramic view with another thrilling boat safari. (B,L,D)

### DAY 6

#### **ZAMBEZI QUEEN**

Join a full-day safari of Chobe National Park in open-top 4x4 vehicles. Be on the lookout for elephants, giraffe, zebra, sable, warthog and cape buffaloes. Prides of lions, hyenas and (more rarely) cheetahs could be encountered along the way. For lunch, take a seat under the trees and savor a delicious picnic. (B,L,D)



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### **DAY 7**

#### **ZAMBEZI QUEEN**

Start the day off with an unforgettable visit to a typical African village to experience the local culture first hand. Spend time with the children of the village as well as its elders, and learn about their day-to-day life. After lunch on board, you can choose between a boat safari, bird watching or fishing. Spend your last evening aboard with a festive African-themed dinner hosted by your crew—complete with singing and dancing. (B,L,D)

### **DAY 8**

#### **ZAMBEZI QUEEN – DISEMBARKATION – VICTORIA FALLS, ZIMBABWE**

Enjoy a morning cruise during breakfast and be on the lookout for wildlife. Afterward, transfer to the legendary Victoria Falls, one of the world's greatest natural wonders. Spend the afternoon exploring the town or experience one of the many activities offered at your hotel. Later this afternoon, join a cocktail reception with appetizers aboard a vintage steam train and make your way to the Victoria Falls Bridge to watch the sunset over the Falls. (B)





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### DAY 9

#### VICTORIA FALLS

A local guide will take you on a tour of the awe-inspiring Victoria Falls. You'll learn about its history, and the flora and fauna that make this area so unique. In the evening, embark on a private sunset cruise along the Zambezi River. Relax on board as you observe a variety of game while enjoying a delicious mix of tapas with drinks, followed by a special dinner with live local entertainment at the hotel. (B,D)

### DAY 10

#### VICTORIA FALLS – JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA

After breakfast, bid adieu to Zimbabwe as you head to Victoria Falls Airport for your return flight to Johannesburg and onward flight home or extend your trip with two nights in Johannesburg and/or four nights in Rwanda. (B)

**Note:** Please do not schedule your onward flight before 6:30 p.m.



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*Dates* ÁFRICA 2024

Date	Date
March 8 *	July 12
March 22 *	July 19
March 29	August 2
April 5	August 9
April 12	August 16
April 26	August 30
May 3	September 13
May 10	September 20
May 17	October 4
May 24	October 11
May 31	October 18
June 7	October 25
June 21	November 1
June 28	November 8

**Prices from, per person, CAT SB, US\$11,099.00\*, subject to availability and change.**

### OPTIONAL POST JOHANNESBURG EXTENSION

Why not extend your stay in South Africa with 2 nights in Johannesburg at the luxurious Fairlawns Boutique Hotel and Spa? Your stay includes a discussion with a South African expert on the Bushmen of the Kalahari desert, a special multi-course dinner with South African wines, a full-day tour of Soweto including lunch in the "village" and a visit to the Soweto Museum. Apartheid. Daily breakfast and transfers to/from Johannesburg airport are included.

Price supplement per person sharing \$1,385 per person.

Important Dates, prices and itineraries are subject to change

**Intra-Africa Air** \$1250 per person

Single supplement 50% of the price of the twin for Cat. SB & SA; 100% of the price of the twin for Cat. EM.

See the terms below for more details.

Bedding Please select bedding configuration at time of booking: Option A: Two Single Beds Option B: One Queen Bed

**Visa;** Visas are required to travel to Africa; please check with your Consulate for more information

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Fares shown include Cruise and Land programs (as indicated, per itinerary) and are based on double occupancy of an entry-level category stateroom, unless otherwise noted. Rates include airport transfers and all applicable intra-African flights, but do not include international flights. All offers shown are valid on select voyages only and may be combined with all guest programs and service certificates for previous guests, but may not be combined with any other offer or promotion. Single guests must pay an additional single supplement. Rates and offers are subject to availability and may be changed or withdrawn at any time. Offers are capacity controlled and are subject to change or withdrawal without notice. Tips are additional. Other restrictions may apply. Please see our brochure for full terms and conditions.

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### INCLUDED

**3 NIGHTS CAPETOWN, 4-NIGHT SAFARI CRUISE, 2 NIGHTS VICTORIA FALLS**

### SPACIOUS STATEROOMS

- 4 nights deluxe accommodation in an air-conditioned balcony suite
- Bottled water replenished daily

### AN ARRAY OF AMENITIES

- Personalized service from a highly trained Cruise Manager during the cruise and a Tour Director during land packages
- Game viewing deck with pool
- Main Lounge with panoramic views and bar

### DINING AND CUISINE

- All onboard dining, including a traditional African dinner
- Regionally inspired cuisine
- Welcome Dinner
- Complimentary wine, beer and local spirits

### A WORLD OF EXPLORATION

- Chobe National Park safari
- Exclusive private picnic in Chobe National Park
- Private boat safaris along the Chobe riverbank and its channels
- Visit to an African village for a unique cultural interaction

### LAND PROGRAM

- 3 nights at the Cape Grace Hotel in an upgraded Luxury room, including daily breakfast
- Welcome Reception with drinks and tapas
- Full-day Cape of Good Hope tour and local lunch with drinks
- Cableway to the summit of Table Mountain (weather permitting)
- Cape Winelands tour including tastings and lunch OR guided visit to Robben Island followed by lunch
- 2-night stay in upgraded Stable Wing rooms at the Victoria Falls Hotel, including daily breakfast
- Cocktail reception aboard a vintage steam train followed by dinner
- Guided tour of Victoria Falls National Park
- Exclusive Sundowner Cruise with drinks and tapas
- All airport transfers

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### SHIP



### *Zambezi Queen* OVERVIEW

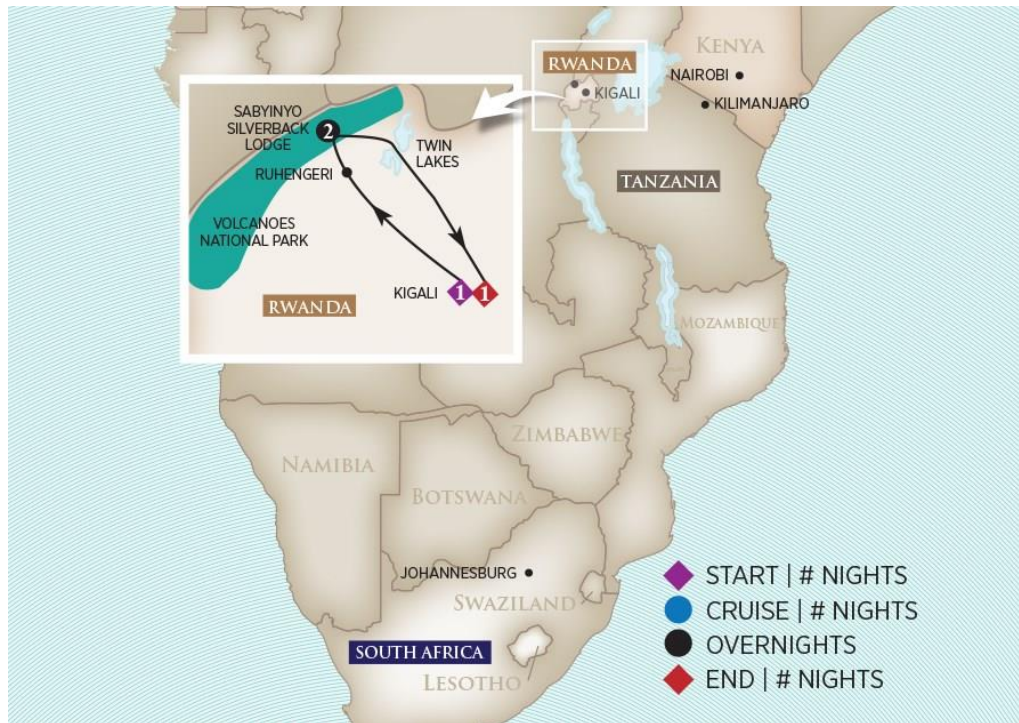
Designed specifically for wildlife viewing, the intimate 28-passenger *Zambezi Queen* made her debut in one of the world's most captivating places, Africa's legendary Chobe River. As she drifts along the river, animals perceive no threat, affording you with once-in-a-lifetime up-close game experiences. Additionally, to ensure no harm to the environment, the eco-friendly *Zambezi Queen* uses a water jet propulsion system, fuel-efficient and low-emission generators, and a solar heating system. An enclosed, air-conditioned dining room, lounge and bar grace the top deck, as well as an open-air Sun Deck complete with plunge pool. Suites feature private balconies where you can enjoy unobstructed views of the river and African landscape. Throughout the day, be treated to complimentary South African wines, beer, local spirits, soft drinks and bottled water. And on one special night, enjoy an African-themed dinner with traditional dishes and entertainment.



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## RWANDA EXTENSION



Rwanda offers unimaginable beauty with the utterly spellbinding Volcanoes National Park—home to the rare Mountain Gorillas and Golden Monkeys. Extend any of our five itineraries with four amazing nights, discovering Rwanda's natural wonders and wildlife on an epic adventure.

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### DAY 1

#### **ARRIVE IN KIGALI, RWANDA**

After arriving at Kigali Airport, you will be met by an AmaWaterways Representative and transferred to Kigali Serena Hotel for the evening.

### DAY 2

#### **KIGALI – VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK**

After breakfast, you'll be taken on a tour of Kigali. Visit the Genocide Memorial, a sobering reminder of the country's tragic past. Enjoy lunch at the Hotel Des Mille Collines, the inspiration for the film "Hotel Rwanda" and then drive to Musanze, the base for gorilla trekking at Volcanoes National Park. Check into The Bishop's House. (B,L,D)

### DAY 3

#### **VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK**

For those wishing to go on a trek, you'll transfer in the morning to Volcanoes National Park.\* Depending on your fitness level, you'll be placed into the appropriate group. Your lead guide will brief you on the trekking procedures before driving up the mountain to the starting point. Trekking can take anywhere between two to six or more hours if the gorillas move. Nothing can quite prepare you for your encounter with these magnificent Mountain Gorillas, a truly once-in-a-lifetime experience to see the gorillas in the mist. With a free afternoon, you can take a tour of the scenic twin lakes of Burera and Ruhondo, or visit the outdoor markets in Ruhengeri. (B,L,D)

### DAY 4

#### **VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK – KIGALI**

Enjoy the morning at leisure or go on another trek to see more Mountain Gorillas or the Golden Monkeys.\* After lunch at the lodge, you'll drive back to Kigali. Check into the Serena Hotel. (B,L)

### DAY 5

#### **KIGALI**

After breakfast, transfer to Kigali International Airport for your onward flight. (B)



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### *Rwanda post-tour extension* DATES & PRICES

Mar, Nov–Dec	<b>\$4,795</b>	Per person
April	<b>\$4,495</b>	Per person
May	<b>\$4,895</b>	Per person
Jun–Oct	<b>\$5,295</b>	Per person

\* Single Supplement: 50% of per person pricing listed above.

\* Prices do not include Mountain Gorilla or Golden Monkey trekking permits. Trekking permits must be purchased at the time of booking:

- **Mountain Gorilla permit:** \$1,500 per person, per day
- **Golden Monkey permit:** \$100 per person, per day

#### **Intra-Africa Air:**

One way Johannesburg to Kigali \$575 per person

One way Serengeti to Kigali \$550 per person

Homebound international flights return from Kigali.