

GOLDEN TRAILS OF AFRICA



1 NIGHT JOHANNESBURG (OR 3 NIGHTS CAPE TOWN), 4-NIGHT SAFARI CRUISE, 2 NIGHTS VICTORIA FALLS, 2 NIGHTS JOHANNESBURG AND 7 NIGHTS TANZANIA

Your journey begins with an overnight stay in Johannesburg (option to start with 3 nights in Cape Town). Next, fly to Kasane, Botswana and board the Zambezi Queen, your wildlife river cruise vessel on the Chobe River for the next 4 nights. Enjoy two nights at Victoria Falls, one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World. From here, fly to Johannesburg for two nights at your intimate, all-suite hotel. Depart to Nairobi where a connecting flight brings you to your Tanzania safari. Enjoy two nights at three of the four luxury Tanzanian lodges: Tarangire Treetops, The Manor at Ngorongoro, and the luxury-tented Serengeti Migration Camp or Serengeti Pioneer Camp.

COUNTRIES: BOTSWANA, SOUTH AFRICA, TANZANIA, ZIMBABWE

RIVERS: CHOBE

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Detailed Itinerary

DAY 1

ARRIVE IN JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA

After being greeted at the airport by an AmaWaterways Representative, transfer to Fairlawns Hotel.

DAY 2

JOHANNESBURG – KASANE, BOTSWANA – ZAMBEZI QUEEN – EMBARKATION

Fly to Kasane, Botswana where you'll be transferred to the Chobe River. Tender boats will take you to the Zambezi Queen moored on the Namibia side of the river. Settle into your stateroom and in the evening, enjoy a Welcome Cocktail Reception and Dinner. (B,D)

DAY 3

ZAMBEZI QUEEN

Embark on an exhilarating morning boat safari. Return to the Zambezi Queen for lunch. Later in the day, enjoy another thrilling boat safari. (B,L,D)



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DAY 4

ZAMBEZI QUEEN

Join a full-day safari of Chobe National Park in open-top 4x4 vehicles. For lunch, take a seat under the trees and savor a delicious picnic. (B,L,D)

DAY 5

ZAMBEZI QUEEN

Visit a typical African village spending time with the village children as well as its elders followed by lunch on board. During the afternoon, you can go on a boat safari, bird watch or fish, and then cap the day off with a festive African-themed dinner. (B,L,D)

DAY 6

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 7

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 8

VICTORIA FALLS – JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA

After breakfast, you'll be taken to the airport for your flight to Johannesburg. Transfer to the Fairlawns Boutique Hotel with its parklike setting and wonderful Spa. (B)

DAY 9

JOHANNESBURG

Take a fascinating tour of Johannesburg and Soweto. Walk in the footsteps of Nelson Mandela, visiting the Mandela House, followed by a township lunch. In the evening, enjoy a multi-course dinner. (B,L,D)



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DAY 10

JOHANNESBURG – KILIMANJARO, TANZANIA – ARUSHA, TANZANIA

Fly to Kilimanjaro where you will be met by an AmaWaterways Representative and transferred to the Arusha Coffee Lodge. (B,D)

DAY 11

ARUSHA – TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK

Journey to Tarangire National Park, where you'll go on an adventurous safari before checking into Treetops Lodge. (B,L,D)

DAY 12

TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA

Experience the wonders of Tarangire with a full day of activities, including a morning bushwalk, an afternoon safari and a sunset drive. This is home to the highest number of breeding bird species in the world along with thousands of elephants, huge herds of buffalo, stately fringe-eared oryx and the towering kudu. (B,L,D)

DAY 13

TARANGIRE - NGORONGORO, TANZANIA

Visit a Maasai village before enjoying a game drive through Manyara National Park, home to tree-climbing lions, giraffes, cheetahs, monkeys, impalas and baboons. Be treated to a picnic en route to The Manor at Ngorongoro. (B,L,D)



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DAY 14

NGORONGORO CRATER, TANZANIA

Go on a full-day exploration to the awe-inspiring Ngorongoro Crater. Once a gigantic volcano, it's the world's largest intact caldera offering a unique environment virtually unchanged since the dawn of time. The nearly three million years old caldera shelters one of the most beautiful wildlife havens on earth. Deep within the crater, some 25,000 large mammals wander the plains, lakes and forests. A picnic will be served on the crater floor, followed by further exploration before heading back to The Manor. (B,L,D)

DAY 15

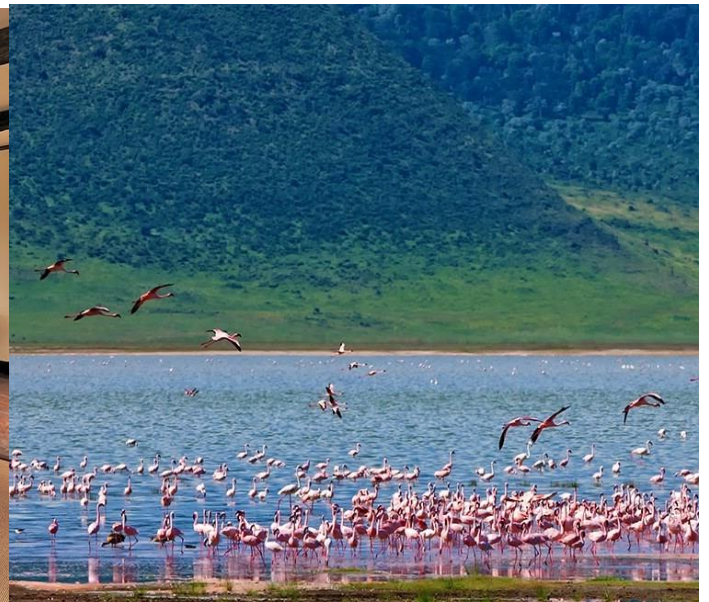
NGORONGORO - SERENGETI, TANZANIA

Fly to the Serengeti and in the afternoon, go on a game drive to see the "Big Five." (B,L,D)

DAY 16

SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA

Explore the vast Serengeti via an open safari cruiser during the morning and after lunch. It is not possible to say with any accuracy where the Great Migration of the Wildebeest will be located at any one time. There are several determining factors; however, one can be assured that if there is a good chance of seeing it, then this can be accomplished from the Pioneer Camp or Migration Camp. (B,L,D)



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DAY 17

SERENGETI - ARUSHA, TANZANIA

Take your final safari drive in the morning, and then transfer to the airstrip for your flight back to Arusha. Lunch will be served in the gardens of the lodge before your final transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport or extend your journey with four nights in magical Rwanda. (B,L)

Note: Please do not schedule your onward flight until after 6:00 p.m.



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Dates & Prices

Dates	Dates
March 10	July 14
March 24	July 21
March 31	August 4
April 7	August 11
April 14	August 18
April 28	September 1
May 5	September 15
May 12	September 22
May 19	September 22
May 26	October 6
June 2	October 13
June 9	October 20
June 23	October 27
June 30	November 3
	November 10

Prices from, per person, CAT SB, US\$16,795.00*, subject to availability and change.

PRE-EXTENSION 3 NIGHTS IN CAPE TOWN Instead of spending your first night in Johannesburg, start your trip early and enjoy 3 nights in Cape Town pre-cruise. This includes a full-day tour of the Cape of Good Hope and a full-day tour of Cape Winelands or Robben Island, as well as an additional flight from Cape Town to Johannesburg. From \$2,395 per person.

Note: Dates, prices and itineraries are subject to change

Intra-Africa Air \$2725 per person. Including taxes and fuel surcharges.

Single supplement 50% of the double price for cat. SB&SA; 100% of the price of the twin for Cat. EM. See terms below for more details. Bedding Please select bedding configuration at time of booking:

Option A - Two single beds; **Option B:** A large 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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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 PACKAGE

- 1 night at the Fairlawns Boutique Hotel, including daily breakfast
- 2-night stay at the Victoria Falls Hotel in an upgraded Stable Wing room, including daily breakfast
- Cocktail reception aboard a vintage steam train followed by dinner on the train
- Guided tour of Victoria Falls National Park
- Exclusive Sundowner Cruise with tapas, followed by dinner
- 2 nights at Fairlawns Boutique Hotel, including daily breakfast
- Special dinner and presentation
- Soweto tour with local lunch
- 1 night at Arusha Coffee Lodge
- 2 nights at Tarangire Treetops
- 2 nights at The Manor at Ngorongoro
- 2 nights at Serengeti Migration Camp or Serengeti Pioneer Camp
- Daily game drives with no more than 6 guests per vehicle
- Day room in Arusha
- 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	\$4,795	Per person
April	\$4,495	Per person
May	\$4,895	Per person
Jun–Oct	\$5,295	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.