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Travelling with like-minded people means you'll experience a more casual and relaxed atmosphere where fellow travellers quickly become new-found friends.

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Garden Route Knysna



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We hope to welcome you soon."

Geoff McGeary OAM
Company Owner

Robert McGeary
Director

Lou Tandy (nee McGeary)



The OneTomorrow Charitable Fund is an initiative established by the APT Travel Group. OneTomorrow's mission is to make a positive and enduring impact on nature and the communities we touch. Supporting various grassroots initiatives around the world, we aim to create immediate and long-term change in important environmental and humanitarian causes.



Kilimatembo school officially opened its doors in 1976 to students in rural Tanzania. Since then, the school has been providing education to local children in order to pave the way for a brighter future. Kilimatembo emphasises the importance of conservation and environmental education; encouraging children to participate in numerous nature-based activities.

For the Love of Wildlife is devoted to turning around the current extinction crisis that nature is faced with. Their aim is to work from the top down and return Australia to being a leader in preserving and protecting wildlife and habitat. It has succeeded in banning the importation of lion trophies and body parts, and closing the domestic trade in elephant ivory and rhino horn.

A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE

At OneTomorrow we believe in travel as a platform for change. Across the APT Travel Group, we've partnered with a range of organisations and implemented initiatives to help protect the environment and ensure the wellbeing of local people wherever we go.

MAKING TRAVEL MEAN MORE

Working together, we can support not-for-profit organisations to continue helping their communities. The best part? Donations through OneTomorrow are tax deductible*, and all donations will be matched dollar for dollar. So together we can double our impact.

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to shape the world together**

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LOOKING AFTER YOU ISN'T JUST OUR JOB – IT'S OUR PASSION

At Travelmarvel, we know that great service is about going above and beyond, which is why our staff have a 98% satisfaction rating on average from our guests.

YOUR FRIENDLY TOUR DIRECTOR & DRIVER


Our professional Tour Directors are English-speaking locals who offer superior knowledge and service. Providing an insider's perspective, they enable you to experience this wonderful region in safety and style. Taking you safely and comfortably between the sights, meanwhile, our drivers also play a pivotal role in your holiday.

EXPERTS IN AFRICA

Our Africa Specialist team has travelled extensively in order to create itineraries that exceed expectations. Our journeys shed new light on iconic attractions, steer away from the crowds to engage in local life, and provide incredible experiences.

PERFECTLY TAILORED ITINERARIES

We plan our itineraries to appeal to a wide range of travellers. You'll be given the time to enjoy more extended stays for a leisurely and in-depth local immersion. While an unprecedented number of iconic and unique experiences are included,



“From sunrise to sunset, Travelmarvel’s African itineraries truly allow you to make the most out of every day on tour. Throughout my fantastic holiday, I made memories to last a lifetime.”

Mr B Bowring,
Australia

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we also allow ample free time so you can explore at your own pace too.

LOCAL GUIDES – LOCAL KNOWLEDGE

Joining you in many locations, our local English-speaking guides will provide you with an insider’s look into their villages, customs and the impressive sights you’ll see along the way. They will also offer advice as to how you might like to spend your leisure time, directing you to the best markets and eateries, or the most interesting places to explore.

Meet the crew

Moses, Tour Director

“I decided to join the travel industry when I was a young boy after meeting tour drivers in Kenya’s Meru National Park on a school trip. My favourite place I’ve visited is the sand dunes in Namibia and a touring highlight for me is a happy client at the end of the tour – happy client, happy Tour Director!”





PREMIUM *Accommodation*

STAY IN HAND-PICKED HOTELS BASED ON THEIR
GREAT LOCATION AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE



Chobe Bush Lodge, Chobe National Park

With Travelmarvel, where you stay provides you with greater insight into your destination, allowing you to soak up the local ambience.

Victoria Falls Safari Lodge

Set on a plateau close to Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe, this sunset-facing property overlooks Zambezi National Park. Rooms and balconies face towards the bushveld and waterhole which attract local wildlife. Guests can also enjoy the views from the restaurant, bar, fitness centre or pool.

Fig Tree Camp, Masai Mara

After a day of exhilarating game drives, retreat to Fig Tree Camp. With beautifully furnished tented accommodation in Kenya's prime wildlife area, rejuvenate on the riverbanks of the Talek River.

Chobe Bush Lodge, Chobe National Park

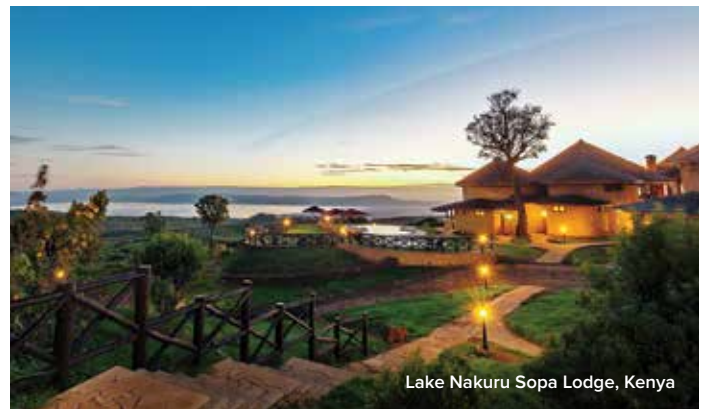
Enjoy contemporary-style accommodation on the doorstep of Chobe National Park. With welcoming rooms reflecting the majestic surrounds with modern interiors, this is the perfect base to explore Botswana's wildlife-filled bush and river landscapes.



Elephant at Victoria Falls Safari Lodge



Kati Kati Tented Camp, Serengeti National Park



Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, Kenya

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Situated on a spectacular range of hills that form the western limits of Africa's Great Rift Valley, enjoy the views of beautiful surrounds overlooking Lake Nakuru.

Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge, Amboseli National Park

Set against the backdrop of Africa's highest mountain, mist-shrouded Mt Kilimanjaro, this homely lodge offers a superb position to embark on a safari.

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

In select locations, you'll stay in superior accommodation situated in Africa's most unique or spectacular settings.

Shishangeni Private Lodge, Kruger National Park

Shishangeni offers a unique and intimate stay in the heart of the South African bush. Unwind on your private game viewing deck, relax by the pool, dine on a traditional boma dinner under the starlit sky and enjoy intuitive hospitality.

Kati Kati Tented Camp, Serengeti National Park

Begin and end your day listening to the hum of wildlife around you as you stay on the doorstep of Serengeti National Park. Stay in a comfortable tent, equipped with an ensuite, and enjoy delicious meals served in the central dining tent. Relax with a drink around the campfire before retiring for the night, where you'll drift off peacefully to the sounds of nature in the surrounding African bush.



INCLUDED *Sightseeing*

GAIN A DEEPER INSIGHT INTO THE ESSENCE OF AFRICA

Your Travelmarvel holiday covers the must-see sights, and also offers you a window into the lesser-known gems in each incredible destination with our specially selected Insider Experiences.

SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

Every journey incorporates many included sightseeing experiences so you can enjoy all the highlights as well as genuine adventures.

CAPE PENINSULA TOUR

Cut a path along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. Enjoy a light lunch in a restored colonial home, complete with views across the ocean. See the penguins up close at Boulders Beach before a visit to historic Simon's Town.

THE GARDEN ROUTE

From Cape Town to Port Elizabeth, the winding Garden Route is a journey of

natural wonder. See tranquil lagoons, white sandy beaches and a dazzling cover of natural flora, then stop to explore Featherbed Nature Reserve.

VICTORIA FALLS GUIDED WALK

Feel the mist on your face and be prepared to get a little wet as you explore Victoria Falls. You'll get to wander right to the precipice with your local guide at the helm.

KENYAN MAASAI VILLAGE

The colourful culture and lifestyle of the Maasai people comes to life on a visit to a village in Amboseli National Park. Wander about the dried-mud huts and delight in the vibrant cultural dress.



The stunning surrounds of Knysna, South Africa



Maasai women, Kenya



Monkeyland Primate Reserve, South Africa

LOCAL SCHOOL IN TANZANIA

Gain an insight into the local culture and travel to the tiny village of Mto Wa Mbu to visit a local school. You'll meet the charming students and hear what their daily life is like. You'll then head to a local restaurant where you can try a range of East African dishes.

GAME-VIEWING CRUISE IN CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Follow the footsteps of Dr David Livingstone into one of Africa's most diverse national parks, Botswana's Chobe National Park. The Chobe River is abundant with wildlife, and game viewing here is superb. By boat, you'll head deep into

'elephant country' watching for the large concentrations of herds that gather by the riverbanks. With approximately 120,000 elephants inhabiting the park, keep watch for these magnificent creatures.

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

Travelmarvel also offers a range of included Insider Experiences – special or unique excursions and events. Look out for the stars in your itinerary.

GARDEN ROUTE OSTRICH FARM

Get up close to these huge flightless birds and choose to feed them by hand.

MONKEYLAND PRIMATE RESERVE

Visit the world's first free-roaming, multi-species primate sanctuary and wander along the canopy walkway to see lemurs, gibbons and more. Learn about these primates and the challenges that they face.

FEATHERBED NATURE RESERVE

Travel by ferry to Featherbed Nature Reserve, a pristine slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna. Discover the lagoon, nature trails and beautiful surroundings of this destination.



Authentic FLAVOURS

INDULGE YOUR TASTEBUDS ON A CULINARY JOURNEY

The highlights of your Travelmarvel Africa holiday extend beyond the game parks. Each day of your itinerary is guaranteed to offer up a new dish to tempt your tastebuds.

Sample exotic flavours

Africa's flavours are as diverse as its cultures. You'll get to dine on regional produce, like Oudtshoorn's ostrich, fresh home-grown vegetables at Ngorongoro, and experience culinary traditions such as Africa's famous outdoor boma dinners.

Explore the local cuisine

With plenty of leisure time, you'll have ample opportunity to taste a variety of dishes that are the result of Africa's fascinating melting pot of cultures. There is no better way to sample the region's exotic flavours.

We cater for all tastes

With a range of delicious meals on offer, there's plenty of options for those who prefer their fare a little less exotic, however no less flavoursome.

Sundowner drinks

During some of your evening game drives, you'll pause for a while to enjoy refreshing drinks and snacks amid arresting African landscapes, before a tantalising dinner back at camp.



Authentic dishes at GOLD restaurant



Enjoy an opulent African bush dinner at dusk, South Africa



Spectacular view with dinner at Victoria Falls Safari Lodge

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

Look forward to our range of extra special dining events and feature meals throughout your journey that provide an authentic insight into the flavours of Africa. Experience the taste of each region through these delicious dinners, peppered throughout your stay. Throughout itinerary pages, look for the stars.

Welcome Dinner, Cape Town, South Africa

Try your hand at African drumming before you delve into the heart of South African culture with a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay Cuisine, tasting many of the region's cultural flavours.

Masai Mara Bush Dinner, Kenya

Indulge in a delicious dinner under the stars in the Masai Mara National Reserve. Savour an authentic meal in the African bush and enjoy the flavours of East Africa.

Boma Dinner, Kruger National Park, South Africa

Experience an authentic boma dinner in the midst of Kruger National Park's incredible landscapes. Savour a meal under the vast starlit sky.

Bush Dinner, Masai Mara, Kenya

Guaranteed to be a highlight of your stay in Kenya, this unique bush dinner in the Masai Mara will see you enjoy delectable flavours under the starry sky.



Mother and calf white rhino getting ready to drink

A DAY ON *Safari*

AS THE SUN RISES

The thrill of seeing Africa's wildlife up close will have you bounding out of bed. Settle in with a cup of tea or coffee as you watch the sun rise over the misty savannah. The animals are just beginning to emerge from their slumber, which is the perfect time for us to head out and observe them in action.

YOUR FIRST GAME DRIVE FOR THE DAY

Excitement builds as you clamber aboard 4WDs. Your game driver/tracker will lead you through a range of habitats – along dusty dirt roads, tangles of grassy bushland, tranquil rivers and acacia-rich plains – following paw prints and animal calls in search of the elusive Big Five and more.

TIME FOR A BREAK

Return to your lodge and indulge in a safari breakfast buffet with all the trimmings, before a relaxing morning enjoying the facilities of your lodge. Take a dip in the pool, melt into a sun lounger with a good book or look out for sneaky wildlife that may wander off course and close to the lodge.

FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD

Lunch is served followed by some more free time. You may be in the middle of the African bush, but there's certainly no shortage of culinary wonders. There's always time for some refreshments in preparation for your next exhilarating game drive.

THE GAME-SPOTTING FUN CONTINUES

The landscapes come alive just before sunset and you have a front-row seat to nature at its most magical. Charge along beside crocodile-infested rivers and slow down through the sweeping plains. Will you lock eyes with a lion, staring you down between the tall strands of grass? Or spy giraffes swaying their lengthy limbs back and forth? Raise a glass to your day of wildlife encounters with sundowner drinks as you take in the sunset.

WHEN THE STARS REPLACE THE SUN

After dinner back at your lodge, relax around the campfire with a nightcap. As you gaze up at the clear night sky that glitters with bright stars, you can only imagine what awaits you on safari tomorrow.





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transfers



Overnight
hotel stays



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Holiday MAPS

Majestic Victoria Falls, Zambezi River



Group of Maasai children



Elephants near Mount Kilimanjaro, Amboseli National Park, Kenya

Earlybird OFFERS



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EARLYBIRD SAVINGS

SAVE UP TO \$1,000 PER COUPLE*

Available on escorted tours of 14-15 days

SAVE UP TO \$2,000 PER COUPLE*

Available on escorted tours of 28 days

THE OFFERS ABOVE ARE COMBINABLE WITH THE FOLLOWING TWO OFFERS:

EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT OF ^{UP TO} \$600* PER COUPLE

Book an African holiday and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and you will receive the following additional savings:

- Escorted tours of 28 days, save \$300 per person
- Escorted tours of 14-15 days, save \$200 per person

TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS & SAVE ^{UP TO} \$600* PER COUPLE

When six or more people book together on an African holiday, Travelmarvel offers the following savings.

- Escorted tours of 28 days, save \$300 per person
- Escorted tours of 14-15 days, save \$150 per person

of \$400 per couple, available on AFT15 and AFTKT14. **SAVE UP TO \$2,000 per couple:** Applicable on AFTKT28. **SAVE UP TO \$1,000 per couple:** Applicable on AFT15 and AFTKT14. **EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNTS:** Book an escorted tour of 28 days and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and save \$300 per person. Book an escorted tour of 14-15 days and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and save \$200 per person. Discount is combinable with applicable dollar saving and Travel with Friends Discount. **TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS:** Available when six or more friends book at the same time and travel together on the same escorted tour departure. Not combinable with any other group discount. Discount is combinable with applicable dollar saving and applicable Early Payment Discount.

Wild African Cape penguins at the famous Boulders Beach outside Cape Town





Southern Africa

Home to stunning coastal surrounds and thrilling game parks, Southern Africa presents nature at its finest.

From wild game reserves and thundering falls to the stunning coastal Garden Route, Southern Africa's diversity is simply astounding.

CAPTIVATING CAPE TOWN

A collision of culture, creativity and natural spectacles, Cape Town is unlike anywhere else on Earth. Explore the city, a cultural melting pot, where art and design is highly regarded. Look to the iconic flat-topped Table Mountain which dominates the city's skyline.

KRUGER NATIONAL PARK

One of the ultimate wildlife-watching destinations, experience one of South Africa's greatest game parks. Go in search of the famous Big Five on thrilling 4WD game drives.

MIGHTY VICTORIA FALLS

While Zimbabwe and Zambia share this stunning natural wonder, it is a special place all on its own. Victoria Falls is justifiably one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World. Described as 'the Smoke that Thunders', you'll be awed by the huge plumes of roaring spray that rise upwards from the canyon below.

CHOBE NATIONAL PARK

Chobe National Park's diverse habitats nurture all manner of wildlife, though the region is best known for its large elephant herds. The park's waters attract thirsty game and hungry predators – making for a fascinating snapshot of life in the wild.

CAPE PENINSULA

Discover the breathtaking Cape Peninsula as you embark on a full-day scenic journey. Admire views along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point, which forms part of Table Mountain National Park. Here, the point is home to bays, beaches and rolling green hills. You will also enjoy an unexpected wildlife encounter with penguins at Boulders Beach. Then delve into the maritime history of Simon's Town.

FOLLOW THE GARDEN ROUTE

Hugging the curves of South Africa's southern coast, the Garden Route takes its name from the stunning and ecologically diverse vegetation that typifies the coast. Travel through grasslands, forests and mountainous regions, exploring the lagoons, lakes and rivers that dot the coast.

AFRICA'S ADVENTURES

On an adventure here with Travelmarvel, you'll enjoy the assurance of travelling with the escorted touring experts, while still being free to revel in the magic of Africa at your own pace.



Cape Town to Chobe Adventure

Cape Town to Kasane 15 Days

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ☆ Try African drumming before indulging in a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine
- ☆ Discover the idyllic Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour
- ☆ Tour an ostrich farm and feed an ostrich by hand
- ☆ Soak in the coastal scenery of Featherbed Nature Reserve
- ☆ See monkeys roam free at Monkeyland Primate Reserve
- ☆ Private game park experience staying at Shishangeni Private Lodge in Kruger National Park
- ☆ Experience a boma dinner in Kruger National Park

HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- ✓ 14 nights in premium accommodation
- ✓ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game trackers.
- ✓ 26 meals – 14 breakfasts (B), 5 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- ✓ All flights within Southern Africa
- ✓ Sunset game-viewing cruise in Chobe National Park
- ✓ Enjoy the opportunity to embark on up to seven game spotting activities

Day 1. Arrive Cape Town

Arrive in Cape Town and transfer to your hotel, located close to the V&A Waterfront precinct. Later, meet fellow guests and your Tour Director at a Welcome Reception. **Three Nights:** Cape Town, Southern Sun Waterfront Hotel.

Day 2. Cape Town

Explore Cape Town and ride the cable way up to Table Mountain's summit. Then, embark on an informative guided tour of the city before a free afternoon. Perhaps take a ferry to Robben Island, join an African Heritage Tour or visit the Constantia Wine Valley. Tonight, try your hand at African drumming, before indulging in a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine. **BD**

Day 3. Cape Town,

Cape Peninsula Discover the Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour, a scenic journey along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. Enjoy a light lunch before watching the penguins at Boulders Beach. Then, stop in historic Simon's Town. This evening is free for you to explore the V&A waterfront. **BL**

Day 4. Cape Town, Oudtshoorn

Travel to the Karoo region and see a well-preserved semidesert eco-system. Arrive at your hotel for a delicious dinner of local produce, including ostrich. **Stay:** Oudtshoorn, Surval Boutique Olive Estate. **BD**

Day 5. Oudtshoorn, Knysna

Discover the subterranean formations of the Cango Caves. Then, tour an ostrich farm and enjoy the chance to feed an ostrich by hand. Journey along the Garden Route to Knysna, and have an afternoon to explore at leisure. **Two Nights:** Knysna, Protea Hotel Knysna Quays. **B**

Day 6. Knysna, Featherbed

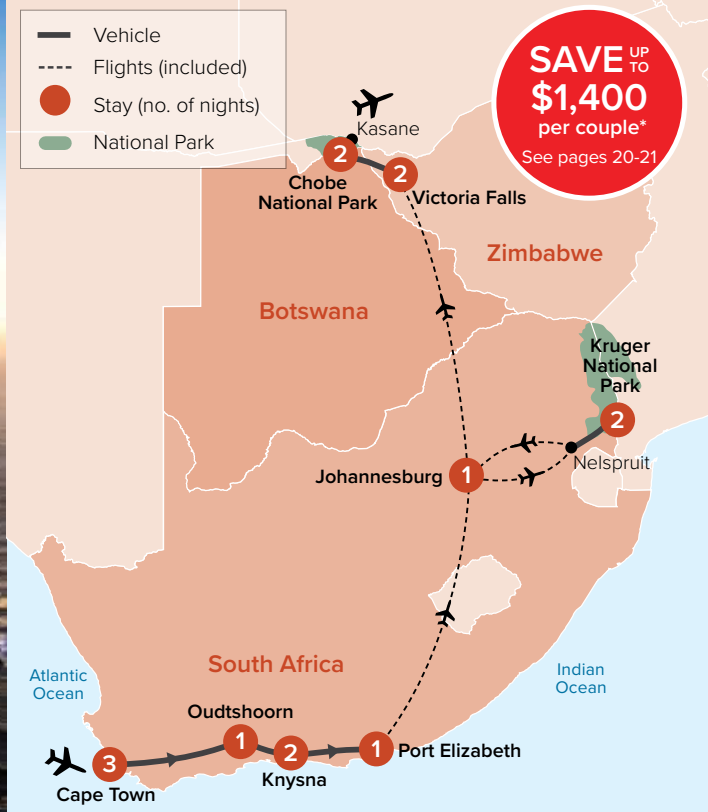
Nature Reserve Perhaps join an optional boat tour from Plettenberg Bay to view dolphins (Apr-May) or whales (Jun-Oct) and other wildlife. Visit Featherbed Nature Reserve, a slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna, accessible only by ferry. Later, join a park guide for a 4WD journey to the top of Western Head. After, perhaps join an optional bushwalk into ancient sea caves. **B**

Extend Your Stay

Experience a tour of the Winelands in South Africa before you begin this itinerary. See page 37 for more details.



Soak in the beauty and culture of Cape Town



Day 7. Knysna, Port Elizabeth

Depart Knysna and continue your drive along the Garden Route. Visit Monkeyland Primate Reserve, the world's first free-roaming, multi-species primate sanctuary. Continue along the Storms River Mouth and through Tsitsikamma Forest on the way to Port Elizabeth. Check into your hotel and have the rest of the day all to yourself.

Stay: Port Elizabeth, Boardwalk Hotel.

B

Day 8. Port Elizabeth, Johannesburg, Kruger National Park

Board an included flight to Nelspruit via Johannesburg, then travel to Shishangeni Private Lodge, where you will stay for the next two nights in your own thatched chalet with a private game-viewing deck. Embark on your first game drive through the lodge's private concession. Enjoy sundowners amid the African bush before dinner back at your lodge.

Two Nights: Kruger National Park, Shishangeni Private Lodge.

BLD

Day 9. Kruger National Park

A morning game drive brings the chance to track down Africa's Big Five along with a host of other animals. Get a taste of South Africa tonight with an authentic outdoor boma dinner.

BLD

Day 10. Kruger National Park, Johannesburg

Take an early morning game drive before you fly back to Johannesburg. Enjoy your evening at leisure.

Stay: Johannesburg, Peermont Mondior.

B

Day 11. Johannesburg, Victoria Falls

Take an included flight to Victoria Falls. Later, enjoy a walk where your guide will enlighten you on the history and culture of the area. Then settle in at your hotel.

Two Nights: Victoria Falls, Victoria Falls Safari Lodge.

BD

Day 12. Victoria Falls

With a full day at leisure, perhaps enhance your journey by taking a helicopter or microlight flight, or head out on a sunset cruise.

B

Day 13. Victoria Falls, Chobe National Park

Cross the border to Chobe National Park. Head out on a sunset game-viewing cruise to observe the herds of elephants that flock to the riverbank.

Two Nights: Chobe National Park, Chobe Bush Lodge or upgrade to a suite on a Chobe Princess Houseboat. (See page 36 for more information).

BLD

Day 14. Chobe National Park

Today, embark on a morning game drive and a sunset cruise along the Chobe River, which offers you a unique way of viewing game. Return to your lodge for dinner.

BLD

Day 15. Chobe National Park, Depart Kasane

This morning following breakfast, your Cape Town to Chobe Adventure comes to an end.

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Solo travellers please enquire for details.

Trip Notes

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East Africa

When you have a thirst for a real adventure, look no further than East Africa.

Experience the best game park viewing in Kenya and Tanzania on an incredible safari highlighted by breathtaking cultural moments.

MASAI MARA

This special place is what safari dreams are made of. Known for having one of the highest wildlife density of predators, Kenya's Masai Mara is a photographer's dream. Nature lovers are also well catered for, with an abundance of stunning open plains. Watch for grumbling hippos, sunbathing crocodiles and lazing lions as the ancient spirit of the land wraps around you.

SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK

Offering some of the best wildlife viewing in the world, Serengeti National Park is abundant with vast golden plains, quintessential acacia trees and hippo-inhabited waterholes. In addition to housing part of the Great Migration, it also contains a dense lion population, not to mention exceptional birdwatching opportunities.

LOCAL MAASAI CULTURE

The ability to immerse yourself in the local culture is a holiday moment you will treasure forever. During your visit to East Africa, you will learn about the traditions and lifestyle of the semi-nomadic Maasai people. The Great Rift Valley has long been home to the Maasai, who have preserved their authentic culture through customs including ceremony, dance and traditional clothing.

NGORONGORO CRATER

Tanzania's diverse crater allows you to delve into the world's largest inactive, intact and unfilled volcanic caldera. Lions, leopards and hyenas along with healthy herds of wildebeest, buffalo and zebra can be found here, as well as cheetahs, jackals, gazelles and even playful flamingos. Try to keep an eye out for the rare black rhino and large tusker elephants.

AMBOSELI NATIONAL PARK

One of Kenya's most stunning national parks, Amboseli is known for its large elephant population, not to mention having one of the best backdrops in all of Africa with a sublime view of Mt Kilimanjaro. Birdwatchers are also well catered for, with more than 370 species spotted in the region. African fish eagles can be seen hunting on the lake, while grey crowned cranes are frolicking around the marshlands.

EAST AFRICA'S GREAT MIGRATION

Each year, more than a million wildebeest, zebras and gazelles migrate between the vast plains of the Serengeti (in Tanzania) and the Masai Mara (in Kenya). While these animals search for rain-ripened grass, they are also pursued by a host of predators. This really is a sight to behold.



Grand African Journey

Cape Town to Kilimanjaro 28 Days

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ☆ Enjoy a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine in Cape Town
- ☆ Discover the idyllic Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour
- ☆ Tour a working ostrich farm in Oudtshoorn
- ☆ Soak in the coastal scenery of Featherbed Nature Reserve
- ☆ See monkeys roam free at Monkeyland Primate Reserve
- ☆ Private game park experience staying at Shishangeni Private Lodge in Kruger National Park
- ☆ Experience a boma dinner in Kruger National Park
- ☆ Visit a Maasai village in Amboseli National Park and learn about the traditional culture
- ☆ Enjoy a bush dinner in the Masai Mara under the African sky
- ☆ At the village of Mto Wa Mbu, meet the children at a school

HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- ✓ 27 nights in premium accommodation
- ✓ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game trackers
- ✓ 63 meals – 27 breakfasts (B), 17 lunches (L) and 19 dinners (D)
- ✓ All flights within Africa
- ✓ Relish the opportunity to embark on up to 22 exciting game-spotting activities
- ✓ Tipping, game park fees and transfers

Day 1. Arrive Cape Town Arrive in Cape Town, where we'll meet you on arrival and transfer you to your hotel located by the tourist-friendly V&A Waterfront precinct. This evening, meet fellow guests and your Tour Director at a Welcome Reception.

Three Nights: Cape Town, Southern Sun Waterfront Hotel.

Day 2. Cape Town Ride the cable way up to the summit of Table Mountain. Continue your exploration with a guided tour, followed by some free time. Tonight, try your hand at African drumming before a Welcome Dinner of Cape Malay cuisine. **BD**

Day 3. Cape Town, Cape Peninsula Discover the breathtaking Cape Peninsula during a full-day tour. This scenic journey takes you along Chapman's Peak Drive to Cape Point. The most south-westerly tip of Africa, Cape Point is covered in endemic fynbos and home to bays, beaches and rolling green hills. Enjoy a light lunch before watching the penguins at Boulders Beach. Then, pause in historic Simon's Town. We've left this evening free for you to explore the V&A waterfront. **BL**

Day 4. Cape Town, Oudtshoorn Farewell Cape Town this morning and travel through the Karoo region, discovering the scenery of a well-preserved semidesert eco-system. Later, arrive at your hotel for a delicious dinner of local produce, including ostrich.

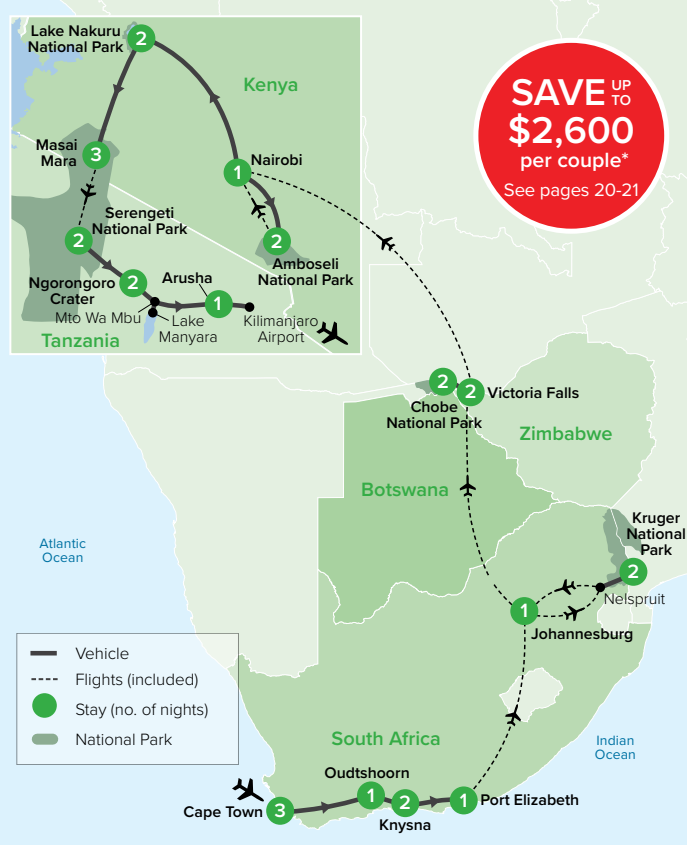
Stay: Oudtshoorn, Surval Boutique Olive Estate. **BD**

Day 5. Oudtshoorn, Knysna This morning, discover the subterranean limestone formations of the Cango Caves. Tour an ostrich farm and come face-to-face with Africa's enormous flightless birds, as you may wish to feed an ostrich by hand. Then, join the Garden Route to the charming coastal town of Knysna, where you will revel in a free afternoon to spend however you please. **Two Nights:** Knysna, Protea Hotel Knysna Quays. **B**

Day 6. Knysna, Featherbed Nature Reserve This morning, perhaps join an optional boat tour from Plettenberg Bay for the opportunity to view dolphins (Apr-May) or whales (Jun-Oct) and other wildlife. Visit Featherbed Nature Reserve, a pristine slice of paradise on the Western Head of Knysna, accessible only by ferry.



Maasai women



Cross the lagoon and join a park guide for a 4WD journey to the top of Western Head. Take some time to enjoy the stunning view and later, perhaps join an optional bushwalk into ancient sea caves. B

Day 7. Knysna, Port Elizabeth

Depart Knysna and continue along the Garden Route. Make a stop to visit Monkeyland Primate Reserve, the world's first free-roaming, multi-species primate sanctuary. Continue along the Storms River Mouth and through Tsitsikamma Forest on the way to Port Elizabeth. Check into your hotel and have the rest of the day all to yourself. **Stay:** Port Elizabeth, Boardwalk Hotel. B

Day 8. Port Elizabeth, Johannesburg, Kruger National Park

Board an included flight to Kruger National Park via Johannesburg, then travel to a private concession of land within Kruger National Park. Arrive at Shishangeni Private Lodge where you will stay for the next two nights in your own thatched chalet with a private game-viewing deck. Excitement reaches an all-time high as you head out on your first game drive through the lodge's private concession. Experience the thrill of searching for Africa's untamed wildlife in one of the nation's greatest game parks. Enjoy sundowners amid the breathtaking African bush before dinner back at your lodge this evening. **Two Nights:** Kruger National Park, Shishangeni Private Lodge. BLD

Day 9. Kruger National Park A morning game drive delivers the chance to track down Africa's Big Five along with a host of other animals that call the park home. Then, during your leisure time, perhaps relax by the pool or on your private deck. You're treated to a taste of South Africa tonight with an authentic outdoor boma dinner beneath the starlit sky. BLD

Day 10. Kruger National Park, Johannesburg Embark on your final early morning game drive. Then, transfer to the airport for your flight back to Johannesburg. Settle into your accommodation for the night and have an evening at your leisure. You may choose to go out and explore the complex or relax in the hotel. **Stay:** Johannesburg, Peermont Mondior. B

Day 11. Johannesburg, Victoria Falls Take an included flight to Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe. This afternoon, set off on a walk where your guide will enlighten you on the history and culture of the local area. Then transfer to your hotel and settle in for the night. **Two Nights:** Victoria Falls, Victoria Falls Safari Lodge. BD

Day 12. Victoria Falls

With a full day at leisure, perhaps enhance your journey by taking a helicopter or microlight flight, or head out on a magical sunset cruise. Or take time to relax at your lodge with views across the idyllic landscape and waterhole, with frequent visits from your neighbours

including elephants, impala and warthog to name a few. B

Day 13. Victoria Falls, Chobe National Park

Cross the border into Botswana and later, arrive at Chobe National Park, home to the largest concentration of game in Africa. As the sun begins to set, head out on a game-viewing cruise. This is the best time of the day to see large herds of elephants, as well as a plethora of other animals that flock to the banks of the Chobe River. Later, retreat to your modern bush-style accommodation before a wonderful dinner.

Two Nights: Chobe National Park, Chobe Bush Lodge or upgrade to a suite on a Chobe Princess Houseboat. BLD

Day 14. Chobe National Park

Join a game drive through Chobe National Park. Here, ensure you have your camera ready as you delight in the many chances to spot Africa's famous mammals, thanks to the park's high density of elephant herds and lion prides. At the end of the day, return to your lodge to reflect on your day with some down time and dinner. BLD

Day 15. Chobe National Park, Victoria Falls, Nairobi

Return to Victoria Falls once more and take an included flight to Nairobi. This evening, you'll meet your friendly East African Tour Director, who will provide you with an introduction to the next chapter of your adventure into East Africa.

Stay: Nairobi, 2.5.4 Ole Sereni Hotel. B

Day 16. Nairobi, Amboseli National Park

It's time to explore Kenya. Your first stop is Amboseli National Park. The signature attraction here is spotting hundreds of elephants set to the backdrop of Mt Kilimanjaro. Birdwatchers will also delight in knowing that 370 bird species can be spotted in the area. Arrive at Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge in time for lunch. Located in the heart of this world-famous national park, the lodge offers you the perfect base from which to embark on your safari. After lunch, begin an afternoon game drive to look for the Big Five, as well as hippos and a variety of waterfowl, found near the park's wetlands. Sundowner drinks at Observation Hill rounds out a perfect first game drive in Amboseli National Park. Return to the lodge to relax and savour an expertly prepared dinner. **Two Nights:** Amboseli National Park, Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge. BLD

Day 17. Amboseli National Park

Wake early then enjoy some tea and a snack in preparation for another exciting day. The morning takes you to a Maasai village where you'll wander about the homes the Maasai have built with their own hands. Delight in their unique and colourful jewellery and interact with the villagers to learn about their daily life. For this afternoon's game viewing, your expert game driver/tracker will be on hand to ensure that you get the best possible opportunities



Enjoy an in-depth exploration of beautiful Cape Town

to see the animals of Kenya. A highlight is the chance to view elephants roaming against the backdrop of Mt Kilimanjaro. While travelling in smaller groups today, you're able to get up close to this fabulous wildlife show. In between game drives, you'll return to the lodge to relax and indulge in delicious meals. BLD

Day 18. Amboseli National Park, Nairobi, Lake Nakuru National Park It's onto the next adventure as you take a short flight to Nairobi. Continue by 4WD to Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, situated on a stunning range of hills that form the western limits of Africa's Great Rift Valley. Arrive just in time for lunch. You may also wish to take advantage of the lodge's beautiful surrounds and embark on a stunning nature walk around the property. The afternoon is all about wildlife spotting with a game drive. Afterwards, enjoy dinner at your lodge this evening. **Two Nights:** Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge. BLD

Day 19. Lake Nakuru National Park A day of game drives at Lake Nakuru National Park offers yet another window into the life in Africa's animal kingdom. On the floor of the Great Rift Valley, surrounded by wooded and bushy grassland,

this beautiful park will leave you spellbound. This morning, look for rare white rhinos around the soda-encrusted lake at the centre of the park. Keep your eyes locked on the grassy plains in search of zebras, buffalo and graceful Rothschild's giraffes. If you're lucky, you may even spot an awe-inspiring leopard. Return to your lodge for lunch, then it's another round of game drives. Later, back at your lodge, a delicious dinner awaits. BLD

Day 20. Lake Nakuru National Park, Masai Mara Awake to the sounds of the African bush as you prepare to travel to your next destination. Soak up the dramatic landscapes of the Great Rift Valley, stretching from the Middle East all the way to Mozambique. Onwards, you'll be greeted by the endless plains of the Masai Mara, a region famous for its big cat population, including leopards, lions and cheetahs. The vast open spaces provide excellent game viewing, which is why this reserve is one of the most well-regarded for wildlife in all of Africa. At certain times of the year, you may see enormous herds of wildebeest, gazelle and zebra travelling to and from the Serengeti in search of food during the seasonal Great Migration. Plus, you can also witness the predators who follow them. This afternoon, head out on an exhilarating game

drive, noticing how different these landscapes are compared to those that you experienced in Southern Africa. Perhaps unwind with a drink before sitting down to dinner this evening at your lodge.

Three Nights: Masai Mara, Fig Tree Camp. BLD

Day 21. Masai Mara Today presents the unique opportunity to experience the Masai Mara from the skies on a magical hot-air balloon ride. There is simply no better way to view these vast landscapes. On another captivating game drive, the Masai Mara delivers those quintessential safari scenes of endless grassy plains, peppered with acacia trees and powerful predators who stalk unsuspecting prey. Thanks to your expert game driver/tracker, you'll enjoy a remarkable morning in the wild on the prowl for wildlife. Return to the lodge for a delicious lunch before a free afternoon. Take the chance to relax and unwind after a busy day. BLD

Day 22. Masai Mara Experience the beauty of an African sunrise and discover the morning rituals of the local wildlife during some tea and a snack ahead of today's first game drive. This afternoon's game drive once again brings you plenty of chances to catch a close-up look at the animals that call the

Masai Mara home. Delight in a memorable bush dinner this evening and experience the flavours of the region as you dine under the African night sky. BLD

Day 23. Masai Mara, Serengeti Transfer to the airstrip and board your scheduled flight to Nairobi. From here, you will embark on a connecting flight to the Serengeti and be transferred to your tented camp. Relax by the campfire before dinner, then retire to your tented room with an ensuite. Situated in an idyllic spot with the national park on your doorstep, there is no better place to sleep under the expansive African sky. **Two Nights:** Serengeti National Park, Kati Kati Tented Camp. BLD

Day 24. Serengeti National Park Serengeti National Park is known for its predators who spend their days pursuing impalas, zebras, buffalo, gazelle and more. This morning, head out in search of these local inhabitants, armed with your camera ready to capture all that appears before you. Return to your camp for lunch, before your afternoon game drive. Perhaps you will seek out some of the unique wildlife which may have been hiding this morning. BLD



Mother cheetah with her playful cubs

Day 25. Serengeti National Park, Ngorongoro Journey to Olduvai Gorge to explore one of the world's most important archaeological sites, dubbed 'the Cradle of Mankind'. It is believed to be the site of the remains from the first human beings on Earth. Continue on to your charming accommodation, set on a farm and coffee plantation, accompanied with views of the Oldeani Volcano.

Two Nights: Karatu, Ngorongoro Farm House. BLD

Day 26. Ngorongoro Crater Marvel at the lush scenery as you descend from the crater walls of World Heritage-listed Ngorongoro Crater, the world's largest intact caldera. Enjoy a picnic lunch and go in search of the wildlife that roam this unique place, with most never leaving the crater floor. BLD

Day 27. Mto Wa Mbu, Lake Manyara, Arusha Travel to the tiny village of Mto Wa Mbu to visit a local school and see what daily life is like for the students. This school is close to our hearts and is supported by our OneTomorrow Charitable Fund, ensuring the school can continue to flourish. You'll end the tour at a local restaurant where you can try a range of flavourful East African dishes. Explore Lake Manyara

National Park, famous for its colourful flamingos and baboons which reside here. As you head off-road, keep an eye out for the tree-climbing lions also known to inhabit the park. Continue on through to Arusha, where your accommodation for the night is nestled between the Usa River and a wildlife sanctuary. Tonight, enjoy dinner at your lodge. **Stay:** Arusha, Mount Meru Game Lodge. BLD

Day 28. Arusha, Depart Kilimanjaro Sadly, your journey through Africa draws to an end. After breakfast, transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport for your onward flight home. B

Enhance Your Journey

Extension Option: Embark on a tour of the Winelands in South Africa before you begin this itinerary. **Upgrade Option:** Upgrade your accommodation on Days 14 and 15 to a suite on the Chobe Princess Houseboat. See page 36 for more details.

From **\$22,995** per person, twin share

28 Days – Cape Town to Kilimanjaro (AFTKT28)

2024 Dates and Prices (A\$) Per person, twin share	Best Price From*	Standard Price From
May 8	\$22,995	\$24,295
Jun. 5	\$23,295	\$24,595
Jul. 3; Aug. 7	\$24,295	\$25,595
Aug. 21; Sep. 4	\$24,095	\$25,395

*Best Price – Includes Earlybird Savings and/or Early Payment Discount, for full terms and conditions see pages 20-21.

Solo travellers please enquire for details.

Trip Notes

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Zebras enjoying a drink together



Kenya & Tanzania Adventure

Nairobi to Kilimanjaro 14 Days

INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ☆ Visit a Maasai village and learn about the traditional culture
- ☆ Enjoy a bush dinner in the Masai Mara under the African sky
- ☆ At the village of Mto Wa Mbu, meet the children at a school

HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- ✓ 13 nights in premium accommodation
- ✓ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, local guides and expert game tracker
- ✓ All flights within East Africa
- ✓ 37 meals – 13 breakfasts (B), 12 lunches (L) and 12 dinners (D)
- ✓ Enjoy the opportunity to embark on up to 15 exciting game drives

Day 1. Arrive Nairobi Start your African adventure in Nairobi. This evening, you'll meet your friendly Tour Director, who will provide you with an introduction to the next chapter of your incredible adventure into East Africa. Stay: Nairobi, Ole Sereni Hotel.

Day 2. Nairobi, Amboseli National Park Spot many elephants, set to the backdrop of Mt Kilimanjaro and 370 bird species. Arrive at Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge for lunch. Take an afternoon game drive to look for the Big Five, hippos and a variety of waterfowl, found near the park's wetlands. Enjoy sundowner drinks at Observation Hill. Savour a delicious dinner at the lodge. **Two Nights:** Amboseli National Park, Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge. BLD

Day 3. Amboseli National Park Visit a local Maasai village and wander about the homes that the Maasai have built. Interact with the villagers to learn about their authentic daily life. Your expert game driver/tracker will be on hand this afternoon to ensure you have the best opportunities possible to see

Kenya's animals. Travel in smaller groups today for a closer view of a wildlife show. In between game drives, return to the lodge to relax and indulge in meals. BLD

Day 4. Amboseli National Park, Nairobi, Lake Nakuru National Park Take a short flight to Nairobi, then continue by 4WD to Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge, arriving in time for lunch. Perhaps take advantage of the lodge's beautiful surrounds on a stunning nature walk around the property. This afternoon, take a game drive. Enjoy dinner at your lodge this evening. **Two Nights:** Lake Nakuru Sopa Lodge. BLD

Day 5. Lake Nakuru National Park A day of game drives at Lake Nakuru National Park offers yet another glimpse into life in Africa's animal kingdom. Later, return to your lodge, where a delicious dinner awaits your taste buds. BLD

Day 6. Lake Nakuru National Park, Masai Mara Soak up the landscapes of the Great Rift Valley, stretching from the Middle East all the way to Mozambique. Travel to the Masai Mara, where vast open spaces provide excellent game viewing. You may see enormous herds of wildebeest, gazelle



Family of elephants, Amboseli National Park, Nairobi



and zebra during the incredible Great Migration. This afternoon, head out on an exhilarating game drive.

Three Nights: Masai Mara, Fig Tree Camp. BLD

Day 7. Masai Mara Perhaps experience the Masai Mara from the skies on a magical hot-air balloon ride. Enjoy breakfast as you get ready to head out on another game drive. Return to the lodge for a delicious lunch before a free afternoon. BLD

Day 8. Masai Mara Experience an African sunrise and discover the morning rituals of the local wildlife ahead of today's first game drive. Afterwards, enjoy breakfast and the rest of the morning at leisure. Catch a close-up look at the animals that call the Masai Mara home on this afternoon's game drive. Delight in a memorable bush dinner this evening. BLD

Day 9. Masai Mara, Serengeti Transfer to the airstrip and board your scheduled flight to the Tanzanian border, before a connecting flight to Serengeti. Transfer to your tented camp. **Two Nights:** Serengeti National Park, Kati Kati Tented Camp. BLD

Day 10. Serengeti National Park This morning, head out armed with your camera ready to capture all that appears before you. Return to your camp for lunch before your afternoon game drive. BLD

Day 11. Serengeti National Park, Ngorongoro

Journey to Olduvai Gorge to explore one of the world's most important archaeological sites. Continue on to your charming accommodation, set on a farm and coffee plantation, accompanied with views of the Oldeani Volcano. **Two Nights:** Karatu, Ngorongoro Farm House. BLD

Day 12. Ngorongoro Crater Descend from the high crater walls of World Heritage-listed Ngorongoro Crater. Enjoy a picnic lunch and go in search of the wildlife that roam this unique place, with most never leaving the crater floor. BLD

Day 13. Mto Wa Mbu, Lake Manyara, Arusha Travel to Mto Wa Mbu to visit a local school and see what daily life is like for the students. End the tour at a local restaurant. Explore Lake Manyara National Park. Continue to Arusha, for a dinner at your lodge.

Stay: Arusha, Mount Meru Game Lodge. BLD

Day 14. Arusha, Depart Kilimanjaro After breakfast, transfer to Kilimanjaro International airport for your onward flight home. B

From **\$12,995** per person, twin share

14 Days – Nairobi to Kilimanjaro (AFTKT14)

2024 Dates and Prices (A\$) Per person, twin share	Best Price From*	Standard Price From
May 22	\$12,995	\$13,695
Jun. 19	\$13,295	\$13,995
Jul. 17; Aug. 21	\$14,295	\$14,995
Sep. 4, 18	\$14,095	\$14,795

*Best Price – Includes Earlybird Savings and/or Early Payment Discount, for full terms and conditions see pages 20-21.

Solo travellers please enquire for details.

Trip Notes

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Colourful lilac-breasted roller





Upgrade & Extend

Choose to add an incredible extension or upgrade to your African itinerary.

Elevate your holiday experiences in Africa by choosing one or both of these tour enhancements, operating on specific dates and in line with specific itineraries.

CHOBÉ PRINCESS HOUSEBOAT UPGRADE

Venture down the Chobe River in the Chobe Princess Houseboat on an optional upgrade. Experience waking up in comfortably furnished cabins to views of riverside scenes. From your cabin window or balcony, spot hordes of wildlife as they go about their day on the African plains. The highlight of your stay on the Chobe Princess Houseboat will no doubt be the fact you are so close to some of Chobe National Park's majestic wildlife. During your stay, you can partake in a range of exciting activities. Perhaps go bird watching, with the surrounding wetlands home to an astonishing array of birdwatching. Snap the perfect picture of your beautiful surrounds and the animals who call them home on a photo safari, and secure the catch of a lifetime on a fishing excursion. You may also enjoy getting among the African landscape on walks with expert guides.

CAPE WINELANDS EXTENSION

Taste the flavours of South Africa's vineyards with a trip to Franschhoek Valley and the Winelands. Visit local wineries and taste the region's specialties, sampling flavoursome wine from the well-known region. Exploring the Winelands region in South Africa is an essential way to begin a tour of Africa.

Upgrade & Extend

YOUR JOURNEY



Cruise aboard a houseboat

Chobe Princess Houseboat Upgrade

Relax and unwind along Chobe River with views of the wilderness. Wake up in the heart of Chobe National Park on this two-night cruise.

Cruise in style

Offering the ultimate in style and comfort, your Chobe Princess Houseboat holds a maximum of only 10 guests and is equipped with twin/double cabins. All cabins come with large sliding windows opening onto the river for fantastic views and an ensuite bathroom. Take a walk upstairs and find the entertainment deck featuring a spacious lounge with a bar where you can simply take the time to enjoy the landscapes. Upstairs, you'll also find the open-air dining area where you can enjoy meals prepared by the expert chef. After dinner, head out onto the sun deck and relax in the plunge pool as you soak up the views of the Chobe River and its surrounds.

Amazing game viewing

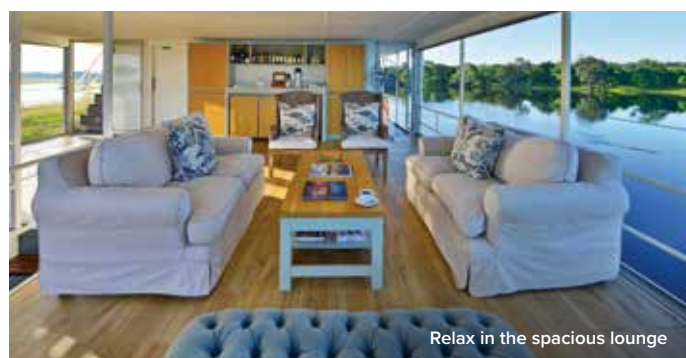
During your stay, take a game-viewing excursion by tender boat, where you'll be able to get up close and personal to elephants, buffalo, giraffes, kudu and waterbuck among others. You can also go birdwatching or try your hand at fishing.

Inclusive Dining

The only thing better than the scenery is the food. Enjoy delicious dining on your houseboat. House wines, beers, soft drinks and mineral water are also all included. Early morning coffee can also be arranged.



Get up close and personal with elephants



Relax in the spacious lounge

2024 Dates & Prices (A\$)

Chobe Princess Houseboat Upgrade

Per person	Twin Share
May – September	\$575

Solo travellers please enquire for details

Trip Notes

Upgrade prices are based on two nights on a Chobe Princess Houseboat, on a full board basis, including house wines, beers and soft drinks and activities. This upgrade is available on departures featuring a two-night stay in Chobe National Park and is subject to availability at the time of booking. This upgrade does not include gratuities, portage or the services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, however, you will be assisted by local guides. Please note the distance covered will vary on the season, river levels and other local conditions and may be between 25 and 50 km.



Cape Winelands Extension

In the Cape Winelands region, sip on world-renowned wines and drink in the picture-perfect vistas that make this destination one not to be missed.

Day 1. Arrive Cape Town

Your arrival in Cape Town begins your journey to the stunning Winelands region. From here, transfer to your charming accommodation at Avondrood Guest House, located in Franschhoek Valley. Relax in the peaceful surrounds of this original Victorian Cape-Dutch home and explore the tranquil gardens.

Two Nights: Avondrood Guest House, Franschhoek Valley

Day 2. Cape Winelands Start your day with breakfast on the outdoor verandah, overlooking views of the mountains. Afterwards, head out on a private full-day

Winelands Tour, visiting some of the most well-known wine making regions in the Cape. Learn about some of the historic towns and take in the incredible scenery as you visit selected wineries and indulge in some tastings. Savour a delicious picnic lunch before you continue discovering some of South Africa's famous wines. BL

Day 3. Depart Cape Winelands

This morning, enjoy breakfast before transferring back to Cape Town to join your escorted tour of Africa. B



Enjoy world-class wines



Lush green vineyards, South Africa

2024 Dates & Prices (A\$)

Cape Winelands Extension (AFTW3)

Per person	Twin Share
May – September	\$1,295

Solo travellers please enquire for details

Trip Notes

Prices are based on two nights staying in a Deluxe Room at Avondrood Guest House, on a bed and breakfast basis, subject to availability at the time of booking. A private full-day Winelands tour with lunch and selected wine tastings and return transfers from Cape Town Airport are included. Prices do not include flights, gratuities, porterage or the services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, however you will be assisted by local guides. This extension package may only be booking in conjunction with an escorted Travelmarvel tour starting in Cape Town.

Enhance YOUR JOURNEY

DISCOVER MORE WITH OUR SELECT EXPERIENCES

In the following locations, Travelmarvel provides further opportunity to pursue your special interests with a range of experiences.

CAPE TOWN (SOUTH AFRICA)



ROBBEN ISLAND*

Visit Robben Island and tour the site where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned.

Price per person: \$80



COMMUNITY CULTURAL TOUR

Engage with local community and development projects and gain an insight into South Africa's recent history.

Price per person: \$355



CONSTANTIA WINE VALLEY

Sample wines from a region with a wine making history that dates back to 1685.

Price per person: \$315



KIRSTENBOSCH NATIONAL BOTANICAL GARDENS

Wander through the beautiful gardens of Cape Town.

Price per person: \$280



OCEAN ENCOUNTER CRUISE SPOT

Take to the waters for incredible dolphin-watching opportunities (April – May) and for whales (June – September).

Price per person: \$150

VICTORIA FALLS (ZIMBABWE)



MICROLIGHT FLIGHT

Soar over Livingstone and mighty Victoria Falls on a 15-minute microlight flight (weather permitting).

Price per person: \$455



HELICOPTER FLIGHT

Set off on a 12-minute helicopter flight over stunning Victoria Falls (weather permitting).

Price per person: \$365



SUNSET CRUISE

Take to the Zambezi River for a leisurely sunset cruise, taking in the scenery along the way.

Price per person: \$135

MASAI MARA (KENYA)



HOT AIR BALLOON SAFARI

Drift over the Masai Mara as the sun rises over Kenya (weather permitting).

Price per person: \$940

All select experiences are subject to availability, minimum/maximum numbers, local conditions and are weather dependent. All select experiences must be pre-booked prior to final payment. Prices are in A\$ and are subject to change.*Robben Island requires full payment and passport details at time of booking and is non-refundable once confirmed. Ocean encounter is available year round, wildlife sightings cannot be guaranteed." Gratuities are not included.



PRE & POST Accommodation

SPEND MORE TIME EXPLORING AFRICA'S ICONIC DESTINATIONS

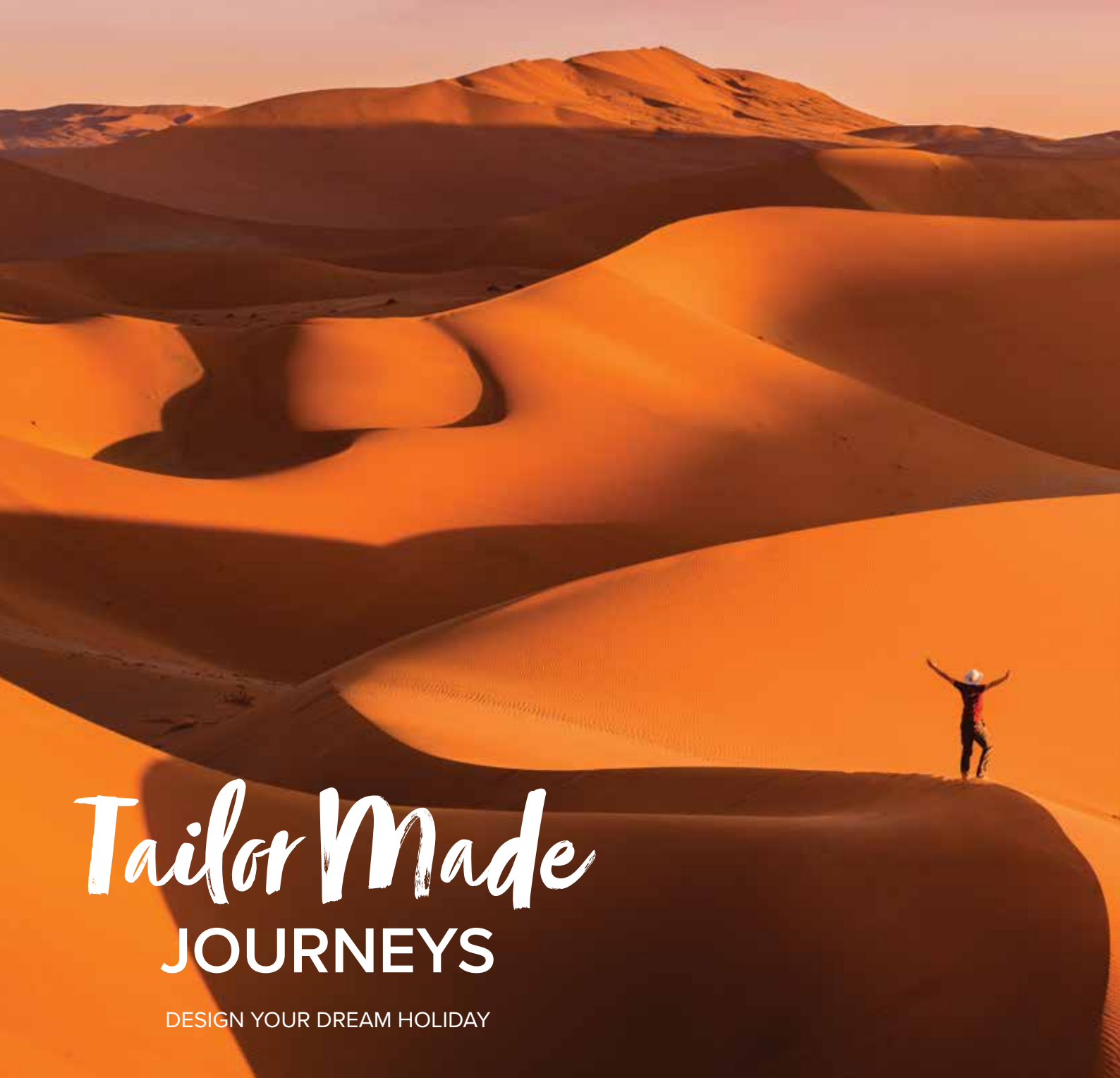
Extend your stay in the exciting cities of Africa at one of the following hotels, chosen for their style and location.

Price per person, including breakfast, from:	Twin Share	Solo Trav.	Price per person, including breakfast, from:	Twin Share	Solo Trav.
CAPE TOWN (SOUTH AFRICA)*			NAIROBI (KENYA)		
Southern Sun Waterfront Hotel	\$150	\$270	2.5.4 Ole Sereni Hotel	\$160	\$255
CHOBE (BOTSWANA)*			ARUSHA (TANZANIA)		
Chobe Bush Lodge	\$690	\$855	Mount Meru Game Lodge	\$135	\$270
JOHANNESBURG (SOUTH AFRICA)*			VICTORIA FALLS (ZIMBABWE)*		
Peermont Mondior Hotel	\$135	\$235	Victoria Falls Safari Lodge	\$380	\$430

*Prices include breakfast and a one-way transfer to/from airport. Accommodation must be a consecutive night pre or post the on tour night at the same hotel booked by Travelmarvel, to be included. Special event and seasonal surcharges may apply. Prices are in A\$. Some exceptions apply.



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Tailor Made JOURNEYS

DESIGN YOUR DREAM HOLIDAY

At Travelmarvel, we understand that no two travellers are the same. From interests, dreams and personalities, we are all unique. Tailor Made Journeys give you the chance to design your own travel itinerary to your preferred destination. You can shape your days around what you want to see. Here is just one example of how you can further explore.

NAMIBIA – 10 DAYS

DAY 1. ARRIVE WINDHOEK

Arrive in Namibia's capital. Transfer to your hotel, enjoy a Welcome Reception and dinner at a local restaurant serving African-inspired cuisine.

Stay: Windhoek, Hotel Thule or similar

DAY 2. WINDHOEK, SOSSUSVLEI

Venture to Sesriem Canyon and have a picnic lunch among the sand dunes. Travel through the Namib Desert towards Sossusvlei Lodge. Tonight, share the day's adventures over dinner.

Two Nights: Sossusvlei Lodge or similar

DAY 3. SOSSUSVLEI

Enjoy time discovering Sossusvlei and set off on a 4WD adventure, traversing the desert landscape to take in some of the world's tallest sand dunes. See the contrast of colours from the dark, dead camel thorn trees rising out from the white pan floor.

DAY 4. SOSSUSVLEI, SWAKOPMUND

Make a stop at Welwitschia Plains and discover the Welwitschia, an ancient plant unique to the plant kingdom found on the Namibian coat of arms. Continue to the Moon Landscape and stop to admire the rocky granite valley. Make your way onwards to Swakopmund. Dinner this evening is at The Tug Restaurant, complete



Explore the terracotta dunes in Sossusvlei

with views of the Atlantic Ocean. Savour fresh seafood, dry-aged meats and enticing desserts.

Two Nights: Swakopmund, Strand Hotel

DAY 5. SWAKOPMUND

Stroll along the seaside promenade or wander the city's streets and admire the unique architecture. Or embark on a Namib Desert flight and take in views of Swakopmund, the Namib Desert and more. Alternatively take a Walvis Bay cruise to glimpse playful dolphins, leatherback turtles or even humpback whales.

DAY 6. SWAKOPMUND, ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

Depart for Etosha National Park and enjoy a chance for wildlife viewing along the way.

This evening, enjoy dinner at your lodge and some relaxation time.

Two Nights: Etosha National Park, Epacha Game Lodge & Spa or similar

DAY 7. ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK

On your game drive, see animals around the park's waterholes. Look out for elephants, black rhinos, leopards, lions and giraffes.

After heavy rain, the salt pan also attracts flocks of brightly-coloured flamingos. Later, visit Omapaha Himba Village and meet Namibia's semi-nomadic group. Learn about their unique way of life and ancient culture that has withstood time. This evening embark on a night safari to spot rare wildlife.

DAY 8. ETOSHA, WINDHOEK

Visit AfriCat, a centre for conservation, education and rehabilitation for the predatory cats of Africa. Here, you can discover more about the large cats and visit cheetahs in the rehabilitation enclosures. Travel to Windhoek before dinner.

Stay: Windhoek, Hotel Thule or similar

DAY 9. DEPART WINDHOEK

After breakfast today, farewell your fellow travellers as your tour comes to an end.

For further information go to:
www.travelmarvel.com.au/travel-modes/tailor-made-journeys

General Information & Conditions

The following terms and conditions ("booking conditions") form the basis of your contract with Australian Pacific Touring Pty Ltd ("Travelmarvel", "we" or "our"). Please read them carefully as they set out your and our respective rights and obligations.

These Terms & Conditions were correct at time of publication. For the most up to date Terms & Conditions visit our website www.travelmarvel.com.au/legal/general-information-conditions

By asking us to confirm your booking, we are entitled to assume that you have had the opportunity to read and have read these booking conditions; that you agree to them and that you agree to them applying to your holiday arrangements booked with us and which we agree to make, provide or perform (as applicable) as part of our contract with you. References in these booking conditions to your 'holiday package' are references to the tour or cruise package you have booked with Travelmarvel. References to "excursions" are references to short trips or tours included or available as part of your holiday package.

GOVERNING LAW

These booking conditions are governed by the law in force in Victoria, Australia.

BEFORE YOU BOOK

PRICE VALIDITY

Published prices are valid at the time of publication but are subject to change. They may be varied by advertising or special offers, or changed after the publication date for any reason, including without limitation, to cover changes in government taxes and charges, exchange rate variations, fuel surcharges, airline charges, a force majeure event or other material increases by suppliers. The most up to date pricing may be found on our website – www.travelmarvel.com.au. Prices will be confirmed at time of booking and honoured for up to seven days. All holidays are subject to availability at the time of booking.

Please see important information listed under Special Conditions for relevant deposit and final payment terms.

TRANSFERS

Airport transfers are included on the first and last day of the tour package or with pre and post accommodation booked by Travelmarvel. No refund will be given for unused transfers. Transfers cannot be re-routed to other pick-up points or destinations. Passengers who miss the pre-booked transfers must make their own way to/from the ship/hotel at their own expense. Some holiday packages include group transfers from or in between airports/hotel/ships and vice versa. A group transfer is generally a shared transfer and the type of vehicle used will normally be dependent upon the size of the group. Combined cruise and land tours, or cruise include transfer and flights between tours as specified.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS & FESTIVAL

Virtually all countries have public holidays, religious or otherwise. The festivities may temporarily disrupt your holiday and some religious holidays may result in a reduction of facilities and entertainment.

EARLYBIRD OFFERS, SUPERDEALS, FLY DEALS & SPECIAL OFFERS

Conditions Apply. For full terms and conditions relating to any Earlybird Special, Fly Deal or Special Offer on your booking, please go to travelmarvel.com.au/specialdeals.

OTHER SPECIAL OFFERS

Special Deals and Special Offers other than those advertised herein may be promoted by Travelmarvel from time to time. These new special deals/offers do not apply to existing bookings unless otherwise stated.

TRAVELLER CLUB

Details, including the full range of benefits and conditions, are available on our website at travelmarvel.com.au/club

BOOKING AND PAYING FOR YOUR HOLIDAY

AIRFARES

Air travel is arranged with independent airlines. Travelmarvel will arrange air travel as advertised in connection with your holiday package or as otherwise arranged with Travelmarvel. All airfares are subject to flight and booking class availability as specified in the conditions. Airfares will be booked and ticketed upon receipt of your deposit to avoid price or tax increases. Airport taxes vary for each departure point and routing of airlines. Airline schedules are subject to change without notice. Once air tickets are issued, airline amendment and/or cancellation fees apply and, in some cases, are non-refundable. Name changes and voluntary date and schedule changes will incur fees. Travelmarvel is not liable for delays or disruptions of air travel. Once tickets are issued, Travelmarvel will have no other liability and will not be responsible for refunding the cost of any services booked in conjunction with the flights. Flying outside of the tour date range or re-routing your flight itinerary may incur additional surcharges. While we endeavour to accommodate your airline seating requests, these are never guaranteed and are subject to change at the airline's discretion.

AIRLINE LOYALTY POINT ELIGIBILITY

Travelmarvel uses the services of a range of airlines in its packages. Travelmarvel does not warrant that its airfares attract loyalty points as airlines control the application of loyalty points in all cases. Requests to use airline points to upgrade travel need to be directed to the airline concerned by the member.

TRAVELMARVEL DEPOSIT CANCELLATION PEACE OF MIND

Conditions apply: applicable when an upfront fee of \$95 per person is paid with your deposit. The holiday package can be cancelled prior to the final payment date and your deposit will be retained as a Travelmarvel holding credit to be used for future bookings. If Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind is claimed, monies held must be used on a future cruise or tour and cannot be redeemed against the original cruise or tour departure date. Deposit held in credit will exclude fees imposed by third parties, including but not limited to air travel, rail travel and hotels. When booking airfares through Travelmarvel (including when taking advantage of a special offer that includes air travel), standard airline cancellation fees will apply. In some cases, airfares will be non-refundable. In the event of cancellation, these fees will be deducted from the

deposit paid, and therefore the credit being held. Travelmarvel Deposit Cancellation Peace of Mind applies to new bookings only and is only valid up until 100 days prior to travel. After three years, unused credit funds will incur the original cancellation conditions. This does not replace travel insurance, which we recommend you purchase at the time of booking.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

Travel Insurance is not included in your holiday package. For your protection we strongly recommend purchase comprehensive travel insurance that includes (without limitation) coverage for the cost of your holiday package, medical expenses, loss of luggage, cruise and land content and airfare charges that may occur due to cancellation, impossibility of performance or other frustration, disruption, loss of deposit or strikes.

TRAVEL INFORMATION & DOCUMENTS

After booking you will receive an invoice with all important information relevant to your holiday package. We strongly recommend you check the details carefully and read the included information. Please ensure that you check your flight timings carefully on your tickets, particularly early morning departures. Approximately 21 days before departure you will receive your e-ticket, together with your final itinerary. However, in the case of late bookings, charges or late payment, tickets may be emailed to you.

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Where a special request (e.g. diet, room location, twin or double bedded room, a particular facility at a hotel, flight seat requests and/or particular meals), is an important factor in your choice of holiday, you must advise us when your booking is made. Travelmarvel will pass your request on to the hotel, airline or other supplier but cannot guarantee that it will be accommodated. Travelmarvel will also pass on any dietary requests to the airline but we strongly recommend that you check directly with the airline once your tickets have been issued. The provision of any special request does not constitute a term of your contract with us. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the supplier or the inclusion of the special request on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation is not confirmation that the request will be met. Unless and until specifically confirmed, all special requests are subject to availability.

CREDIT & DEBIT CARD SURCHARGES

If you pay Travelmarvel by credit or debit card, surcharges will apply. In the case of credit cards a surcharge of between 1% and 3% (depending on the card used), will be added to the tour price. In the case of debit cards a charge of 0.5% will be added to the tour price.

ACCURACY

Travelmarvel has endeavoured to ensure that the information provided about accommodation, itineraries etc., is correct to the best of its knowledge at the time of publication. However, advertised descriptions and facilities and prices may change after publication. We recommend that you confirm the details of your chosen holiday package at the time of booking. Additionally, flight times, carriers and routes are given for guidance only as there may be changes. Final details will be shown on your tickets. Holiday package or excursion itineraries may change or be different from those described in our collateral as a result of local conditions, weather conditions and annual events. Travelmarvel will endeavour to notify you of any significant changes prior to your departure.

DISRUPTION TO CRUISING AND ITINERARY ARRANGEMENTS

Itineraries are intended as a guide only and are subject to alteration without notice. Alternations may be necessary for various reasons including, without limitation, road, rail, river or weather conditions, strikes or other reasons beyond Travelmarvel's control. If conditions render any routes unsafe for navigation, Travelmarvel reserves the right to provide alternative services including, but not limited to, accommodation on the docked ship or substitute land arrangements. Under normal river conditions, itineraries will operate as far as possible as published. However, sometimes for reasons beyond our control, it may be necessary to make alterations to your itinerary. For example, without limitation, if there is a water level problem on a river, it may be necessary to operate part of the itinerary by coach and alternative sightseeing may be included. Travelmarvel will not be liable for any direct or indirect costs that you incur as a result of any event or other factor beyond our control which necessitates a change in your itinerary. Additionally, you are not entitled to any refund for any alterations to your itinerary that are caused or contributed to by any flood or water level events or such other events which are beyond our control. Travelmarvel cannot guarantee exact arrival and departure times for carriers and operators used by Travelmarvel and Travelmarvel will not be liable for failure to make connections with any other services or attractions beyond its control.

FLIGHT CHANGES

The flight timings detailed on your confirmation invoice, or on our website are for guidance only and are subject to alteration and confirmation. Flight timings are set by airlines and affected by events outside our control. Scheduled and charter flight timings, and days of operation are also subject to change. Travelmarvel will advise you of any significant changes as soon as it is informed by the airline. Minor timing changes will be shown on your flight tickets. Any change in the identity of the airline, flight timings or aircraft type (if advised) will not entitle you to cancel or change to other arrangements without paying any applicable cancellation fees except where specified in these booking conditions.

OUT OF DATE RANGE FLIGHTS

If airlines have not published their schedule at the time of booking, Travelmarvel will estimate the cost of airfares connected with your holiday package. When the airline releases flight inventory and airfares, Travelmarvel will confirm booking and pricing with you by sending you an updated invoice. Once flights have been confirmed by you and payment has been received, Travelmarvel will issue your ticket/s.

FORCE MAJEURE

Force Majeure event means the occurrence of an event that is beyond Travelmarvel's reasonable control, and which could not have been reasonably prevented by Travelmarvel, which includes, but is not limited to: (a) war, armed conflict, criminal

damage, riot, civil strife, industrial dispute, terrorist activity or the threat of any such acts; (b) natural disaster (including but not limited to flooding, fire, earthquake, landslide), adverse weather conditions, high or low water levels; (c) nuclear or other industrial accident causing environmental pollution or contamination; or (d) change in law, meaning, enactment, amendment (including repeal) in the law or administration of any law in Australia or any jurisdiction or territory relevant to the booking contract, which includes changes in statute, regulation, determination, by-law, declaration, licence and the common law as applicable from time to time, including changes or amendments in regulations or access to services, sites or countries caused by declared epidemic or pandemic events.

TERMINATION OF BOOKING CONTRACT OR CHANGE OF TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS DUE TO FORCE MAJEURE

If Travelmarvel, in its reasonable opinion, considers that any force majeure event prevents Travelmarvel (whether directly or through its employees, contractors, subcontractors and agents) from lawfully or safely providing any products or services subject of the booking contract with you, Travelmarvel may immediately by written notice: (a) terminate the booking contract (in whole or in part); or (b) change your travel arrangements as reasonably practicable to ensure your safety and invoice you for any additional costs.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY IN THE EVENT OF FORCE MAJEURE

In the event that Travelmarvel cancels or changes your travel arrangements in any way due to a force majeure event, Travelmarvel will not be liable to you in contract, tort, statute or restitution for any loss (including, but not limited to, loss of deposit or purchase price and loss of enjoyment), damage, costs, charges, expenses or injury resulting from or in connection with (whether directly or indirectly): (a) the cancellation or change to your travel arrangements; or (b) the force majeure event. Travelmarvel is not liable to refund any part of the deposit or purchase price paid by you if Travelmarvel subsequently changes or cancels your travel arrangements in connection with a force majeure event.

Force majeure events are unpredictable and beyond Travelmarvel's control. As you are required to purchase travel insurance to adequately protect yourself against these risks, your policy needs to respond to these risks.

You acknowledge and accept that these terms are reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate interests of Travelmarvel based on expected non-recoverable costs and expenses to be incurred by Travelmarvel, including but not limited to overhead expenses and works or services performed personally by Travelmarvel, leading up to the commencement of the holiday package, alternatively prior to the force majeure event.

DATA PROTECTION POLICY

Any personal information (including sensitive information and health information) that Travelmarvel obtains and retains from you or about you is necessary for our business purposes. Our Privacy Policy details why we collect this information, who we may disclose it to (including overseas recipients), and the main consequences if we do not collect it. Our Privacy Policy also contains information about how you may seek access to, or correction of, the personal information held about you, and our complaint resolution procedures. Our Privacy Policy is available at www.travelmarvel.com.au/privacy or by request to us. By providing personal or sensitive information to us, you are agreeing to the terms of our Privacy Policy.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

1. Our holiday packages include the services of independent providers, such as hoteliers, airlines, cruise companies and other operators, who are not agents, servants or employees of Travelmarvel. Although we take care in selecting the independent service providers and the optional excursions conducted by some independent service providers, Travelmarvel is not responsible for the conduct of the independent service providers, their servants and agents or for any ramifications of that conduct. Optional excursions may, depending on your holiday package, include activities such as climbing, exploring, bike riding, swimming and snorkelling. You accept and assume the risk involved with these activities.

2. If, in the opinion of any representative of Travelmarvel, your mental or physical condition, or general behaviour is such as to affect your own health and safety, render you incapable to care for yourself, cause you to become a hazard to yourself or other passengers or result in you becoming objectionable to other passengers or staff, you will not be permitted to embark or continue on the whole or any part of the holiday package. Travelmarvel representatives are empowered to ask guests to depart a holiday package if they are displaying known COVID-19 symptoms. Abuse or harassment of any kind toward crew, contracted suppliers or other guests may result in immediate removal from the tour or cruise. Travelmarvel is not liable to you for any costs associated with such decision and you will not be refunded for any part of the holiday package.

3. Travelmarvel accepts no responsibility for any death, injury, illness, loss (including loss of enjoyment), damage, detention, delay (including mechanical breakdown) beyond its control.

4. Any term, condition or warranty express or implied by statute or otherwise in respect to the holiday packages contained in any of our collateral are excluded to the full extent permitted by law. Nothing in these booking conditions excludes, restricts or modifies the application of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth) as amended, consolidated, supplemented or replaced.

5. To the full extent permitted by law, Travelmarvel's liability arising under or in connection with these booking conditions: (a) is limited to the re-supply of the products or services or the payment of the cost of re-supply of the products or services to you; and (b) excludes liability for any indirect or consequential losses suffered by you or any third party, howsoever caused, including but not limited to pure economic loss or any special, extraordinary or punitive damage to you or any other party.

6. Your travel agent will forward deposits and other payments to us on your behalf, but your travel agent is not our agent for the purpose of receipt of monies. Receipt of deposits and subsequent payments by the travel agent does not constitute receipt of those monies by us and the travel agent has no authority expressed or implied to receive monies on our

behalf. There is no liability on the part of Travelmarvel in respect to any monies paid to your travel agent unless and until Travelmarvel notifies you (by way of a booking confirmation advice or payment receipt advice) that monies have been received by Travelmarvel. Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or refuse to carry any passenger where payment has not been received by Travelmarvel within the specified time.

7. Specific meal requests are requests only and cannot be guaranteed.

COVID-19 REQUIREMENTS

Before booking and before you travel, ensure that you check the latest Government travel requirements and Travelmarvel updates which include the onboard protocols (which will be available on Travelmarvel's website at www.travelmarvel.com.au/about-us/travel-updates) which will set out the obligations which apply to customers departing on tours. This may include obtaining proof of negative test results prior to embarkation, completion of health questionnaire, mask wearing, requirement to isolate if COVID-19 symptoms present during tour and removal of passengers from the tour if deemed necessary by medical staff. Compliance with the travel requirements and Travelmarvel updates is mandatory and anyone refusing to comply can be denied access to the tour or removed from the tour at Travelmarvel's absolute discretion.

Some of the regions or attractions visited while on tour may impose different regulations to that of the Government requirements, therefore proof of vaccination may be required to participate in some included or optional touring.

LOCAL PURCHASES

Travelmarvel is not responsible for any items you may purchase locally i.e.: jewellery/furniture etc. You acknowledge that you are solely responsible for any import duty or freight costs.

PERSONAL BELONGINGS & LOST ITEMS

For security reasons valuables should be kept to a minimum and packed in your hand luggage along with your medicines, camera, electrical or battery-operated appliances, as well as basic essentials such as a change of clothing and toiletries. It is your responsibility to look after your property at all times and you must ensure you are adequately covered by comprehensive travel insurance in the event of any loss.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Travelmarvel does not employ medical staff on our tours or ships. If you require medical attention, local medical services can be contacted immediately. You are responsible for all charges that result from a visiting a medical facility, or for a medical practitioner visiting you. Travelmarvel is not responsible for the type or quality of the medical services you may receive.

SMOKING

Government regulations forbid smoking in tourist coaches however frequent stops are made for those wishing to smoke. Smoking is not permitted in hotel rooms or ship cabins. Requests for smoking/non-smoking rooms will be passed on to hotels but cannot be guaranteed.

RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF ALCOHOL

Our staff are trained in the responsible service of alcohol and are obliged by law to refuse service to any guest who, in their reasonable opinion appears to be intoxicated or behaves in an aggressive or offensive manner.

SERVICE ENQUIRIES

If a problem occurs during your holiday, you should, in your own interests, inform your Tour Director so that steps can be taken to resolve the matter. If you remain dissatisfied, any complaint must be made in writing to Travelmarvel within 30 days.

LUGGAGE LIMITS

Each passenger is entitled to take one piece of luggage that does not exceed 160 cm (63 inches) or weigh more than 20 kg (44 pounds). Dimensions for checked baggage are calculated by adding together the width, height, and depth of the piece of baggage. An extra charge will be imposed to cover portage handling of any additional luggage. Your Tour/Cruise Director will advise you of the exact additional charge.

Some holiday packages may have more restrictive luggage limits, please refer to Specific Terms & Conditions for more information.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS PERTAINING TO AFRICA PACKAGES

A non-refundable \$1,500 security deposit per person, per holiday package is required within seven days of booking confirmation. Deposit requirements may vary when booking a special offer. Final payment of the balance of your holiday package price is due 100 days prior to departure unless stated in the terms of a special offer. Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel any ticket or booking or to refuse to carry any passenger where payment has not been received within the specified time. All fares and charges are in AUD. Payment in full is required at time of booking for reservations made less than 100 days before departure from Australia or New Zealand. If Travelmarvel is unable to confirm your reservation, all monies will be refunded.

TRAVELLING WITH MINORS

Children under 12 years of age are not permitted on tours and cruises. Children under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult and share their accommodation with an adult.

INCLUDED IN HOLIDAY PACKAGE PRICE

All coach travel, accommodation, sightseeing, admissions, airfares, gratuities, port charges, luggage service (one bag), airport transfers on the first and last day of the tour, local guides, services of a Tour Director and meals are included as indicated in each individual itinerary.

NOT INCLUDED IN HOLIDAY PACKAGE PRICE

Airfares (unless specified), airport taxes, fuel surcharges, laundry, passport and visa fees (unless specified), beverages (unless specified), optional tours including select experiences and gratuities for local guides on select experiences, excess baggage fees. Changes to flight schedules may require you to book additional accommodation and services at your own expense.

TRAVELMARVEL TOUR DIRECTOR

The services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director are included in all land tours. A Travelmarvel Tour Director is not included on Chobe Princess or Cape Winelands Extension.

GRATUITIES

Gratuities for the land portion of your tour and are included within the tour price. Gratuities cannot be redeemed for cash.

Gratuities are not included for any individual purchases. Gratuities are not included for Chobe Princess or Cape Winelands Extension.

FLIGHTS WITHIN AFRICA

Economy flights within Africa and airport taxes are included in the tour price but subject to surcharge. All internal air must be booked by Travelmarvel.

CHOOSING YOUR HOLIDAY

To maximise your enjoyment of your Travelmarvel holiday and to ensure that it lives up to your expectations, it is important that you choose the right holiday package for your requirements. Our brochures contain limited information, however there is more information online at www.travelmarvel.com.au and our staff are available to discuss your options.

HOTELS

Hotel rooms may be smaller than those in Australia and New Zealand and in more remote places, hotel standards may not be quite as high as in major city centres. Travelmarvel endeavours to utilise the most suitable accommodation available in each destination to ensure that passengers enjoy high levels of cleanliness, comfort and service. The hotels listed in this brochure will be used on almost all holiday packages; however, if a change is necessary for any reason, Travelmarvel will endeavour to ensure that alternative accommodation is of an equivalent standard to those shown. Hotel rooms are generally not available for check-in before 3pm and require check-out by 10am. Where guaranteed use is required outside of these times you may be required to book and pay for additional nights.

TWIN OR DOUBLE ROOMS

Accommodation in all hotels and camps, regardless of the rating, is in standard rooms (sometimes named superior/deluxe) based on twins or doubles unless otherwise stated. Twin bedded rooms are very common in Africa, and on many occasions double-bedded rooms may be unavailable, or very limited in number. Bedding configurations on board cruises may vary with the category booked.

SOLO TRAVELLERS

A limited number of single rooms/suites/cabins may be available by request at time of booking your holiday package. Single rooms/suites/cabins are usually smaller than standard twin or double rooms and often only have one single bed.

PASSENGERS NEEDING ASSISTANCE

Travelmarvel welcomes all passengers. Please note:

1. Passengers with a disability, mobility or medical condition requiring assistance must inform Travelmarvel at the time of booking of all important information relating to your health, mobility and fitness which may affect your partial or total participation in the cruise or tour. This information will allow Travelmarvel to ensure the tour you have chosen is suitable and meets your needs. Any changes to health, mobility and fitness must also be reported to Travelmarvel as soon as possible and prior to departure. Where possible Travelmarvel will make reasonable adjustments to the tour to assist you however, it cannot do so if the adjustment required would be unreasonable in all of the circumstances, including if such adjustments would affect your safety and/or the safety and/or enjoyment of other passengers.
 2. If you require assistance or care (such as assistance with walking), you must travel with a companion capable of providing the required assistance or care. Travelmarvel is unable to assist any passenger with walking, dining, boarding or disembarking any transportation vehicles (including river cruise ships and trains). To safely participate in embarkation and disembarkation you must be able to do so without the need for assistance. You must also be able to do so without unreasonably impacting other passengers' safety and/or enjoyment.
 3. While Travelmarvel will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of disabled passengers, it is not responsible for any denial of services by any third-party entities it has travel arrangements with, such as carriers, hotels, trains, restaurants or other independent suppliers, or for any additional associated expenses charges by those parties.
 4. Please note coaches, minibuses and 4WD are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. Many ships require the use of stairs to go between decks. Further, side by side docking may require passengers to climb and descend stairs to cross over vessels to disembark and embark at times. Travelmarvel ships occasionally sail through remote areas that do not have convenient docking facilities. In such circumstances it will be necessary for passengers to negotiate temporary gangplanks, tender boats, riverbanks, and uneven surfaces. If the crew decide that it is not safe for a passenger to negotiate such operations, they may require passengers to stay on board. Due to the lack of infrastructure along the riverbanks, and absence of lifts on board vessels, wheelchairs will be of minimal use. Passengers who use a wheelchair should reconsider travelling on these tours.
- HEALTH & FITNESS**
- A good level of health and fitness is required to participate on Travelmarvel's holiday packages. In some destinations there are extensive sightseeing excursions by foot which include uneven ground and stairs. Mobility is needed for boarding or alighting coaches and ships. We recommend a visit to the doctor and dentist before travelling. It is your responsibility to advise Travelmarvel of any pre-existing medical conditions that may affect the normal conduct of a holiday package and the enjoyment of other guests. A Health, Fitness & Mobility Questionnaire will be provided and requested to be completed at the time of booking if you advise of any health, fitness or mobility issues. Travelmarvel is not liable for any injury, illness, or loss of enjoyment which could have been reasonably prevented had we been made aware of a pre-existing condition and been provided an opportunity to review it. We will not be responsible for any costs associated with cancellation penalties or the return of passengers from a tour, and a refund for lost touring cannot be claimed.

VISA & PASSPORTS

A passport that is valid for at least six months after you return home is required. Some African countries also require a minimum number of blank passport pages. Passengers must consult with the appropriate consulates to ensure that they have any applicable visas for countries included in the holiday package prior to departure. Passengers are solely responsible for meeting necessary passport and visa entry requirements and paying all associated costs. Travelmarvel is not responsible for

delays or missed portions of the holiday package resulting from incorrect travel documents or visas.

ENHANCE YOUR JOURNEY – OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES

These select experiences are an additional cost to the land tour price. Minimum and maximum group numbers apply for the tour to operate, and all tours are subject to availability and local conditions. Gratuities are not included on optional experiences.

IF YOU NEED TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

If you want to change any part of your holiday arrangements after the invoice has been issued, we will do our best to make the change, but it may not be possible. Any request for changes must be made in writing by the person who made the original booking, or their travel agent. If it is possible to make the change, it will be subject to an administration charge and payment of any further costs incurred as a result of the change.

CANCELLATION POLICY

For all holiday packages in this brochure, Travelmarvel cancellation fees apply as follows (in addition to charges of any independent suppliers e.g.: airlines and hotels):

Days of Notice Prior to Departure	Fee Per Person
100 days or more	Loss of deposit
99–61 days	50% of holiday package price
60 days or less	100% of holiday package price

All cancellations must be received in writing by Travelmarvel and are not effective until this notification has been received. If your holiday has commenced, 100% of the full holiday package price is charged. There is no refund for unused services or if portions of the holiday package are missed. Additional cancellation fees may also be charged in respect of accommodation reserved outside the holiday package dates. These cancellation fees are in addition to any fees that may be levied by Travelmarvel and your travel agent (if any). You acknowledge that the amounts estimated under the Cancellation Policy are reasonable and represent a genuine pre-estimate of Travelmarvel's loss and are otherwise reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate interests of Travelmarvel. If you request changes after Travelmarvel has issued your documents, Travelmarvel may charge you an administration and processing fee of \$70 per person in addition to any applicable cancellation fees.

CANCELLATION OF TICKETED AIRFARES

A Travelmarvel cancellation fee of \$50 per person applies for ticketed airfares, in addition to any airline cancellation fees that are applicable.

CHANGES TO TICKETED AIRFARES

If you wish to amend the date or touring on your ticketed air booking, a Travelmarvel amendment fee of \$30 per person for the first change and \$85 per person for any subsequent changes will be charged in addition to airline change fees and additional taxes that are applicable. If, for any reason, a name change to a ticketed airfare is required, a \$125 per person name change fee will apply for every change in addition to any applicable airline fees.

IF WE NEED TO CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY

Travelmarvel endeavours to provide you with all the services confirmed to you at the time of your booking. However, we plan arrangements a long time in advance of your departure date using independent suppliers such as airline, hotels, etc., over whom we have no direct control. On occasions changes do have to be made, and Travelmarvel reserves the right to cancel or amend holiday packages/excursions accordingly. Group tours require a minimum number of bookings in order for the tour to be financially viable and to have a pleasant group atmosphere. In the event that adequate numbers cannot be achieved, it may be necessary to cancel a scheduled departure and offer the nearest possible alternative date (or a full refund of monies paid for arrangements made by Travelmarvel).

ON HOLIDAY

NOISE & VIBRATION

You acknowledge and accept that some noise and vibration may be experienced and Travelmarvel is not liable to you for any such noise or vibration.

SEAT ROTATION

Passengers rotate seats in the coach daily, so everyone enjoys window and front seating. In fairness to all passengers, no exceptions will be made.

CHANGES DUE TO WEATHER

Sometimes due to elements beyond our control it may be necessary to make alternations to our itinerary. A number of sightseeing options are weather dependant

LUGGAGE LIMIT

Each passenger is entitled to take one case and generally luggage limits are 20kg per adult passenger. There are strict luggage restrictions in Kenya and Tanzania due to travelling in 4WD vehicles and flying in a smaller plane where you will need to pack down to a soft bag of 15kg. Travelmarvel will provide a soft bag for you to use in East Africa. Suitcases will be securely stored for you. Luggage limits are strictly enforced, and airline-imposed excess baggage charges will apply if this weight is exceeded. Luggage is carried at owner's risk.

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