South Africa

NOVEMBER 7-15TH 2024











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PRICE IN USD PER PERSON DOUBLE ROOM: \$3990.00

INCLUDEDES

- Accommodation:
 - Cape Town Onomo Cape Town Waterfront
 - Kruger Park/Hazyview Sanbonani Hotel Resort,
 - Johannesburg Hotel Sky Sandton
- Meals as per itinerary
- Tours, entrances, and conservation fees as per itinerary
- · Transportation (fuel, tolls): various sizes of vehicles
- · Services of English-speaking drivers and guides
- Meals and accommodation for the driver and guide during the road trip with the group
- Porterage at hotels and airports (arrival and departure)
- INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS DEPARTING FROM BOSTON

Flights:

- November 8: Arrival Delta Air Lines DL 210 ETA 19:00 Cape Town (Cape Town Intl)
- November 11: Arrival flight to Nelspruit: 4Z 663, estimated arrival time: 12:50 p.m.
- November 15: Departure flight from Johannesburg: MK 852 departs JNB at 1:10 p.m.

NOT INCLUDED

- Any items of a personal nature: extra meals, drinks, telephone calls, laundry, etc.
- Travel insurance
- All visa fees
- · Tips for guides, drivers and rangers
- · Any other services not specified
- Optional tours
- · Any personal items: extra meals, drinks, phone calls, laundry, etc.



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DEPARTURE

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DEPARTURE FROM LOGAN AIRPORT TO CAPE TOWN

ARRIVAL: WELCOME TO CAPE TOWN

Arrival in Cape Town, meet and greet, and transfer to the hotel.

Accommodation at Onomo Cape Town Waterfront: 2 double rooms with queensize beds and one single room.

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ADVENTURE BEGINS

Breakfast at the hotel.

Embark on a city driving tour, passing by some of Cape Town's most iconic landmarks, such as the Houses of Parliament, City Hall, the Castle, the Slave Lodge, and St. George's Cathedral. Your guide will share fascinating insights about the city's history and culture as you proceed.

You'll also pass by the beautiful Company's Garden and Greenmarket Square before entering the vibrant Bo-Kaap neighborhood, also known as the Malay Quarter. Here, you'll pause for photos of the brightly colored houses and learn about the rich cultural heritage of this unique area.

Stop for lunch at a local restaurant such as the Greek Fisherman before heading to Groot Constantia, one of South Africa's oldest wine estates (332 years this year) and one of the world's oldest brands, which has become iconic on the tourist route.

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Activities offered on the Visitors Route include:

- Explore the original Cape Dutch manor house
- · Visit the famous Cloete Wine Cellar, the birthplace of Grand Constance
- · Experience a chocolate and wine pairing
- · Visit the cultural and wine history museum
- · Receive a souvenir glass after your visit

Return to the hotel afterward. Dinner is on your own and at the guests' expense (B, L).

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CAPE TOWN
KRUGAR PARK
JOHANNESBURG

11/10	Meet with the English-speaking guide in the lobby, board your air-conditioned vehicle, and embark on a full-day tour of the Cape Peninsula. CAPE TOWN AND CAPE OF GOOD HOPE TOUR: This tour will take you along the Cape Peninsula, one of the most spectacular drives, where you can see one of the Floral Kingdoms of the World, as well as Cape Wildlife along the peninsula's coast. The first stop will be at "Hout Bay" where you will board a boat for a mini-cruise to the islets inhabited by a colony of Cape seals. You'll pass by Chapman's Peak (weather permitting) and then visit the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, where you will see the Cape of Good Hope. You will also have the option to take the funicular (funicular cost not included) to the old lighthouse and enjoy views of the famous False Bay. You will also visit Simon's Town, home of the South African Navy, where the famous colony of African penguins, an endangered species, resides. Lunch is included, without drinks, at a local restaurant such as Seaforth. Late in the afternoon, we return to the hotel. The evening is free to relax and recharge. Dinner is excluded and at guests' expense (B, L). Accommodation at Cape Town Lodge Hotel.
11/11	Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out. Meet your guide, identify your luggage, and then board the vehicle to return to the airport for your flight to Kruger Mpumalanga International Airport. Arrive at KMIA with your Spanish-speaking guide around 12:50, meet the driver, load the luggage, and then travel to your hotel in Hazyview. Arrive at the hotel, check-in (followed by a light lunch), and prepare for your afternoon safari in Kruger National Park (16:00-20:00). Return to the hotel for dinner (until 21:00). Refresh at the hotel before dinner (B, L, D). Accommodation at Sanbonani Hotel Resort.
11/12	Packed breakfast from the hotel and then embark on a full-day 4x4 safari in Kruger National Park. Lunch is included in the park at one of the rest camps. Return to the hotel in time for dinner (B, L, D). Accommodation at Sanbonani Hotel Resort.
11/13	Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out. Meet your guide in the lobby, identify your luggage before loading it into the vehicle, and then drive to Johannesburg. Arrive in Johannesburg and check-in at your hotel in Sandton, where you can spend the rest of the day at your leisure. Dinner is not included and is at guests' expense (B). Accommodation at Hotel Sky Sandton.

Breakfast at the hotel.

8:30 Meet your guide and embark on a panoramic tour of Soweto:

An experienced local guide will pick up the group at the hotel in a private, comfortable vehicle.

The tour begins with a drive by the iconic FNB Stadium, also known as Soccer City, which hosted the 2010 FIFA World Cup final. The guide will provide information about its history and importance in South African sports culture.

Next, the tour moves to Orlando West, where we will visit the Hector Pieterson Museum, a key landmark in the history of the 1976 Soweto Uprising.

The group will learn about events that played a significant role in South Africa's struggle for freedom. This stop includes a walk through the museum and a brief visit to the nearby memorial.

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We will then visit Vilakazi Street, home to two Nobel Prize winners: Nelson Mandela and Archbishop Desmond Tutu. The group will have the opportunity to see Mandela's former house, now the Mandela House Museum, with an optional inside visit (entrance included). The guide will share stories about the history of this famous street and its residents.

If time permits, we may briefly stop at the famous Soweto Towers, once a power station and now a vibrant cultural space. Visitors can learn about the history of the towers and their transformation into a bungee jumping and adventure center. This is also a great place for photos.

The tour includes a visit to Regina Mundi Church, the largest Catholic church in Soweto, which played a vital role during apartheid as a sanctuary for political activists. The guide will offer insights into the historical significance of the church. After the church visit, we will take a scenic drive through some of Soweto's most vibrant and historic areas, giving the group a chance to experience daily life in the township. The guide will point out key landmarks and provide information on life in Soweto today.

13:00 Return to Hotel Sky.

This tour offers a rich and immersive experience of the history, culture, and vibrant spirit of Soweto (B).

Accommodation at Hotel Sky Sandton.

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Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out and luggage storage.

Enjoy a free day until your transfer to the airport and check-in for your return flight home (B).