Abercrombie & Kent 2024

SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Plan now for an awe-inspiring adventure in the year to come.

As interest in travel continues to reach new heights, this complete portfolio of our 2024 Small Group Journeys is your indispensable guidebook to planning your next journey of a lifetime. Each of the more than 70 remarkable itineraries showcased here was designed by our experts to reveal your destination with an unbeatable combination of style and luxury, regardless of where your travel dreams take you.

From our classic Luxury Small Group Journeys and intrepid Marco Polo Journeys[®] to spectacular Wings Over the World adventures by private air, you join no more than 18 guests and an incomparable Resident Tour Director[®] on an itinerary led by top local experts, packed with insider access and featuring stays at accommodations handpicked to enhance how you experience your destination.

In addition to returning favorites, we have seven outstanding new journeys, including **Wings Over Europe's Iconic Capitals** and innovative explorations of Norway and Denmark, the Azores and Madeira, Colombia, and Oman. Whichever destination you choose, you receive the same impeccable level of support — backed by the dedicated professionals in our more than 55 offices in over 30 countries around the world — from the company that has set the standard for luxury adventure travel for over 60 years.

Now is the right time to reserve your preferred dates. We look forward to welcoming you on a luxury journey that helps make 2024 simply unforgettable.



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Since 1962, we've set an unbeatable standard for luxury adventure.

Our Unmatched Legacy of Service, Expertise and Authenticity

Abercrombie & Kent is the world's premier luxury travel company, with an unrivaled legacy of creating memorable, inspiring adventures in the world's most compelling destinations. Starting with singular service informed by a lifetime of experience, we combine authentic local know-how and beyond-the-guidebook insider access to create a journey of a lifetime, every time you travel with us.

We Stake Our Reputation on Every Journey

A&K's service and reputation are tested every day against the most discerning audience: our guests. And time and again, we pass the test, creating seamless travel experiences in nearly any destination. Among our peers, we are consistently recognized as the gold standard for luxury travel, with distinctions that include receiving *Travel Weekly*'s "Best Luxury Tour Operator" award every year for well over a decade.

"The A&K trip to Jordan and Egypt was an incredibly interesting adventure — possibly the most engaging weeks of my life — and a journey I will never forget. The guides were exceptional. We left feeling we have Jordanian and Egyptian friends."

> — Brian; Charlotte, NC; January 2023



More than 60 years in the making and backed by thousands of journeys and countless miles, our reputation rests on one singular goal: Deliver the best possible travel experience to every guest, every time.



Best Luxury Tour Operator Best Africa Tour Operator

Best Escorted Tour Operator – Luxury

Best Escorted Tour Operator – Africa

Best Escorted Tour Operator – Adventure/Expedition

Best Tour Guides



VIRTUOSO. Best Tour Operator



World's Leading Luxury Safari Company

Oceania's Luxury Safari Tour Operator

Europe's Leading Luxury Tour Operator



Best FIT Operator for Tailor Made Travel

Our globe-spanning local access takes you places no one else can, with an authenticity and support network no one can match.



If there's one thing A&K guests consistently value most about their journeys, it is their Resident Tour Director — over 95% of our guests rate their Resident Tour Directors as "Excellent."



The Most Extensive Network of Travel Experts in the World

Underlying each inspiring A&K journey is the most robust tour-operatorsupport network in the travel industry — over 55 offices in more than 30 countries around the world, all working 24/7 to uphold the same impeccable standards. In today's travel environment, there is no substitute for a company that trains and manages its own full-time staff, personally orchestrating every aspect of your journey with precision and flexibility down to the last detail.

The Difference Local Access Makes

For A&K, having our own local staff is only the beginning. We forge lasting, one-on-one relationships with the people who know your destination best, from craftspeople and chefs to experts in local art and history. Our itineraries don't come out of guidebooks — they're the result of the authentic connections established between our experts and the friendly, hospitable local people who lend your journey a unique and personal touch.

What does this mean for you as an A&K guest? It means you experience each location on your journey from a truly local perspective, all while enjoying a smooth travel experience in which every detail has been anticipated by a dedicated on-site staff.

A Reassuring Local Presence From the Moment You Arrive

The A&K difference becomes clear as soon as you arrive and meet your representative, who assists with your luggage and escorts you privately to your hotel — on an A&K journey, you don't share a vehicle on arrival or departure transfers, even with other A&K guests.

Resident Tour Directors With Deep Local Ties

Our Resident Tour Directors have lived for decades, sometimes even their entire lives, in the places you visit. Overseeing your entire journey, they accompany you every day, sharing their unique understanding of daily life as well as your destination's culture, history and wildlife. The result is a journey that reveals the real spirit of a place, connecting you to the people, places and wildlife you encounter in a way you'll never forget.



When it comes to inspiring travel, a small group makes a big difference.

A World of Small-Group Journeys for Every Kind of Traveller

Our journeys offer inspiring adventure for every type of traveller. Luxury Small Group Journeys represent the finest small-group travel experience, while Wings Over the World journeys feature adventure-packed itineraries made possible through private air. Luxury Family Journeys offer inspiring adventures for all ages, and for the intrepid traveller, Marco Polo Journeys are limited-edition itineraries incorporating active adventure, exotic destinations or exclusive festivals.

Group Sizes That Average Only 14 Guests

Most Small Group Journeys feature a maximum group size of 18 guests with an average of only 14, and most Wings Over the World journeys have a maximum group size between 11 and 13 guests. The benefits are many, starting with the opportunity to enjoy deeper interactions with your Resident Tour Director and expert local guides, getting to know them for the insightful, dedicated travelling companions they are.

Itineraries Only Possible With a Small Group

A small group size lets us craft journeys that are seamlessly orchestrated and packed with the insider-access opportunities that are A&K's hallmark. Many of your journey's most memorable activities — whether a celebration at a local monastery or a guided tour of a private art gallery — are only possible with a smaller group. Small groups also enable A&K to reserve one-of-a-kind accommodations that can't house the typically larger groups that travel with other companies.

"I had the experience of my life in Africa. I cannot thank you enough for helping me make my dream a reality. I had the most wonderful birthday in Nairobi. I couldn't be happier!"

— Alicia; Greenwich, CT; March 2022

Our experts choose the best accommodations to complement your journey.



End Each Day in Luxury

Wherever possible, we arrange for stays in five-star accommodations that combine first-rate comfort with a keen eye toward their locale, furthering your sense of place while offering the hospitality that makes you feel at home after a day of exploring.

Intimate Boutique Camps and Lodges

As a home base for extraordinary wilderness adventures, many of our journeys feature luxurious boutique camps and lodges available only to smaller groups. These handpicked accommodations combine classic local details with modern amenities and cutting-edge eco-friendly practices not to mention an incredible front seat to wildlife, often just outside your door.

Stylish Ships

Our commitment to luxury doesn't stop at the water's edge. When your journey includes cruising on the Nile, Mekong or other great rivers, your sleek, modern vessel offers the same level of comfort, service and style you would experience on land, all while discovering the beauty of life on the world's most iconic waterways.

The Luxury of Location

When visiting remote locales on some Marco Polo Journeys, your hotels place you in the heart of your destination, letting you experience the true flavor of local life, sometimes forgoing creature comfort for the reward of a fully authentic experience.

Accommodations for Families

On Luxury Family Journeys, our local experts choose hotels with five-star style, family-friendly amenities and smartly configured accommodations (such as connecting rooms, where possible) that mean inviting comfort for your whole crew.

Upgrade Your Accommodations

Talk to an A&K Travel Consultant or your travel professional about elevating your experience with a higher room or cabin category.



Award-Winning Excellence

Many of the hotels selected for our guests are *Condé Nast Traveler* Gold List or *Travel + Leisure* World's Best properties — when luxury is what you're looking for, there's no reason to settle for second best.





Wherever you travel, we deliver the luxuries that matter most.

Immersive Moments That Bring a Destination to Life

Experience locally inspired moments crafted by our experts, such as a charming neighborhood visit by cyclo or tuk-tuk as you **Ride Like a Local**, or a refreshing cocktail — our **Scenic Sundowner** — set in a breathtaking location at sunset.

Make Your Journey Your Own with Design Your Day®

Experience your destination the way you want to with **Design Your Day**. On a select day of your itinerary, choose from at least three expert-crafted activities, with one option created specially for guests with active interests. *Luxury Small Group Journeys and Wings Over the World only*.

Dining That Explores Local Flavors

Local cuisine can be the highlight of any journey. We provide you with the perfect mix of planned group meals — including celebratory welcome and farewell dinners — and mealtimes left unscheduled. You also experience favorite local restaurants, enjoy a **Chef's Table** cooking class or a culinary demonstration, and savor included à la carte dinners on your own and at your leisure.

Indulge With Breakfast in Bed

For a more relaxed start to the day, opt to enjoy a continental breakfast in the privacy of your hotel room on two select days of your journey, compliments of A&K. Travelling Bell Boy[®] and Traveller's Valet[®]

With A&K's exclusive **Travelling Bell Boy** service, we handle your luggage safely and hygienically for you between destinations. A&K also offers you convenient **Traveller's Valet**: exclusive, complimentary laundry service provided once per journey, to help keep your luggage light.

Private Transfers and Gratuities Included

Private arrival and departure transfers are always included with your journey, regardless of when you choose to arrive or depart. Likewise, all of your gratuities are included, save for your Resident Tour Director, which is at your sole discretion.





Stay Connected on Us

Don't wait for your trip to end to share photos and stories with the folks back home. Enjoy complimentary Internet access during hotel stays and cruises with overnight stays.

Departure Dates and Prices Are Always Guaranteed

Book your journey with confidence, knowing we won't cancel. Every A&K small-group journey is guaranteed to depart with a minimum of two guests (excludes Wings Over the World). And if the price you pay for your journey drops after you book, we'll refund the difference.

Included with Every Small Group Journey

- English-Speaking Resident Tour Director and Local Guides
- Hand-Selected Luxury Accommodations
- Travelling Bell Boy Luggage Handling
- Breakfast in Bed on Select Days
- ► Traveller's Valet Laundry Service
- Internet Access

- Airport Meet and Greet With Private Transfers
- ▶ Full Breakfast Daily; Select Lunches and Dinners
- Entrance Fees, Taxes and All Gratuities Except Resident Tour Director
- 24/7 A&K On-Call Support
- Guaranteed Departures With Just Two Guests (Excludes Wings Over the World)

Extend your Small Group Journey — or make it your own.

Start (or End) Your Journey With a Small-Group or Private Extension

Added to the beginning or end of your itinerary, small-group extensions (which may include other guests from your small-group journey) focus on a city or region not included on the main journey and offer the same luxury accommodations and amenities. We can even create a custom extension exclusively for you and your travelling companions, designed around your specific interests — contact A&K or your travel advisor to learn how a custom extension can enhance your journey.

Turn a Small Group Journey Into a Private Adventure

Many of today's travellers prefer the comfort of travelling exclusively with their own family and loved ones. If you prefer to travel this way (or our departure dates don't align with your schedule), look for the **Travel Privately** with A&K box on select itineraries to book that small-group journey as a private journey — the same itinerary, hotels and sightseeing for just you and your private party, led by your own local guides.













Travel in your own private party on a journey designed for you.

Creating a Journey Just for You

On a Luxury Tailor Made Journey, you travel with just family and friends, sharing every extraordinary hour with the people who matter most to you and returning home with shared memories you'll treasure. We plan departure and arrival dates — as well as the perfect balance of scheduled activity and free time — to match everyone's schedule and preferences.

Working with you or your travel professional, we learn everything there is to know about how you love to travel and what you're looking for in your journey. From there, every amazing destination, authentic local encounter and luxury accommodation is chosen with your interests in mind, making each day an adventure you won't want to end.

Travel With Peace of Mind and in Expert Company

We oversee your journey from the moment your A&K representative welcomes you at the airport. From there, an experienced team ensures that every hour of your itinerary unfolds according to plan, freeing you to simply enjoy yourself. Joining you in every destination is a local guide with their own unique firsthand perspective. Both an expert planner and an adept improviser, your local guide also brings a sincere love for the places they call home — something you'll soon come to share.

Elevate Your Journey with Exclusive Accommodations or Private Air We can reserve a private European villa, luxury yacht or cozy barge for your exclusive use, or make getting there as inspiring as being there with chartered helicopters and planes, the perfect complement to the journey of your dreams.

When it comes to flying, let an A&K Air Concierge handle the details.

Count on Our Air Experts to Always Go the Extra Mile

Thanks to our long-established partnerships with the world's premier carriers — not to mention decades of experience — booking your air with A&K affords you a multitude of benefits. Your Air Concierge always knows the best flights that work with your itinerary's start and end times, and in the event a flight is delayed or canceled, we're there 24/7 to assist you and make sure you enjoy your journey as planned. We offer special fares where available, as well as the freedom to earn mileage points as your carrier allows and to cancel your reservation up to a day before departure (fees may apply).

Contact us or your travel advisor to learn more about the benefits of booking your flights through A&K.

Purchase A&K's Guest Protection Program with optional Cancel for Any Reason.

A&K's Guest Protection Program helps protect your trip payment should you have to cancel your trip on short notice for covered reasons, if a medical emergency arises while travelling, or your baggage is lost or damaged. Serviced by Aon Affinity, with insurance benefits underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company, the Guest Protection Program provides coverage for trip and baggage delays as well as emergency medical evacuation. Aon also provides convenient online claims filing.

For increased flexibility, upgrade your Guest Protection Program benefits to include Cancellation For Any Reason, which if purchased within 14 days of the date your initial trip deposit is received, allows you to cancel your journey up to two days before your trip departure and be reimbursed – no matter the reason. Additional cost and terms apply.

To obtain your state-specific plan documentation that contains the complete terms, conditions, limitations and exclusions of the plan, visit www.affinitytravelcert.com/ABK/GPP.

For important disclaimers on A&K's Guest Protection Program please see page 257.

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A rewards program made to order for passionate travellers.

Welcome to Marco Polo Club®

Marco Polo Club extends complimentary membership to guests who travel on three or more journeys with Abercrombie & Kent, USA. Among the club's benefits is a five-percent discount on almost any new booking made within nine months of returning from an A&K journey — a savings that members can pass on to any immediate family travelling with them. As an added benefit, solo travellers are entitled to a 50-percent savings on most single supplements booked at any time.

Marco Polo Club members also enjoy recognition in other ways, with a place on the priority waitlist for sold-out journeys, a members-only onboard reception on A&K Luxury Expedition Cruises and a variety of exclusive communications and events. To learn more about A&K's Marco Polo Club, visit **akmarcopolo.com**.

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Book now and experience the finest in authentic luxury travel.

To book your journey, contact an A&K Travel Consultant today by calling **800 323 7308** (Monday-Friday 8–6, Saturday 9–1 CT), or speak to your Travel Advisor. Find more information online at **abercrombiekent.com**.

A&K Philanthropy partners with local communities to empower lasting change.

Building on a Legacy of Partnership

Established in 1982, Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy (AKP) is dedicated to giving back to the vibrant environments and communities we are so privileged to explore. As part of our ongoing mission, AKP partners with local communities to improve education, conservation, health care and enterprise with nearly 55 projects spanning seven continents — a philanthropic commitment unequalled in the travel industry.

Experience an AKP Project Firsthand

A number of our small-group journeys offer opportunities to visit an AKP partner community, affording a wealth of moving experiences you won't find anywhere else. Whether it's celebrating a newly opened maternity ward or serving lunch to local schoolchildren, many of our guests experience their journeys' most impactful moments during these visits.

Sharing Genuine Perspectives

AKP employs a team of dedicated Philanthropy Coordinators stationed throughout the world, allowing for deeper, more meaningful cultural exchanges. AKP Coordinators facilitate the face-to-face interactions that reveal the true fabric of these communities, from speaking with a local teacher in a Kenyan village to witnessing the impact of clean water wells in rural Cambodia.

"In just the past few years, travellers introduced to our AKP-supported projects during their journeys helped improve the lives of more than 125,000 men, women and children worldwide through donations to nearly 55 programs in 24 countries. That's the impact that travel can make."

— Geoffrey Kent, Founder, Abercrombie & Kent











With nearly 55 projects worldwide, these are just a few of the AKP visits you can experience firsthand.

EDUCATION

Children of the Rainbow School

In Peru's Sacred Valley, visit a special school providing an oasis of education, nutrition, medical care and hope to the region's least-privileged children. *Experienced on Peru: Machu Picchu & the Sacred Valley*

CONSERVATION

Save the Albatross

Learn about a campaign to protect Antarctica's albatross species, 15 of which are threatened with extinction by deep-sea fishing hooks. *Experienced on Antarctica, South Georgia & the Falkland Islands*

HEALTH CARE

Cambodia Clean Water Project

See how clean wells are turning the tides of waterborne illness and fostering a healthier future for local families in rural Cambodian villages. *Experienced on Images of Indochina & Angkor Wat*

ENTERPRISE

Sishemo Bead Studio

Visit Nakatindi Village in Zambia to see how a small group of local women support their families and community through traditional glass bead-making. *Experienced on Botswana Safari in Style*



Look for this symbol for opportunities to visit an A&K Philanthropy project on your A&K journey.

For a complete list of AKP projects and visit opportunities, or to make a tax-free donation, please visit **akphilanthropy.org**.

When choosing a luxury safari, go with the company that has set the benchmark since 1962.

Six Decades of Unmatched, On-the-Ground Experience

From our start in Kenya in 1962, Abercrombie & Kent pioneered the modern luxury African safari. Over 60 years later, A&K is still setting the standard for an African journey like no other, delivering authentic, inspiring experiences beyond the usual tourist destinations.

A Peerless Local Presence

Where other safari companies subcontract their services from a continent away, we live and work every day in the very same areas you visit. These longstanding connections — and 13 permanent, full-time offices in Africa — allow us to offer the best-located lodges and camps for game viewing, as well as unmatched service at every stage of your journey.

Simply the Best Safari Guides

A&K's safari guides are handpicked for their expertise in the culture, flora and wildlife of Africa. In Kenya, every A&K guide has attained a minimum of a bronze-level certification by the Kenya Professional Safari Guides Association; in fact, we have the most of any tour operator.

Custom Safari Vehicles We Design, Build and Own

While other safari providers rent or lease their vehicles, A&K owns and maintains its own custom fleet — the finest in East Africa. Our fleet is built to our specifications, with high front and side windows providing great views; air conditioning in most vehicles (a blessing on hot afternoons in the bush); a refrigerator filled with chilled water; and even Wi-Fi access.

Only the Finest Safari Camps and Lodges

Retreat daily to your own authentic, veranda-fronted tent or amenity-laden lodge to enjoy an unexpected haven of five-star comfort in the heart of Africa. From Sanctuary Olonana in Kenya and Sanctuary Chief's Camp in Botswana to Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti and renowned Gibb's Farm, both in Tanzania, our safaris feature luxurious accommodations expertly positioned away from the crowds and near an abundance of wildlife and scenic views.

Impeccable Cuisine in the Bush

After working up a hearty appetite viewing wildlife on a rousing game drive, return to your camp or lodge and savor fine cuisine prepared by your on-site chef. A&K makes luxury dining a memorable culinary experience, even in the remote wilds of Africa.





Pack a Safari Bag Designed by the Pros

Guests on our African safaris receive a complimentary A&K Duffel, designed to the same exacting standards as the journey itself. Our bag is perfectly sized to hold your safari essentials while meeting all baggage size restrictions for your Africa flights.







A Long-Standing Commitment to Local Communities

Conservation and philanthropy were integral parts of A&K long before they were fashionable. Working hand-in-hand with local tribes and villages, we fund schools and clinics, and generate opportunities for employment that benefit their communities. Grassroots Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy projects like these are included on several of our Africa itineraries (look for the A&K Philanthropy symbol 🔇), welcoming our guests to participate in travel that changes lives.

Excellence Recognized by Travellers and Travel Pros

A&K's African safaris have won acclaim from guests and travel professionals alike. We were named Best Tour Operator in Africa for 17 years by the readers of *Travel Weekly*, the World's Leading Luxury Safari Company at the World Travel Awards and the Best Escorted Tour Operator for Africa at the Travvy Awards. In Africa and throughout the world, A&K sets the standard.

"I can't imagine a better safari journey. A&K clearly knows Africa and hires excellent people. Our guide was unique. He has feet in both the Maasai and modern world and shares that knowledge without pretense."

> — Theodore; Naples, FL, The Great Migration Safari in Style

Africa

Africa

East Africa or Southern Africa: Know the difference, then decide.

Which Africa Do You Want to Explore?

As you decide which A&K safari journey best suits your travel interests, it helps to understand how the safari experience differs between East Africa and Southern Africa.

East Africa: A Classic Appeal

East Africa's Kenya and Tanzania are the definition of classic safari country. Home to the vast Serengeti and Masai Mara as well as the teeming Ngorongoro Crater, East Africa has formed the backdrop for legendary safari expeditions since the days of Ernest Hemingway and Isak Dinesen, and served as the birthplace of A&K.

In northern Tanzania, the seemingly endless horizon of East Africa yields to Mount Kilimanjaro — the tallest mountain in Africa, at over 19,000 feet. Those who would conquer it can do so in style with A&K, enjoying the highest summit rate of any operator in Africa.

Wildlife viewing throughout Kenya and Tanzania is reliably spectacular. The famed Big Five — lion, leopard, elephant, rhino and Cape buffalo — are sighted here on a regular basis, along with hundreds of other species, ranging from wildebeest and zebra to antelope and cheetah. Primate tracking lends another dimension to East Africa's appeal, and up-close encounters with endangered mountain gorilla are yours to experience with A&K in Uganda and Rwanda.

Southern Africa: Dynamic and Diverse

Southern Africa, an area encompassing Zambia, Zimbabwe, Botswana, Namibia and South Africa, offers a wide variety of scenic terrain, from the upland forests of Botswana to incomparable Victoria Falls. It also enables you to experience an enticing mix of wildlife viewing and modern, world-class culture and cuisine in South Africa.

On the wildlife side, Southern Africa is diverse, with the iconic big cats — lion, leopard and cheetah — always on the prowl. In Botswana, the lush Okavango Delta draws a profusion of hippo, giraffe, crocodile, rhino and baboon, which A&K guests encounter in the uncrowded intimacy of private game reserves.

The nation of South Africa offers first-rate culinary and cultural opportunities, ranging from tastings at award-winning wineries in the ruggedly beautiful Cape Winelands to visits to historical sites and the majestic Table Mountain in the country's cosmopolitan "Mother City," Cape Town.

Namibia, in contrast, presents almost otherworldly landscapes, including the stunning Sossusvlei, with its red sand dunes rising from a pale salt pan, as well as the wind-blown Skeleton Coast, its sands dotted with rusting shipwrecks. Only here can you encounter the Himba people, nomads of the desert.



Which safari is right for you?

Select the safari experience of your dreams from an array of distinctive A&K journeys.



Explore via Private Chartered Air with Wings Over the World

For the ultimate safari experience, **Wings Over East Africa** and **Wings Over Southern Africa** unite the continent's iconic game regions in single, all-encompassing itineraries, linking each destination via private chartered flights arranged to help you make the most of every day.



A Range of Journeys Exploring Culture and Wildlife

From Kenya & Tanzania Wildlife Safari and its family departures to South Africa & Victoria Falls and Namibia: Dunes & Desert Safari, A&K offers a wealth of journeys that illuminate every facet of Africa, including its history and culture as well as its wildlife and scenic beauty.



Safari in Style Reveals the Continent at Its Best

Our flagship Safari in Style journeys feature boutique lodgings expressly designed for smaller groups, including our select portfolio of luxury tented camps – the most authentic and luxurious safari experience. Look for our **Great Migration, Kenya, Tanzania** and **Botswana** journeys.



We Can Create a Safari That's Just Right for You

When only a private Africa adventure will do, let our experts customize a **Luxury Tailor Made Journey** to your exact specifications, for just you and your family or private party, so your safari is exactly what you've always imagined it could be.

Active Adventures: Climbing Kilimanjaro and Tracking Gorillas in Uganda If you're looking for an adventure even more active than a traditional safari, how about scaling the world's tallest freestanding mountain? A&K has the most successful climbing operation on snow-capped Mount Kilimanjaro, featuring a summit rate of 97%. See page 60 for more on climbing Kilimanjaro with Abercrombie & Kent. We also offer opportunities to track the endangered mountain gorilla in the verdant hills of Uganda, and to observe our close genetic cousin, the chimpanzee, in its natural habitat.

THE GREAT MIGRATION



Discover the year-round allure of the Great Migration.

Throughout the year, East Africa's wide-open grasslands bear witness to the Great Migration (see map at left), as millions of wildebeest, zebra, antelope and other herd animals circulate through the region in search of water and fresh grazing land, part of the never-ending cycle of life on the vast East African plains. While dramatic river crossings are often associated with the Great Migration, they are actually just one thread in a complex tapestry encompassing calving, mating rituals and the shifting fortunes of the herd.

From the Serengeti to the Masai Mara, A&K's passionate Resident Tour Directors and expert driver-guides will help you experience the majesty of the Great Migration, wherever you may encounter it and regardless of when you choose to explore Africa. WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over East Africa

11 days from \$41,795 | Limited to 16 guests

Experience highlights of three East African countries on a single luxury journey made possible by private air, encountering mountain gorillas and chimpanzees in Uganda, tracking iconic wildlife in Tanzania's Serengeti and witnessing a true natural spectacle on departures timed with the Great Migration's appearance in Kenya's Masai Mara.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Travel privately in a chartered Cessna Grand Caravan, reclining in your fully rotating, contoured leather seats
- Enjoy major highlights of Uganda, Tanzania and Kenya on one seamless itinerary, including Bwindi Impenetrable National Park in Uganda, Serengeti National Park in Tanzania and Masai Mara Game Reserve in Kenya
- Encounter endangered mountain gorilla on two days of trekking in the lush forests of Uganda
- Stay in the finest camps in "Great Migration" country three nights in each the Serengeti and the Masai Mara
- Spot the Big Five, along with countless other wild species, from custom-made safari vehicles offering unobstructed views from every seat
- Explore with handpicked safari guides, whose in-depth tracking expertise leads to amazing wildlife encounters
- Experience the unsurpassed peace and comfort of the region's preeminent boutique camp and luxury safari accommodations with updated and reimagined features
- Glide by hot air balloon over the wildlife-rich Masai Mara

DAY 1: Arrive Entebbe, Uganda

Arrive in Entebbe, Uganda, which earns its nickname, the "Pearl of Africa," from its stunning scenery. Transfer to your hotel for an evening at leisure. Hotel No. 5

DAY 2: **Bwindi Impenetrable National Park** | Chimps This morning, Ride Like a Local, boarding a private boat to Ngamba Island, home to a sanctuary for orphaned and confiscated chimpanzee. Enjoy a private visit with the team who care for the fascinating simians, viewing their social



behavior up close. Return by private boat to Entebbe for lunch before boarding your private charter flight to Bwindi Impenetrable National Park. On arrival, set out on a scenic drive to your accommodations. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Bwindi Impenetrable National Park** | Gorillas Begin the first of two days of gorilla trekking with an early morning hike through the park's dense vegetation to seek out the groups of endangered mountain gorilla living there. Once the primates are located, settle in for an unforgettable visit, observing the gentle and expressive creatures up close. Watch mothers holding their infants and scampering toddlers getting reined in by a father protecting his family. Return to camp for an afternoon at leisure. Later, savor a Chef's Table experience, sipping a cocktail as a chef demonstrates how to make a local dish, which you sample before dinner. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Bwindi Impenetrable National Park** | Design Your Day

After another exciting trek to see gorilla, return to camp this afternoon and enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit a Bike Shop Supported by A&K Philanthropy. Meet the amazing women who run this shop and learn how they maintain the bikes.
- Meet with Women from the Local Area at the Bwindi Community Hospital, who teach local sewing classes.
- Set Out on a Guided Forest Walk on the Munyaga waterfall trail — be on the lookout for rare forest elephant and primates such as colobus monkey.



PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED

Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft

Cessna Grand Caravan 208B or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Entebbe-Bwindi (1 hr 15 min) Bwindi-Serengeti (3 hrs*) Serengeti-Masai Mara (2 hrs 30 min*) Masai Mara-Nairobi (45 min) *Flight duration only. Will stop en route to clear customs and immigration.



Return to your camp for dinner. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Serengeti National Park, Tanzania | Wild Game Board your privately chartered flight to Serengeti National Park, via stops at customs in Uganda and Tanzania, taking in the incredible vistas and intimate viewing afforded by low-level flight. Early this afternoon, arrive at your luxurious camp, which features the largest, most impressive tented en-suites imaginable, each with amazing views over the Serengeti. Then, set out on a game drive across the 10,000 square-mile Serengeti, a habitat to countless wild species. Finish your day in classic safari style with a refreshing Scenic Sundowner, taking in the incredible atmosphere just before dusk. Serengeti Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Serengeti National Park | Across the Plains Embark on morning and afternoon game drives through the vast Tanzanian landscape, observing the timeless circle of life on the Serengeti. Your explorations may reveal giraffe, wildebeest, elephant and far more. Serengeti Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D



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A Bird's-Eye View of Wildlife and a Private Air Advantage

The charter flights featured on Wings Over East Africa serve as a distinctive type of safari experience in and of themselves, in particular your flight to the Masai Mara Game Reserve, which affords sights of the region's incredible wildlife and gorgeous landscapes that simply can't be duplicated from ground level.

The Mara is home to one of the world's most impressive concentrations of wildlife, and your pilot-guides, skilled in low-level flying, give you the opportunity for a closer look at it than you've most likely ever experienced by air. You may catch glimpses of a giraffe stretching up to nibble a tree branch, an elephant cooling itself in the shallows of a muddy watering hole or a pink swath of countless flamingos wading at the edge of a sparkling lake.

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From stunning aerial perspectives on African wildlife to easy access to the best of three countries on one incredible itinerary, Wings Over East Africa delivers.



DAY 7: Serengeti National Park | Iconic Safari Quarry Enjoy one last day immersed in this incredible setting. Keep your camera at the ready for a flash of cheetah, herd of buffalo or pride of lion, or any of the 500 resident species of birds. Serengeti Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya | Migration Board your privately chartered flight to the Masai Mara Game Reserve via stops at customs in Tanzania and Kenya. View the expansive plains and, weather permitting, get an up-close look at the wildlife with some low-level flying by your skilled pilot-guides. Upon landing, settle into your luxurious camp before immersing yourself in the vast Mara on an afternoon game drive. You may encounter topi (an antelope found primarily here), hippopotamus, warthog, hyena and an abundance of bird life. Your arrival here is timed to coincide with when the Great Migration historically occurs in the Masai Mara, increasing your opportunity to witness the spectacle. Tonight, relax in your fabulously appointed en-suite tent, watching the African night sky from your deck. Mara Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Hot Air Balloon Ride Rise before dawn for a hot air balloon adventure that takes you soaring over the vast, wildlife-rich Masai Mara and touching down for a breakfast in the bush. Later, with help from your expert driver-guide, you may sight a leopard retrieving a kill or an elephant protecting their young on an afternoon game drive. You may also glimpse Maasai tribesmen traversing the plains or herding goats and cattle, pursuing the nomadic existence they have embraced for centuries. Mara Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Masai Mara Game Reserve | An Exclusive Visit Today, again enjoy morning and afternoon game drives as well as the option for a walking safari. 👧 Also visit a school on the edge of the Masai Mara for an A&K-exclusive experience, taking part in the setup of a LifeStraw Water filter that purifies drinking water for students and teachers, a project sponsored by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy. Mara Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Nairobi

Fly to Nairobi by private charter for an afternoon at leisure in a dayroom reserved for you. This evening, transfer to the airport and depart. Hemingways Nairobi (dayroom) | Meals: B L

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Customize this itinerary and create the perfect private Luxury Tailor Made Journey just for you. Contact A&K for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Serengeti Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp Permanent tented safari camp of 13 luxury tents with en-suite bathrooms, verandas and hot tubs, all facing the setting sun for vistas of timeless beauty.





Mara Bushtops Luxury Tented Camp — Twelve under-canvas tents Remote, atmospheric camp offering featuring large decks with hot tubs.

Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp guests 10 spacious luxury tents.





Hotel No. 5 Stylish boutique hotel with 10 suites set in the verdant suburbs of Entebbe. located near Nairobi National Park.

Hemingways Nairobi Exclusive boutique, all-suite hotel,

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Aug 23–Sep 2, Sep 10–20, Sep 24–Oct 4, Oct 15–25	\$41,795	\$7,595

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements such as hiking through isolated jungle regions. Minimum age is 15 years.

Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel.

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Witness Kenya's and Tanzania's spectacular wildlife on this flagship A&K safari, setting out on game drives through the region's most abundant parks and private reserves and staying in our best boutique camp and luxury lodge accommodations.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience six nights in the heart of Great Migration country, three each in the Serengeti and the Masai Mara
- Behold Africa's astoundingly diverse wildlife, including the iconic Big Five, from custom-made vehicles with an unobstructed view from every seat
- Explore alongside handpicked safari guides whose in-depth tracking expertise leads to amazing wildlife encounters
- Discover both the modern and traditional aspects of daily local life, with visits to a Maasai village as well as a typical town, for a unique, culturally immersive experience
- Expend less time travelling and more time spotting game thanks to convenient flights between game regions
- Finish with a three-night stay at enchanting Sanctuary Olonana, the ultimate luxury safari lodge, on the Mara River

DAY 1: Arrive Nairobi, Kenya

Arrive in Nairobi and transfer to your luxurious hotel. Hemingways Nairobi

DAY 2: **Amboseli National Park** | At the Foot of Kilimanjaro Today, drive to Amboseli National Park at the base of soaring, snowcapped Mount Kilimanjaro, which, at 19,341 feet, is the highest freestanding mountain in the world. Set out in search of the region's spectacular wildlife. Amboseli's huge draw is elephant. Watch as big herds roam the dusty plains, including "tuskers," large, older bulls who have grown



impressive tusks. This evening, gather with fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Tawi Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Amboseli National Park** | A Full Day in the Bush Explore wildlife-rich Amboseli National Park. In addition to watching elephant up close from a safari vehicle that seats just six, so that every guest enjoys a window seat, view other game such as giraffe, Cape buffalo, zebra, wildebeest, hippo, hyena and, occasionally, lion. After savoring a morning on safari, break for lunch. This afternoon, head out again for another game drive that reveals even more of East Africa's natural wonders. Tawi Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Tarangire National Park, Tanzania** | Game Viewing After crossing the border into Tanzania, stop for lunch in Arusha. Then, board a flight to Tarangire National Park and settle into your luxurious accommodations. Set in a secluded area of the park for a more exclusive safari experience, ecofriendly Sanctuary Swala's large tents are built on raised decks under umbrella acacia trees overlooking a popular watering hole. The layout is open, with resident impala often grazing in camp. Wide panoramas of wooded savanna stretch in every direction in, which is nurtured by the permanent Tarangire River and populated by abundant big game. Its dusty red landscape also hosts a large bird population. Tonight, dine in camp. Sanctuary Swala | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Tarangire National Park** | Into the Wild Embark on morning and afternoon game drives to explore Tarangire National Park and its stunning concentration of animals — herds of elephant, impala and zebra. Look, too, for python and the twitching tail of a leopard hiding in high branches. Activities available at an additional cost include a



walking safari and exploring Lake Gursi by canoe. Once back at Swala, partake in a Chef's Table experience, including a cooking demonstration of local dishes such as ugali, makande and kachumbari. Sanctuary Swala | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Ngorongoro Crater | Design Your Day

Learn how Tanzanians live today, exploring a local village, as you Ride Like a Local by tuk-tuk, a major form of transport here. See rice fields and a banana plantation. In the village, walk the local market to see the colorful produce on display. Afterward, head to your restful luxury lodge, set near the Ngorongoro Conservation Area, for lunch. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Walk with a Maasai Healer, discovering the uses of over 20 different indigenous plants in the Ngorongoro forest.
- Bicycle Village Streets and Back Roads, getting a feel for life as locals live it.
- Enjoy a Traditional High Tea on the veranda overlooking the gardens at Gibb's Farm; meet the artist-in-residence.

Settle in for a tranquil evening and overnight stay. Gibb's Farm | Meals: B L D







DAY 7: Ngorongoro Crater | Wildlife-Rich Haven Descend into Ngorongoro Crater to explore the panoramic, game-rich prairies of this ancient volcanic caldera. With its crater walls nearly 2,000 feet high, Ngorongoro offers the safari experience of a lifetime. Observe profuse and diverse wildlife roaming freely in an authentic "Lost World," where it's possible to encounter every member of the Big Five in a single day. Enjoy lunch al fresco in this UNESCO World Heritage Site before returning to your lodge. Tonight, gather for dinner with your fellow guests. Gibb's Farm | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Serengeti National Park | On the Endless Plains Fly to Serengeti National Park, a vast Tanzanian landscape that during part of the year hosts one of earth's greatest wildlife spectacles: the annual Great Migration, when millions of herbivores trek across the Serengeti plains in search of water and fresh grass. Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Serengeti National Park** | Spectacular Serengeti Today's adventure may reveal giraffe, wildebeest, elephant and far more on morning and afternoon game drives. Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Serengeti National Park | Iconic Natural Wonders Immerse yourself once more in this incredible setting, with camera at the ready for flash encounters as you track cheetah, buffalo or lion on the vast, golden grasslands of the Serengeti. Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya | Crown Jewel Fly to the Masai Mara, the northern extension of the Serengeti. After settling into your accommodation on a private stretch of the Mara River, set out on an afternoon game drive. Follow the Mara River to see crocodile basking in the sun, hippo as they wallow in muddy water and monkeys sparking mischief overhead. You may also sight any of more than 400 species of birds. During your time in the Mara, enjoy the peace of mind that comes with staying at Sanctuary Olonana, one of the finest safari lodges in all of Africa. Tonight, join fellow guests for a Scenic Sundowner, followed by an elegant dinner. Sanctuary Olonana | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Day of Discovery Rise early if you wish for an optional hot air balloon ride, at an additional cost, floating peacefully above the game-dotted plains of the Mara. Explore the open savanna, woodlands and tree-fringed rivers of the Masai Mara on morning and afternoon game drives, where patience is rewarded with unique sightings such as a leopard retrieving a kill from an acacia or an elephant protecting its young from a lion. Amid the stunning scenery, watch as Maasai tribesmen traverse the plains or herd goats and cattle. Sanctuary Olonana | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Incredible Wildlife Continue roaming the Mara, keeping your eyes trained for elephant, zebra and lion as well as a variety of gazelle species. Connect with local residents when you visit a village and primary school supported by A&K Philanthropy. Learn firsthand how A&K Philanthropy's LifeStraw partnership is changing lives by providing locals access to safe, clean drinking water, on an inspiring A&K-exclusive experience. This evening, gather with your fellow guests for a farewell dinner and share the amazing experiences you had on safari. Sanctuary Olonana | Meals: B L D

DAY 14: Depart Nairobi

Fly back to Nairobi and enjoy the afternoon at leisure in a comfortable dayroom. In the evening, transfer to the airport for your departure flight or begin a Post-Tour Extension to Uganda. Hemingways Nairobi (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Olonana Superb luxury safari lodge with 14 spacious suites with king-size beds.



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Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti — Amazing lodge set deep within Serengeti National Park.



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Hemingways Nairobi

DATES & PRICING

Double upancy	Single Supplement
\$17,295	\$3,995
\$19,795	\$5,695
\$19,995	\$6,195
51	9,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$2,095

Arusha/Tarangire; Manyara/Serengeti/Tarime; Migori/Masai Mara/Nairobi

*Days 6-7 at Elewana The Manor at Ngorongoro at Ngorongoro Crater. **Days 8-10 at Lemala Kuria Hills Lodge at Serengeti National Park.

Journey Details

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🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover Africa's astounding diversity, including the iconic Big Five, in custom-made vehicles with an unobstructed view from every seat
- Experience incredible up-close encounters with East Africa's diverse wildlife thanks to the in-depth tracking skills of our handpicked safari guides
- Visit the Canines for Conservation training center for a special behind-the-scenes experience and to meet the talented dogs who sniff out illicit animal products
- Stay on the rim of the Ngorongoro Crater, a privileged location that affords you early access to the crater floor for a quieter, less-crowded safari experience
- Privately visit Olduvai Gorge, where the Leakey family discovered fossils linking man to his distant ancestors
- Visit a Maasai village to learn about the customs and traditions of these nomadic herders

DAY 1: Arrive Nairobi, Kenya

Arrive in Nairobi, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. A microcosm of the African continent, this capital city is your gateway to a dramatic procession of natural spectacles in Kenya and Tanzania, among the most thrilling destinations in the world. Nairobi Serena Hotel

DAY 2: Amboseli National Park | Game and Mountain Vistas Drive to Amboseli National Park, known for its thriving big-game population, especially elephant, more than 1,000 of which live in the park. From a distance, take in views of the highest mountain in Africa, the snowcapped Mount Kilimanjaro, with its impressive Uhuru Peak soaring to 19,341 feet. Arrive at your lodge set beneath acacia trees in



the shadow of Kilimanjaro. After lunch, explore the acacia woodland, freshwater swamps, scrub brush and open plains in search of wildlife. Part of the park is composed of a driedup lake bed, where mirages rise from the shimmering heat. This evening, share in a special welcome dinner with your fellow guests. Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Amboseli National Park** | Mountainside Sightings Set out on early morning and afternoon game drives, crisscrossing the landscape in search of the park's large herds of elephant, as well as zebra and wildebeest, along the salt pan trails. Prepare for predator sightings as opportunistic animals begin roaming the plains in search of prey. Return to your lodge for dinner followed by a relaxing evening under African skies.

Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Arusha, Tanzania** | Canines for Conservation Cross the border into Tanzania and continue to your hotel on the picturesque slopes of Mount Meru. This afternoon, stop at the kennels of the Canines for Conservation training center for a special behind-the-scenes visit with the K-9 cadets trained to detect illicit wildlife products in cargo and luggage. Return to your hotel, enjoying a refreshing Scenic Sundowner on the edge of Lake Duluti before gathering for dinner. Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Ngorongoro Crater | Spot the Tree-Climbing Lions Drive from Arusha to Lake Manyara National Park for a morning game drive, searching for nonchalant baboon, dik-dik that forage for food beneath acacia trees and large herds of buffalo, wildebeest and zebra, which gather on the grassy, sun-drenched plains. Along a narrow belt of



acacia woodland, you may even spot the region's storied tree-climbing lion, ascending branches for a cool breeze. After lunch, continue to a local village, where you Ride Like a Local on a tuk-tuk, viewing rice fields and the local community as you go. Then, travel to Ngorongoro Crater, ascending its outer wall through dense vegetation. Ngorongoro is the largest unbroken ancient caldera in the world and a likely place to view lion, elephant, hyena and gazelle. This afternoon, participate in a Chef's Table demonstration in the hotel kitchen, preparing and sampling local dishes. Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D DAY 6: **Ngorongoro Crater** | Explore a Natural Wildlife Haven This morning, descend into the crater, arriving ahead of most visitors — thanks to the ideal location of your accommodations on the crater's rim — to view the resident wildlife at its most active time of day. The prairies of this "Lost World" are great spots for watching buffalo and elephant as well as the countless other species that roam the crater's 100-square-mile floor. You may even sight flamingo (when in season) or the rare black rhino. Following lunch, visit a Maasai village to gain a better understanding of the nomadic cattle-herders' daily life and culture. Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D





DAY 7: Serengeti National Park | In Ancient Footsteps Drive to vast, wildlife-rich Serengeti National Park and through its spectacular mix of savanna grassland and volcanic hills, stopping en route for a privately guided tour of Olduvai Gorge, one of the key sources of prehuman hominid fossils. Renowned paleontologists Mary and Louis Leakey made many notable finds here, including "Nutcracker Man," who lived approximately 1.75 million years ago. Visit the on-site museum, take in views from the lookout point and examine the excavations, which revealed 3.7-million-yearold footprints and the 1.8-million-year-old skull of a human. Continue to your lodge, which is framed by commanding views of this land of lion, leopard, hyena, cheetah, giraffe and topi. The park also serves as a setting for the Great Migration when it passes through each year. Enjoy your room's blend of elegant and contemporary design with influences from the traditional Maasai culture. Meliá Serengeti Lodge | Meals: B L D

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are passionate about their jobs."

– Alicia; Greenwich, CT, March 2022

DAY 8: Serengeti National Park | Iconic Safari Quarry Today, revel in true safari country, searching for iconic species, such as lion, leopard, Cape buffalo and elephant, as well as giraffe, gazelle and zebra. Along the rivers and rocky outcroppings, you may also spot some of the Serengeti's more diminutive denizens, such as leopard tortoise and rhinoceros beetle. Meliá Serengeti Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya** | Into the Wild Fly to the vast Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya's finest wildlife spectacle, offering excellent game viewing yearround. The unending landscape hosts some 450 bird species, 95 animal species and all of the great predators, including the country's largest lion population. After familiarizing yourself with your classic tented accommodations, ideally situated at the confluence of the Mara's four game-viewing regions, drive through the famed reserve. **Mara Intrepids** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 10: **Masai Mara Game Reserve** | Endless Discovery Explore a region bestowed with over 500 square miles of savannas, woodlands and tree-fringed rivers on morning and afternoon game drives. You may observe crocodile basking in the sun, see ever-alert hippo wallowing in muddy water and catch the antics of mischievous monkeys overhead. Watch, too, as African elephant rumble along the forest edge and giraffe snatch leaves from branches high above. **Mara Intrepids** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 11: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Design Your Day Venture forth on a morning game drive. After lunch, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

Set Out on a Guided Bird Walk for the opportunity to spot some of the nearly 500 species of birds in the region.



- Create Your Own Jewelry with the Maasai, using beads provided by the tribal members who made them.
- ► Throw the Rungu with Maasai Warriors, testing your skills with their traditional wooden hunting club.

Then, go on a late-afternoon game drive for a final look at the Mara's treasures. Later, enjoy a Scenic Sundowner, sipping traditional cocktails while marveling at the incredible open plains just before dusk — a relaxing prelude to a memorable farewell dinner with your fellow guests. Mara Intrepids | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Depart Nairobi

Return to Nairobi. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure in a reserved dayroom before your international departure flight home. Nairobi Serena Hotel (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Mara Intrepids Classic safari tents in the heart of fine year-round game viewing.



Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge Luxury lodge set on the crater's rim for superb views and easy access.



Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa Nairobi Serena Hotel Boutique hotel set on the slopes of Mount Meru, beside Lake Duluti.



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DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
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May 14-25	\$10,995	\$1,495
Jun 11-22, Jun 25-Jul 6, Jul 2-13, Jul 9-20, Jul 12-23, Jul 16-27, Jul 23-Aug 3, Jul 26-Aug 6, Jul 30-Aug 10, Aug 6-17, Aug 9-20, Aug 13-24, Aug 20-31, Aug 23-Sep 3, Aug 27-Sep 7, Sep 3-14, Sep 6-17, Sep 10-21, Sep 17-28, Oct 1-12, Oct 8-19	\$13,595	\$2,995
Nov 5-16, Dec 3-14	\$11,995	\$2,695
Dec 23–Jan 3, 2025	\$14,595	\$3,295

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,395 Serengeti/Tarime; Migori/Masai Mara/Nairobi

Journey Details

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Venture to the sun-soaked plains of East Africa on an extraordinary 10-day journey, enjoying thrilling game drives and six exhilarating nights in the heart of Great Migration country and camping in luxury beneath the stars among the legendary Big Five and herds of other fascinating animals.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience Hemingway-style adventure with a modern flair, including stays in luxurious, updated camps that boldly reimagine the classic tented safari
- Venture into the heart of Great Migration country, spending three nights in the Serengeti and three nights in the Masai Mara
- Search for game on foot or horseback, or observe an antipoaching operation in far-northerly Laikipia Plateau on an A&K Design Your Day experience
- Set out on game drives in custom-made vehicles with an unobstructed view from every seat to behold Africa's astoundingly diverse wildlife, including the iconic Big Five
- Explore alongside handpicked safari guides whose in-depth tracking expertise leads to amazing wildlife encounters
- Discover modern and traditional aspects of daily local life, with visits to a Maasai village
- Visit a school in the Masai Mara to see how a LifeStraw Water Filter, donated through Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy, provides safe drinking water for 100 children, and learn how this journey supports a similar donation

DAY 1: Arrive Nairobi, Kenya

Arrive in Nairobi and transfer to your luxurious hotel. Overlooking the rolling landscape and pastoral beauty of Ngong Hills, Hemingways Nairobi evokes the romance of a vintage East African safari. Hemingways Nairobi



DAY 2: Laikipia Plateau | Grassy Plains & Breathtaking Valleys Fly to Loisaba Conservancy, set on the Laikipia Plateau, an area larger than many of Kenya's principal national parks. To the south, the grassy plains of the plateau break into valleys, cliffs and escarpments that frame stunning views up to snowy Mount Kenya. Enjoy lunch at the camp, followed by an afternoon game drive capped off with a Scenic Sundowner. Elewana Loisaba Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

Loisaba Conservancy is one of Kenya's elephant movement corridors, linking Laikipia to Samburu, so the great animals can range easily between vital habitats. It is also home to the endangered Grevy's zebra, the reticulated giraffe, the beautiful greater kudu and the rare African wild dog.

DAY 3: Laikipia Plateau | Design Your Day

On an early morning game drive, immerse yourself in Loisaba Conservancy, a haven for more than 250 species of birds and 50 species of wildlife. In addition to elephant, buffalo and Grevy's zebra, be on the lookout for the big cats, and even rare wild dog. After your bush breakfast, Ride Like a Local on a camel — a traditional form of transport in the region. Later, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

► Take a Walking Safari with a Samburu Guide to view and learn about the stunning diversity of Loisaba up close.


- Ride by Horse, drawing gently near plains and forest animals such as zebra, giraffe and even elephant.
- Visit an Anti-Poaching Dog Unit to discover their daily routine and watch an anti-poaching demonstration.

Return to your camp for lunch and an afternoon at leisure. Later, enjoy dinner in camp on a relaxing evening under the stars. Elewana Loisaba Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Where Lions Roam Fly to the Masai Mara Game Reserve, set in the Masai Mara's vast plain teeming with animals, to discover the greatest concentration of species in the country. The action never seems to stop, and the chain of command begins with the Mara's lion population, the largest in Kenya. After settling in, embark on a thrilling game drive followed by a Scenic Sundowner. Olare Mara Kempinski Masai Mara | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Into the Bush Over the next two exciting days at your camp, drive across the sprawling savanna in search of abundant game in one of Kenya's most spectacular game reserves. Running along the Tanzanian border, the Mara forms an essential part of the Serengeti ecosystem. Each year, more than a million



Toast the ample game-viewing found in the Serengeti with a relaxing Scenic Sundowne





wildebeest, zebra and gazelle march north to graze on the Mara's lush grasses as part of the Great Migration's annual cycle. Follow the Mara River to see crocodile basking in the sun, hippo wallowing in muddy water or monkey swinging madly overhead. Olare Mara Kempinski Masai Mara | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Unmatched Wildlife This morning, in place of a game drive, enjoy an optional hot air balloon ride (at an additional cost). Then, visit a school on the edge of the Masai Mara for an A&K-exclusive experience, viewing a recently installed LifeStraw Water filter that purifies drinking water for students and teachers — a project supported by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy and funded by each departure of this journey. Then, visit a nearby Maasai village for firsthand insight into their unique way of life. Olare Mara Kempinski Masai Mara | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Serengeti National Park, Tanzania | Vast Vistas This morning, fly south to Tanzania's Serengeti National Park. Covering 10,000 square miles, the Serengeti is Tanzania's most famous national park, home to dozens of species including antelope, hyena, leopard, giraffe, lion, buffalo and cheetah. After arriving at your camp, take part in a late afternoon game drive (time permitting) before sitting down to a delicious dinner. Nimali Mara | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Serengeti National Park | Spectacular Serengeti Explore the Serengeti for two days, enjoying morning and afternoon game viewing in this vast, sun-drenched region. Rivers flow through the park, providing habitats for a variety of birds, mammals and reptiles, while antelope can be seen feeding on the plains. Nimali Mara | Meals: B L D DAY 9: **Serengeti National Park** | Seeking the Big Five Search for Africa's iconic Big Five (lion, leopard, elephant, rhino and Cape buffalo) as well as the lesser-known but fascinating Little Five (ant lion, leopard tortoise, elephant shrew, rhinoceros beetle and buffalo weaver), which may be hiding behind a stone or resting on an acacia branch. Return to your lodge under a golden sunset. Nimali Mara | Meals: B L D

Witness the incomparable phenomenon of the Great Migration, when innumerable wildebeest and zebra herds course through the plains in search of fresh grass and water while hungry predators await them throughout their journey.

DAY 10: Depart Arusha

Bid farewell to the Serengeti today and fly to Arusha. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel, where a comfortable dayroom awaits. Enjoy the amenities of your cozy lodge, which shares the grounds of a working coffee farm. Savor an A&Kexclusive Chef's Table experience, sitting down to a Swahiliinspired lunch on the beautiful shores of Lake Duluti. This evening, transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport for your departing flight. Lake Duluti Lodge (dayroom) | Meals: B L

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ADD A PRIVATE EXTENSION



Experience Exotic Zanzibar

Discover the fabled spice island of Zanzibar on an 4-day private itinerary (from \$3,295) that reveals local history and culture. Visit a spice farm, explore a wildlife reserve, cruise on a dhow (sailboat) at sunset and walk UNESCO-listed Stone Town, where your luxurious hotel is located.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Nimali Mara

Ten tented suites set in a remote part of Serengeti National Park.



Olare Mara Kempinski Masai Mara Elewana Loisaba Tented Camp Twelve deluxe tents set in a private conservancy bordering the Masai Mara.



Safari camp featuring 12 luxury tents perched atop a scenic escarpment.



Lake Duluti Lodge Boutique lodge offering 19 thatched villas in the shadow of Mount Meru.



Hemingways Nairobi Luxurious hotel set between Nairobi National Park and the Ngong Hills.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 15-24, Feb 5-14, Mar 4-13	\$13,995	\$3,995
Jun 24-Jul 3,* Jul 8-17, Jul 22-31,* Jul 29-Aug 7,* Aug 5-14,* Aug 12-21,* Sep 2-11, Oct 7-16,* Dec 2-11*	\$16,995	\$5,595
Dec 24-Jan 2, 2025	\$17,495	\$5,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$2,260

Nairobi/Laikipia/Masai Mara/Migori; Tarime/Serengeti/Arusha *Days 2–3 at Elewana Loisaba Lodo Springs in Laikipia Plateau.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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LUXURY FAMILY JOURNEYS

Family Kenya & Tanzania Safari

12 days from \$12,795 | Limited to 24 guests

On this family-friendly adventure in East Africa, witness abundant wildlife – from baby elephants to the big cats – roaming vast, sun-drenched panoramas; and stay in comfortable, spacious lodges in the region's greatest parks and reserves.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover Africa's astounding animal life in custom-made vehicles featuring an unobstructed view from every seat
- Experience incredible up-close encounters with East Africa's diverse wildlife thanks to the in-depth tracking skills of our handpicked safari guides
- Travel with an A&K Child Activity Coordinator, who joins you from start to finish to arrange fun activities for younger guests
- Stay on the rim of the Ngorongoro Crater, a privileged location that affords you early access to the crater floor for a quieter, less-crowded safari experience
- Come together for a Family Foodie Experience and the chance to cook some authentic African dishes alongside a local chef
- Enjoy two special cultural experiences, visiting an elder at a Maasai village and listening to Nairobi folk tales

DAY 1: Arrive Nairobi, Kenya

Arrive in Nairobi and transfer to your hotel, where your Child Activity Coordinator may greet you with "jambo" (hello). Nairobi Serena Hotel

DAY 2: **Nairobi** | Magical Meetings With Giraffe & Elephant Visit the Giraffe Center to hand-feed Rothschild's giraffe. Next, at Sheldrick Wildlife Trust, watch young elephant at play with the keepers who help reintroduce them into the wild. Proceed to Oloolua Forest for an A&K-exclusive folklore experience, listening to a storyteller weave folktales handed down for generations. Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner. Nairobi Serena Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Amboseli National Park | On the Prowl Depart for Amboseli National Park, famous for its big game



and views of snow-capped Mount Kilimanjaro. After lunch at your lodge and perhaps a lesson in spear throwing with your Child Activity Coordinator, set out on a game drive in search of elephant, zebra and wildebeest. Ol Tukai Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Amboseli National Park | Into the Midst of Wildlife Discover more of this spectacular wildlife haven on morning and afternoon game drives through acacia woodlands, lush marshes and open plains. OI Tukai Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Ngorongoro Crater, Tanzania** | The "Lost World" Drive from Kenya into Tanzania, stopping in Arusha for lunch. Then, fly to Manyara and transfer to your lodge, perched on the rim of Ngorongoro Crater. A UNESCO World Heritage Site formed by the collapse of a volcano, Ngorongoro Crater is home to an incredible concentration of wildlife. Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Ngorongoro Crater | Ideal Early Access This morning, descend into the crater, arriving ahead of most visitors — thanks to the ideal location of your accommodations on the crater's rim — to view the resident wildlife at its most active time of day. Later, visit a Maasai village, where you meet with the village elder and learn how to make the tribal community's unique beaded jewelry. Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Serengeti National Park | Cradle of Humankind Depart for Serengeti National Park. Stop for a privately guided visit to Olduvai Gorge, an archaeological site housing some of the earliest fossilized human bones. Arrive at your lodge and, time permitting, Ride Like a Local on a rousing game drive. Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D



Meet the young residents of the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust up close

DAY 8: **Serengeti National Park** | The Big Five Venture forth on morning and afternoon game drives in search of Africa's Big Five: leopard, buffalo, elephant, rhino and lion. **Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge** | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya** | Rift Valley Transfer by air and overland to Kenya's Masai Mara Game Reserve. Check in to your luxury camp near the Mara River. Later, set out on a game drive. **Mara Intrepids** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 10: **Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya** | Family Fun Explore this magnificent savanna country on morning and afternoon game drives. Back at camp, join your Child Activity Coordinator on a bush treasure hunt, and then set out on a family foodie experience led by a chef. Later, you may opt to visit with students at a nearby primary school (when in session). **Mara Intrepids** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 11: Masai Mara Game Reserve, Kenya | On Safari Enjoy another full day of explorations and perhaps witness the daily life of members of the colorful Maasai tribe. Later, enjoy a refreshing, family-friendly sundowner experience. Tonight, savor a farewell dinner. Mara Intrepids | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Depart Nairobi

Fly to Nairobi and enjoy a reserved dayroom. Transfer to the airport and depart. Nairobi Serena Hotel (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Award-winning camp ideal for families, featuring modern tents in the Masai Mara Game Reserve and at the confluence of four game-viewing regions.



Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge Stylish, world-class lodge offering commanding Serengeti views.



Ol Tukai Lodge Stylish and comfortable guest rooms with wetland or Kilimanjaro views.

Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge Luxury lodge set on the crater's rim for superb views and easy access.



Nairobi Serena Hotel An oasis of serenity amid the hustle and bustle of Nairobi.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jun 21–Jul 2, Jun 28–Jul 9, Jul 5–16, Jul 19–30, Aug 2–13	\$12,795	\$2,695
Children 17 and under*	\$12,295	
Dec 17-28, Dec 22-Jan 2, 2025 Children 17 and under*	\$13,395 <i>\$12,895</i>	\$2,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,470 Arusha/Manyara; Serengeti/Tarime; Migori/Masai Mara/Nairobi

*Pricing applies to children 17 and under sharing with an adult.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 5 years. Suggested age is 8+. Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Kenya Safari in Style

8 days from \$8,795 | Limited to 18 guests

On our flagship safari journey to Kenya, the birthplace of A&K set out on a week-long adventure, viewing spectacularly diverse wildlife, including the fabled Big Five, on a premier private concession on the Laikipia Plateau and in the Masai Mara Game Reserve.

🖌 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience Hemingway-style adventure with a modern flair that boldly reimagines the classic safari
- Discover diverse wildlife beside handpicked safari guides whose in-depth tracking skills lead to exceptional wildlife encounters
- Marvel at Kenya's untamed wonders from custom-made vehicles with an unobstructed view from every seat
- Stay on a private conservancy on the Laikipia Plateau, where the abundant wildlife includes the Big Five as well as cheetah, jackal, hippo, hyena and over 130 black rhino
- Visit a school in the Masai Mara to see how a LifeStraw Water Filter, donated through Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy, provides safe drinking water for 100 children, and learn how this journey supports a similar donation.
- Finish with a three-night private stay for just your group at the new A&K Exclusive Tented Camp in the Masai Mara featuring newly designed eco-friendly tents, each attended to by a personal butler

DAY 1: Arrive Nairobi, Kenya

Arrive in Nairobi, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Fairmont The Norfolk

DAY 2: Ol Pejeta Conservancy | Intimate Luxury Camp Begin your luxury safari adventure with a drive from Nairobi to Nanyuki, crossing the equator as you go. Continue to the Ol Pejeta Conservancy, a private reserve encompassing 90,000 acres of unspoiled African landscape where the Big Five roam, and arrive at your stunning tented camp in time for lunch. Nestled among fever trees in the shadow of Mount Kenya, Sanctuary Tambarare in Laikipia looks out across a grassy plateau. Your tent is large and airy, with a private



veranda and an en-suite bathroom that features a walk-in shower. Sanctuary Tambarare | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Ol Pejeta Conservancy** | Into the Bush Set out on a morning game drive highlighted by an up-close visit with the world's last northern white rhino in their heavily guarded enclosure. Afterward, take a late afternoon game drive in this biodiverse home to black rhino, Grévy's zebra and reticulated giraffe. **Sanctuary Tambarare** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 4: **Ol Pejeta Conservancy** | Design Your Day This morning, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Take a Guided Bush Walk accompanied by a ranger, getting up close to life in the African bush.
- Interact with the Dogs of an Anti-Poaching Unit and test their skills, as you hide and let them sniff you out.
- Meet the Neighbors Community Interaction and see firsthand the work the conservancy undertakes.

Later this afternoon, head out on a game drive, followed by dinner in camp. Sanctuary Tambarare | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Wildlife Abounding Fly to the Masai Mara Game Reserve and your private tented camp, set in a secluded location in the heart of the wilderness. This afternoon, set out on a game drive that introduces you to the Masai Mara. The action never seems to stop, and the chain of command begins with the Mara's lion population, the largest in the country. The delicate ecosystem of the Mara is the focus of a major conservation effort to preserve one of Africa's last true game strongholds. During your time in the Masai Mara, enjoy the peace of mind that



Visit the world's last northern white rhino in Kenya

comes with staying at luxurious, all-new A&K Exclusive Mara Camp. This afternoon, Ride Like a Local on your first Mara game drive. A&K Exclusive Mara Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Endless Discovery On morning and afternoon game drives, observe crocodile basking in the sun, hippo wallowing in muddy water, elephant rustling along the forest edge and graceful giraffe snatchings leaves from high branches. Between drives, return to camp for a Chef's Table experience featuring a cooking demonstration and tasting of local dishes before lunch. A&K Exclusive Mara Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Masai Mara Game Reserve | Exclusive School Visit Set out on morning and afternoon game drives, with the option to visit a Maasai village. & On an A&K-exclusive experience, stop at a local school on the edge of the Mara to see a LifeStraw Water Filter that purifies water for teachers and students — like the ones funded by each departure of this journey — a project supported by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy. Enjoy a refreshing Scenic Sundowner before your farewell dinner. A&K Exclusive Mara Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Depart Nairobi

Fly to Nairobi, where you relax in a reserved dayroom before transferring to the airport for your departing flight. Ole-Sereni Hotel (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



A&K Exclusive Tented Camp, Masai Mara All-new classic safari tented camp with modern touches that make your stay both authentic and comfortable, for the private use of your A&K group.



Sanctuary Tambarare Luxury tented camp with 12 secluded suites on the Laikipia Plateau, overlooking the wildlife-rich Ol Pejeta Conservancy.





Fairmont The Norfolk Legendary luxury hotel located in the heart of downtown Nairobi.

Ole-Sereni Hotel Luxury hotel with national park views, near the international airport.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 16-23, Mar 8-15, Jun 21-28, Jul 5-12, Jul 19-26, Aug 9-16, Aug 16-23, Sep 6-13, Sep 20-27, Oct 18-25	, \$8,795	\$1,995
Dec 22-29	\$8,995	\$2,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$795 Nanyuki/Masai Mara/Nairobi

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests. Departures with less than 4 guests will be accommodated at andBeyond Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp on Days 5-7 in the Masai Mara.

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Tanzania Safari in Style

8 days from \$9,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience classic tented luxury on this spectacular safari adventure through the heart of Tanzania, exploring the country's most game-rich parks and reserves on an itinerary designed for phenomenal wildlife viewing.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover diverse wildlife across Tanzania's northern circuit in places synonymous with unforgettable game sightings, including Tarangire National Park, Ngorongoro Crater and Serengeti National Park
- Watch iconic species roaming free, including prides of lions and herds of elephant, giraffe and gazelle, from custommade vehicles with an unobstructed view from every seat
- Experience incredible, up-close encounters with Tanzania's diverse wildlife thanks to the in-depth tracking skills of our handpicked safari guides
- Stay on the rim of the Ngorongoro Crater, a privileged location that affords you early access to the crater floor for a quieter, less-crowded safari experience
- Visit a Maasai village to learn about the tribe's customs and daily life, and ride by tuk-tuk on a visit to the local market

DAY 1: Arrive Arusha, Tanzania

Arrive in Arusha and transfer to your lodge, set on a coffee plantation. Your private chalet near Mount Meru features a log fireplace and a balcony. **Elewana Arusha Coffee Lodge**

DAY 2: Tarangire National Park | Design Your Day This morning, begin your safari adventure by enjoying one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Visit Ilboru Primary School, a project supported by A&K Philanthropy, to meet students facing special challenges.
- Explore Arusha on a Walking Tour, meeting resident entrepreneurs on an active introduction to local culture.
- Tour the Shanga Workshop with a private guide to learn about the handmade jewelry and homeware created there.

Return to your lodge for lunch, and then fly to Tarangire National Park, where open grasslands, acacia trees and the



Tarangire River paint the wild landscape. This afternoon, set out on a game drive. Tonight, gather with fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Sanctuary Swala | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Tarangire National Park** | A Lesson in Local Cuisine Today, enjoy morning and afternoon game drives in search of eland, oryx, wildebeest and zebra as well as the park's large elephant population. Your local expert driver-guide draws on years of experience in the bush to locate the best wildlife viewing opportunities right as they happen. After lunch, you may wish to take advantage of activities available at an additional cost, such as a walking safari and exploring Lake Gursi by canoe. Later, this afternoon, learn how to prepare local dishes like ugali and kachumbari as part of an A&K Chef's Table experience. Sanctuary Swala | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Ngorongoro Crater | Amphitheater of Animals As you cross the Great Rift Valley, stop for a market visit in Mto wa Mbu, where stalls brim with vibrant local produce. Then, see the village from a different perspective as you Ride Like a Local on a tuk-tuk, viewing the local community and rice fields as you go. Next, take a scenic drive to tranquil Gibb's Farm, where you stop for a lunch made with organic, just-picked ingredients. Later, arrive at the natural amphitheater of Ngorongoro Crater, a 2,000-footdeep caldera. A fascinating microcosm of East African wildlife — including buffalo, flamingo, lion and leopard resides inside. Climb the outer wall, passing through dense vegetation until a breathtaking view across the crater floor appears. Arrive at your camp, nestled in a wooded area with easy access to the crater floor and featuring elegant, tented accommodations adorned with handwoven rugs,





comfortable beds with crisp linens and en-suite bathrooms with flush toilets. Relax on your veranda to view the panoramic natural wonderland. Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Ngorongoro Crater | Natural Wildlife Haven This morning, descend into the crater, arriving ahead of most visitors — thanks to the closer proximity of your ideally located accommodations — to view the resident wildlife at its most active time of day. This afternoon, visit with an

elder at a Maasai village, where you learn about the tribe's traditional, nomadic lifestyle and coexistence with wildlife. Later, witness a dance performance at your tented camp. Sense the incomparable spirit of this pastoral, nomadic people who have kept their tribal traditions alive through countless generations of life in East Africa. Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Serengeti National Park | Searching the Vast Plains Fly to the fabled Serengeti National Park and settle into your remote, authentic camp. Then, set out on the boundless



Camping in Style in Tanzania

Camping in unmatched style is as much a part of your safari as expert-led game drives and thirst-quenching sundowners, and A&K has been refining the safari camp experience for more than 50 years.

On Tanzania Safari in Style, we include stylish, classically tented safari camps at Ngorongoro Crater and in the Serengeti. Ideally located, these superb camps offer unexpected comforts in the heart of the bush. Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp and Sanctuary Kichakani Serengeti Camp blend contemporary sophistication with pioneer spirit, and each has 10 guest tents and large, tented communal areas for the bar, dining room and lounge.

A scenic campfire with chairs is prepared each evening for sundowners. Night in camp is relaxed and enchanting. Sit beside the campfire and savor the sounds of the African night or enjoy spectacular stargazing before retiring to your tent to sleep.

Your Safari Camp Includes:

Chair	Table Luggage Rack	Chait Sink & Mirror Area
VERANDA Table	Bed	EN-SUITE BATHROOM

Tents: Spacious tents up to 28 feet long by 14 feet wide and 9 feet high, each featuring an open-sided veranda furnished with tables and camp chairs; and wooden decking/flooring throughout. Amenities include a hanging wardrobe, baggage stand, two bedside tables, electric lighting and safe

Beds: Specially designed king bed or two single beds (as requested), fitted with crisp sheets, duvets, warm blankets (even electric blankets, at Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp) and hot water bottles

Bathrooms: En-suite private safari bathroom in each tent, featuring a porcelain flush toilet and running water

Laundry: Traveller's Valet service included at camps, helping you pack light

Staff: Approximately 1:1 staff-to-guest ratio, for exceptional service









Serengeti, one of the oldest and least-changed ecosystems on earth, where the circle of life plays out every day. It is home to one of the world's largest concentrations of wildlife, with lion, hyena and leopard all roaming free. For a portion of each year, dictated by weather patterns and the unpredictable nature of wild animals, vast herds of wildebeest and zebra move through the Serengeti in search of grass and water as part of the year-round Great Migration cycle. This evening, sip a cocktail and reflect on the majesty of Africa during a relaxing Scenic Sundowner experience. Sanctuary Kichakani Serengeti Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Serengeti National Park | Intimate Bush Lunch Venture out on a morning game drive in the protected Serengeti refuge, where flowing rivers support a plethora of species. In addition to lion, elephant, Cape buffalo and leopard, keep your camera handy for sights such as a cheetah bolting after a fleet-footed Thomson's gazelle. Take a break for a private lunch in the bush — an A&K luxury safari specialty - savoring fine food and drink as a symphony of wildlife sounds envelops you. On this afternoon's game drive, once again enjoy ideal game viewing as your highly experienced driver-guide strives continually to keep you in the heart of the action. Tonight, gather for a memorable farewell dinner. Sanctuary Kichakani Serengeti Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Depart Arusha

Fly to Arusha and enjoy lunch. Relax in a comfortable dayroom before transferring to the airport for your flight home. Elewana Arusha Coffee Lodge (dayroom) | Meals: B L

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Private Tanzania is available as a ready-to-book journey, priced from \$10,795. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.

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Explore the Spectacular Masai Mara

Discover the game-rich Masai Mara Game Reserve in Kenya on an 4-day private itinerary (from \$4,295), staying at a classically tented safari camp, observing diverse wildlife.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Swala

Twelve exquisitely furnished, luxurious canvas pavilions, complete with a tent attendant, for an elegant safari experience.



Sanctuary Kichakani Serengeti Camp All-under-canvas camp featuring 10 tents with personal butlers.





Sanctuary Ngorongoro Crater Camp Elewana Arusha Coffee Lodge Ten tents with personal butler for the Set on a coffee plantation, featuring crater's ultimate safari experience.

quiet cabins with private verandas.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 23-30, Feb 13-20, Mar 19-26	\$9,495	\$1,495
Jun 4-11, Jun 18-25, Jul 2-9,* Jul 9-16, Jul 16-23, Jul 23-30, Jul 30-Aug 6,* Aug 13-20, Aug 20-27, Aug 27-Sep 3, Sep 4-11, Sep 17-24, Oct 8-15, Oct 15-22	\$10,495	\$2,795
Dec 19-26	\$11,295	\$2,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,040 Arusha/Tarangire; Manyara/Serengeti/Arusha

*Days 1 & 8 at Gran Meliá Arusha

Journey Details

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Southern Africa

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Experience the best of Southern Africa on this epic adventure: mighty Victoria Falls, the gamerich Okavango Delta and the towering dunes of

Sossusvlei as well as inspiring, cosmopolitan Cape Town – all on one incredible itinerary made possible by the time-saving convenience of privately chartered air.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Fly in style between destinations on exclusively chartered flights
- Relax in luxurious accommodations during stays in four countries, from your tented suite on the banks of the Zambezi River and your private bush pavilion in the heart of the Okavango Delta on Chief's Island to your elegant private villa in the vast desert of Sossusvlei and your chic Cape Town hotel with Table Mountain views
- Catch some of the region's finest game viewing in the Okavango Delta's Moremi Game Reserve, the predator capital of Africa
- Explore spectacular Sossusvlei, where the terra cotta colored sand dunes rise 1,000 feet or more
- Customize your travel experience in Cape Town with a choice of three Design Your Day activities
- Lift off for a sunrise hot air balloon ride over the Sossusvlei region, soaring with the wind over the oceans of sand and mountains, and their endless vistas of shadow and light

DAY 1: Arrive Johannesburg, South Africa

Arrive in Johannesburg and transfer to your exclusive hotel. Settle in and relax before your exciting Southern Africa adventure. Saxon Hotel, Villas and Spa

DAY 2: Livingstone, Zambia | The Mighty Zambezi Fly by privately chartered air to Livingstone in Zambia. Continue to Thorntree River Lodge, where you stay in a tented suite with unobstructed views of the Zambezi River. At twilight, cruise the river on a memorable Scenic Sundowner. Gather this evening for a welcome dinner. Thorntree River Lodge | Meals: B L D



DAY 3: Livingstone | Feel the Mist of Victoria Falls Begin by exploring spectacular Victoria Falls from the Zambian side on a guided walk. Afterward, peruse a local craft market, and then enjoy a Chef's Table experience that introduces you to the local cuisine with a tasting of traditional Zambian fare, followed by lunch. Next, gain insight into local daily life with a visit to a school and clinic supported by A&K Philanthropy in Nakatindi Village. While in Nakatindi, meet with local female entrepreneurs at a bike shop and visit a bead-making studio that creates beads out of recycled materials, both projects also supported by A&K Philanthropy. Return to camp for a cocktail before dinner. Thorntree River Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Okavango Delta, Botswana** | The Big Five Fly by private charter to Maun, Botswana, transferring on arrival by light aircraft to the Okavango Delta, and continuing overland to Sanctuary Chief's Camp. The camp is situated in the Mombo Concession of the Moremi Game Reserve, nicknamed the "predator capital of the world" and one of the best places in Botswana to see the Big Five — lion, leopard, rhino, elephant and Cape buffalo. Settle into your luxurious camp, and then set out on an afternoon game drive. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Okavango Delta** | Moremi Game Reserve Rise early for a game drive through countryside where elephant, buffalo and impala, as well as lion and other predators, roam free. Later, set out once again to marvel at the incredible wildlife. This evening, savor an A&K-exclusive experience that introduces you to Botswanan culture and traditions. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED

Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft

Learjet 45 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Johannesburg-Livingstone (1 hr 30 min) Livingstone-Maun (30 min) Maun-Chief's Camp (25 min) Chief's Camp-Maun (25 min) Maun-Windhoek (1 hr 15 min) Windhoek-Sossusvlei (1 hr 45 min) Sossusvlei-Windhoek (1 hr 45 min) Windhoek-Cape Town (2 hrs)



DAY 6: **Okavango Delta** | Another Thrilling Day on Safari Revel in another day of game drives in the bush. Optionally, if seasonal water levels allow, Ride Like a Local by mokoro, gliding through the tranquil delta waters, watching for frog, hippo and other wildlife. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Sossusvlei, Namibia** | Under the Desert Sky Return by light aircraft to Maun and board your private charter flight to Windhoek, Namibia. On arrival, transfer by light aircraft to Sossusvlei and continue to your luxurious desert lodge. Enjoy an afternoon at leisure. After dark, join the resident astronomer in the lodge's state-of-the-art observatory and marvel at the sky's wonders. andBeyond Sossusvlei Desert Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Sossusvlei** | Among the Towering Dunes Today, discover renowned Sossusvlei, a place of otherworldly beauty. The salt-and-clay pan is surrounded by towering dunes that, together with the sky, make up the palette of burnt oranges and vivid blues that are so distinctive to the region. After an opportunity to climb "Big Daddy" — the tallest of the dunes — return to your lodge for an afternoon at leisure. andBeyond Sossusvlei Desert Lodge | Meals: B L D



Get up close to endangered African penguin at their colony on Boulders Beach in Cape Town





The Stark Beauty of Sossusvlei, Namibia

Namibia's Sossusvlei is a salt-and-clay pan (or dried-up lake bed) found among the spectacular red-sand dunes of the Namib Desert, which stretches for 1,200 miles along southern Africa's Atlantic coast. This region's vistas of austere, almost otherworldly beauty are never on more vivid display than during the hot air balloon ride included during your three-night stay here.

The pale color of the pan, punctuated by gnarled black tree trunks, contrasts vividly with the Marslike red of the dunes surrounding it, prompting the feeling you've been magically transported to another planet. "Fairy circles" — naturally occurring, ringlike depressions in the earth that dot the landscape — only add to Sossusvlei's uncanny sense of place.

Nighttime offers its contrasts as well, with daytime desert temperatures cooling significantly after sunset. And since Sossusvlei is part of a dark-sky reserve, a marvelous display of astronomical wonders awaits anyone willing to brave the chill. Let a resident astronomer guide take you on a tour by telescope of the southern constellations.

Far off the beaten path, Sossusvlei is usually a standalone destination, yet A&K is able to include it as part of a broader portrait of Southern Africa, thanks to privately chartered air.



DAY 9: Sossusvlei | Hot Air Balloon Ride

Rise before dawn for a hot air balloon adventure, sailing on the wind over the endlessly fascinating terrain of the world's oldest desert, viewing it from an new perspective. Upon landing, enjoy breakfast in the desert. This afternoon, you may opt to venture out for a guided trail ride over the stark desert panorama on an e-bike, taking in the awe-inspiring terrain. and Beyond Sossusvlei Desert Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Cape Town, South Africa | Into the Mother City Fly by light aircraft to Windhoek, and then on to Cape Town via privately chartered air. Upon arrival, check in to your hotel and settle in. One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B

DAY 11: Cape Town | In Mandela's Footsteps

Visit Robben Island, where the anti-apartheid leader — and eventual South African president - Nelson Mandela was once imprisoned. Privately explore this UNESCO World Heritage Site and view a cell where Mandela was held. After lunch, ascend to Table Mountain's soaring plateau by cable car for gorgeous views. One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Cape Town | Design Your Day

Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Savor a Taste-Filled Winelands Adventure, visiting Stellenbosch and partaking in wine tastings at top vineyards, and a craft beer tasting.
- Hike & Bike the Table Mountain Area, ascending Lion's Head on foot, breaking for lunch on trendy Bree Street and biking along the Sea Point Promenade.
- Discover Cape Town's Thriving Art Scene, starting at the Zeitz Museum of Contemporary Art Africa, admiring the vividly colorful Bo-Kaap district, and later stopping at an urban art project for insights into the passion of local graffiti artists.

Return to your luxurious hotel for an evening at leisure. One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B L

DAY 13: Cape Town | Exploring Cape Point

Discover scenic, rugged Cape Point, the mountainous promontory at the southern tip of Africa. Venture past the "bikini beaches" at the base of the Twelve Apostles Mountains, Hout Bay with its bustling fishing harbor, and over Chapman's Peak Drive. Explore the Cape Peninsula and Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, home to rare species. Ascend by funicular to the pinnacle at Cape Point for some stunning views. At Boulders Beach, visit its colony of endangered African penguin. Tonight, gather for your farewell dinner. One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B L D

DAY 14: Depart Cape Town

After breakfast, privately transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

Make this a private journey, for just you and your party, or create your own completely customized Luxury Tailor Made Journey by private air. Contact A&K for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Chief's Camp Award-winning camp with 10 luxurious, air-conditioned bush pavilions, each with a private dining area and plunge pool, and outdoor shower.





Thorntree River Lodge Ten luxurious tented suites set on the banks of the Zambezi River.







One&Only Cape Town Travel + Leisure World's Best hotel on Travel + Leisure World's Best luxury the Victoria & Alfred Waterfront.

boutique hotel in a tranquil suburb.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Sep 14-27, Oct 5-18	\$52,995	\$12,995

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel Table Mountain and Robben Island touring may be unavailable due to weather conditions. In such an instance, alternative sightseeing will be provided.

Book Your Journey Today

Contact A&K or go online for up-to-date information on dates, pricing, extensions and special offers.

Botswana Safari in Style

10 days from \$10,495 | Limited to 16 guests

Cape Town 4-day Post-Tour Extension from \$3,595

On this flagship Southern African adventure, explore extraordinary game regions, view stunning Victoria Falls and stay in accommodations ranging from classic luxury tents to lavish tree houses available only to small groups like yours.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- View Southern Africa's unmatched wildlife in three ways: on game drives, guided bushwalks and scenic river safaris
- Discover the diverse wildlife of Botswana beside handpicked safari guides whose in-depth tracking skills lead to exceptional wildlife encounters
- Get tips on capturing the best images of the Big Five during a private lecture with a professional photographer
- Glide through the remarkably biodiverse Okavango Delta in a traditional dugout canoe
- Take a privately guided tour of thundering Victoria Falls, one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World, and float along the Zambezi River on a relaxing sunset cruise
- Stay two nights at luxurious Sanctuary Chief's Camp one of the region's finest – located in the Okavango Delta's Moremi Game Reserve

DAY 1: Arrive Johannesburg, South Africa

Arrive in Johannesburg, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, enjoy a gourmet welcome dinner prepared with locally sourced ingredients. A professional photographer joins you to offer tips for the days ahead. Saxon Hotel, Villas and Spa | Meals: D

DAY 2: Livingstone, Zambia | Sundowner River Cruise Fly to Livingstone, Zambia. On arrival, continue overland to Sanctuary Sussi & Chuma, where you stay in a luxury tree house built into the riverside canopy. At twilight, cruise the Zambezi River, sipping cocktails, gazing out across a verdant vista and gliding past pods of hippo, on a memorable Scenic Sundowner. Sanctuary Sussi & Chuma | Meals: B L D



DAY 3: Livingstone | Design Your Day This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Visit Nakatindi Village to see a bike shop, school and clinic supported by A&K Philanthropy.
- Walk Close to Rhinos, pausing on a game drive in Mosioa-Tunya National Park to draw near the giants on foot.
- Canoeing on the Zambezi River, enjoying sightings of birds and wildlife while experiencing the tranquility and beauty of the river.

Return to camp for lunch and the rest of your afternoon at leisure. Tonight, enjoy a cocktail and a Chef 's Table tasting of traditional Zambian fare, followed by dinner. Sanctuary Sussi & Chuma | Meals: B L D

"This luxe journey suited our adventure needs well. For me, that meant 10 days of eye-popping wildlife by day, bookended by posh, relaxing lodgings each night."

- Stephanie Vermillion; TravelAge West, January 2023

DAY 4: Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe | The Smoke That Thunders This morning, drive to Zimbabwe to join your private guide on an awe-inspiring exploration of Victoria Falls, which plummet 354 feet to cast up the mist that inspired their original name, Mosi-oa-Tunya (The Smoke That Thunders). Enjoy lunch in the town of Victoria Falls before continuing



to Chobe National Park in Botswana to settle into your lodge for unparalleled panoramic views across the islands and floodplains of the Chobe River. This afternoon, set out on a river cruise or game drive that includes the opportunity to see elephant — a staggering 120,000 live in the park — along with impala, buffalo and possibly lion. Return to the lodge to relax in the comforts of your luxury accommodations and enjoy a freshly prepared meal. Later, drift to sleep, serenaded by the sounds of Africa, beneath a blanket of stars.

Sanctuary Chobe Chilwero | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Chobe National Park, Botswana | Chobe River Safari Set out on a game drive at sunrise to catch the animals at the start of their day, when they are most active. You may even glimpse a leopard returning from the hunt. Later, embark on a Chobe River safari cruise and watch for crocodile and hippo, as well as elephant that come down to drink and play in the water. The park's beautiful wetlands also lure a wealth of birdlife to the region, and you may glimpse many of the 460 species that either live here or migrate through, including raptors, vulture and waterfowl. When you return to the lodge this evening, revel in the comforts of your





luxury accommodations, gather for dinner and share stories of your day. Sanctuary Chobe Chilwero | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Okavango Delta | Wonders of a Private Reserve Fly to a vast private concession in the Okavango Delta, the largest inland delta in the world. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure with a choice of activities, such as a Ride Like a Local by seasonal mokoro (dugout canoe) on the delta or a nighttime game-viewing drive, made possible on this private reserve. Sanctuary Stanley's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Okavango Delta | Safari by Vehicle or on Foot Continue exploring the delta on your choice of activities, such as a thrilling, guided game drive in a customized 4x4 vehicle or a bush walk in the company of an armed, expert guide, on the lookout for Africa's smaller denizens among the unique flora. Sanctuary Stanley's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Okavango Delta | Predator Capital

Fly across the Okavango Delta to your next amazing safari camp. Widely acknowledged as the "Predator Capital of the World," this area offers some of the most exciting game viewing in Africa and is one of the best places in Botswana to see the Big Five — lion, leopard, rhino, elephant and Cape buffalo — drawn here from surrounding regions by the lush delta. Predators include cheetah, spotted hyena and, at the very top of the food chain, large resident prides of lion. This afternoon, take advantage of game-viewing activities led by experienced guides or enjoy the vistas from your own private viewing deck. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Okavango Delta | Remarkable Game Drives Depart on another spectacular early morning game drive. Beyond predators, the Okavango Delta draws large concentrations of elephant, buffalo, red lechwe, giraffe and impala. Enjoy a seasonal mokoro ride for a rare safari opportunity across deceptively quiet marshlands alive with crocodile, bathing hippo, birds and tiny red reed frog. If you opt for an afternoon game drive, listen for roaring lion on the hunt or spy nocturnal animals as they start out for the night. After a full day of game viewing, return to your camp to relax and enjoy a farewell dinner.

Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Depart Johannesburg, South Africa

Fly to Johannesburg for your flight home. Relax in the Premier Lounge, compliments of A&K, before your departure. Meals: B

EARLY ARRIVAL IN JOHANNESBURG



Arrive in Johannesburg a day early for an optional full-day excursion through the city that includes a visit to Soweto, where you see the Mandela House and tour the Apartheid Museum to view exhibits that tell the epic story of a people's struggle for social justice.

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

Private Botswana is available as a ready-to-book journey, priced from \$10,795. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.



INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Chief's Camp Award-winning camp with 10 luxurious, air-conditioned bush pavilions, each with a private dining area, plunge pool and outdoor shower.





Sanctuary Sussi & Chuma Twelve romantic, air-conditioned tree houses set in a riverine forest.

Sanctuary Chobe Chilwero Fifteen incredibly luxurious guest suites and a full-service spa.



Sanctuary Stanley's Camp An intimate, classic camp with 10 tents on a large private concession. **Saxon Hotel, Villas and Spa** *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best all-suite hotel with six pools, set on 10 acres.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 7-16, Feb 9-18, Feb 23-Mar 3, Mar 6-15, Mar 13-22*	\$10,495	\$2,195
Apr 9-18, Apr 12-21,* Apr 22-May 1, May 1-10, May 7-16,* May 15-24, May 17-26,* May 22-31	\$12,295	\$4,295
May 31-Jun 9, Jun 5-14,* Jun 12-21, Jun 16-25, Jun 19-28,* Jun 24-Jul 3, Jul 3-12,* Jul 10-19, Jul 16-25, Jul 23-Aug 1, Jul 26-Aug 4,* Aug 2-11, Aug 9-18, Aug 14-23,* Aug 21-30, Aug 28-Sep 6,* Sep 2-11, Sep 6-15,* Sep 18-27	\$17,295	\$7,495
Sep 25-Oct 4*	\$13,795	\$4,295
Sep 29-Oct 8, Oct 8-17,* Oct 15-24	\$12,295	\$4,295
Nov 6-15, Dec 3-12	\$10,495	\$2,195

Internal Air: Economy class from \$2,200

Johannesburg/Livingstone; Kasane/Camp to Camp/Maun/Johannesburg

*Days 6-7 at Khwai River Lodge, A Belmond Safari, Botswana and Days 8-9 at Eagle Island Lodge, A Belmond Safari, Botswana in Okavango Delta.

Journey Details Minimum age is 10 years.

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EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY



Cape Town Post-Tour Group Extension

4 days from \$3,595 | Internal air from \$295 Available on select departures.

Discover the best the Cape Town area has to offer, from Table Mountain to the Cape of Good Hope, as you visit Kirstenbosch National Botanical Gardens, savor a wine tasting in Constantia and get up close with the African penguins frolicking at Boulders Beach. South Africa's cosmopolitan "Mother City" serves as your base camp for an adventure that concludes with dinner with your fellow guests and a morning at leisure before your departing flight.

STOPOVER PACKAGE



Spend three days exploring Dubai (from \$2,495) before or after your journey.

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

South Africa & Victoria Falls

9 days from \$9,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience the best of Southern Africa's wilderness and culture, flying directly between unforgettable destinations with more time to enjoy each, including marvelous Cape Town, mighty Victoria Falls and a wildlife-filled private reserve bordering Kruger National Park, on this outstanding safari adventure.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover Cape Town in depth, ascending Table Mountain, exploring the historic Bo-Kaap District, traversing scenic Cape Point and mingling with penguin at Boulders Beach
- Stay for three nights on a premier private concession in the Greater Kruger, which, together with neighboring Kruger National Park, forms one of the best game-viewing regions in South Africa, where the Big Five as well as cheetah roam
- Set out on private game drives with skilled trackers and rangers, in custom vehicles that provide an unobstructed view from every seat
- Explore magnificent Victoria Falls, one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World, on a privately guided walking tour and cruise the Zambezi River, viewing crocodile, hippo and diverse birdlife and enjoying great photo opportunities
- Learn about the extraordinary life of explorer and missionary David Livingstone at an exclusive talk with a local historian
- Privately visit with the elephants at a sanctuary near Victoria Falls and enjoy lunch on site

DAY 1: Arrive Cape Town, South Africa

Arrive in Cape Town, a breathtaking harbor city where old and new converge in history, architecture, cultural pursuits and the essence of its people, all overlooked by towering, flattopped Table Mountain, set on a peninsula of rocky heights and lush valleys. An A&K representative transfers you to your luxurious hotel, ideally located on the waterfront in the heart of the city. **One&Only Cape Town**



DAY 2: Cape Town | Design Your Day

Ascend to the top of Table Mountain via cable car, as you Ride Like a Local to walk the summit and take in an inspiring, 360-degree panorama of the city and bay. Proceed to the Bo-Kaap neighborhood, formerly known as the Malay Quarter, to stroll cobblestone streets amid charming multicolored buildings and spice shops. Listen as your expert guide explains the rich local history and sample some Cape Malay food as you go. Then, view other historical landmarks such as the Castle of Good Hope, St. George's Cathedral and the Company Gardens. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit Kirstenbosch National Botanical Gardens, followed by wine tasting at a vineyard in the Constantia Winelands.
- e-Bike Cape Town's Sea Point Promenade, stopping to view art installations along the way.
- Explore Robben Island, where Nelson Mandela was once imprisoned, now a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B D

DAY 3: **Cape Town** | Spectacular Views from Cape Point Discover Cape Point, the scenic promontory at the southwestern tip of the continent. Journey past the "bikini beaches" at the base of the towering Twelve Apostles Mountain Range, along bucolic Hout Bay with its bustling fishing harbor and over the famous Chapman's Peak Drive. Explore the stunning Cape Peninsula and Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, home to rare bontebok and chacma baboon. Ride the "Flying Dutchman" funicular to the



great pinnacle at blustery Cape Point, which presides over treacherous reefs and sandy beaches. At Boulders Beach, visit its colony of endangered African penguin; accustomed to humans, they provide endless photo opportunities. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure, perhaps exploring the city's harbor front or dining in one of Cape Town's world-class restaurants. **One&Only Cape Town | Meals: B L**

DAY 4: **Kruger National Park** | Private Game Reserve Fly to a privately owned, wildlife-rich game reserve that shares an open boundary with the renowned Kruger National Park, an area offering the very finest game-viewing safari experience. This afternoon, settle into your elegant accommodations, and then set off in search of the Big Five — elephant, lion, rhino, Cape buffalo and leopard — and other wildlife. To enhance your game-viewing experience, each game drive is led by two safari professionals: a driverguide, trained to safely maneuver you up close to South Africa's iconic wild residents as well as brief you on any given species' characteristics, and a tracker, an expert at identifying animals, who follows their signs and predicts where they are likely to be found. Thornybush Game Lodge | Meals: B L D





DAY 5: **Kruger National Park** | Sighting the Big Five Begin two days of immersion in your private game reserve, embarking on game drives in open safari vehicles for optimal viewing and exploring on early morning game walks with your ranger. In between safari activities, participate in an A&K Chef 's Table culinary experience, sampling traditional South African cuisine. This region of Africa is noted for its high density of wildlife, which often appear just steps in front of you. **Thornybush Game Lodge** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 6: **Kruger National Park** | Diverse Flora & Fauna Head out for another full day of exploration that includes morning and afternoon game drives, learning fascinating details about the flora and fauna as well as basic tracking skills. At dusk, stop for a Scenic Sundowner, and then search for nocturnal animals. Return to your lodge for dinner. **Thornybush Game Lodge** | **Meals: B L D**

"This was my first time on a full-length guided journey. It was a great experience and everyone went out of their way to ensure an unforgettable experience."

- Scott; Scottsdale, AZ, August, 2022

DAY 7: **Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe** | Thunderous Cascades Today, fly to Livingstone, Zambia, and then transfer to your hotel in Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe. Settle in and enjoy some time at leisure. This evening, set out on a cruise on the Zambezi River. View hippo, crocodile and exotic birdlife. Observe how, after an unforgettable African sunset, a magical charm settles over the river. The lanterns are lit and a delicious dinner is served on board. The raucous sounds of hippo calling, make for an unusual backdrop to this truly African experience. The Palm River Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Victoria Falls | Elephant Sanctuary Visit Begin with a guided walk of breathtaking Victoria Falls, one of the world's greatest natural wonders, and explore the surrounding rainforest. See rainbows and clouds of spray as the mile-wide Upper Zambezi plummets into the Lower Zambezi. Experience an interactive animal adventure, when you privately visit an elephant sanctuary near Victoria falls to meet the gentle giants living there. View the elephant up close in the bush, and watch them eat and socialize, during an unforgettable hands-on encounter led by a naturalist. Return to the hotel for some time at leisure. Tonight, before your farewell dinner, enjoy hearing from a special guest speaker who shares tales of celebrated explorer David Livingstone — an A&K-exclusive experience. The Palm River Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Depart Johannesburg, South Africa

Fly to Johannesburg, where you enjoy access to the Premier Lounge before boarding your flight home. **Meals: B**

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ADD A PRIVATE EXTENSION





Choose from Hwange or the Winelands

Extend your journey with your choice of two expert-led private itineraries: 4 days viewing wildlife in Zimbabwe's Hwange National Park (from \$1,895; internal air from \$835) or 3 days experiencing South Africa's winelands (from \$2,295).

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Thornybush Game Lodge

Recently refurbished luxury lodge with 20 elegant suites, located in the teeming Thornybush Nature Reserve in the greater Kruger National Park area.



One&Only Cape Town *Travel + Leisure* World's Best hotel with Table Mountain views.



The Palm River Hotel Luxury hotel set beside the Zambezi River near Victoria Falls.

DATES & PRICING

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Internal Air: Economy class from \$2,450

Cape Town/Kruger/Livingstone; Victoria Falls/Johannesburg *Days 4-6 at Kapama Southern Camp in Kruger National Park.

Journey Details

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Experience timeless elegance on a spectacular luxury adventure, travelling by glamorous Rovos Rail and safari-going in Chobe National Park and the lush Okavango Delta, following a wide-ranging itinerary that also features cosmopolitan Cape Town and magnificent Victoria Falls.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover Cape Town, taking in stunning views from Table Mountain and walk the colorful Bo-Kaap neighborhood, visit the District Six Museum and explore rugged Cape Point
- Traverse majestic mountain ranges and grassy savannas on a three-day train journey by elegant Rovos Rail
- Stay at the only safari lodge inside Chobe National Park, a privileged location that affords you the opportunity to start game watching ahead of other visitors
- Observe Botswana's amazing animals up close, including the Big Five, as handpicked safari guides use their in-depth tracking skills to lead you to exceptional wildlife encounters
- Set out on a privately guided tour of Victoria Falls, one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World
- Finish your journey at Sanctuary Chief's Camp one of the Africa's finest – located in the Okavango Delta's premier Moremi Game Reserve

DAY 1: Arrive Cape Town, South Africa

Arrive in Cape Town and transfer to one of the country's most famous hotels, set at the foot of Table Mountain. Mount Nelson, A Belmond Hotel, Cape Town

DAY 2: **Cape Town** | Look to the Beacon of Hope Ascend Table Mountain via cable car to take in an inspiring panorama of the city. Proceed to the colorful and distinctive Bo-Kaap neighborhood for a walking tour. After lunch, discover the Castle of Good Hope, built by the Dutch East India Company. Learn its colonial history, and then continue to the District Six Museum, which chronicles Cape Town's apartheid past in a poignant yet ultimately uplifting way.



Receive an overview of key historical role players, including Nelson Mandela. Tonight, savor a relaxing welcome dinner. Mount Nelson, A Belmond Hotel, Cape Town | Meals: B L D

DAY3: Cape Town | Cape Point & Boulders Beach Discover Cape Point, the scenic promontory at the southwestern tip of the continent. Journey past the "bikini beaches" at the base of the towering Twelve Apostles Mountain Range, along Hout Bay with its bustling fishing harbor and over the famous Chapman's Peak Drive. Explore the stunning Cape Peninsula and Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, home to rare bontebok and chacma baboon. Ride the "Flying Dutchman" funicular to the great pinnacle at blustery Cape Point, which presides over treacherous reefs and sandy beaches. At Boulders Beach, visit its colony of endangered African penguin; accustomed to humans, they provide endless photo opportunities. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure, perhaps exploring the city's harbor front or dining in one of Cape Town's world-class restaurants. Mount Nelson, A Belmond Hotel, Cape Town | Meals: B L

DAY 4: **Riding the Rovos Rail** | Into the Winelands Today, take in the richness of the Constantia Winelands, nestled below Table Mountain, starting with a visit to Constantia Glen for a tour of their cellar guided by the winemaker. Enjoy a wine tasting followed by a farm-to-table lunch. Afterward, recapture the romance of a bygone era as you board the wood-paneled coaches of the luxurious Rovos Rail. Depart Cape Town Station as you settle into your suite. Wind through mountains, rolling green hills of the Cape Winelands as the sun sets, and sip South African vintages as the stunning scenery scrolls by. **Rovos Rail | Meals: B L D**



DAY 5: Riding the Rovos Rail | Across the Great Karoo This morning, stop for a charming look at Matjiesfontein, an authentically preserved Victorian village. Roll on to the Great Karoo, a vast semi-desert region that was once an inland sea, observing its arid beauty. Rovos Rail | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Riding the Rovos Rail | Diamond Mine Museum Arrive in Kimberley to tour the Diamond Mine Museum and view one of the world's largest hand-dug excavation sites. Proceed into the grasslands of gold-rich Highveld, marveling at the changing landscapes. Rovos Rail | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Johannesburg | Heart of South Africa

After breakfast, arrive at Pretoria Station, where you bid farewell to Rovos Rail. Travel to Soweto, a township just southwest of Johannesburg, for a driving tour that takes in key highlights, such as Vilikazi Street — the only street in the world that has been home to two Nobel prize winners, Nelson Mandela and Archbishop Desmond Tutu - and the Hector Peterson Museum. After lunch at a local restaurant, continue to your hotel in the suburbs of Johannesburg for an evening at leisure, resting or enjoying the amenities of your accommodations. Fairlawns Boutique Hotel & Spa | Meals: B L





DAY 8: Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe | Livingstone Exclusive Fly to Victoria Falls, where you transfer to your luxury hotel set on the banks of the Zambezi River, very near Victoria Falls. This evening, before dinner, enjoy hearing from a special guest speaker who shares tales of celebrated Scottish explorer and missionary David Livingstone on an A&Kexclusive experience. The Palm River Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Chobe National Park, Botswana | Design Your Day Set out on a guided walking tour of breathtaking Victoria Falls, one of the world's greatest natural wonders. Afterward, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Learn About Traditional Zimbabwean Cuisine and enjoy a cooking demonstration at a local restaurant.
- Visit a Rural Village for an interactive experience that offers insight into Zimbabwean cultural traditions.
- Privately Bike the Area, cycling the town of Victoria Falls and stopping at scenic viewpoints along the way.

Later, drive to your safari lodge, the only one located inside Botswana's world-renowned Chobe National Park, and settle into your spacious, river-facing accommodations. This afternoon, set out on a Chobe River safari, watching as elephant line the water's edge, hippo congregate in lagoons and predators come down to quench their thirst. Return to the lodge for dinner. Chobe Game Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Chobe National Park | Plentiful Wildlife Viewing Today, embark on morning and afternoon game drives, starting with an early morning safari, arriving ahead of most visitors, thanks to your lodge's ideal location, to see predators at their most active. Explore along the Chobe River as your experienced guide interprets the bush signs and tracks in search of the resident wildlife. Watch for elephant, huge herds of buffalo and plenty of predators such as lion, wild dog and even leopard. Chobe Game Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Okavango Delta | A Prized Experience

Fly to the Okavango Delta via Kasane Airport. Arrive at your amazing Sanctuary Chief's Camp in the Mombo Concession of the vast Moremi Game Reserve. Often called the "Predator Capital of the World," this reserve is home to only a handful of camps, which makes for a unique and highly prized gameviewing experience, free of crowds. Observe how the lush delta draws remarkable birds and wildlife, including the Big Five, on a late-afternoon game drive capped by a refreshing Scenic Sundowner. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: **Okavango Delta** | Game Drives and the Big Five Rise early for a game drive on the reserve, where the game viewing is magnificent. Activities include a seasonal opportunity to Ride Like a Local, gliding on the delta in a mokoro (dugout canoe), as well as a Chef's Table experience offering you a taste of traditional local cuisine. Later, set out on another safari with your expert guide, whose wellhoned tracking skills may lead you off the beaten trail for an up-close look at a cheetah with a fresh kill, a glimpse of a leopard emerging from dense foliage or an encounter with a rhino grazing on lush Okavango grasses. Tonight, gather for a special farewell dinner. Sanctuary Chief's Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Johannesburg, South Africa

Fly to Johannesburg via Maun, where you connect with your international flight home. Enjoy access to the Premier Lounge before your departure, compliments of A&K. Meals: B



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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Chief's Camp Award-winning camp with 12 secluded and luxurious bush pavilions. you back to a bygone era of travel.



Chobe Game Lodge The only luxury lodge located inside wildlife-rich Chobe National Park.



The Palm River Hotel Luxury boutique hotel set beside the Zambezi River near Victoria Falls.



Rovos Rail Beautifully restored train that takes



Mount Nelson, A Belmond Hotel, Cape Town — Luxury resort set in lush gardens in the heart of the city.



Fairlawns Boutique Hotel & Spa Chic hotel with 40 bespoke suites offering garden views.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Mar 8-20	\$15,495	\$4,195
Apr 26-May 8, May 10-22	\$17,495	\$5,995
Jun 7-19, Jul 19-31,* Aug 2-14, Aug 16-28, Sep 1-13, Sep 20-Oct 2	\$19,995	\$8,495
Oct 4-16, Oct 18-30	\$19,295	\$7,995
Dec 20-Jan 1, 2025	\$20,795	\$8,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,895

Johannesburg/Victoria Falls; Kasane/Okavango Delta/Maun/Johannesburg *Days 11 & 12 at Eagle Island, A Belmond Safari in the Okavango Delta.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests. Note: Table Mountain may be unavailable due to weather conditions or cableway maintenance. In such an instance, alternative sightseeing will be provided.

STOPOVER PACKAGE



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ACTIVE

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Climb Kilimanjaro: Summiting the Machame Route

9 days from \$8,495 | Limited to 12 guests

Ascend the tallest freestanding mountain in the world alongside the team with the best summit rate on Kilimanjaro, viewing breathtaking, lava-forged landscapes en route to achieving a once-in-a-lifetime goal.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Climb in confidence with A&K, the company with a successful Kilimanjaro summit rate of 97% – far above the industry average of 60–70%
- Trust in A&K's deep experience, which spans more than 50 years in Tanzania and 30 years trekking Mount Kilimanjaro
- Rely on A&K to ensure excellent staff quality on every trek by employing the finest chefs, porters and guides, the last of whom are also certified Wilderness First Responders
- Benefit from more time to acclimatize a key component to a successful summit – with three more days on the itinerary than most other companies provide
- Utilize top-of-the-line camping gear and safety equipment, owned and maintained by A&K
- Stay in the largest and most comfortable sleeping tents on the mountain, while also enjoying private toilet facilities
- Carry only a daypack, as porters transport your luggage and equipment throughout the climb and descent

DAY 1: Arrive Arusha, Tanzania

Arrive in Arusha and transfer to your hotel. Enjoy a good night's rest as one of only 12 guests on this epic journey. Lake Duluti Lodge

DAY 2: Arusha | Scenic Parkland

In preparation for the climb ahead, acclimatize as you walk through Arusha National Park. Situated between the peaks of Mount Kilimanjaro and Mount Meru, this scenic park houses a wide range of habitats, from its string of crater lakes populated by waterfowl to its highland montane forest and imposing



summit views. The forest harbors a wealth of wildlife, including frolicking black-and-white colobus monkeys and regal bushbucks. This evening, sit down to a welcome dinner with fellow guests. Lake Duluti Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Mount Kilimanjaro | 10,000 Feet

Drive from Arusha to the Machame village on the slopes of Mount Kilimanjaro to begin your climb along the challenging and scenic Machame Route. Hike for about six hours through dense rubber-tree and giant-fig forests to your camp, set up near huts once used for shelter. As you make your way up through the forested terrain, keep an eye out for elephant. Settle into your first camp, poised at an altitude of 10,000 feet. Machame Camp | Meals: B L D

"If you want a once-in-a-lifetime adventure, Climb Kilimanjaro is that trip. Our superb Tour Director, the guides and the whole A&K team support you and make your dream of summiting a reality. I would recommend this journey to everyone."

- Catherine; Ames, IA

DAY 4: Mount Kilimanjaro | 12,500 Feet

Awake early to a piping-hot cup of coffee or tea. As you leave camp, absorb the commanding view of Uhuru Peak. Trek out of the forest up to the hagenia zone (upper limit of forest growth) through a savanna of tall grasses and haunting volcanic lava landscapes. After a six-hour hike, arrive at the





Shira Plateau and your camp. At 12,500 feet, it boasts sweeping views across the Masai Steppe to distant Mount Meru and the Shira Needles. Shira Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Mount Kilimanjaro | 13,000 Feet

During a six-hour hike, skirt the Shira Plateau toward the Kibo Massif, continuing upward to the Lava Tower (15,000 feet). Descend toward Barranco Camp through the immense, waterfall-punctuated Grand Barranco canyon, which is fed by streams from the Umbwe River. Today's camp is situated at an elevation of 13,000 feet. Barranco Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Mount Kilimanjaro | Acclimatization Day Hike for about five hours along the Barranco Cliff with no increase in elevation. This allows you time to rest and adjust to the increasingly higher altitudes. In the afternoon, you may hike in the Karanga Valley, set beneath the icefalls of the Heim, Decken and Kersten glaciers. Karanga Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Mount Kilimanjaro | Preparing for the Summit Take a three- to four-hour trek on another day of acclimatization as you near the mountain's peak, stopping



Climbing Kilimanjaro with A&K

With a successful summit rate of 97% (compared to the average of 60–70%), A&K's Mount Kilimanjaro expeditions give you an outstanding chance of reaching "the roof of Africa." Our experienced climbing team oversees every factor that contributes to a successful climb.

Guides and Porters

Every A&K guide is a certified Wilderness First Responder, trained in mountain craft, natural history and ecological awareness. Our guides are also trained in first aid and fluent in English, and most have completed over 200 summits. A founding member of Kilimanjaro Porter Assistance Project and a proud Partner for Responsible Travel with the International Mountain Explorers Connection, A&K is an advocate for the welfare of our team of porters. Their hard work and dedication are what make every A&K trek possible.

Comforts on the Mountain

Summiting Mount Kilimanjaro comes easier to those who are well rested — and A&K campsites are famous for their comforts. Our customized sleeping tents are the largest and most luxurious on the mountain, designed for two people with raised cots and tall ceiling heights. Solar-lit dining tents with comfortable tables and chairs allow you to relax out of the elements and rejuvenate during the trek. Hygienic private toilets are also exclusively available to A&K trekkers.

Safety on the Mountain

A&K climbs use the finest climbing and camping apparatus, safety equipment and communications network. On every climb, we supply and carry all safety and emergency equipment, including emergency oxygen, a portable altitude chamber, a defibrillator, pulse oximeters, a stretcher, an extensive first aid kit and three means of communication (cellphone, two-way radio and satellite phone).

Food and Nutrition

Another key to conquering Kilimanjaro is to maintain proper nutrition throughout your entire trek. Every meal is designed to provide the nutrition you need to reach the summit. Unlike many other companies, A&K provides fresh food throughout the entire trek, including abundant snacks between meals as well as unlimited purified water. Special diets can also be accommodated.

Acclimatization

While most trekkers spend a total of five days on the mountain, we schedule seven days (six nights) to allow more time for premium altitude acclimatization, contributing to A&K's industry-leading summit rate.

Sustainable Treks

A&K leaves no trace on the mountain and takes pride in operating green campsites. Every A&K camp is completely portable, with no fixed ground structures or plumbing, and we remove all waste and trash from our treks.





at Barafu Camp (15,300 feet) on a moraine, with views of majestic Mawenzi Peak to the right and looming Kibo Peak overhead. The surrounding scenic alpine desert terrain is largely mineral and features some lichens and moss. Turn in early this evening - tomorrow, you make an early start for the summit. Barafu Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Mount Kilimanjaro | Summit Day

Rise very early to a hot cup of coffee or tea before setting out on 12 to 16 hours of trekking today. Should all go as planned, you will stand at the highest point in Africa in about seven hours' time. Make your way up a winding path flanked by the towering Ratzel and Rebmann glaciers to soaring Stella Point, found at 18,630 feet on the rim of Kibo Crater. As the sun rises, continue around the rim to Uhuru Peak (19,341 feet), the highest point in Africa, where the air is rarefied. Savor your achievement of summiting Mount Kilimanjaro, and then descend to your last campsite (10,200 feet). Mweka Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Arusha

Continue your descent to the base of the mountain, walking for two to three hours, to rendezvous with your A&K driver, who greets and transports you back to Arusha. During a farewell lunch, enjoy basking in your accomplishments with fellow guests. Comfortable dayrooms are provided until your departure. Lake Duluti Lodge (dayroom) | Meals: B L

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DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 23-31, Feb 6-14, Mar 5-13,	\$8,495	\$2,195
May 14-22, May 28-Jun 5, Jun 11-19,		
Jul 2–10, Jul 30–Aug 7, Aug 13–21,		
Aug 27-Sep 4, Sep 10-18, Sep 24-Oct 2,		
Oct 8-16, Nov 5-13		

Journey Details

This journey is strenuous with steep ascents and high altitudes; however novice climbers are welcome. Minimum age is 16 years.

Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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ACTIVE

MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Uganda: Gorillas & Beyond

11 days from \$11,695 | Limited to 16 guests

Explore the "Pearl of Africa," from the banks of the Nile to the deepest reaches of the rainforest, blazing a trail through the mists of Uganda's waterfalls and evergreen rainforests, and tracking chimpanzee, tree-climbing lion and endangered mountain gorilla along the way.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Encounter mountain gorilla under the biodiverse canopy of Bwindi Impenetrable National Park, ranging through mistcovered hillsides to observe these greatest of apes in their natural surroundings, sensing the deep connection between their species and our own
- Cruise up the Nile River to the misty base of Murchison Falls, spotting wildlife such as water birds, including the rare shoebill stork, wallowing hippo, elephant that come down to the river bank to drink and the fearsome Nile crocodile basking in the sun
- Trek the lush, tropical trails of Kibale National Park in search of chimpanzee, sociable primates that forage for food and utter vocalizations that reverberate through the forest
- Set out on two full days of game drives in the wilds of Queen Elizabeth National Park, keeping watch for examples of tree-climbing lion as well as elephant, Cape buffalo and Ugandan kob – a type of antelope symbolic of Uganda

DAY 1: Arrive Entebbe, Uganda

Arrive in Entebbe, Uganda, a nation of stunning greenery, deep lakes, soaring mountains and rich biodiversity. Transfer to your hotel for an evening at leisure. **Protea Hotel Entebbe**

DAY 2: **Murchison Falls National Park** | The Nile's Jewel Depart Entebbe and fly to Murchison Falls National Park, one of the most scenic spots along the Nile and the location of the classic Humphrey Bogart film, *The African Queen*. After settling into your lodge on the banks of the Victoria Nile, join your guide for a visit to Murchison Falls, where invigorating spray — the collective force of the majestic Nile — showers a narrow ravine. **Nile Safari Lodge | Meals: B L D**



DAY 3: **Murchison Falls National Park** | Nile Safari Set out on a game drive along the northern bank of the Nile, in Murchison Falls National Park. You may see giraffe, buffalo, elephant, warthog, leopard, lion and antelope. Later, embark by boat to the base of the falls, watching for hippo, crocodile and other species. **Nile Safari Lodge** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 4: Kibale National Park | Bunyaruguru Crater Walk After breakfast, board a flight to Kibale and transfer to your lodge. Later, you may take an optional nature walk along the top of Bunyaruguru Crater. Kyaninga Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Kibale National Park** | Forest of Chimpanzee Kibale Forest is home to 11 species of primates, including chimpanzee and mangabey, and 300 types of birds. Rise early for the start of your chimpanzee trek, listening to the forest's silence as you go. Later, Ride Like a Local by African canoe across a lake, watching for wildlife and admiring the scenery. **Kyaninga Lodge** | **Meals:** B L D



Embark on a fascinating chimpanzee trek in Kibale National Park, watching as primates feed among some 300 species of birds in the canopy high above.

DAY 6: Queen Elizabeth National Park | Nature Anew Drive to Queen Elizabeth National Park, home to elephant, lion, hippo, buffalo and baboon, any of which you may see as you set out on an afternoon game drive. Ishasha Wilderness Camp | Meals: B L D



DAY 7: Queen Elizabeth National Park | Wildlife Sightings Keep exploring, watching for tree-climbing lion, a sight seldom seen elsewhere in Africa. Then, toast your safari with a Scenic Sundowner. Ishasha Wilderness Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Bwindi Impenetrable National Park | Highlands Set out for a morning game drive through Queen Elizabeth National Park. Make your way out of the Rift Valley through the Kigezi Highlands and on to the mountains of Bwindi Impenetrable National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. This afternoon at your camp, savor a Chef's Table experience. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Bwindi Impenetrable National Park

Gorilla Encounters in the Wild

Spend two days tracking endangered mountain gorilla, spending up to an hour among them each day. See mothers keeping infants close as they knucklewalk on three limbs. Watch scampering toddlers reined in by an attentive father. & Later, visit the Uganda Nursing School Bwindi, a project supported by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Bwindi Impenetrable National Park | Visit Again

Today, once again bask in the bond that exists between primate and man as you set out on your final gorilla trek. Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Entebbe

Fly to Entebbe and return to your hotel, where a dayroom awaits until your international flight home. Protea Hotel Entebbe (dayroom) | Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Gorilla Forest Camp

Remote, atmospheric camp featuring 10 luxury tents, tucked amid jungle-like vegetation in Uganda's Bwindi Impenetrable National Park.



Ishasha Wilderness Camp Exclusive, idyllic camp with 10 permanent tents on the Ntugwe River. and the Mountains of the Moon.



Nile Safari Lodge Luxury eco-friendly lodge on the Nile River with eight secluded bandas.



Kyaninga Lodge

Protea Hotel Entebbe Contemporary resort gracing the glistening shores of Lake Victoria.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Aug 1–11, Aug 10–20, Sep 11–21	\$11,995	\$3,895
Oct 8-18	\$11,695	\$3,595

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,750 Entebbe/Murchison Falls/Kibale; Bwindi/Entebbe

Gorilla and chimpanzee permits are priced from an additional \$1,600.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 15 years. Each guest on this journey will receive an A&K Safari Duffel Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

This journey entails active elements, such as hiking through isolated jungle regions.

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Israel, Jordan & Egypt

13 days from \$52,995 | Limited to 12 guests

Explore three classic Middle East destinations in less than two weeks thanks to the flexibility and convenience of privately chartered air, journeying from Jerusalem, Bethlehem and Masada to Petra and Wadi Rum, and onward to set foot inside the tomb of King Tutankhamun, touch the paws of the Sphinx and cruise for four nights along the Nile.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Fly directly between three diverse destinations on exclusive chartered flights
- Discover Israel, a land held sacred by three faiths, and gain perspective on the nation's varied cultures when you visit a vast array of historical sites
- Customize your experience in Jerusalem, taking advantage of A&K's Design Your Day feature
- Behold Petra, the city "half as old as time," and Wadi Rum, the desert outpost of Lawrence of Arabia
- Embark on a four-night Nile River cruise aboard the intimate dahabeah, 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau,' exclusively chartered for your group, and marvel at some of Egypt's greatest temples and tombs
- Explore one of Egypt's legendary pyramids on the Giza Plateau from the inside out
- Touch the paws of the enigmatic Great Sphinx on a once-ina-lifetime insider-access opportunity

DAY 1: Arrive Tel Aviv, Israel

Arrive in Tel Aviv, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel in Jerusalem. The King David

DAY 2: **Jerusalem** | Timeless Spiritual Inspiration Rise early for a guided walk on the Temple Mount. Explore the Old City of Jerusalem, a place sacred to so many. Proceed to the Western Wall, Judaism's most sacred site. Also explore the underground Western Wall tunnels. After lunch, visit major Christian sites, including St. Anne's Church and the



Pool of Bethesda. Walk along the Stations of the Way of the Cross to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Proceed to Mount Zion to view the traditional Tomb of King David and the Upper Room, which commemorates the Last Supper. Tonight, gather at a local restaurant for a special welcome dinner. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Jerusalem, Bethlehem or Tel Aviv | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Explore the New City of Jerusalem & Bethlehem, viewing the Dead Sea Scrolls and joining a local Christian family for lunch on a Chef's Table experience in the West Bank.
- Visit the New City of Jerusalem & Enjoy Time at Leisure, exploring Yad Vashem, before some free time to relax or further explore the city.
- Discover Dynamic Tel Aviv on an active walking tour and visit the ancient port city of Jaffa.

All options include lunch. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Jerusalem | Masada & the Dead Sea

Venture into the Judean desert wilderness to Masada, where you take the cable car up to the last stronghold of the Zealots. Many of their fortifications, originally built by King Herod, still stand today. Stop for lunch at a hotel beside the Dead Sea. If you wish, take a dip in its buoyant, mineral-rich waters before returning to Jerusalem. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Aqaba, Jordan | Arrival in Petra

Board your privately chartered flight to Jordan, landing in Aqaba, where you have lunch before continuing to Petra. Mövenpick Resort Petra | Meals: B L D



PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft

Challenger 850, Embraer Legacy or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Tel Aviv-Aqaba (45 min) Aqaba-Abu Simbel (1 hr 45 min) Abu Simbel-Aswan (40 min) Luxor-Cairo (1 hr 15 min)



DAY 6: Petra & Wadi Rum | The Bedouin Life

Explore Petra, the once-thriving desert capital carved into red rock, discovering the Siq, the Temple of the Winged Lions and the Palace Tomb, and visiting the iconic Treasury accompanied by a local archaeologist. This afternoon, continue to Wadi Rum, the so-called "Valley of the Moon" and the site of your private desert camp. Later, enjoy a refreshing Scenic Sundowner, and then marvel at the sunset over a Bedouin meal, followed by a discussion on Bedouin life. Discovery Bedu Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Abu Simbel & Aswan, Egypt | Abu Simbel Fly from Aqaba via private charter to Abu Simbel. There, behold the towering twin temples of Ramses II and his wife, Queen Nefertari, rescued from the flooding waters of the Aswan High Dam. Fly to Aswan, where you board the intimate dahabeah 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau.' Later, boat to the island of Agilika and view a special show at Philae Temple, a sacred complex that reflects the Egyptian, Greek and Roman eras. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Cruising the Nile | Stunning Architecture Go ashore at Kom Ombo to visit the Greco-Roman temple dedicated to Haroeris (the sun god) and Sobek (the crocodile god), and view the mummified remains of several crocodile



Relax beside the Dead Sea and float in its

Three Civilizations, One Timely Journey

Israel, Jordan and Egypt each have strong and distinctive cultural identities. While Israel is historically a land held sacred by three faiths as well as a thriving, modern nation, Egypt is home to the legacy of a civilization that enjoyed an unparalleled zenith before receding into the sands of time. And Jordan, with its own ancient marvels, completes a trio of destinations that together embody the mystique and allure of the Middle East as few others can.

Wings Over Israel, Jordan & Egypt affords you the incredible opportunity to visit all three of these classic destinations on one exciting journey, in under two weeks — an elegant timetable made possible by the convenience and flexibility of privately chartered flights and A&K's longstanding presence in the region.

Discover Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Masada, Petra, Luxor, the pyramids at Giza, Cairo and the timeless Nile River — fascinating places with histories so compelling that any one of them might top a traveller's must-see list — accompanied by A&K Resident Tour Directors and the finest local guides.

Revel in insider access moments as you are immersed in the story of three enduring desert cultures on the journey of a lifetime.


that once basked on the Nile's banks, just as their descendants do today. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Cruising the Nile** | Watching History Unfold Continue sailing toward Esna, a city sacred to ancient Egyptians, passing riverside villages where time has seemingly stood still and taking in the views as history unfolds around you. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Cruising the Nile | Tutankhamun & Nefertari Cruise to Luxor, where you roam through the Valley of the Kings, legendary burial ground of the pharaohs and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It was here in 1922 that the tomb of "the boy king," Tutankhamun, was found by British archaeologist Howard Carter. Now, discover it for yourself as you set foot inside its 35-century-old walls. Also visit the tomb of Seti I, the father of Ramses II, one of the bestpreserved tombs in the Valley of the Kings. Continue to the Valley of the Queens, where you visit Queen Nefertari's tomb, famous for the colorful, well-preserved artwork that adorns its walls. After lunch back on board, visit the Temple of Karnak and walk through the Great Hypostyle Hall. Visit the Temple of Luxor, with its massive statues of Ramses II, and marvel at the Colonnade and Court of Amenhotep III. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Luxor & Cairo | Immersive Museum Visit Today, bid farewell to 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau,' disembarking to fly aboard chartered aircraft to Cairo. Explore the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities (or the Grand Egyptian Museum, upon its opening) to view a vast trove of artifacts. Then, check in at your hotel, located along Cairo's Corniche. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L

DAY 12: **Cairo** | The Pyramids & the Great Sphinx of Giza Venture across the Giza Plateau to view its iconic pyramids and explore the interior of one of these soaring Fourth Dynasty tombs. Then, go up close to the Great Sphinx, enjoying special private access to the paws of the enigmatic monument, close enough to touch them. This evening, gather for a farewell dinner.

Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Cairo

After breakfast, privately transfer to the airport to board your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau'

The first bespoke dahabeah (traditional Egyptian sailing boat) built to international luxury standards, offering an elegant Nile River experience.





Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel.

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Discovery Bedu Camp Bedouin-style tented luxury camp in a Wadi Rum dark-sky location.

Mövenpick Resort Petra Stylish hotel with Arabian ambience, just steps from the entrance to Petra.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Deluxe Cabin	Napoleon Suite	Farouk Suite
Jan 2-14, Jan 16-28, Jan 30-Feb 11, Feb 13-25, Mar 5-17, Apr 16-28, Sep 3-15, Sep 17-29, Oct 29-Nov 10, Nov 12-24, Dec 3-15, Dec 17-29	\$52,995	\$53,995	\$54,995
Single Supplement	\$10,995	\$11,895	\$12,695

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements Minimum age is 10 years.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Egypt & the Nile

10 days from \$8,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Jordan 5-day Pre-Tour Extension from \$3,995

Bask in the timeless majesty of ancient Egypt on an immersive journey through the land of the pharaohs, exploring its quintessential archaeological treasures with an expert A&K Egyptologist, and cruise for four nights along the Nile aboard stylish 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV.'

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Embark on a four-night Nile river cruise, gliding in comfort through stirring desert landscapes and going ashore to discover ancient Egypt's most awe-inspiring sites
- Explore the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities (or the Grand Egyptian Museum, upon its opening) to view a vast trove of artifacts
- Venture inside one of the pyramids and view the enigmatic Great Sphinx on the Giza Plateau
- Descend into the tomb of Tutankhamun (King Tut) and the tomb of Seti I, father of legendary Ramses II, in the Valley of the Kings
- Visit the colorful tomb of Nefertari, one of Egypt's most famous queens
- Journey to Abu Simbel to set eyes upon the imposing twin temples of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari

DAY 1: Arrive Cairo, Egypt

Arrive in Cairo, where you are met by your A&K representative and transferred to your historic hotel ideally situated near the last remaining Ancient Wonder of the World — the Great Pyramid of Giza. Marriott Mena House Hotel

DAY 2: Cairo | Ancient Treasures

This morning, join your expert A&K Egyptologist for an exploration of the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities (or the Grand Egyptian Museum, upon its opening) to view its huge collection of ancient Egyptian artifacts. Tonight, gather with your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Marriott Mena House Hotel | Meals: B L D



DAY 3: Giza | The Pyramids & Sphinx

Today, roam the Giza Plateau, site of the pyramids of Mycerinus and Chephren as well as the Great Pyramid, built in the Fourth Dynasty (approximately 2690 BC). Revel in the opportunity to enter the interior of one of these legendary structures, and marvel at the massive stones used to construct them. Afterward, enjoy time to view the Great Sphinx backdropped by the pyramids, a setting that has captured the imaginations of adventurers for centuries. Marriott Mena House Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Luxor | Temples of Luxor & Karnak

Fly to Luxor, site of the ancient city of Thebes. Begin your full day of exploring by visiting the striking Temple of Luxor. View the three large statues of Ramses II along the front of the temple pylons, the Courtyard of Ramses II and the Colonnade of Amenhotep III, with its 50-foot-high columns. Walk in their shadows, as visitors have done since antiquity, and ponder the astonishing feats of engineering it took to create them. Then, step aboard 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV,' an elegant river cruiser renowned for the warmth and attentiveness of its service staff. Enjoy lunch on board before disembarking to explore the Temple of Karnak, where generations of pharaohs wished to record their names. Walk through the Great Hypostyle Hall, strolling among its expertly aligned columns, which soar 80 feet high. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV' | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Cruising the Nile** | Valley of the Kings & Queens Journey to the west bank of the Nile river and the Necropolis of Thebes, and view the Colossi of Memnon. Continue to the architecturally stunning Temple of Hatshepsut, ancient



Egypt's first female pharaoh and regarded today as one of its most successful. Carry on to the Valley of the Kings, burial ground of the pharaohs and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. For a period of 500 years beginning in the 16th century BC, tombs were built along this valley for pharaohs and nobles, including that of "the boy king," Tutankhamun. Enter the tomb of Tutankhamun — found in 1922 by British archaeologist and Egyptologist Howard Carter — to discover the secrets of this storied chamber. Next, descend into the beautifully decorated tomb of Seti I, the father of Ramses II, one of the best-preserved tombs in the valley.

Continue to the Valley of the Queens, enjoying access to Queen Nefertari's tomb, famous for the colorful artwork that adorns its walls. Back on board, learn to prepare local dishes during a Chef's Table experience: a cooking lesson with an onboard chef. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV' | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Cruising the Nile | Temple of Horus & Kom Ombo Today, view the Temple of Horus, falcon-headed god of the sky. Built in 230 BC by Ptolemy III, this amazingly wellpreserved and colorful structure reveals what temple worship in ancient Egypt was like. Later this afternoon, enjoy a



refreshing Scenic Sundowner as you cruise to Kom Ombo. Disembark at Kom Ombo (hill of gold) to visit the Greco-Roman temple dedicated to Haroeris (the sun god) and Sobek (the crocodile god), whom some ancient Egyptians considered the creator of the world. View the mummified remains of several crocodiles that once basked along the ancient Nile shore, just as their descendants do today. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV' | Meals: B L D

"We had a wonderful journey The destination is the trip of a lifetime and A&K did a superb job, on all fronts, throughout the itinerary."

– Jim; Naples, FL, June 2022

DAY 7: $Aswan \mid$ Majestic Philae

Cruise to Aswan and proceed to the ancient granite quarries and site of the Unfinished Obelisk. Illustrating the skills of Egypt's stonemasons, this monolith is taller than any other ancient Egyptian obelisk. Board a motorized boat to picturesque Philae Temple on the island of Agilika. A sacred complex dedicated to the goddess Isis, it reflects a fusion of three great civilizations: Egyptian, Greek and Roman. Later, Ride Like a Local around the Aswan Islands in a felucca (traditional sailboat). 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Abu Simbel** | Temples of Ramses || & Nefertari Today, bid farewell to 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV,' disembarking to fly to Abu Simbel and discover the commanding twin temples of Ramses II and his wife, Queen Nefertari. The former's façade is dominated by four 70-foot-tall statues of the pharaoh. Perhaps even more impressive, this entire site was disassembled and moved here to save it from the floodwaters caused by the construction of the Aswan High Dam. Return to Cairo for an evening at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B

DAY 9: Cairo | Design Your Day

Drive to Sakkara, site of hundreds of tombs and 14 pyramids, including the famous Step Pyramid of Djoser. After lunch, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- **Discover Coptic Cairo**, visiting a church built where the Holy Family stayed, as well as St. Barbara and the Church of the Virgin Mary.
- ▶ **Tour Islamic Cairo**, including a walk along El-Moaz Street, and the Khan el-Khalili Bazaar.
- View the Royal Mummies, and countless other artifacts, as you tour the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization.

This evening, gather with your fellow guests to reflect on

your journey through Egypt and along the Nile at a farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Depart Cairo

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

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EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY



Jordan Pre-Tour Group Extension 5 days from \$3,995 | Internal air from \$655 Available on select departures.

Arrive in Amman, Jordan, and transfer to your hotel downtown. Visit the White City of Amman and the Roman ruins in Jerash. Continue overland to Petra, visiting Mount Nebo en route, where the Bible says Moses beheld the Holy Land, and view the Byzantine mosaics in Madaba. Upon arrival, explore ancient, rock-cut Petra, a UNESCO World Heritage Site famed for its pillared Treasury. Relax on your last night at the Dead Sea, where you have the opportunity to take a refreshing dip.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Nile Deck	Main Deck	Bridge Deck	Promenade Deck	Presidential Suite	Royal Suite
Jan 1-10, Jan 5-14, Jan 9-18, Jan 13-22, Jan 17-26, Jan 21-30, Jan 25-Feb 3	\$10,795	\$10,995	\$11,095	\$11,195	\$14,295	\$15,295
Single Supplement	\$3,795	\$3,895	\$3,995	\$4,095	\$6,295	\$7,295
Jan 29-Feb 7, Feb 2-11, Feb 6-15, Feb 10-19,* Feb 14-23,* Feb 18-27, Feb 22-Mar 2, Feb 26-Mar 6, Mar 1-10, Mar 5-14, Mar 9-18, Mar 13-22, Mar 17-26, Mar 21-30	\$10,995	\$11,195	\$11,295	\$11,395	\$14,495	\$15,495
Single Supplement	\$3,995	\$4,095	\$4,195	\$4,295	\$6,495	\$7,495
	\$13,795	\$14,095	\$14,195	\$14,295	\$18,795	\$20,795
Single Supplement	\$4,495	\$4,595	\$4,695	\$4,795	\$7,495	\$8,495
Apr 2-11, Apr 6-15, Apr 10-19, Apr 14-23, Apr 18-27, Apr 22-May 1, Apr 26-May 5	\$10,795	\$10,995	\$11,095	\$11,195	\$14,295	\$15,295
Single Supplement	\$3,795	\$3,895	\$3,995	\$4,095	\$6,295	\$7,295
Apr 30-May 9, May 4-13,* May 8-17,* May 12-21,* May 16-25,* May 20-29,* May 24-Jun 2,* May 28-Jun 6*	\$9,795	\$9,995	\$10,095	\$10,195	\$13,295	\$14,295
Single Supplement	\$2,995	\$3,095	\$3,195	\$3,295	\$5,495	\$6,495
Jun 1–10,* Jun 5–14,* Jun 9–18*	\$8,995	\$9,195	\$9,295	\$9,395	\$12,495	\$13,495
Single Supplement	\$2,595	\$2,695	\$2,795	\$2,895	\$5,095	\$6,095
Aug 30-Sep 8, Sep 3-12, Sep 7-16, Sep 11-20,* Sep 15-24, Sep 19-28, Sep 23-Oct 2, Sep 27-Oct 6	\$9,795	\$9,995	\$10,095	\$10,195	\$13,295	\$14,295
Single Supplement	\$2,995	\$3,095	\$3,195	\$3,295	\$5,495	\$6,495
Oct 1-10, Oct 5-14, Oct 9-18, Oct 13-22, Oct 17-26, Oct 21-30, Oct 25-Nov 3, Oct 29-Nov 7, Nov 2-11, Nov 6-15, Nov 10-19, Nov 14-23, Nov 18-27, Nov 22-Dec 1, Nov 26-Dec 5	\$10,995	\$11,195	\$11,295	\$11,395	\$14,495	\$15,495
Single Supplement	\$3,995	\$4,095	\$4,195	\$4,295	\$6,495	\$7,495
Nov 30-Dec 9, Dec 4-13, Dec 8-17, Dec 12-21, Dec 16-25	\$10,795	\$10,995	\$11,095	\$11,195	\$14,295	\$15,295
Single Supplement	\$3,795	\$3,895	\$3,995	\$4,095	\$6,295	\$7,295
Dec 20-29, Dec 24-Jan 2, 2025; Dec 28-Jan 6, 2025	\$13,795	\$14,095	\$14,195	\$14,295	\$18,795	\$20,795
Single Supplement	\$4,495	\$4,595	\$4,695	\$4,795	\$7,495	\$8,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$800

Cairo/Luxor; Aswan/Abu Simbel/Aswan/Cairo

*Days 1-3 and 8-9 at Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at the First Residence in Cairo.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests. Please note that multiple groups of 18 A&K guests and other passengers may be travelling onboard ship simultaneously. Routes may run in reverse on select departures

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- Embark on a leisurely seven-night river cruise aboard the exclusively chartered 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III,' visiting lessfrequented sites, tombs and temples
- Fly between destinations aboard aircraft chartered exclusively for A&K guests
- Venture inside one of the ancient pyramids located on the Giza Plateau
- Get up close to the massive paws of the enigmatic Great Sphinx on a special private visit
- Rise early for a stunning balloon trip over the Nile, viewing the marvelous monuments of ancient Thebes as the sun rises
- Descend into the tomb of Tutankhamun (King Tut) and visit famed archaeologist Howard Carter's home
- Be among the privileged visitors to explore Wahtye's Tomb at Sakkara – discovered only recently after 4,400 years – during a private opening specially arranged by A&K

DAY 1: Arrive Cairo, Egypt

Arrive in Cairo, Egypt's "Mother of All Cities," an age-old crossroads of Asia, Africa, and Europe, where you are met and privately transferred to your riverside hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza

DAY 2: Cairo | Immersed in Antiquities

Explore the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities (or the Grand Egyptian Museum, upon its opening), home to over 120,000 relics, some dating back to 4000 BC. After lunch, return to



your hotel for an afternoon at leisure. This evening, join your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Cairo** | The Great Pyramid and Paws of the Sphinx Set out for the Giza Plateau on a full-day excursion. Observe the great pyramids of Khufu, Khafre and Menkaure as well as other historical sites. Enter the Great Pyramid of Cheops — oldest of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World stepping back in time some 4,000 years. Then, enjoy special private access to the nearby Great Sphinx, seizing the rare opportunity to lay your hands on its massive paws. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L



Privately visit the enigmatic Great Sphinx and savor the rare opportunity to touch its massive outstretched carved-stone paws, an unforgettable experience of insider access with A&K.

DAY 4: Luxor | Two of Egypt's Finest Temples

Fly south to Luxor, formerly known as Thebes. Upon arrival visit the Temple of Karnak, featuring 134 great columns that once supported an enormous roof. Board 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III,' your luxurious home on the Nile for the next seven nights, in time for lunch. This afternoon, explore the Temple of Luxor, built by Amenhotep III (1405-1367 BC). This evening, gather for a complimentary cocktail and canapés, followed by dinner. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D



DAY 5: **Cruising the Nile** | The Discovery of Tutankhamun Visit the Nile's West Bank, starting at the fabled Colossi of Memnon, two enormous seated statues of Amenhotep III. Proceed to the terraced funerary temple of Queen Hatshepsut, Egypt's first female pharaoh, and continue to the Valley of the Kings, burial ground of the pharaohs. See the iconic tomb of Tutankhamun (King Tut), before visiting the former home of the legendary archaeologist who found it, Howard Carter, to see the original tools he used for the excavation. Gain entry to the lesser-visited, well-preserved tomb of Seti I, father of Ramses II. Then, in the Valley of the Queens, explore the tomb of Queen Nefertari, said to be the finest tomb in Egypt. After lunch back aboard ship, relax on board or explore the Luxor Museum, browsing its fascinating collections. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D

DAY6: **Cruising the Nile** | Grandeur by Hot Air Balloon Rise early this morning for an exhilarating hot air balloon ride over the Nile and the temples that line its shores. Afterward, go off the beaten path to one of Luxor's lessvisited sites, Medinet Habu, built by Ramses III. Return to





'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' and partake in a Scenic Sundowner as you cruise toward Esna. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Cruising the Nile** | Remnants of Greece and Rome This morning at Esna, explore the Greco-Roman Temple of Khnum with your Egyptologist guide. Its Great Hypostyle Hall was built during the reign of the Roman Emperor Claudius. Then, board your river ship and cruise to Edfu, where you visit the well-preserved Temple of Horus (the falcon god). 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D

Behold the incredible decor of recently discovered Wahtye's Tomb – untouched for 44 centuries and the subject of a Netflix documentary – on a special private opening with A&K.

DAY 8: Cruising the Nile | Temple of the Sun

Relax on board as the morning unfolds. This afternoon, learn to prepare local dishes during a Chef's Table experience with an onboard chef as you cruise to Kom Ombo. Disembark for a walking visit to this lovely Greco-Roman temple dedicated to Haroeris (the sun god) and Sobek (the crocodile god), whom some ancient Egyptians considered the creator of the world. View the mummified remains of several crocodile that once basked along the ancient Nile shore, just as their descendants do today. Join the party tonight, dressing up in traditional Egyptian galabeyyas and savoring a lavish buffet of Egyptian specialties, followed by Arabic music and dancing. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D DAY 9: **Cruising the Nile** | Island Temple of Isis Disembark in Aswan to visit the granite quarries that supplied stone for many of Egypt's pyramids and temples. View the 1,200-ton Unfinished Obelisk, which exemplifies the technique used to create such enormous monoliths. Then, boat to the island of Agilika to view the exquisite Temple of Philae, dedicated to the goddess Isis. Ride Like a Local as you sail by felucca (traditional sailing vessel), weather permitting, around Elephantine Island and view the splendid Aga Khan Mausoleum, which overlooks the river. After lunch, relax on board or explore a local Aswan spice market. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: **Abu Simbel** | Massive Tribute to Ramses II Fly to Abu Simbel, site of the magnificent temple of Ramses II, and marvel at the four enormous statues of the pharaoh that grace its façade, each over 60 feet high. Amazingly, the site was raised up the hillside to avoid floodwaters caused by the Aswan High Dam project. Afterward, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before boarding your privately chartered aircraft back to Aswan, to return to your ship. 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Aswan/Cairo | Design Your Day

Disembark 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' and return to Cairo in time for lunch. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities:

- Discover Coptic Cairo, visiting a church built where the Holy Family stayed and other Christian sites.
- Tour Islamic Cairo, including the lively Khan el-Khalili Bazaar.

View the Royal Mummies, and countless other artifacts as you tour the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization.

The remainder of your day is at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L

DAY 12: **Cairo** | Private Opening of Wahtye's Tomb Today, venture just outside the city to Sakkara, the vast necropolis of ancient Memphis, site of the famous Step Pyramid. Built by Zoser I in 2700 BC, it is the world's oldest stone structure. Enjoy a special private opening of the 4,400-year-old tomb of Wahtye. Unearthed in 2018, it is considered one of the biggest discoveries of the decade, completely untouched and filled with painted hieroglyphics, sculptures, and inscriptions. Also visit the Mereruka Tomb, one of the most exquisitely decorated tombs of the Old Kingdom. Tonight, enjoy a memorable farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Cairo

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

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EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY



Jordan Pre-Tour Extension 5 days from \$3,995 | Internal air from \$655 Available on select departures.

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS





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DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Nile Deck	Promenade Deck	Presidential Suite	Royal Suite
Jan 31-Feb 12, Feb 19-Mar 2, Mar 17-29, Mar 24-Apr 5	\$17,595	\$18,595	\$22,595	\$23,595
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Sep 8-20, Sep 19-Oct 1	\$14,495	\$15,495	\$19,495	\$20,495
Single Supplement	\$2,495	\$3,495	\$7,495	\$8,495
Oct 16-28, Nov 8-20, Dec 1-13	\$17,595	\$18,595	\$22,595	\$23,595
Single Supplement	\$3,195	\$4,195	\$8,195	\$9,195

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,795

Cairo/Luxor; Aswan/Abu Simbel/Aswan/Cairo

Journey Details

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A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore Petra, the ancient desert city in Jordan carved into solid rock, viewing its famed, pillared Treasury and learning its myriad secrets
- Roam by 4x4 through Jordan's Wadi Rum, watching the sun set over red-hued stone outcroppings and dining like Bedouins beneath desert stars
- Float with ease in the buoyant, mineral-rich waters of the restorative Dead Sea
- Cruise the Nile on intimate, exclusively chartered 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau,' visiting many iconic sites, including the Temple of Luxor and the tomb of Tutankhamun
- Enter one of the pyramids and view the enigmatic Great Sphinx on the Giza Plateau
- Discover the stunning temples of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari in Abu Simbel
- Overnight at the historic Sofitel Legend Old Cataract Aswan, where Agatha Christie stayed on the visit to Egypt that inspired her to write *Death on the Nile*

DAY 1: Arrive Amman, Jordan

Arrive in Amman, where you are met by an A&K representative and privately transferred to your hotel. **The St. Regis Amman**

DAY 2: Amman | Design Your Day

This morning, explore Amman, visiting its historic downtown, the Citadel and the impressive Roman Theater.

Later, enjoy one of these Design Your Day options.

- **Explore Third-Century Jerash**, "Pompeii of the Middle East," with its well-preserved Roman ruins, on foot.
- **Explore the Royal Automobile Museum**, where King Hussein's collection mirrors Jordan's modern history.
- Visit the Ancient Town of As-Salt, a UNESCO World Heritage Site known as a place of tolerance and hospitality.

Then, return to your hotel. The St. Regis Amman | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Wadi Rum | In the Valley of the Moon Journey this morning to Mount Nebo, in the footsteps of Moses, for expansive views of the Holy Land. Proceed to Madaba, known as the "City of Mosaics" for its spectacular Byzantine and Umayyad examples of the vividly colored local stone tiles. After lunch, travel to Wadi Rum — the "Valley of the Moon" — which you explore by 4x4, traversing rosetinted vistas and visiting a place where Lawrence of Arabia once lived. Tonight, embrace Bedouin life with a Chef's Table dinner beneath twinkling desert skies. Hyatt Rum Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Petra | The "Rose-Red" City

Explore stunning Petra, the ancient Nabataean city carved from solid rock. Enter through a narrow gap, the Siq, to view the majestic Treasury, Temple of the Winged Lions and Palace Tomb. Once a stop for camel caravans bearing spices and silk, Petra was lost for 1,000 years until it was rediscovered in 1812 by Swiss explorer Johann Ludwig Burckhardt. After lunch, relax on a drive to your hotel along the shore of the Dead Sea. **Movenpick Resort & Spa Dead Sea | Meals: B L**



DAY 5: **The Dead Sea** | Bethany Beyond the Jordan This morning, visit Bethany Beyond the Jordan on the eastern bank of the Jordan River, known as the baptism site of Jesus. Afterward, enjoy time at leisure, free to float in the restorative waters of the Dead Sea. Movenpick Resort & Spa Dead Sea | Meals: B D

DAY 6: **Cairo, Egypt** | Land of the Pharaohs Fly to Cairo. This afternoon, visit the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities (or the Grand Egyptian Museum, upon its opening) to view a vast trove of artifacts. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B DAY 7: Luxor | Cruising the Nile, World's Longest River This morning, fly to Luxor and journey to the Temple of Karnak, where generations of pharaohs wished to record their names. Walk through the Great Hypostyle Hall with its expertly aligned columns, a sight to behold. Board 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau,' embarking on a three-night cruise to discover the Nile's significant impact on ancient Egyptian civilization. After lunch, visit the striking Temple of Luxor.





Along the front of the temple pylons, there were six large statues of Ramses II (of which three remain), while behind the East Tower is the Courtyard of Ramses II. Marvel at the Colonnade of Amenhotep III, which consists of 14 papyrusheaded columns, leading to the Court of Amenhotep III. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Nile Cruise | Ancient Storied Structures Discover the Valley of the Kings, the legendary burial ground of the pharaohs, including entrance into the tomb of "the boy king," Tutankhamun. View the impressive Temple of Hatshepsut before returning to 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau'. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Nile Cruise | Stunning Temple of Horus Cruise to the Temple of Horus, the falcon-headed god. Built in 230 BC by Ptolemy III, and having spent much of the modern era buried in sand and debris, this well-preserved and colorful structure reveals what temple worship in ancient Egypt was like. Sail toward Aswan while enjoying a Scenic Sundowner overlooking the Nile. 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Aswan | Riverine Heritage

Disembark in Aswan and ride a motorized boat to Philae Temple on the island of Agilika. Continue to the impressive granite quarries and site of the Unfinished Obelisk, thought to have belonged to Queen Hatshepsut. Arrive at your historic luxury hotel. Dating back to 1899, the property was built by Thomas Cook to house European travellers, among them Sir Winston Churchill, Margaret Thatcher and Agatha Christie, whose novel, *Death on the Nile*, included this Victorian palace. Board a felucca (traditional sailboat) to Ride Like a Local as you sail around Elephantine Island, and later dine in your hotel's famed 1902 restaurant. Sofitel Legend Old Cataract Aswan | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Abu Simbel & Cairo | Twin Temples

Fly to Abu Simbel and discover the commanding twin temples of Ramses II — Egypt's longest-ruling pharaoh and his wife, Queen Nefertari. Located on the banks of Lake Nasser, this site is both an ancient and a modern engineering marvel. Return to the airport and fly to Cairo via Aswan. Check in to your hotel and spend the remainder of the day at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B

DAY 12: **Cairo** | Immersed in Antiquity on the Giiza Plateau This morning, visit the necropolis of Sakkara, site of the storied Step Pyramid of King Djoser and the oldest-known Egyptian pyramid. Then, join your expert A&K Egyptologist and discover the pyramids built for Cheops, Chephren and Mycerinus on the Giza Plateau. Take in the panorama of the Giza Plateau, backdropped by the soaring pyramids. Also see the fabled Great Sphinx, a monumental limestone statue. Tonight, toast to your travels with fellow guests at a farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Cairo at Nile Plaza | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Cairo

Transfer to the airport and board your flight home. Meals: B

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Israel Pre-Tour Group Extension 4 days from \$4,495 | Available on select departures. Explore historic sites sacred to many faiths in Jerusalem and its Old City, including the Western Wall and the Church of

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



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The St. Regis Amman blends heritage with sophistication.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Deluxe Cabin	Napoleon Suite	Farouk Suite
Jan 20-Feb 1, Feb 17-29, Feb 24-Mar 7, Mar 2- 14, Mar 9-21, Mar 16-28, Mar 23-Apr 4	\$15,495	\$16,495	\$17,495
Single Supplement	\$4,195	\$4,895	\$5,695
Mar 30-Apr 11, Apr 6-18	\$19,795	\$20,795	\$21,795
Single Supplement	\$4,695	\$5,395	\$6,195
Apr 13-25, Apr 20-May 2, Apr 27-May 9	\$15,495	\$16,495	\$17,495
Single Supplement	\$4,195	\$4,895	\$5,695
May 4-16, May 11-23, May 18-30, May 25-Jun 6, Aug 24-Sep 5, Aug 31-Sep 12, Sep 7-19, Sep 14-26, Sep 21-Oct 3, Sep 28-10	\$14,495	\$15,495	\$16,495
Single Supplement	\$3,995	\$4,695	\$5,495
Oct 5-17, Oct 12-24, Oct 19-31, Oct 26-Nov 7, Nov 2-14, Nov 16-28, Nov 23-Dec 5, Dec 7-19, Dec 14-26	\$15,495	\$16,495	\$17,495
Single Supplement	\$4,195	\$4,895	\$5,695
Dec 21-Jan 2, 2025	\$19,795	\$20,795	\$21,795
Single Supplement	\$4,695	\$5,395	\$6,195

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,475

Amman/Cairo/Luxor: Aswan/Abu Simbel/Aswan/Cairo

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Splendors of Morocco

12 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Essaouira 4-day Post-Tour Extension from \$2,795

Discover exotic Morocco, from the timeless walled city of Fez to the bustling medina in Marrakech, viewing local Berber life in the ruggedly beautiful High Atlas Mountains and staying at A&K's Exclusive Desert Tented Camp nestled among the towering dunes of the Sahara.

T A&K ADVANTAGES

- Venture into the Sahara by 4x4 and camelback for an unforgettable overnight stay at A&K's Exclusive Desert Tented Camp that includes dinner and live Moroccan music
- Explore Fez el-Bali, Morocco's cultural heart, on a guided walk through its winding alleyways and past its myriad souks
- Share lively conversation with a female professor over dinner and freely discuss the role of women in modern Morocco
- Tread the ancient Roman paths of Volubilis, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, to marvel at soaring arches and vivid, well-preserved 2,000-year-old mosaics
- Discover Marrakech at its most authentic, taking in the sights, sounds and scents of its UNESCO-listed medina
- Visit local artisans whose works still reflect the influences of Morocco's historic Roman, Moorish and Berber cultures

DAY 1: Arrive Casablanca, Morocco

Arrive in Casablanca and transfer to your luxurious accommodations, designed with contemporary styling and traditional Moroccan accents. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure in this exotic setting, the inspiration for the eponymous 1942 Humphrey Bogart film. Four Seasons Hotel Casablanca

DAY 2: **Rabat & Fez** | Ancient Traditions, Rich Heritage Begin the day in the port city of Casablanca, Morocco's largest metropolis and its commercial hub. Visit the stunning Hassan II Mosque, which accommodates up to 25,000 worshipers; its minaret stands as the tallest religious structure in the world. Then, travel to the Moorish city of Rabat, capital of Morocco, to visit the Mohammed V



Mausoleum, dedicated to the founder of modern Morocco, grandfather of the current king. View the Mauresque-style Hassan Tower and Oudaya Kasbah, along with its palmdotted Andalusian garden. Continue to Fez for a special cocktail reception. Then, sit down to a welcome dinner, joined by a female professor who shares her insights on the role of women in modern Morocco, an A&K-exclusive experience. Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Fez | Timeless Medieval City

Explore Fez el-Bali (Old Fez), the cultural heart of Morocco. Founded in the eighth century by Moulay Idris I, this imperial capital was a renowned center of medieval learning. Stroll the old quarter, with its 9,000 narrow lanes, alleys and souks, on a market visit of exceeding authenticity. Watching local craftsmen in action — working with bronze and pottery — makes for an engaging artisan visit as well. Proceed to the intricately detailed Karaouine. Built in AD 859, it is one of the oldest still-functioning universities in the world. You also visit Nejjarine Square before continuing to Fez el-Jadid (New Fez), where you see the Royal Palace, madrasas (Islamic schools) and mellah (Jewish quarter). Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Volubilis | Roman Ruins & Lunch at a Vineyard Journey overland to explore Volubilis, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that is home to some of the best-preserved Roman ruins in North Africa. With its triumphal arches, basilicas and capitals, the Volubilis skyline brims with iconic examples of Roman architecture. Among its greatest treasures, however, are the mosaic floors of former family dwellings, which include depictions of Orpheus charming



animals with his lyre, nine dolphins signifying good luck and a portrait of Amphitrite in a seahorse-drawn chariot. Proceed to a winery outside Meknes for a Chef's Table experience at an on-site restaurant set among the region's sunbathed vineyards and olive groves. Return to Fez, with your evening at leisure. Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Erfoud | Desert Oasis

Travel to small, desert-fringed Erfoud, pausing for lunch en route and marveling at everyday life as you pass Berber villages, endless date palm plantations and the majestic Atlas Mountains. After the day's scenic drive, settle into your hotel before gathering for dinner this evening. Tonight's meal is prepared with locally sourced, organic ingredients. L'Hotel by Chateau de Sable | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: The Sahara | Into the Desert Dunes

This morning, discover the fortified desert town of Rissani. Continue into the desert dunes of the Sahara, at first by fourwheel-drive vehicle, amid stunning reddish-hued sand dunes that reach up to 500 feet high, creating an otherworldly landscape. Then, switch modes of transport and Ride Like





a Local, camelback, to your nomadic tented camp, where a reception with mint tea and pastries awaits you. As the sun sets over the Saharan dunes, celebrate your unforgettable desert foray with a Scenic Sundowner. Return to your camp for a traditional meal before a campfire, along with distinctively Moroccan entertainment. Then, slumber in comfort as the sounds of the desert lull you to sleep. A&K Exclusive Desert Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Ouarzazate** | Road of a Thousand Kasbahs Journey overland to Ouarzazate, once a stopping point for African traders travelling to the cities of Morocco and Europe. En route, absorb stunning views of the High Atlas Mountains' southern slopes, intersecting the Dades Valley's flourishing crops, irrigation canals and palm trees. Travel along the "Road of a Thousand Kasbahs" to Ouarzazate and your delightful oasis of a hotel. Le Berbère Palace | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Ouarzazate | Door of the Desert

Begin the day in Ouarzazate, a city originally built as a French garrison in the 1920s. Today, it is a regional trade center, known for its pottery and carpets. See the Kasbah of Tifoultoute, a majestic 17th-century fortress featuring a panoramic view of the valley of Ouarzazate and the scenic High Atlas Mountains. Continue to Ait Benhaddou, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and home of the region's most exotic kasbahs, some of which have been featured in famous films, including *Lawrence of Arabia* and *Gladiator*. Le Berbère Palace | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Ouarzazate** | Crossing the High Atlas Mountains Journey over the High Atlas Mountains, observing everyday life in remote rural towns, to the fascinating "Red City" of Marrakech, where you check in to your luxurious hotel. Four Seasons Resort Marrakech | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Marrakech | Exploring the Red City

Today, begin to unearth the secrets of Marrakech, starting in the medina, the old walled section of town that is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Marvel at its architectural jewels, including the soaring Koutoubia Minaret. Then visit Dar Si Said Museum, originally built as a palace in the 19th century. Afterward, visit Djemaa el-Fna, Marrakech's main square, which is filled with orange juice stalls and vendors, along with acrobats, dancers and street musicians performing at every turn. You may also wish to stroll the city's fabled, labyrinthine souks. Four Seasons Resort Marrakech | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Marrakech | Design Your Day

Begin your day at Jardin Majorelle, a picturesque garden created by French painter Jacques Majorelle and later restored by design legend Yves Saint-Laurent. Stop at the Yves Saint Laurent Museum nearby for an up-close look at some of the famed designer's creations. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Learn to Cook with Moroccan Spices with a cooking demonstration and tasting.
- Explore the Souks of Marrakech with an expert guide, walking narrow streets lined with centuries-old shops.
- Enjoy a Guided Walk of the Jewish Quarter, once a thriving center of religious freedom and tolerance.

Tonight, attend a special farewell dinner with entertainment by a local gnaoua band.

Four Seasons Resort Marrakech | Meals: B D



DAY 12: Depart Marrakech

Transfer to the Marrakech airport and board your international flight home, or join an Essaouira Post-Tour Extension. Meals: B

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EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY



Essaouira Post-Tour Group Extension

4 days from \$2,795 | Available on select departures. Journey overland from Marrakech to explore the town of Essaouira, seeing its medina (old town) filled with artisan workshops and boutiques, and drive the dramatic coastline past stunning cliffs and ocean waves to Casablanca.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



A&K Exclusive Desert Tented Camp — A nomad-style desert camp with en suite facilities.



Four Seasons Hotel Casablanca *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel with traditional Moroccan accents.



Palais Faraj Suites & Spa Boutique hotel set in a former palace featuring Arab-Andalusian design.

Four Seasons Resort Marrakech *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel in a beautiful Moorish garden setting.



L'Hotel by Chateau de Sable An oasis in the middle of the desert with a refreshing swimming pool.



Le Berbère Palace Spacious, luxurious desert oasis built with flair in the Moroccan style.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 13–24, Jan 20–31, Jan 23–Feb 3	\$9,795	\$3,595
Feb 3-14, Feb 6-17	\$10,995	\$3,795
Feb 17-28, Feb 20-Mar 2, Mar 5-16, Mar 9-20	\$11,495	\$4,395
Mar 17-28, Mar 24-Apr 4	\$12,795	\$5,395
Apr 20-May 1, Apr 23-May 4, Apr 27-May 8,* Apr 30-May 11,* May 4-15 May 7-18, May 11-22, May 14-25, May 18-29, May 21-Jun 1, May 25-Jun 5, May 28-Jun 8, Jun 1-12, Aug 31-Sep 11, Sep 3-14, Sep 7-18, Sep 10-21, Sep 14-25 Sep 17-28, Sep 21-Oct 2, Sep 24-Oct 5, Sep 28-Oct 9, Oct 1-12, Oct 5-16, Oct 12-23, Oct 20-31, Oct 27-Nov 7, Nov 3-14, Nov 12-23	,	\$4,395
Nov 20-Dec 1, Nov 23-Dec 4, Nov 28-Dec 9, Dec 7-18, Dec 10-21	\$10,995	\$3,795
Dec 17-28	\$12,795	\$5,395

*Days 9-11 at Sofitel Marrakech Palais Imperial in Marrakech.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements.

Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests. Long drives should be expected on this itinerary. This is the only way to experience

the magical scenery that this exotic country has to offer.

Book Your Journey Today

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Jordan & Israel: Ancient Wonders

14 days from \$13,295 | Limited to 18 guests

Journey through two ancient lands, encountering historic sites sacred to three world faiths as you behold magnificent Petra, overnight in Wadi Rum and discover Israel, from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore Petra, the ancient desert city in Jordan that was carved into solid rock, viewing its famed Treasury and learning its myriad secrets
- Overnight in Jordan's Wadi Rum, dining Bedouin-style amid red sands and towering rock formations and sleeping beneath the sparkling desert sky
- Relax in the buoyant, restorative waters of the mineral-rich Dead Sea
- Experience the contrasts of ancient and modern Israel as you explore the Old City of Jerusalem, where people of three faiths live side by side within ancient walls, in a setting steeped in history
- Learn about modern local life from a Christian family during an A&K-exclusive private lunch at their home in Bethlehem
- Discover additional UNESCO World Heritage Sites, including Bethany Beyond the Jordan, Masada and Acre

DAY 1: Arrive Amman, Jordan

Arrive in Amman, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Amman

DAY 2: Amman & Jerash | Ancient Roman Streets Today begins with a visit to Jerash, a city founded by Alexander the Great, to marvel at its Greco-Roman ruins. Walk the Roman cardo, viewing grooves made by chariot wheels. Return to Amman and, after lunch at a local restaurant, explore the city and its Citadel and Roman Theater. Tonight, gather for a festive welcome dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Amman | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Mount Nebo/Madaba | Design Your Day This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.



- Set Out on a Walking Tour of Amman to experience this fascinating, modern capital city from ground level.
- Visit King Abdullah Mosque, with its iconic blue dome, and admire the contemporary architecture of this mosque commemorating the first king of Jordan.
- **Relax in the Four Seasons Spa**, indulging in the spa facilities and a 50-minute massage.

Journey to Mount Nebo, in the footsteps of Moses, for expansive views of the Holy Land. After lunch, proceed to Madaba, known as the "City of Mosaics" for its spectacular Byzantine and Umayyad examples. Finish the day with check-in at your hotel in close proximity to Petra. Mövenpick Resort Petra | Meals: B L

DAY 4: **Petra** | From the Rose-Red City to Wadi Rum Spend a full day exploring Petra, passing through the Siq to view the majestic Treasury, the Temple of the Winged Lions and the Palace Tomb. Once a rich merchant city and a stop for camel caravans bringing spices, silk and slaves from Arabia to the Mediterranean, Petra was lost for 1,000 years, emerging from antiquity in 1812 when it was rediscovered by the Swiss explorer Johann Ludwig Burckhardt. Later, depart for Wadi Rum — the Valley of the Moon — which, with its immense size, color and awe-inspiring shapes, creates an almost supernatural atmosphere. Tonight, experience a Bedouin dinner and stargazing at your comfortable desert camp. Saraya Rum Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Wadi Rum | Across the Valley of the Moon This morning, venture into the rose-tinted mountains and marvelous desert vistas where T.E. Lawrence (Lawrence of



Arabia) lived with his Bedouin friends and allies during World War I. Bedouin camps are evident in the wadi (valley), which is still home to a number of Bedouin families. Traverse Wadi Rum by four-wheel-drive vehicle, and then Ride Like a Local, on camelback, to take in the stunning landscape in an unforgettable way. This afternoon, travel north to the Dead Sea and settle into your accommodations upon arrival. Kempinski Hotel Ishtar Dead Sea | Meals: B L

DAY 6: The Dead Sea | Bethany Beyond the Jordan Today, visit Bethany Beyond the Jordan, known as the place of Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist. This UNESCO World Heritage Site features Roman and Byzantine remains and is a place of pilgrimage for many. Return to your resort hotel for time at leisure and a float in the buoyant, mineral-rich waters of the Dead Sea. Kempinski Hotel Ishtar Dead Sea | Meals: B

DAY 7: **Jerusalem, Israel** | The Garden of Gethsemane Cross into Israel and drive to the Mount of Olives for a view over the Temple Mount (Al Haram el-Sharif). Visit the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus is said to have prayed with his disciples before his crucifixion. Stroll Machane





Yehuda, Jerusalem's largest food market, which takes up an entire neighborhood between Yafo and Agripas. Enjoy lunch and experience the market's vibrant energy. After a full day, check in and later, dine at your hotel's restaurant. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Jerusalem | Epicenter of Faiths

Join your expert local guide for a full day's exploration of the Old City, with its four corners: Christian, Muslim, Armenian and Jewish. Start at the Cardo, in the center of the Jewish Quarter, then stop at the Western Wall, Judaism's most sacred site and a tangible link between Israel's past and present. In the background, view the Temple Mount area with its mosque of the Dome of the Rock. After lunch at a local café, walk the Stations of the Way of the Cross to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Witness the devotion and prayer exhibited by many denominations, here at the momentous sites of the Crucifixion and the Tomb of Christ. Later, visit the Israel Museum to view the Second Temple Model, the Shrine of the Book and a portion of the Dead Sea Scrolls. Finish with a refreshing Scenic Sundowner overlooking the city. **The King David | Meals: B L**

"On our Jordan and Israel journey with A&K we witnessed the respect on display between religions, and our guides were beyond our expectation."

– Luis; January 2023

DAY 9: **Bethlehem** | Yad Vashem & Lunch in a Family Home Visit Yad Vashem, Israel's memorial to Holocaust victims and witness how its striking art and architecture frame compelling exhibits devoted to remembrance, research and education. Drive to Bethlehem, located in the West Bank, for a lunch served in the home of a local family, enjoying an authentic cultural interaction, on an A&K-exclusive Chef's Table experience. Then, visit the Church of the Nativity, a sixth-century basilica that stands over a cave held to be the birthplace of Jesus. Dine tonight at a top restaurant in Jerusalem. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Masada | Zealot Stronghold

Explore Masada, built by King Herod in 31 BC atop a rocky plateau with views of the Dead Sea. Take a cable car up to this final stronghold, where Jewish Zealots made their last stand against the Romans, ultimately taking their own lives rather than becoming enslaved. Return to Jerusalem for lunch and an afternoon at leisure. The King David | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Acre & Nazareth | Jesus' Boyhood Town Drive to Acre, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the world's oldest ports, to see the Crusader Halls, markets and the old town. Then, journey to Jesus' boyhood town of Nazareth. After lunch, visit the Church of the Annunciation, built on the traditional site of Mary and Joseph's home. Continue to Tiberias and your hotel, which occupies a historic building along the Sea of Galilee. Prior to dinner, experience an artisanal wine talk and tasting organized by a professional sommelier. Scots Hotel | Meals: B L D



DAY 12: Sea of Galilee | In the Footsteps of Jesus

Embark on a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. View the Mount of Beatitudes, site of the Sermon on the Mount, and stop at Capernaum to see the remains of the ancient synagogue where Jesus taught as well as St. Peter's house, which was later converted into a church. After lunch, drive to the Golan Heights to learn about the rich history and strategic importance of this rugged landscape. A source of the Jordan River, it was home to the Tribe of Dan and has remains dating to the Roman, Hellenistic and Persian periods. Gather tonight for a memorable farewell dinner. Scots Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Tel Aviv & Jaffa | Artist Quarter

Visit Caesarea, built to honor Augustus Caesar and later occupied by the Crusaders. Discover Israel's largest city, Tel Aviv. Located along a beautiful stretch of beach on the Mediterranean, Tel Aviv is Israel's commercial center — a busy metropolis that inspires visitors with a unique and energetic atmosphere. Set out on a walking tour of Jaffa, an ancient port town that has become a noted artists' colony, located just south of Tel Aviv. Dan Tel Aviv Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 14: Depart Tel Aviv

After breakfast, transfer to the Tel Aviv airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



The King David

Historic Jerusalem property, a *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel, with rooms overlooking the Old City, spacious gardens and an outdoor swimming pool.



Scots Hotel Stay in a luxurious room at this unique, historic hotel.



Four Seasons Hotel Amman *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel set in the heart of Jordan's capital city.



Mövenpick Resort Petra Ideally located just steps from the entrance to Petra.



Dan Tel Aviv Hotel Relaxing accommodations near the beach, shopping and dining. 3 and and

Kempinski Hotel Ishtar Dead Sea Travel + Leisure World's Best hotel perched on the edge of the Dead Sea.



Saraya Rum Camp Private luxury camp featuring Bedouin-style tents, in Wadi Rum.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jan 17-30, Jan 24-Feb 6, Jan 31-Feb 13, Feb 7-20, Feb 14-27, Feb 21-Mar 5, Feb 28-Mar 12, Mar 6-19, Mar 13-26, Mar 20-Apr 2, Mar 27-Apr 9, Apr 3-16, May 1-14, May 8-21, May 15-28, Jun 5-18, Aug 28-Sep 10, Sep 4-17, Sep 11-24, Oct 30-Nov 12, Nov 6-19, Nov 13-26, Nov 20-Dec 3, Nov 27-Dec 10, Dec 4-17, Dec 18-31	\$13,295	\$5,495

Journey Details

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Book Your Journey Today

Egypt, Morocco & Beyond

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Israel: Crossroads of History

9 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover a land held sacred by three faiths, from Jerusalem to Nazareth, on a comprehensive journey that reveals the complex history of the land, its people and sacred sites.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Walk the bustling streets of the Old City of Jerusalem, where people of diverse faiths live side by side
- Explore at a relaxed pace, with four days in Jerusalem, visiting the Western Wall, the Church of the Holy Sepulchre and the Via Dolorosa, and personalizing your experience
- Visit Yad Vashem, with its stunning architecture, Israel's memorial to the victims of the Holocaust
- Cruise on the Sea of Galilee, visit Capernaum and view the site of the Sermon on the Mount
- Learn about local life from a Christian family during an A&Kexclusive private lunch at their home in Bethlehem
- Delve into the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Masada, the last stronghold of the Jewish Zealots

DAY 1: Arrive Tel Aviv, Israel

Arrive in Tel Aviv, where you are met and transferred to your hotel overlooking the Mediterranean Sea. Dan Tel Aviv Hotel

DAY 2: Caesarea & Acre | Capitals & Seaports

Drive to the ancient Roman capital, Caesarea, where Herod laid out a city and constructed a revolutionary, artificial harbor. View a partial inscription mentioning Pontius Pilate, the only secular reference to his existence. Then, visit the UNESCO-listed seaport city of Acre to tour the Knights' Halls, view the El Jazaar Mosque and explore the elaborate covered markets. Gather for a Chef's Table welcome dinner and savor a menu created to highlight Israel's vibrant culinary scene. Scots Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Sea of Galilee | To the Time of Jesus & Earlier Begin a day that carries you back in history, exploring sites associated with early Christianity and its shared roots with Judaism. Cruise the Sea of Galilee and view Tabgha, where



the feeding of the 5,000 is commemorated, and the Mount of Beatitudes, site of the Sermon on the Mount. Continue to Capernaum, home of St. Peter and the synagogue where Jesus taught. Drive to Banias, a source of the Jordan River where archaeological remains dating back millennia have been discovered. Cap off the day with a sommelier-hosted Israeli wine tasting in the hotel's wine cellar. Scots Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Nazareth | Sites of the New Testament

Today, discover Nazareth, the town where Jesus spent much of his life, to see the Basilica of the Annunciation and an area below the Church of St. Joseph, thought by some to be the site of Joseph's carpentry shop. Traverse the Jordan Valley to the Decapolis city of Beit Shean. Later, arrive in Jerusalem. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Jerusalem | Spiritual Epicenter

Begin today at the Mount of Olives for a view of the city, and visit the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus prayed with his disciples. Then, explore the fascinating Old City of Jerusalem, built by King David in 1004 BC, pausing at the Western Wall, Judaism's most sacred site and a tangible link between Israel's past and present. In the background, view the Temple Mount area (Al Haram el-Sharif) with its mosque of the Dome of the Rock. In the Christian Quarter, walk along the Stations of the Way of the Cross, a route trod by Pilgrims for hundreds of years. Your day culminates at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, witnessing the devotion and prayer exhibited by many denominations at the momentous sites of the Crucifixion and the Tomb of Christ. The King David | Meals: B L



DAY 6: **Jerusalem** | Yad Vashem & Private Family Lunch Visit Yad Vashem, Israel's poignant and moving memorial to Holocaust victims. Continue to the Israel Museum, which houses a portion of the Dead Sea Scrolls and the impressive Second Temple Model. Drive to Bethlehem, located in the West Bank, for an A&K-exclusive private lunch with a local Christian family in their home, and enter the Church of the Nativity, built upon the birthplace of Jesus. Conclude your day with a Scenic Sundowner that offers inspirational views of the Old City. The King David | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Masada | Zealot Stronghold

Ride Like a Local by cable car up to Masada, last stronghold of the Jewish Zealots who held out for three years against the Romans. Float in the Dead Sea before returning to Jerusalem for a special farewell dinner. The King David | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Jerusalem | Design Your Day

Enjoy an early morning walk of the Temple Mount. Stop for lunch at the Machane Yehuda Market. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- **Explore the Historic Jewish Quarter** for site visits of the stunning new discoveries excavated at the City of David.
- See More of the Christian Quarter, with the opportunity to view the tomb within the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.
- Revisit the Old City to see the Tower of David and wander myriad alleyways, home to local merchants for centuries.

Afterward, return to your hotel. The King David | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Depart Tel Aviv

Transfer to Ben Gurion Airport for your flight home. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



The King David *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel overlooking the Old City, with spacious gardens and an outdoor pool.





Scots Hotel One-of-a-kind, historic hotel on the shore of the Sea of Galilee.

Dan Tel Aviv Hotel Relaxing accommodations near the beach, shopping and dining.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 11-19, Feb 18-26, Feb 25-Mar 4, Mar 10-18, Mar 17-25, Mar 24-Apr 1, Apr 7-15	\$9,795	\$4,495
Apr 28-May 6, May 5-13, May 12-20	\$9,995	\$4,895
Aug 25–Sep 2, Sep 1–9, Sep 8–16, Sep 15–23, Sep 22–30	\$9,795	\$4,495
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Nov 24-Dec 2, Dec 1-9, Dec 8-16	\$9,795	\$4,495

Journey Details

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Oman & the Emirates: The Sands of Time

11 days from \$11,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Celebrate the rich tapestry of history, culture and innovation that lies at the cornerstones of Oman and the United Arab Emirates, two nations boasting both ultra-modern metropolises and timeless traditions that take you on a journey back in time.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Traverse the desert landscape on camelback to an overnight camp, where you relax with a refreshing cocktail and savor a private barbecue dinner accompanied by an oud player for a magical evening of traditional Bedouin hospitality
- Speak with a local Omani scholar who discusses the Islamic faith, during a visit to the Grand Mosque in Muscat
- Marvel at the soaring walls of Nizwa Fort and Jabrin Castle, imposing testaments to Oman's enduring legacy of trade
- Visit two rural villages near Jabal Al Akhdar and absorb breathtaking views of the dramatic landscapes they overlook
- Gain insight into Emirati heritage at the Abu Dhabi Falcon Hospital and Museum, and experience the culturally rich Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque
- Get a bird's-eye view of Dubai's skyline from the observation deck of the world's tallest skyscraper, Burj Khalifa, and roam through its medieval souks

DAY 1: Arrive Muscat, Oman

Arrive in Muscat, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Al Bustan Palace, A Ritz-Carlton Hotel

DAY 2: $Muscat \mid$ Fusion of Old & New

Begin your exploration of Muscat at the Grand Mosque, a contemporary architectural marvel showcasing an enduring tradition of regional artistry and craftsmanship. Explore the basic tenets of Islam with a local scholar in the mosque's main prayer room, a vast space adorned with intricate chandeliers and handwoven carpets. Continue your exploration of Muscat's fascinating fusion of old and new at the Royal Opera House Muscat. Constructed by the same team responsible for the Grand Mosque, it embodies



a similar synergy of contemporary construction and timehonored tradition. Afterward, visit the National Museum. Housed in the heart of Old Muscat, it features artifacts depicting Oman's cultural and historical heritage. Stop at the Al Alam Palace before lunch, and then return to your hotel for an afternoon at leisure, followed by a welcome dinner. Al Bustan Palace, A Ritz-Carlton Hotel | Meals: B L D



Immerse yourself in the region's diverse cultures, witnessing vibrant local traditions as they play out during the course of everyday life.

DAY 3: Muscat | Historic Port City

Continue to discover the splendors of Muscat, starting in the historic port city's Muttrah Souk, a traditional Omani market filled with frankincense, silver handicrafts and gold jewelry. Next, head to the local market with a chef who assists you in selecting ingredients for your interactive Chef's Table experience. Learn about Omani dishes and share your lunch with local students, on this A&K-exclusive experience. After leisure time at your hotel, Ride Like a Local on a sunset dhow (traditional fishing boat) cruise exploring the city's port and coast beyond, taking in an iconic seascape traversed by sailors for centuries. Pause in a scenic cove for a photo opportunity set against a spectacular backdrop. Al Bustan Palace, A Ritz-Carlton Hotel | Meals: B L



DAY 4: Wahiba Sands | Under the Desert Stars

Follow the coast to Sur, passing through the village of Quriyat and seeing Bimah Sinkhole. Continue to Wadi Tiwi, with its deep, narrow gorges carved from towering seaside cliffs. Stop at a dhow factory before proceeding to the undulating red and white dunes of Wahiba Sands, noting the villages that cling to the slopes of the rugged mountainside en route. Upon reaching camp, set out to discover the boundless dunes by 4x4 vehicle, and then continue into the desert sunset, riding camelback, to enjoy a Scenic Sundowner. Tonight's barbecue dinner, accompanied by a local oud (lute) player, is set beneath the desert stars. Desert Nights Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Jabal Al Akhdar | Endless Mountain Vistas This morning, visit Wadi Bani Khalid, distinguished by the caves scattered around its corners. Continue exploring the region with a visit to Jabrin Castle, the finest surviving example of Oman's 17th-century fortresses. This former bastion of astrology, medicine and Islamic law showcases elegantly painted ceilings, intricate woodcarvings and other period details. After lunch, continue through the





Al Hajar mountain range. Perched some 6,600 feet above sea level, your vantage on a ridge of Jabal Al Akhdar (the Green Mountain) affords commanding views of the rugged canyons below. Check in to your accommodations, a melding of traditional Omani construction techniques, local stones and contemporary architecture. Alila Jabal Akhdar | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Jabal Al Akhdar | Exploring at Leisure

This morning, enjoy a short walk around the villages of Saiq, Wadi Bani Habib and Al Ain, overlooking a spectacular landscape of dramatic peaks, gorges, and wadis and where rose water is distilled in the homes of the villagers. After lunch, the balance of the afternoon is at leisure. Alila Jabal Akhdar | Meals: B L D



Travel back in time as you lose yourself in the myriad winding passageways and hidden corridors of imposing Jabrin Castle.

DAY 7: Jabal Al Akhdar/Abu Dhabi, UAE | Nizwa Fort Visit the 17th-century trading enclave of Nizwa, passing through the city's arched gateway to explore its iconic fort, bustling souk, fascinating silversmith shops and deeply rooted Islamic traditions. After lunch, travel overland to Muscat and fly to Abu Dhabi, where you check in to your luxury accommodations on Saadiyat Island. St. Regis Saadiyat Island Resort | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Abu Dhabi | Cultural Capital

One of the wealthiest and most modern city-states in the world, Abu Dhabi is renowned for its stunning cityscapes, modern developments, and contributions to contemporary art and culture. Begin your exploration of the city at the Abu Dhabi Falcon Hospital and Museum, gaining insight into this fascinating bird of prey and its integral role in the Emirati's heritage. This afternoon, visit Qasr al Watan, a working presidential palace that has hosted world leaders for official visits. St. Regis Saadiyat Island Resort | Meals: B D



Go behind the scenes at the Abu Dhabi Falcon Hospital and Museum, learning the cultural significance of these captivating birds of prey.

DAY 9: **Dubai** | Modern Marvels

After breakfast, visit the magnificent Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque, widely renowned as Abu Dhabi's crowning jewel. The mosque accommodates the world's largest Persian carpet, seven crystal chandeliers and some 41,000 worshipers. Take in the majesty of this vast architectural marvel, gaining a deeper understanding of the mosque's vital role in local culture and Islamic traditions. Next, drive to Dubai, taking in sights of this stunning city along the way. Pause to enjoy lunch and interact with an interesting local resident, providing you further insight into Emirati culture. Then, continue exploring Old Dubai, strolling the aromatic



spice market and making your way to the modern Deira Gold Souk, a market specializing in some of the world's purest gold. Check in to your hotel, where the evening is at leisure. Palace Downtown | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Dubai | City in the Sky

Today, explore New Dubai and its iconic skyscrapers. Begin at Burj al Arab, a striking architectural marvel evoking the sail of a dhow. Next, visit the world's tallest skyscraper, Burj Khalifa, an engineering masterwork measuring a staggering 2,716 feet high (2,722 feet if you count the antennae). Topping out in late 2008, this neofuturistic wonder bested both the Willis (formerly Sears) Tower and Taipei 101 by considerable margins. Soaring over the cityscape, your vantage point affords breathtaking views. Return to your hotel for an afternoon at leisure. Later this evening, gather for a farewell dinner with your fellow guests. Palace Downtown | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Depart Dubai

Transfer to the airport and board your homebound flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Al Bustan Palace, a Ritz-Carlton Hotel

Nestled between the Al Hajar Mountains and the Sea of Oman, this luxury hotel affords a sunny beachfront oasis just minutes from Muscat.



Desert Nights Camp Secluded Bedouin oasis set beneath the twinkling desert stars.



Alila Jabal Akhdar

Alila Jabal Akhdar Luxurious hideaway nestled within the Al Hajar Mountains.



St. Regis Saadiyat Island Resort Beachfront contemporary luxury hotel offering resort amenities.

Palace Downtown Arabian-inspired hotel set in the heart of Dubai.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 5-15, Nov 4-14, Dec 2-12	\$11,995	\$4,795

Internal Air: Economy class from \$425 Muscat/Abu Dhabi

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Saudi Arabia: A Kingdom Revealed

9 days from \$17,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Journey deep into the heart of once-inaccessible Saudi Arabia to explore the pre-Islamic cities of Hegra and Dadan and go off-roading through the desert of AIUIa. Learn firsthand about the modern

Saudi state and discover the roles tradition and modernization play in its continuing development, as you explore dynamic Riyadh as well as historyladen Jeddah, set beside the Red Sea.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Be among the first to explore a mysterious yet welcoming kingdom, which has only recently opened for tourism
- Gain insight into the ruling Al Saud dynasty and its influence on the history of the region during a three-night stay in the capital city, Riyadh
- Take in the magnificent rock-cut tombs of Hegra in AIUIa, a Nabatean site with ties to Jordan's Petra
- Appreciate the blend of tradition and modernity as you stroll narrow streets lined with coral houses in Jeddah
- Admire the modern art found on Jeddah's Corniche, along the Red Sea's turquoise waters

DAY 1: Arrive Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Arrive in Riyadh, original homeland of the ruling Al Saud family and now the nation's capital city, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Mandarin Oriental Al Faisaliah, Riyadh

DAY 2: Riyadh | Riding Camelback

After a morning at leisure, travel outside the city to a camel farm and enjoy the opportunity to Ride Like a Local, on camelback, before lunch. Return to the city and venture to the top of Kingdom Tower, taking in expansive views of the city. This evening, enjoy a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. Mandarin Oriental Al Faisaliah, Riyadh | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Riyadh** | The Saudi Royal Heritage Explore the National Museum, a UNESCO World Heritage



Site that tells the complete story of Arabian history. Continue to Masmak Fort, in Riyadh's old quarter, and then stroll through Dirah Souk, a market renowned for colorful textiles, from silk to luxurious pashminas. Enjoy a traditional lunch of Saudi specialties, served family-style, on a palate-pleasing Chef's Table demonstration. This afternoon, visit UNESCOlisted Diriyah, the original home of the royal family. Walk the old town to admire its palace, houses and marketplace. Then, meet with a local expert from the antiquities or creative sectors to hear about recent changes in Saudi society. Mandarin Oriental Al Faisaliah, Riyadh | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: AlUla | Oasis in the Desert

Fly into the Arabian Desert to AlUla and transfer to your hotel. Set in a spectacular valley, with date palm groves that line the banks of a wadi (dry riverbed) and red sandstone cliffs rising on either side, AlUla was once a trading hub on the historic Incense Route. Later, view iconic Elephant Rock, shaped by erosion to resemble a massive pachyderm, and sip a Scenic Sundowner of juice or tea. **Banyan Tree AlUla** | **Meals: B D**

DAY 5: AlUla | Mysterious Hegra

Today, explore Hegra, a UNESCO World Heritage Site only open to the public since 2020 that features a towering carved façade revealing its Nabatean connection to Petra in Jordan. Also discover the Nabatean Well, Qasr Al Bint, Diwan Tomb and Al Farid Palace. After lunch at a local restaurant, enjoy your afternoon at leisure. This evening, you may choose to explore AlUla's Old Town to view its architecture and wander among its cafés and shops. Banyan Tree AlUla | Meals: B L

DAY 6: AlUla | Ancient Discoveries Revealed Journey overland to Jabal Ikmah, situated in a stunning



desert canyon. This "open-air library" has an impressive collection of inscriptions carved into its stone cliffsides, most dating to the first millennium BC. Continue to nearby Dadan, once the capital of the ancient kingdom of the Lihyanite and Dadanite civilizations, to learn about the treasures uncovered from excavations at this active archaeological site. Banyan Tree AlUla | Meals: B

DAY 7: AlUla/Jeddah | Historic Crossroads

This morning, stop for photos at Maraya, a dazzling concert hall rising out of the desert that is the world's largest mirrored building, and take in panoramic views of AlUla at Harratt view point. Then, fly to Jeddah, Saudi Arabia's commercial capital and the main gateway to Mecca, the holiest city in Islam. Shangri-La Jeddah | Meals: B

DAY 8: Jeddah | Turquoise Shores of the Red Sea Head to Al-Balad, Jeddah's old quarter, a bastion of traditional architecture. Visit some of its Hejazi houses, constructed from coral and reinforced with wooden beams, including the beautiful Nasif House, built in the 1850s. After lunch, stroll the Corniche, a waterfront promenade beside the sparkling Red Sea, and behold the extraordinary array of modern sculpture on display. View King Fahd's Fountain, and then enjoy and A&K-exclusive visit to Al Makkiah House, a striking example of traditionally preserved Hijazi architecture. Gaze upon the "floating mosque," which appears to drift on the water's surface. This evening, savor your farewell dinner. Shangri-La Jeddah | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Jeddah

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Mandarin Oriental Al Faisaliah, Riyadh Contemporary luxury hotel featuring spacious, elegantly appointed rooms and suites with 24-hour butler service, situated in the heart of the city.





Banyan Tree AlUla Desert retreat with luxury tented villas set in stunning surroundings. Shangri-La, Jeddah Contemporary luxury hotel located along the shores of the Red Sea.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 8-16, Oct 24-Nov 1, Nov 7-15	\$17,495	\$7,895
Internal Air: Economy class from \$595		

Internal Air: Economy class from \$595 Riyadh/AlUla/Jeddah

Journey Details

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Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Australia

13 days from \$39,995 | Limited to 11 guests

On a luxurious journey that spans Australia by private air, from the diverse landscapes of Tasmania to Melbourne's famed winelands and Sydney's eclectic treasures, encounter rare wildlife, view mystical Uluru at sunrise and sunset, privately explore the Great Barrier Reef and cruise iconic Sydney Harbour.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover the advantages of private air, flying in comfort between destinations aboard an exclusively chartered aircraft with a dedicated flight crew
- Venture to the island state of Tasmania, where you take in the offbeat art at MONA, get up close to magnificent raptors on an A&K-exclusive experience and meet the endangered Tasmanian devil
- Experience the Great Barrier Reef on a full-day private cruise that also visits renowned Whitehaven Beach
- Enjoy three nights at award-winning Saffire Freycinet, a sophisticated coastal sanctuary in the wilds of Tasmania, and relax on a luxurious two-night stay at Longitude 131° – a five-star tented eco-camp with views of majestic Uluru
- Take in the best of Sydney, embarking on private cruise of Sydney Harbour on a luxury yacht followed by a private behind-the-scenes visit to the Sydney Opera House

DAY 1: Arrive Melbourne, Australia

Arrive in Melbourne, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Explore Melbourne's landmarks before gathering with your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Park Hyatt Melbourne | Meals: D

DAY 2: Melbourne | Yarra Valley Winelands

Set out for the renowned Yarra Valley, stopping at a winery for behind-the-scenes access to the winemaking team. Then, sit down to a private paired-wine master class with canapés, followed by lunch with matched wines introduced by a sommelier. Next, visit another winery, where you delight in an exclusive barrel-room tasting at their vineyard. Park Hyatt Melbourne | Meals: B L



DAY 3: Tasmania | MONA & Exclusive Raptor Refuge Visit This morning, fly by privately chartered aircraft to Hobart, the capital of Tasmania. Upon arrival, transfer to Raptor Refuge for an A&K-exclusive insider access experience with the refuge owner. Visit its aviaries and observe wedge-tailed eagle, falcon and owl up close. Later, head to the Museum of Old and New Art (MONA) to view its striking exhibits and savor lunch with paired wine at its restaurant. Drive up Tasmania's dazzling east coast to your luxury boutique lodge located on the Freycinet Peninsula. Tonight, enjoy dinner and drinks at Palate Restaurant while gazing out at the wide expanses of Great Oyster Bay. Saffire Freycinet | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Tasmania** | Tasmanian Devils & Oyster Farm Join a local guide at your lodge's open-range Tasmanian devil enclosure for a rare encounter with the world's largest carnivorous marsupial, and learn about the conservation work being done to save it. Following lunch, visit Freycinet Marine Farm, where you wade waist-deep into the ocean to feast on their freshly shucked, award-winning oysters, sparkling wine in hand, on a memorable Chef's Table experience. Listen as your guides explain this important wetland and the life cycle of the oysters. Saffire Freycinet | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Tasmania** | Design Your Day This morning, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- ▶ Walk with a Guide to the Wineglass Bay Lookout to view its white-sand beaches and diverse flora and fauna.
- Learn the Art of Beekeeping from a horticulturalist and take a hand in extracting honeycomb from the hive.

PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED

Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft

Embraer Legacy 600 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Melbourne-Hobart (1 hr 15 min) Hobart-Uluru (3 hr 30 min) Uluru-Hamilton Island (2 hr 45 min) Hamilton Island-Sydney (2 hr 30 min)



Great Barrier Reef on a three-night Hayman Island stay

Kayak Pelican Bay for Outstanding Bird-Watching, paddling crystal-clear waters with an expert guide.

After lunch back at the lodge, the remainder of the day is at leisure. Saffire Freycinet | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Uluru | The Undeniable Presence of Uluru Fly by private charter aircraft to Uluru (Ayers Rock) and transfer to your luxury tented camp overlooking the UNESCO-listed wilderness of Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. This afternoon, with chilled glass in hand, witness the changing light reflected on Uluru for an unforgettable Scenic

Sundowner. Tonight, enjoy exclusive dining among the dunes set to the sounds of an ancient indigenous culture, and feast on four delicious courses complemented with premium Australian wines. Later, view the Southerly stars with your camp's astronomer. Longitude 131° | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Uluru** | Sunrise Over the Olgas

Rise early and set out for Kata Tjuta (the Olgas), stopping to view sunrise over its majestic domes. In the company of your guide, walk through Walpa Gorge and learn how eons of weathering and continental upheaval have shaped





Tasmania Adds a New Twist to Classic Aussie Adventure

Dangled about 180 miles off the southeast corner of Australia, the island state of Tasmania is an under-discovered jewel. It boasts amazingly diverse landscapes, many of which reside in protected national parks and reserves, including dense rainforests, soaring mountains and rugged coastlines broken by long stretches of white-sand beach.

Tasmania also features its own share of unusual wildlife, most famously the Tasmanian devil, a fierce carnivorous marsupial endemic to the island. Guests on Wings Over Australia enjoy the rare opportunity to observe Tasmanian devil in a recreated habitat during a three-night stay at amazing Saffire Freycinet, a resort set on the island's east coast featuring luxurious suites that offer privacy and easy access to a nearby estuary.

Other accommodations on this wide-ranging adventure that echo that same combination of contemporary luxury in a distant setting include Longitude 131° overlooking Uluru in the timeless Outback and InterContinental Hayman Island Resort, which places you squarely in the heart of the Great Barrier Reef.

Linking remote locales — including surprising Tasmania — with must-see cities like Melbourne and Sydney is the hallmark of a Wings Over the World journey: unique, immersive and unforgettable.



today's stark landscapes. This afternoon, return to Uluru and traverse the Mala Walk, pausing to view cave paintings and sources of bush tucker. Later, see the walls of Kantju Gorge ablaze with the light of the setting sun as you sip sparkling wine and nibble on canapés, savoring the solitude of the gorge as the daylight fades. Longitude 131° | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Hayman Island | Walking Sacred Sites Beside Uluru Early this morning, discover peaceful Mutitjulu Waterhole and the sacred site of Kuniya Piti as the sun lights up ancient Uluru. Walk with your guide, who shares the Anangu creation story of Kuniya and Liru, for a deeper perspective on the striking monolith. After breakfast, board a private charter flight to Hamilton Island, and then Ride Like a Local, embarking by launch to Hayman Island, where your idyllic resort awaits — nestled in the heart of the Great Barrier Reef. InterContinental Hayman Island Resort | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Hayman Island** | Exploring the Great Barrier Reef Experience a full day in the Great Barrier Reef on your stylish private vessel. Snorkel the local fringing reefs, observing the riot of color and movement provided by local denizens in the crystal-clear waters. After lunch, visit Whitehaven Beach, located in the heart of the reef. Discover for yourself why this unspoiled shoreline strand is widely considered one of the most beautiful beaches in the world. InterContinental Hayman Island Resort | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Hayman Island | A Day at Leisure Enjoy a day at your leisure, relaxing or choosing from included activities, such as a guided nature walk, fish feeding and kayaking. InterContinental Hayman Island Resort | Meals: B

DAY 11: **Sydney** | The Spectacular Harbour City Early this morning, fly to Sydney by privately chartered aircraft, enjoying a city tour on arrival. Sink your toes in the sand at the surfer's paradise of Bondi Beach and stroll the boutique shops of Paddington, a neighborhood filled with Victorian and Georgian architecture. Transfer to your luxury hotel, perfectly set near Sydney Harbour. Four Seasons Hotel Sydney | Meals: B L

DAY 12: **Sydney** | Harbour Cruise & Opera House Visit This morning, embark on a privately chartered luxury yacht to cruise scenic Sydney Harbour, admiring landmarks, including the Sydney Harbour Bridge and the Sydney Opera Houses. Back on shore, stop for lunch at a local restaurant, and then commence your guided behind-the-scenes visit to the magnificent Sydney Opera House. Following some time at leisure in the afternoon, gather for your farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Sydney | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Sydney

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Saffire Freycinet Award-winning luxury coastal sanctuary on Tasmania's East Coast.



Longitude 131° Eco-friendly luxury tented camp overlooking UNESCO-listed Uluru.



InterContinental Hayman Luxury island resort located in the heart of the Great Barrier Reef.





Four Seasons Hotel Sydney Contemporary luxury hotel with views of the Sydney Harbour.

Park Hyatt Melbourne Luxurious hotel ideally situated in the bustling heart of the city.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 18-Mar 1, Mar 24-Apr 5	\$39,995	\$13,495
Oct 28-Nov 9, Nov 11-23	\$46,995	\$13,495

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements Minimum age is 10 years.

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Tasmania

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Venture through stunningly diverse natural settings, from Australia's fabled Outback and Great Barrier Reef to New Zealand's dazzling Milford Sound, and experience cultural and culinary wonders in the region's most stylish cities.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Relax during a luxurious stay at Longitude 131°, a five-star tented eco-camp with unparalleled views of majestic Uluru
- Swim and snorkel on the Great Barrier Reef, discovering its many splendors firsthand on a full-day excursion
- See the sights of Sydney Harbour on a private cruise, and then privately explore the iconic Sydney Opera House
- Experience insider access and up-close interaction with Australian animal species, including koala, on a privately guided visit to Wildlife Habitat Port Douglas
- Get a feel for Aussie rural life on a private visit to a working cattle station and authentic family homestead in Queensland, an A&K-exclusive experience
- Cruise New Zealand's Milford Sound amid soaring, glaciercarved mountain peaks that reflect in its pristine waters
- Discover life in Queenstown as you visit the private home and gallery of a world-renowned local artist and savor a private wine tasting at a local vineyard

DAY 1: Arrive Melbourne, Australia

Arrive in Melbourne, where you are met and transferred to your luxurious hotel, with your room pre-registered by A&K for immediate check-in. Roam Melbourne's fine arts and sporting precincts as well as its lush parklands, and view cultural and historic highlights, such as the State Library and the Royal Exhibition Building. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. Park Hyatt Melbourne | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Melbourne** | City of Magnificent Architecture This morning, join a local expert guide as you explore the heart



of Melbourne on foot, and then Ride Like a Local by tram. Take in the city's rich and varied architectural landscape and stroll through its labyrinth of atmospheric arcades and alleyways, home to trendy cafés and eclectic boutiques, not to mention graffiti and street art. Following lunch at a local restaurant, enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. **Park Hyatt Melbourne | Meals: B L**

DAY 3: **Palm Cove** | Tropical Beach Paradise Fly to Cairns, gateway to the Great Barrier Reef. Upon arrival, transfer up the coast to your hotel in Palm Cove, a charming, cosmopolitan beach-side village, where you dine tonight. The Reef House | Meals: B D

DAY 4: **Great Barrier Reef** | Exploring Underwater Gems Embark by boat on a full-day exploration of the Great Barrier Reef, a dazzling UNESCO World Heritage Site. Join onboard marine biologists for guided snorkeling expeditions of two different reef locations, and discover the marvelous aquatic wonders inhabiting each, viewing the teeming undersea life — including distinctive coral formations and colorful schools of fish — up close, before an exhilarating cruise back to port. The Reef House | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Outback Queensland** | Private Koala Visit Travel overland to Wildlife Habitat Port Douglas, which you explore privately with a park ranger, enjoying access to the koala and wallaby enclosures as well as the opportunity to hold a koala in your arms, on an A&K-exclusive experience. Also, visit the Wildlife Care Center for rescued wild and injured animals and explore the park at your leisure. Next, head out to a cattle station on the rich, fertile tablelands. You are personally welcomed onto this private property and into the historic homestead, which remains the family home. Built



in 1878, it offers you a wonderful insight into the pioneering heritage of Australia. Following a hearty Aussie barbecue lunch on the verandah, hear a talk on cattle from the station's owner about their commercial beef cattle and the family's sustainable land management practices. Also witness a whip cracking demonstration by the station master, and then try your hand at this venerable cattleman's skill. Return to your hotel for time at leisure. The Reef House | Meals: B L

DAY 6: **Uluru** | An Undeniable Presence Fly to Uluru (Ayers Rock), where upon arrival you are transferred to your luxury tented camp — Longitude 131° overlooking the UNESCO World Heritage-listed wilderness of Uluru-Kata Tjuta National Park. Enjoy lunch on site, and later, savor a Scenic Sundowner, with chilled glass and canapé in hand, witnessing the changing light reflected on Uluru's surface as the sun slips below the horizon. Tonight, dine among the dunes to the sounds of an indigenous culture and feast on four delicious courses complemented with Australian wines. Later, join your camp's resident astronomer to observe the southerly constellations. Longitude 131° | Meals: B L D





DAY 7: Uluru | Sunrise Over Kata Tjuta

Rise early and set out for Kata Tjuta (the Olgas), stopping to view sunrise over its majestic domes. In the company of your guide, walk through Walpa Gorge and learn how its stark landscapes were shaped. Return to Uluru and journey along the Mala walk at its base, pausing to view cave paintings and sources of bush tucker. Later, see the walls of Kantju Gorge ablaze with the light of the setting sun. Sip sparkling wine and nibble on canapés, savoring the solitude of the gorge as the daylight fades. Longitude 131° | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Sydney | Luxury in the Rocks

Fly to Sydney and settle into your hotel near the historic Rocks District, in the heart of the city's best shopping, dining and attractions. Sydney's appeal is wide-ranging, from its stunning harbor and iconic skyline to its fascinating museums and famed Bondi Beach. It is a world-class city that pulses with the energy of its diverse and cosmopolitan inhabitants. Four Seasons Hotel Sydney | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Sydney | Harbor Cruise and Opera House

After breakfast, privately cruise Sydney Harbour, viewing the city's inspiring highlights, including the Sydney Opera House and Harbor Bridge. Back on shore, gather for lunch at the iconic Sydney Opera House, followed by a privately guided backstage experience. Four Seasons Hotel Sydney | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Sydney | A Day at Leisure

Finish your journey in Australia with a day at your leisure, until dinner tonight. Four Seasons Hotel Sydney | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Wellington, New Zealand | An Eclectic Capital This morning, fly to Wellington, New Zealand's trendsetting capital, where you encounter authentic "Kiwi" life. This afternoon, take in highlights of this buzzworthy center of art and cuisine. Ascend by cable car to a scenic outlook point for incredible views over Wellington Harbour and the city to cap your inspiring day. InterContinental Wellington | Meals: B D

DAY 12: Wellington | Design Your Day

Set out on foot to gain an insider's understanding of the locals and a delightful Chef's Table experience, joining your guide for tastings of coffee, chocolate, gelato and cheeses in foodie hotspots only the locals know. Then, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit the Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa to view its vast collection of cultural and indigenous treasures.
- e-Bike the Wellington Waterfront, learning about key historical figures that shaped the city's heritage as you ride.
- Walk the Wellington Waterfront with a Guide who recounts local legends and stroll to a chic shopping district.

Return to your hotel. InterContinental Wellington | Meals: B

DAY 13: Queenstown | Exploring the City

Fly to Queenstown, located on New Zealand's South Island. Upon arrival, explore the city, visiting the famed bungee-jump site and the Lake Hayes area, and then enjoy lunch. Afterward, check into your luxurious hotel. Tonight, dine at a local restaurant. Sofitel Queenstown Hotel & Spa | Meals: B L D

DAY 14: **Queenstown** | Magnificent Milford Sound This morning, fly to Milford Sound (weather permitting), taking in the stunning alpine views along the way. Upon arrival, board a spacious vessel for a tour of the sound's
Asia, India & the Pacific

majestic scenery. Cruise New Zealand's southern fjords amid towering cliffs, viewing sparkling waterfalls while watching for wildlife, such as seals basking on the rocks or dolphins frolicking in the water. Return by air to Queenstown for an evening at leisure. Sofitel Queenstown Hotel & Spa | Meals: B

DAY 15: **Queenstown** | Private Artist Visit & Wine Tasting Today, privately visit the home and gallery of a worldrenowned local artist to learn about the artist's history and techniques. Stop at a local restaurant for a delicious lunch served with paired wines, and then proceed to a local winery for a private tour and a wine tasting. **Sofitel Queenstown Hotel & Spa | Meals: B L**

DAY 16: Auckland | Guided Gallery Visit

Fly to Auckland, where you visit the Auckland Museum to take in a cultural performance and go on a guided walk of He Taonga Maori Gallery. This evening, gather for a special farewell dinner. **Park Hyatt Auckland** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 17: Depart Auckland

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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Learn how MONA helped shape Tasmania into a cultural epicenter, view stunning vistas and stay at MACq 01 Hotel.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Award-winning, eco-friendly luxury tented camp offering a secluded ambience and overlooking majestic, UNESCO-listed Uluru (Ayers Rock).



Four Seasons Hotel Sydney Contemporary luxury hotel with views of the Sydney Opera House.



Park Hyatt Melbourne Luxurious hotel, ideally situated in the bustling heart of the city.



The Reef House

Luxury, boutique hotel with views of Palm Cove Beach and the Coral Sea.



InterContinental Wellington Luxury hotel centrally located on the city's waterfront.

Sofitel Queenstown Hotel & Spa Luxury accommodation located steps from scenic Lake Wakatipu.



Park Hyatt Auckland Luxury hotel in Auckland, perfectly located on the water's edge.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 14-30, Jan 21-Feb 6, Feb 4-20, Feb 11-27, Feb 25-Mar 12, Mar 17-Apr 2, Mar 31-Apr 16, Apr 15-May 1, Sep 22-Oct 8, Oct 6-22, Oct 13-29, Oct 29-Nov 14, Nov 3-19	\$19,995	\$8,895

Dec 11-27	\$20,995	\$9,095

Internal Air: Economy class from \$4,325

Melbourne/Cairns/Uluru/Sydney/Wellington/Queenstown/Milford Sound/ Queenstown/Auckland

Journey Details

Minimum age is 16 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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FESTIVAL

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Papua New Guinea: Mount Hagen Festival

13 days from \$13,995 | Limited to 16 guests

Experience intimate, once-in-a-lifetime access to vibrant tribal cultures that have remained unchanged for centuries, cruising an exotic river and exploring one of the most remote corners of the globe on a scenic journey that culminates with the spectacular celebration of the Mount Hagen Cultural Show.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Enjoy two days at the world-renowned Mount Hagen Cultural Show as nearly 100 tribes gather to honor their heritage with a dazzling spectacle of song, dance, pageantry and tradition
- Take a three-night cruise on the Karawari River, winding past unspoiled villages where everyday life revolves around the river, and marveling at the diverse landscapes, pristine rainforests and exotic birdlife of the Sepik Region
- Relish intimate interactions with distinctive cultures spanning the lowlands of the Sepik Region and the highlands of Tari and Mount Hagen, including the flamboyant Huli Wigmen, whose dances and songs are fashioned after the mating rituals of the bird of paradise

DAY 1: Arrive Brisbane, Australia

Arrive in Brisbane, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Refresh from your travels and prepare for the exciting journey ahead. This evening, enjoy a welcome dinner served at the hotel. **Hyatt Regency Brisbane | Meals: D**

DAY 2: Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea | Island Gateway Fly to Papua New Guinea, an island chain of undisturbed indigenous tribes and sweeping natural beauty. Arrive in Port Moresby and visit the Port Moresby Nature Park, where you are introduced to the nation's distinctive cultures and hundreds of rare native animal species, including tree kangaroo. Transfer to your hotel nestled in a lush botanical garden. Tonight, dine privately at a top local restaurant on a Chef's Table experience featuring freshly caught seafood and locally sourced ingredients. Airways Hotel | Meals: B D



DAY 3: **Tari** | Lush Canopy of the Southern Highlands This morning, board your flight to Tari, soaring over dramatic highland peaks. Upon arrival, transfer to your secluded lodge perched at 7,000 feet in Papua New Guinea's spectacular Southern Highlands. In the afternoon, set out on a guided nature walk through the lush forest, keeping an eye out for exotic birds of paradise. A favorite destination of birders, the rainforests surrounding the lodge have starred in many wildlife documentaries. A staggering 217 species of exotic birds have been recorded here, including 13 different species of bird of paradise. Stroll in this serene oasis among orchids, rhododendrons, vine bridges, mountain streams and secluded waterfalls, logging your exotic sightings as your expert guide shares insights perfect for novices and seasoned birders alike. Ambua Lodge | Meals: B L D



Discover the Huli culture with village tours and local performances, the most vibrant and colorful in the country.

DAY 4: **Tari** | Cultures of the Highland People This morning, embark on the first of two days of cultural immersion among the tribes of the Tari. Learn how the highland people of Tari maintain the cultural traditions of body decoration and face painting, as well as the wearing of decorative wigs, flowers and moss. Ambua Lodge | Meals: B L D



DAY 5: Tari | Ancestral Legacy of the Huli Wigmen Embark on another day of exploration revealing the culture of the highland people. Widely regarded as one of the most recognizable of Papua New Guinea's indigenous peoples, the Huli Wigmen captivate with traditional dances fashioned after the mating rituals of birds of paradise. Take in the magic of the scene, absorbing an indelible impression of the vibrant tribal traditions the Huli Wigmen have so carefully preserved for generations. Ambua Lodge | Meals: B L D DAY 6: Sepik Region | Secluded Riverine Wilderness This morning, board your charter flight to a private airstrip secluded deep within the riverine wilderness of the Sepik region. Upon arrival, Ride Like a Local by small boat to your lodge, where you are greeted with lunch. After settling in, embark on a river safari exploring the Karawari, a remote tributary of the mighty Sepik. This region is one of the most remote and unspoiled destinations in all of Papua New Guinea. Here, the river is central to daily life, with men paddling narrow dugout canoes full of goods for trade, women fishing or making meals and children joyfully



Take in the magnificent rainforest vistas of Mount Hagen





splashing along the river bank. Watch for examples of tribal art on display; each village boasts a unique style and every villager is an artisan. Notice there are no roads or shops the people live completely off the land and river, weaving baskets for catching fish and gathering their staple food, the sago palm. This afternoon, visit a nearby village to learn how this vital resource is harvested and prepared for consumption by local tribal members. Karawari Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Sepik Region | Cast off for Adventure

Today, board 'Sepik Spirit,' your floating home for the next three nights. Settle into life aboard this three-level, 98-foot river cruiser. Onboard amenities include a lounge, dining room, bar, screened-in observation deck, air conditioning and nine comfortable cabins with en suite bathrooms. Your riverboat home is an oasis in this remote jungle, affording an exceptional vantage point on the riverine wilderness around you. After lunch on board, embark on your voyage of discovery along the Karawari River. 'Sepik Spirit' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Sepik Region** | Villages of Black Water Lake After breakfast aboard, disembark for a full-day excursion to the remote villages of Black Water Lake. Bask in your warm island welcome as you observe a way of life that has remained largely unchanged for centuries. Learn about the local rituals, warfare, ceremonies and ancestral beliefs, visiting the various houses of the village. Browse tribal handicrafts such as masks, flutes and spirit figures in the villages' low-pressure markets. Relax with a picnic by the forested banks of the Karawari River, watching as local men gather on their clan's bench, children paddle canoes to school and women fish with hand lines. 'Sepik Spirit' | Meals: B L D DAY 9: Sepik Region | Tribes of the Mumeri & Mindimbit Disembark onto the banks of Mumeri, a remote village whose people have preserved their ancestral traditions for centuries. Take in the same warm village welcome enjoyed here by pioneering anthropologist Margaret Meade over 80 years ago. Next, cruise to the confluence of the Krosmeri and Karawari rivers, where you rendezvous with 'Sepik Spirit' for lunch. Continue on to visit the village of Mindimbit, taking in the spectacular carvings and elaborate coming-of-age rituals of the locals. Rejoin 'Sepik Spirit' for your final night aboard, enjoying a relaxing Scenic Sundowner as you cruise back toward Karawari. 'Sepik Spirit' | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: **Mount Hagen** | Voices of the Sing Sing Festival This morning, fly by private charter to Mount Hagen. On approach, watch the mountains rise and then fall away as you descend into the verdant Wahgi Valley. Upon arrival, enjoy the first of two days at the Mount Hagen Cultural Show, a festive gathering of more than 50 coastal, lowland and highland tribal groups. Gain insider access to a privileged experience few travellers can claim as you immerse yourself in a festival of the locals, for the locals — a bold, joyful proclamation of tribal pride. Rondon Ridge | Meals: B L D



Devote two days to the Mount Hagen Cultural Show, an annual sing sing festival and gathering of nearly 100 tribes, where each shares its cultural heritage and customs. DAY 11: **Mount Hagen** | Spectacular Cultural Show Enjoy another day experiencing the sing sing festival. Marvel as the participants engage in sing sings, lively ancestral songs and dances displaying their diverse and distinctive cultural heritages. Witness an unmatched spectacle of color, music and motion as heirloom feathered headdresses, brilliantly painted faces and dyed grass skirts weave to the driving beat of traditional drums and the rousing voices of the tribesmen. Lose yourself in the sights and sounds of the rollicking festival, gaining a deeper insight into the enduring traditions that help define this unique corner of the world. This afternoon, return to Port Moresby. Airways Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Brisbane, Australia | A Parting Glimpse

Today, fly to Brisbane. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner and recap your amazing experience with your fellow travellers. Hyatt Regency Brisbane | Meals: B D

DAY 13: Depart Brisbane

After breakfast, you are transferred to the airport for your departure. Meals: B

AVAILABLE AGAIN



Papua New Guinea: The Goroka Festival

13 days from \$13,995 | Internal Air from \$5,895 | Sep 5-17 Discover an independence celebration like no other on A&K's Papua New Guinea: The Goroka Festival. This itinerary reveals the rarely witnessed spectacle of Papua New Guinea's annual Independence Day celebrations, a vibrant kaleidoscope of song, dance and tradition drawing over 100 local tribes. In addition to your revealing immersion into the seldom-seen celebrations, this itinerary affords the opportunity to fly in and out of the festival each day. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for complete details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



'Sepik Spirit' Deluxe cabin aboard a 98-foot, air-conditioned river cruiser.



Rondon Ridge Eco-friendly lodge commanding vast panoramas of the Wahgi Valley.



Hyatt Regency Brisbane Contemporary luxury hotel with Horizon Club guest rooms.



Ambua Lodge Thirty roundhouses embrace ecologically responsible practices.



Karawari Lodge Remote boutique lodge secluded deep within the Sepik wilderness.



Airways Hotel Spacious rooms nestled in the hotel's own botanical gardens.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Aug 8-20	\$13,995	\$5,295

Internal Air: Economy class from \$4,595

Brisbane/Port Moresby/Tari/Sepik Region/Mount Hagen/Port Moresby/Brisbane

Journey Details Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 8 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails lodging in basic accommodations and active elements such as walking over steep, uneven jungle terrain.

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Classic Japan

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Discover the incredible breadth of Japan's culture and history, from the contemporary flair of Tokyo to the charms of traditional Kyoto, visiting historic temples, overnighting at a sought-after ryokan and sampling culinary treasures.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Behold the exalted flowering cherry trees, known locally as sakura, or view the vivid red leaves of autumn
- Experience neon-lit Tokyo and feel the vitality of this buzzy world capital, playing taiko drums and visiting a seafood market
- Stay at Gôra Kadan, one of the country's most exclusive ryokans (traditional inns), thanks to A&K's small group size
- Zoom by bullet train along the classic stretch past majestic Mount Fuji to Osaka, where you savor a foodie experience in the renowned Dotonbori district
- Immerse yourself in the rich cultural heritage of Kyoto as you discover the art of the tea ceremony, witness sumo wrestling and take part in a special geisha dinner

DAY 1: Arrive Tokyo, Japan

Arrive in Tokyo, Japan's exciting and modern capital. Transfer to your hotel, located near the Imperial Palace. Four Seasons Hotel Tokyo at Otemachi

DAY 2: Tokyo | Spiritual Centers & Exclusive Workshop This morning, visit Asakusa Kannon Temple. This colorful pagoda-style temple was completed in 645 and is dedicated to Kannon, the goddess of mercy in several East Asian spiritual traditions. Continue to a family-owned workshop that specializes in Japanese drum making — and try your hand at playing the taiko — on an A&K-exclusive experience. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before exploring the Tokyo National Museum, the oldest national museum in Japan and home to a vast collection of Japanese art and antiquities. Continue to Meiji Shrine, a Shinto complex dedicated to an emperor that



was rebuilt after World War II. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Tokyo at Otemachi | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Tokyo | Design Your Day

Start your day at a local fish market, a bustling hub of Japanese daily life boasting a dizzying array of seafood. Then, receive a lesson in sushi making, followed by lunch, during a Chef's Table experience. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Explore the Mori Art Museum to take in local contemporary art.
- Learn the Secrets of the Samurai Warriors and test your sword skills during a private class led by a modern-day master samurai.
- Indulge in a Sake Tasting, sampling some of Japan's finest sake and learning about its cultural importance.

Return to your hotel for an evening at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Tokyo at Otemachi | Meals: B L

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DAY 4: Hakone | Traditional Ryokan

Travel to Hakone, among Japan's most popular hot-spring destinations, and immerse yourself in the stunning beauty of



Fuji-Hakone-Izu National Park. Board an aerial tram rising above the wooded slopes for inspiring views of Mount Fuji. Enjoy lunch before strolling the grassy hillsides of Hakone's Open Air Museum. Admire the impressive contemporary sculptures and artwork on display, including pieces by Henry Moore and Rodin. The museum also features one of the world's finest Picasso exhibits, with over 100 works by the cubist master. Tonight, experience unparalleled service and traditional Japanese cuisine at Gôra Kadan, a top-rated ryokan (traditional inn), which is also your accommodation for the night. Gôra Kadan | Meals: B L D DAY 5: Osaka | Dotonbori District Delicacies After breakfast at your ryokan, visit the Okada Museum of Art to view its stunning collection of paintings, ceramics, lacquerware and bronzes from Japan, Korea and China. Then, Ride Like a Local by bullet train to Osaka. Historically known as a merchant city, it is today renowned as Japan's undisputed culinary capital, where diners indulge in everything from octopus dumplings to okonomiyaki, a battered, grilled concoction of chopped cabbage, meat or seafood, and seaweed, topped with mayonnaise. This evening, take in city views, refreshing drink in hand, on a





Scenic Sundowner before you set out on a foodie tour in the popular Dotonbori District, sampling dishes from the brilliantly lighted and gastronomically creative restaurants that line the street. **The St. Regis Osaka | Meals: B L**

DAY 6: Nara | Insights into a Profoundly Spiritual Heritage Travel to Nara, Japan's first capital, to visit Todai-ji, a temple complex and UNESCO World Heritage Site that contains the largest bronze Buddha statue in Japan. Proceed to Nara Park, home to hundreds of deer, venerated here as divine spirits, which you have the opportunity to feed by hand. Complete your Nara excursion with a visit to celebrated Kasuga Taisha Shrine, and experience a Shinto ceremony firsthand. Pause for lunch at a local restaurant before proceeding to the Kehaya-za Sumo Pavilion, where you observe a demonstration of this fabled Japanese sport by two sumo wrestlers. Return to your hotel, where you enjoy dinner. The St. Regis Osaka | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Kyoto** | The Golden Pavilion & Bamboo Grove Travel into Kyoto early this morning to contemplate the iconic Zen rock garden at Ryoan-ji, the perfect spot for a meditative moment, and discover the glittering Kinkaku-ji Temple (Golden Pavilion) — covered with gold leaf and surrounded by green gardens — casting its delicate reflection in the tranquil pond beside it. After lunch, explore the Arashiyama neighborhood, including the garden of Tenryu-ji Temple. Later, bask in the magical atmosphere of Arashiyama Bamboo Grove, strolling along a winding path as sunlight filters down through towering bamboo shoots, considered by many a healing experience. **Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto** | Meals: B L DAY 8: **Kyoto** | Hillside Views & Tea Traditions Visit Kiyomizu-dera Temple for stunning views of Kyoto. Proceed to a local temple to experience the art of the tea ceremony, noting its refined sense of hospitality and etiquette, which dates to the time of the samurai. Tonight, savor traditional Japanese cuisine while an attending geiko (as a geisha is known in Kyoto) and maiko (apprentice geisha) dance, sing, pour sake and share stories about life in modern Kyoto. Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Depart Kyoto

After breakfast, transfer to Kansai International Airport or Itami Airport, both located just outside of Osaka, for your flight home, or begin a post-tour extension to Hiroshima. Meals: B

CHERRY BLOSSOMS & RED LEAVES



Springtime in Japan is glorious, with the iconic sakura (cherry blossoms) on full display. Likewise, fall's red maple leaves are inspiring to behold. Choose from select departures for the chance to set eyes on them. See Dates & Pricing, next page, for specific departures.

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Private Japan is available as a ready-to-book journey, priced from \$17,395. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.





Nikko Pre-Tour Extension

3 days from \$3,495 | Available on select departures. Set out from Tokyo by bullet train to beautiful Nikko. Visit the glittering Toshogu Shrine with its iconic Yomeimon Gate, behold breathtaking Kegon Waterfalls and take part in a purification ritual, a meditation and a fire ceremony.



Hiroshima Post-Tour Group Extension

3 days from \$3,995 | Available on all departures.

Journey from Kyoto to the historic town of Uji, and visit Byodoin Temple and Tale of Genji Museum. Proceed to Osaka for an overnight stay. Ride by bullet train to Hiroshima and visit the Peace Memorial Park and Museum, and see the Itsukushima Shrine. Return to Osaka to depart.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Gôra Kadan Intimate ryokan (traditional inn) located in Hakone National Park.





Four Seasons Hotel Tokyo at Otemachi — New, luxurious hotel near the Imperial Palace.



The St. Regis Osaka Luxurious, award-winning hotel located near the city center.

Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto Beautiful and contemporary hotel set among tranquil gardens.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Mar 1-9	\$12,995	\$6,495
Mar 8-16,* Mar 11-19*	\$14,795	\$6,895
Mar 15-23,* Mar 18-26,* Mar 22-30,* Mar 25-Apr 2,* Mar 29-Apr 6,* Apr 1-9,* Apr 5-13,* Apr 8-16*	\$15,995	\$7,695
Apr 12-20, Apr 15-23, May 6-14, May 10-18, May 13-21, May 17-25, May 20-28, May 24-Jun 1, Sep 16-24, Sep 23-Oct 1, Sep 30-Oct 8, Oct 7-15, Oct 14-22, Oct 18-26, Oct 25-Nov 2,** Nov 1-9,** Nov 15-23,** Nov 22-30,** Nov 29-Dec 7**	\$14,995	\$6,995

*Best opportunity to see the cherry blossoms of spring. Yearly timing varies slightly. **Best opportunity to view the red leaves of fall. Yearly timing varies slightly.

Journey Details

This journey includes long walks.

Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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South Korea & Japan: Cultural Legacies

11 days from \$18,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Explore two vastly different and evolving national legacies – each steeped in rich heritage and tradition – and each poised on the cutting edge of tomorrow's cultural and technological horizons.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Visit the demilitarized zone (DMZ) separating North and South Korea, including the Third Tunnel
- Discover South Korea's imperial legacy in the temples and monuments of historic Gyeongju
- Take in a dazzling array of exotic seafood in Busan's bustling Jagalchi, the largest fish market in South Korea
- Savor the time-honored tradition of a Japanese tea ceremony in a Kyoto temple
- Learn the finer points of appreciating Japanese sake during a local brewery visit and tasting
- Ride on a high-speed train as you travel along an iconic route passing majestic Mount Fuji
- Experience the art of sushi making with help from a local expert in Tokyo

DAY 1: Arrive Seoul, South Korea

Upon arrival in Seoul, you are met and transferred to your hotel in the heart of the bustling capital. Four Seasons Hotel Seoul

DAY 2: $Seoul \mid$ Echoes of Empires Past

Begin your exploration of this vibrant city with a visit to Gyeongbokgung Palace. Commissioned in the 14th century, the palace has risen from the ashes of conquest several times throughout its storied past. Today, the palace endures as the largest of Seoul's five historic palaces, its compound housing a wealth of museums, gardens and architectural wonders. Next, browse the revealing cultural exhibits of the National Folk Museum. Continue to Bukchon Hanok Village, a collection of hundreds of hanoks (traditional houses)



dating back to the 14th century. After a lunch of traditional Korean barbecue, stop at bustling Gwangjang Market, one of the oldest and largest traditional street markets in South Korea, and home to over 5,000 shops. This evening, join your fellow guests for a welcome dinner at the hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Seoul | Meals: B L D



Browse the day's catch – both familiar and exotic – at Busan's vibrant Jagalchi Fish Market.

DAY 3: Seoul | A Peninsula Divided

Today, head north to join a shared tour of the demilitarized zone (DMZ), a hotly contested border region that has divided the Korean Peninsula since 1953. Delve deeper with a tour of the Third Tunnel, a highly secured, mile-long corridor linking the two countries. At Odusan Unification Observatory, look out across the DMZ line toward North Korea. Then, visit Dorasan Train Station, its (as yet) unused international customs facilities a symbol of hope for the future reunification of north and south. Return to Seoul for an afternoon at leisure, exploring the city on your own or relaxing at the hotel. Later this evening, embark on a street food tour in Seoul's exciting Myeong-Dong neighborhood, sampling everything from Korean egg toast to hotteok (sweet Korean pancakes). Four Seasons Hotel Seoul | Meals: B L



DAY 4: Busan | Coastal Connections

Board a high-speed train to Busan, South Korea's second largest city and one of the world's busiest ports. Walk the narrow lanes of colorful Gamcheon Culture Village, and then enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. Afterward, browse the Jagalchi Fish Market, taking in a vast array of exotic seafood, before stopping at the United Nations Cemetery, a solemn memorial that is the final resting place of more than 2,000 Korean War veterans. Check in to your accommodations and settle in with a refreshing Scenic Sundowner as you look out over the bay. Park Hyatt Busan | Meals: B L D DAY 5: **Gyeongju** | Temples of the Silla Dynasty Travel outside Busan to Gyeongju, former capital of the Silla Dynasty, a kingdom that ruled Korea from 668 to 935. Begin your exploration with a visit to Bulguksa Temple, one of Korea's most iconic structures. Perched atop a series of stone terraces, the temple's 33 steps represent Buddhism's 33 stages to enlightenment. The temple was all but destroyed in a 16th-century conflict with Japan. Lovingly rebuilt, it endures today as the crowning glory of Silla architecture. After lunch, visit Tumuli-gongwon, a large park with 23 tombs of Silla monarchs and family members. Explore further at the nearby





Gyeongju National Museum and its exhibits showcasing treasures discovered within the tombs themselves. Return to Busan for an evening at leisure. Park Hyatt Busan | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Osaka & Kyoto, Japan | Foodie's Adventure Fly to Osaka, Japan, where you enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. Visit Dotonbori, the bustling heart of this foodie capital, where diners indulge in everything from octopus dumplings to okonomiyaki, a battered and grilled concoction of chopped cabbage, meat or seafood, and seaweed. Continue on to historic, temple-filled Kyoto, and check in to your beautiful hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto | Meals: B L D



Stroll Osaka's atmospheric Dotonbori, a bustling canal-front promenade of striking neon signs, diverse restaurants and endless people watching.

DAY 7: **Kyoto** | The Golden Pavilion & Bamboo Grove This morning, contemplate Kyoto's iconic Zen rock garden at Ryoan-ji, the perfect spot for a meditative moment, and discover the glittering Kinkaku-ji Temple (Golden Pavilion). Covered with gold leaf, the temple casts its delicate reflection in a tranquil pond. After lunch, explore the Arashiyama neighborhood, including the garden of Tenryu-ji Temple. Dating back to the 14th century, the temple buildings themselves were destroyed and rebuilt over the course of several conflicts, while its stunning garden has survived the centuries in its original glory. Later, bask in the magical atmosphere of Arashiyama Bamboo Grove, strolling along a winding path as sunlight filters down through towering bamboo shoots — considered by many a healing experience. Return to your hotel for an evening at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Kyoto | Traditional Tea & Sake Tasting

This morning, visit a local temple where you experience the art of the tea ceremony, noting its refined sense of hospitality and etiquette, which date to the time of the samurai. Continue to the 10,000 torii gates of Fushimi Inari Shrine. This Shinto shrine is renowned for its visually striking tunnel comprised of thousands of vermilion torii gates that line a network of trails leading into the wooded forest of Mount Inari. After lunch at a local restaurant, visit a local sake brewery to gain a deeper appreciation of this national spirit and enjoy a tasting. This evening, savor traditional Japanese cuisine while an attending geiko (as a geisha is known in Kyoto) and maiko (apprentice geisha) dance, sing, pour sake and chat about life in Kyoto. Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Tokyo** | Heart of the Great Metropolis This morning, transfer to Kyoto Station and Ride Like a Local as you board a high-speed train bound for Tokyo. Hurtling along in excess of 170 miles per hour, your route affords a glimpse of Mount Fuji's iconic profile. Upon arrival, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. This afternoon, visit colorful Asakusa Kannon Temple before continuing to a family-owned workshop that specializes in Japanese drum making, and try your hand at playing the taiko, on an A&K-exclusive experience. Check in to your hotel and gather



with your fellow guests for dinner at a local restaurant. The Ritz-Carlton, Tokyo | Meals: B L D



Learn to make sushi like a pro with tips from a local expert at a hands-on demonstration in Tokyo.

DAY 10: Tokyo | Sushi Making

Start your day at Tsukiji Fish Market, a bustling hub of Japanese daily life boasting a dizzying array of seafood. Then, embark on a culinary adventure as a local chef leads a hands-on sushimaking class, followed by lunch, for a memorable Chef's Table experience. Explore the Tokyo National Museum, the oldest national museum in Japan and home to a vast collection of Japanese art and antiquities. Next, visit the sacred Meiji Jingu Shrine and stroll along the city's famed Omotesando Street. Tonight, enjoy cocktails and a farewell dinner at your hotel. The Ritz-Carlton, Tokyo | Meals: B L D

DAY11: Depart Tokyo

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight home. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Four Seasons Hotel Seoul Contemporary luxury hotel nestled among Seoul's glittering skyline.



Four Seasons Hotel Kyoto Beautiful contemporary luxury hotel set among tranquil gardens.



Park Hyatt Busan Deluxe hotel overlooking Busan's bustling harbor and marina.



The Ritz-Carlton, Tokyo Luxurious *Travel + Leisure* World's Best hotel in the Roppongi district.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates		Single Supplement
May 3-13, May 17-27,* Oct 11-21, Nov 1-11*	\$18,495	\$7,695
Internal Air: Economy class from \$575 Busan/Osaka		

*Days 4-5 at Signiel Busan.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements.

Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Note: The visit to the DMZ is highly regulated, and entails shared touring with non-A&K guests and on non-A&K vehicles.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Taiwan: Natural & Cultural Riches

10 days from \$12,295 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover the rugged natural beauty and rich cultural history of the island nation of Taiwan, as you venture from the Qing Dynasty-era temples of Taipei to the lush forests, narrow gorges and alpine peaks of Taroko National Park, learn the intricacies of harvesting tea and meet an expert who explains Taiwan's pivotal place in world politics.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Delve into Taiwan's fascinating history, exploring the National Palace Museum and learning about the island's political situation from an expert
- Venture between the sheer marble walls of Taroko Gorge to behold landscapes worthy of a Chinese scroll painting
- Traverse the scenic Cross Island Highway, which ascends from sea level through tropical rainforest to alpine heights
- Sample Taiwan's unique culinary culture with a scallion cake making class and a visit to a night market
- Learn about the heritage of Taiwan's Chinese and Aboriginal populations

DAY 1: Arrive Taipei, Taiwan

Arrive in Taipei, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Mandarin Oriental, Taipei

DAY 2: **Taipei** | A Nation's Place in History & Geopolitics Explore the city, starting at the National Palace Museum, viewing artifacts that span eight centuries. Visit the National Revolutionary Martyrs' Shrine, and then stop for lunch at a local restaurant. Proceed to the Longshan Temple, dedicated to the Bodhisattva Guanyin, and enter the Chiang Kai-shek Memorial before a guided walk of Dihua Street, dotted with tea and tailor shops. This evening at your hotel, attend a welcome dinner highlighted by a talk on regional geopolitics by a local professor. Mandarin Oriental, Taipei | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Yilan | Whiskey Tasting & Scallion Making Journey to Yilan County on Taiwan's scenic northeast coast.



Visit the local Kavalan whiskey distillery and taste a dram or two, and then partake in a hands-on Chef's Table experience, learning the art of making Yilan's famous scallion cakes, a delicious national tradition. After lunch at a local restaurant, journey to Taroko National Park, taking in coastal landscapes of rugged beauty en route. On arrival, check in to your hotel, where you dine tonight. Silks Place Taroko | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Taroko National Park** | Classic Natural Vistas Explore Taroko National Park, home to the soaring, marblewalled Taroko Gorge, where you drive and walk amid magnificent vistas that evoke the images found in Chinese scroll work. Continue to Swallow Grotto, hiking to elegant shrines and glittering waterfalls, and experiencing an almost ethereal ambience. Enjoy lunch before visiting the visually stunning Tunnel of Nine Turns. Silks Place Taroko | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Sun Moon Lake** | Unexpected Alpine Views Set out early for Sun Moon Lake, crossing the island's towering central mountain range. Ascend through cloud and pine forests to Hehuanshan, savoring breathtaking alpine views. Continue to Sun Moon Lake, set in a lush valley. After lunch at a local restaurant, check in to your hotel. This evening, enjoy a Scenic Sundowner, basking in the surrounding grandeur. The Lalu | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **Sun Moon Lake** | Tea Plantation Visit & Tasting Explore the Sun Moon Lake area, ancestral home of the indigenous Thao people. Visit Wenwu Temple, and then ride a cable car up to an observation tower to marvel at the scenic panoramas. Next, view this beautiful setting by private boat. Back on shore, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant in Ita



Thao Cultural Village and gain insight into Thao cultural traditions. The Lalu | Meals: B L

DAY 7: **Tainan** | Savory Secrets of the Night Market After a relaxing morning, visit a tea plantation for lessons in planting tea, picking leaves and processing them, and sip a freshly made cup of this organic treasure. After lunch at a local restaurant, set out for Tainan, a historic city established by the Dutch East India Company as a lucrative hub for trade. Noted for its many temples, Tainan also offers a diverse culinary culture complete with bustling food markets. Tonight, discover this thriving scene on a guided visit to the city's vibrant night market. Shangri-la Far Eastern, Tainan | Meals: B L

DAY 8: **Tainan** | Streets that Reveal Cultural Riches Today, begin at the Anping Fort, a site central to historic events from the Qing Dynasty to World War II. Walk nearby streets, viewing time-worn stalls and shops, and admiring the architecture. Visit exquisitely preserved Shennong Street before time at your leisure for lunch. Tonight, dine at your hotel. Shangri-la Far Eastern, Tainan | Meals: B D

DAY 9: **Taipei** | The Modern Charms of Taiwan's Capital Board a bullet train and Ride Like a Local to Taipei, arriving in time for lunch. Explore the dazzling Taipei 101, the world's tallest "green structure." Also visit Huashan 1914 Creative Park, once a sake winery and today a dynamic cultural venue. Tonight, gather for a farewell dinner. Mandarin Oriental, Taipei | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Depart Taipei

Transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Mandarin Oriental, Taipei Award-winning luxury hotel set in the city's bustling Songshan District.



The Lalu Contemporary luxury hotel offering wonderful views of Sun Moon Lake.



Silks Place Taroko Deluxe hotel nestled amid soaring mountains in Taroko National Park.



Shangri-la Far Eastern, Tainan Contemporary hotel ideally situated in the city center.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Mar 1-10, Oct 18-27	\$12,295	\$3,595

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails visits to sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Nepal & Tibet: From the Jungle to the Roof of the World

12 days from \$8,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Venture from the lofty Himalaya to the wild jungle as you flightsee Mount Everest, track one-horned rhino in Chitwan National Park, explore Lhasa's Potala Palace and unwind in the lush foothills of Dhulikhel.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover the cultural treasures of Kathmandu Valley, Lhasa's Tibetan heritage and the wilds of Chitwan National Park
- Learn what it takes to summit Mount Everest with a firsthand account from an expert climber
- Witness a lively monks' discourse at Sera Monastery in Lhasa
- Seek one-horned rhino and the elusive Bengal tiger in Chitwan National Park
- Learn to prepare Nepalese cuisine at an exclusive Chef's Table experience
- Explore rural Nepal in Dhulikhel, with the Himalaya providing a magnificent backdrop

DAY 1: Arrive Kathmandu, Nepal

Upon arrival in Kathmandu, you are met and transferred to your hotel. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu

DAY 2: Kathmandu | Historic Durbar Square

Ride Like a Local by rickshaw to Durbar Square and Taleju Temple. See the House of the Living Goddess (Kumari), explore the bazaar and old city, and visit the 1,500-yearold stupa (Buddhist shrine) of Swayambhunath. Return to your hotel for a welcome cocktail reception and dinner. This evening, hear a gripping firsthand account from a Mount Everest summiteer. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Kathmandu** | Among the Soaring Peaks Early this morning, enjoy an awe-inspiring flightseeing tour past Mount Everest, or opt to take a helicopter (at an additional cost) for an up-close experience of the mountain. After breakfast, visit the highly revered Hindu temple of Pashupatinath and the towering Buddhist



stupa of Boudhanath. Here, a local artisan reveals the religious significance of Thangka artwork. Continue to Kopan Monastery and Nunnery for a blessing and private meditation session. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Chitwan National Park | Into the Wild

Fly to Bharatpur, where you are met and transferred to your lodge in Chitwan National Park. Settle in with time at leisure and an afternoon tea service. If time allows, set out on a thrilling Jeep safari in the park.

Meghauli Serai, Chitwan National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Chitwan National Park | Where Rhinos Roam Rise early to track one-horned rhinos through the jungle with an expert naturalist, perhaps even stealing a rare glimpse of the elusive Bengal tiger. After lunch, float down the Rapti River, taking in beautiful views of the Himalayan foothills and spotting exotic species along the way. Finish with a Scenic Sundowner on one of the river's banks. Meghauli Serai, Chitwan National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Kathmandu | Deep Spiritual Ties

Take in one last morning among the wilds of the park. Then, travel to Bharatpur for your flight to Kathmandu. Upon arrival, continue to historic Patan, seeing Durbar Square, the Golden Temple, Krishna Mandir and the enlightening Patan Museum. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B D

DAY 7: Lhasa, Tibet (China) | Gateway to Tibet Fly to Lhasa this morning for a spectacular flight over Mount Everest and other Himalayan peaks. Upon arrival in Lhasa, transfer to your hotel and spend the rest of the afternoon acclimatizing. The St. Regis Lhasa Resort | Meals: B D



DAY 8: Lhasa | Majestic Monasteries

After a leisurely breakfast, proceed to Drepung Monastery. A major pillar of the former theocratic state, this massive enclave once housed over 7,700 monks. Continue to Sera Monastery and listen in as monks engage in a spirited theological debate, a finely honed skill they have practiced over countless generations. The St. Regis Lhasa Resort | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Lhasa | Footsteps of the Dalai Lama

Today, venture inside the towering walls of Potala Palace, former winter residence of the Dalai Lama. Next, experience the spiritual heart of Tibet at the sacred Jokhang, a 1,300-yearold temple. Finally, glimpse an enduring hub of everyday life at Lhasa's Barkhor Bazaar. The St. Regis Lhasa Resort | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Dhulikhel | Himalayan Sunset

Fly back to Kathmandu. Upon arrival, explore medieval Bhaktapur before continuing to your luxurious resort set in the foothills of Dhulikhel, a site famed as an ideal vantage point for viewing the Himalayan range. Dwarika's Resort, Dhulikhel | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Dhulikhel | A Culinary Encounter

After breakfast, enjoy resort activities such as birdwatching, hiking, yoga, meditation, painting and pottery. Later, gather for a Chef's Table experience revealing the finer points of Nepalese cuisine. Finally, trade stories with your fellow guests at a farewell cocktail reception and dinner. Dwarika's Resort, Dhulikhel | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Depart Dhulikhel

After breakfast, you are transferred to the Kathmandu airport for your departure. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu Boutique hotel brimming with intricate wood and terra cotta work.



The St. Regis Lhasa Resort Tibetan-inspired hideaway featuring a gilded indoor pool.



Meghauli Serai, Chitwan National Park Luxury on the banks of the Rapti.



Dwarika's Resort, Dhulikhel Tranquil resort perched high atop a ridge in the Himalayan foothills.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Apr 15-26	\$9,795	\$3,595
Oct 14-25,* Oct 28-Nov 8*	\$8,995	\$3,195
Dec 4-15	\$9,795	\$3,595

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,995

Kathmandu/Bharatpur/Kathmandu/Lhasa/Kathmandu

*Days 4-5 at Barahi Jungle Lodge in Chitwan National Park.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

This journey entails extended scenic drives on unpaved roads; exposure to high altitudes; walking over steep, uneven terrain; and visiting sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges; and an unpredictable climate.

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FESTIVAL

MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Mongolia: Naadam Festival & the Khan Legacy

10 days from \$13,495 | Limited to 18 guests

On a journey filled with unique cultural experiences, retrace the footsteps of the Khan legacy as you take in a centuries-old Mongolian festival and explore the far-flung wilds of the Gobi Desert.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience one of the continent's oldest celebrations of skill, strength and daring at the annual Naadam Festival, witnessing the pageantry of the opening ceremonies and taking in the traditional contests of archery, wrestling and horse racing
- Spend three nights in the Gobi at Three Camel Lodge, a boutique property modeled after traditional Mongolian gers
- Ride a camel through Moltsog Els, taking in a vast dunescape seldom seen by Western eyes
- Explore the Flaming Cliffs, a haunting landscape where paleontologists first unearthed fossilized dinosaur eggs

DAY 1: Arrive Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

Arrive in the capital city of Ulaanbaatar, where you are transferred to your hotel. Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar

DAY 2: **Ulaanbaatar** | Introduction to an Empire Visit the recently opened Chinggis Khaan Museum, the largest in Mongolia, with thousands of artifacts on display. View items from tombs and private collections, and other priceless objects related to Ghenghis Khan and Mongolian history, accompanied by an expert on the subject. Return to your hotel for time at leisure. Tonight, gather for a special welcome dinner at your hotel. **Shangri-La Ulaanbaatar** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 3: Ulaanbaatar | Life of Genghis Khan

Gain entry to Gandan Khiid Monastery with its 75-foot statue made of copper, gold and precious stones, accompanied by a top-ranking lama who discusses monastic life. Afterward, visit a fine arts museum. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure before dining at a local restaurant. Shangri-La Hotel, Ulaanbaatar | Meals: B L D



DAY 4: **Gobi Desert** | Dunes, Canyons & Wide-Open Skies Fly to the Gobi Desert, home to such diverse species as Bactrian (two-humped) camel, mountain sheep, golden eagle and many endemic reptiles. In the late afternoon, witness local archers demonstrate a skill that gave rise to the former Mongol empire. After dinner, marvel as the stars paint the vast desert skies. Three Camel Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Gobi Desert | Valley of the Eagles

Journey overland to the Yol Valley, a narrow, craggy chasm. Hike the valley for a chance to spot vulture-like lammergeier, Altai snowcock, ibex, yak and Argali mountain sheep. Afterward, visit the Flaming Cliffs, a place rich with dinosaur fossils and the site where dinosaur eggs were first found. Three Camel Lodge | Meals: B L D



Immerse yourself in the daily life of the rugged and resourceful residents of the Gobi as you visit with a camel-herding family and watch a ger being built.

DAY 6: Gobi Desert | Camel Ride & the Flaming Cliffs Ride Like a Local on a Bactrian camel through the dunes of Moltsog Els for insight into a way of life that has endured for centuries. Visit a local camel-herding family in their home and later witness the construction of a ger (traditional Mongolian dwelling). In the afternoon, you may opt to hike through the Havsagit Valley to discover ancient petroglyphs atop a mountain. This evening, savor a Scenic Sundowner and a sunset dinner. Three Camel Lodge | Meals: B L D



DAY 7: Ulaanbaatar | Past Meets Present

Fly to Ulaanbaatar, where you join your fellow guests this evening for a performance featuring traditional Mongolian dancers and khoomi throat singers. Enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. Shangri-La, Ulaanbaatar | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Ulaanbaatar | Naadam Festival

Attend the opening ceremonies of the annual Naadam Festival, where the nation's best athletes compete in tests of strength and skill. Take in all of the pageantry of the elaborate opening ceremony, an event showcasing local dancers, athletes, horse riders and musicians. Shangri-La, Ulaanbaatar | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Ulaanbaatar | A Parting Glimpse

Enjoy a second day at the Naadam Festival, attending a range of events and competitions featuring archery, traditional wrestling and horse racing. This evening, gather with fellow guests for a farewell dinner.

Shangri-La, Ulaanbaatar | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Depart Ulaanbaatar

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Shangri-La, Ulaanbaatar Deluxe accommodations with Horizon Club access, located in the city center within walking distance of the Government House.



Three Camel Lodge

A luxurious take on the traditional Mongolian nomadic lifestyle, the lodge embraces environmentally and culturally sustainable practices.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jul 4-13, Jul 9-18*	\$13,495	\$3,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$785

Ulaanbaatar/Dalanzadgad/Ulaanbaatar

*Departure has slightly altered itinerary to accommodate the Naadam Festival dates.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails extended drives over unpaved roads, visits to sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges, and limited access to Western cuisine.

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Images of Indochina & Angkor Wat

13 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Immerse yourself in the historical, cultural and culinary treasures of four countries – Vietnam,

Cambodia, Laos and Thailand – on a single, comprehensive journey through Southeast Asia that includes watching the sun rise over Angkor Wat.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience the complex history of Vietnam, north and south, from the infamous "Hanoi Hilton" to the Cu Chi Tunnels, where you may meet with a Vietcong veteran
- Discover a tranquil corner of Ha Long Bay, gliding among its stunning limestone islands and watching sunset and sunrise, on a relaxing overnight cruise
- Rise early for a cyclo ride through Ho Chi Minh City's streets, observing local life, stopping for coffee and savoring sensational pho at a culinary hotspot
- Spend two days in Siem Reap with your expert local guide, exploring Angkor Wat, Bayon Temple and Ta Prohm Temple
- Connect with serene Luang Prabang, joining locals in their home for a baci ceremony and taking part in an alms-giving tradition that immerses you in the community's spiritual life

DAY 1: Arrive Hanoi, Vietnam

Arrive in Hanoi, the capital of Vietnam, and transfer to your colonial-style hotel. Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi

DAY 2: Hanoi | Exploring the Historic Old Quarter Hanoi is the country's cultural heart, bearing traces of centuries of changing dynasties. Visit Ho Chi Minh's house, a simple structure that served as home to the revolutionary guerrilla leader. After lunch, visit the infamous "Hanoi Hilton" prison, where American prisoners of war were once confined, and perhaps hear from a war veteran about his experiences. Ride Like a Local by cyclo through the city's Old Quarter. This evening, gather with your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Ha Long Bay | Cruising Among the Karsts Travel to the shores of the Gulf of Tonkin, where you board



'Orchid' for a cruise of picturesque Ha Long and Lan Ha bays. Relax on deck as 'Orchid' snakes its way past countless islets, their striking karst outcrops rising dramatically from the emerald waters. Disembark on Cat Ba Island and discover Trung Trang Cave's intricate features, formed over millennia. Back on board 'Orchid,' view the sunset framed against the Gulf of Tonkin shoreline, followed by dinner aboard. 'Orchid' | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Ha Long Bay & Ho Chi Minh City | Sunrise Tai Chi Greet the day on deck with sunrise tai chi overlooking the bay. Set out for an early morning kayak excursion among the towering limestone pinnacles. Return for brunch on board as 'Orchid' sails home to port. Back on terra firma, proceed to Hang Kenh Temple in Hai Phong and take in a local water puppet show. Later, fly to Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon, where you settle in at your hotel. The Reverie Saigon | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Ho Chi Minh City | Vibrant, Evocative Saigon Recently experiencing a resurgence of art and culture, Ho Chi Minh City is a lively, evocative hub of activity. Rise early for a carefully curated, A&K-exclusive experience that starts with a cyclo ride through the streets as the city slowly comes to life. Stroll through Tao Dan Park, a neighborhood gathering place, and then enjoy specialty Vietnamese coffee at a local shop. Continue along Nguyen Dinh Chieu Street to visit a little-known, hard-to-find war-era weapons bunker. Round out your morning exploration of local life by sampling some of the city's most sensational pho at one of its most popular restaurants. Return to your hotel to enjoy the rest of the morning at leisure. At lunch, participate in a



Chef's Table experience where you try your hand at making banh xeo, a savory Vietnamese pancake. This afternoon, view examples of the city's colonial legacy, including Reunification Palace and the Central Post Office, and then explore a Cao Dai temple to get in touch with southern Vietnam's spiritual side. Tonight, gather for dinner at a local culinary hot spot. The Reverie Saigon | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Ho Chi Minh City | Design Your Day Today, venture outside of the city to explore the Cu Chi Tunnels, learning how this vast subterranean network was used to conceal and support a stealthy underground fighting force. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit the War Remnants Museum to view photographs from Bunyo Ishikawa, a Vietnam War photojournalist, followed by a walking tour of a historic neighborhood.
- Explore the City's Bustling Culinary Scene, sampling traditional dishes prepared by local street-food vendors.
- Cycle the Countryside around the Cu Chi Tunnels, passing through local villages to observe daily life.





Return to your hotel, where the rest of your afternoon and evening are at leisure. The Reverie Saigon | Meals: B

DAY 7: Siem Reap, Cambodia | Mysterious Ta Prohm Fly to Siem Reap, the town nearest to Angkor Thom and Angkor Wat. Begin your exploration at Ta Prohm, where the roots of great trees seem to have spilled over the roof of this iconic stone temple. Enjoy an evening at leisure. La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Siem Reap | Hidden Temples & Treasures Today, explore a less-visited temple: Banteay Srei, known as the "Citadel of Women." & Learn about the essential work of the Cambodia Clean Water Project, an Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy project that builds wells in local rural communities. Next, visit Angkor Thom, the last capital of the Khmer kingdom, and Bayon Temple, with its carved stone faces — bearing beguiling smiles — of gods, goddesses and other beings from mythology. This evening, cruise by gondola on the tranquil Angkor Thom moat while sipping a cool drink on a Scenic Sundowner.

La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Siem Reap | Sunrise Over Angkor Wat

Rise early to experience the incomparable serenity and inspiration of watching the sun rise over mystical Angkor Wat before exploring the vast temple complex with a local expert. Return to your hotel for breakfast and time to relax. After lunch at a local restaurant, fly to Luang Prabang. La Résidence Phou Vao, A Belmond Hotel, Luang Prabang | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Luang Prabang, Laos | Living Temples Step back in time for a day as you explore charming Luang Prabang and its tranquil streets. Begin with a visit to the National Museum, once a royal palace. Then, follow quiet back lanes to the beautiful Heuan Chan Heritage House. After a refreshing tea in the gardens, proceed to the enchanting Wat Xieng Thong, a Buddhist Temple noted for its "Tree of Life" wall mosaic, and then visit Wat Khili. Later, join your fellow guests for a relaxing sunset cruise along the tranquil and iconic Mekong River before dinner. La Résidence Phou Vao, A Belmond Hotel, Luang Prabang | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Luang Prabang | Giving & Receiving

Rise very early to give alms to Buddhist monks, putting you in touch with the local culture and community. Return to your hotel with some time to relax and pack. After lunch, join locals in their home for a baci ceremony — a good-luck ritual for a safe journey that is part of the local culture before flying to Bangkok.

Four Seasons Hotel Bangkok at Chao Phraya River | Meals: B L

DAY 12: **Bangkok, Thailand** | Along the Chao Phraya River Visit the sprawling Grand Palace, a complex that is the historic Siamese court and home to Thailand's most important shrine, the green-jade Emerald Buddha. Continue by tuk-tuk to the 150-foot-long reclining Buddha at Wat Pho. Your afternoon is at leisure. Tonight, gather with your fellow guests for a farewell dinner of Thai specialties.

Four Seasons Hotel Bangkok at Chao Phraya River | Meals: B D

DAY 13: Depart Bangkok

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to depart for home. Meals: B



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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap Luxury hotel near the temple ruins.



Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi French-colonial style luxury hotel with Grand Premium Rooms.



La Résidence Phou Vao, A Belmond Hotel, Luang Prabang Tranquil boutique luxury hotel.



The Reverie Saigon *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel with beautiful river views.



Four Seasons Hotel Bangkok at Chao Phraya River — Elegant luxury hotel with views of the river.



'Orchid' All-balcony traditional junk with superb onboard service.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 4-16, Jan 7-19, Jan 11-23, Jan 28-Feb 9, Feb 1-13, Feb 4-16, Feb 15-27, Feb 22-Mar 5, Feb 29-Mar 12, Mar 7-19, Mar 21-Apr 2, Apr 4-16, Sep 26-Oct 8	\$9,795	\$3,895
Oct 3-15, Oct 10-22, Oct 17-29, Oct 24-Nov 5, Oct 31-Nov 12, Nov 7-19, Nov 14-26, Dec 5-17	\$9,995 ,	\$4,095
Dec 13-25	\$10,995	\$4,495
Dec 20-Jan 1, 2025	\$12,995	\$5,395
Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,780		

Hai Phong/Ho Chi Minh City/Siem Reap/Luang Prabang/Bangkok

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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Discover astonishing Angkor Wat and cruise for seven nights on an exclusive charter along the Mekong River to experience its varied cultures in rural settings not easily reached by land, on a journey that includes vibrant Bangkok and Ho Chi Minh City, the former Saigon.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Cruise for seven nights on an exclusive charter of 24-guest 'Mekong Princess,' a luxurious, all-suite boutique riverboat able to access lesser-known ports, ushering you into the midst of authentic rural cultures
- Explore magnificent Angkor Wat at sunset with an expert guide, capping a full day among timeless ruins that include Bayon Temple and Ta Prohm Temple
- Gain deeper insight into Southeast Asia's varied, intertwined river cultures through interactions with local villagers, families in their homes and monks in pagodas
- Cruise straight into the heart of old Saigon and select from an array of active, cultural and culinary options that reveal the diverse appeal of today's Ho Chi Minh City

DAY 1: Arrive Bangkok, Thailand

Arrive in Bangkok, the capital of Thailand, and transfer to your hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Bangkok at Chao Phraya River

DAY 2: **Bangkok** | Gliding on the Serene Chao Phraya River Discover Wat Pho temple, with its massive Reclining Buddha statue, and listen to the musical sound of coins dropping into brass offering bowls. Then, travel by tuk-tuk to the sprawling Grand Palace to view the royal Siamese court, home to Thailand's most important shrine, the green-jade Emerald Buddha. Next, gather for a light lunch aboard a traditional wooden rice barge. Cruise the Chao Phraya River in a



relaxed atmosphere, taking in sights along the waterfront, including glittering Wat Arun. Later, fly to Siem Reap, Cambodia, where you transfer to your Khmer-style hotel and enjoy a welcome dinner.

La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Siem Reap, Cambodia** | Sunset at Angkor Wat Set off to explore the extraordinary temples of Angkor, a breathtaking city lost in the jungle and Cambodia's most prized national treasure. Enter the monumental gates of Angkor Thom and visit the Bayon Temple, with its 172 largescale faces wearing enchanting smiles. Continue to Ta Prohm Temple to see crumbling towers embraced by massive tree roots. This afternoon, visit magnificent Angkor Wat, where you stay until sunset, marveling as the diminishing, moody light washes over this unforgettable, faraway world. La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap | Meals: B L

DAY 4: **Cruising the Mekong** | Board Your All-Suite Cruiser Drive through the lush and scenic Cambodian countryside to Kampong Cham, where you board A&K's private charter of all-suite 'Mekong Princess,' your boutique river cruiser for the next seven nights. Tonight, enjoy a Khmer-inspired dinner. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Cruising the Mekong** | Life in a Local Village Explore the charming town of Angkor Ban, where you enjoy glimpses into the lives of local people, starting with a visit to a family home. Stroll through a small market frequented by locals and stop briefly at a monastery complex. Then, board 'Mekong Princess' and cruise to Phnom Penh, where you Ride Like a Local through Cambodia's lush and alluring capital city on an engaging cyclo tour. Discover the ornate



Royal Palace, and wander past huge stupas (Buddhist monuments) and spirit houses en route to the Silver Pagoda, home of Cambodia's Emerald Buddha and the diamondencrusted Maitreya Buddha. Visit the National Museum before returning to the ship. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **Cruising the Mekong** | Phnom Penh This morning, learn about Cambodia's darker days as you visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, and then walk the notorious killing fields of Choeung Ek, one of history's most infamous places. Your afternoon is free for you to relax on your own. On board this evening, enjoy a professional exhibition of traditional folk dances. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Cruising the Mekong** | Crossing Into Vietnam Cruise into Vietnam early this morning and continue downstream to little-known Hong Ngu, which nimble 'Mekong Princess' can enter with ease. In this place where few Westerners have ever been, experience an especially friendly welcome, followed by a visit to a local family home, where you watch the weaving of kromas (traditional Khmer





scarves). Later, explore a local temple dedicated to Hoa Hao, a unique Vietnamese religion. In the afternoon, board a sampan (wooden boat) to Gieng Island, where dozens of the vessels are built each day. Cruise a canal past orchards and rice fields. Continue to a historic Christian monastery built by the French in 1879. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Cruising the Mekong** | Meet a Local Family Disembark at the village of Hoa An, well known for its floral and craft industries. See how locals grow and use flowers, and meet a local family. Later, reboard the ship and cruise downstream toward Can Tho, where you disembark to visit Zihuang Pagoda. Back on board, relax on a Scenic Sundowner this evening, observing local life at the close of day along the delta. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Cruising the Mekong** | Floating Market Visit Rise early for a sampan cruise through a fascinating floating market near Can Tho, weaving between boats that sell goods and produce. Fresh coconut water, the Vietnamese "anti-aging drink," refreshes you before a stop at a local factory to see the making of traditional noodles. Back on board 'Mekong Princess,' cruise deeper into parts of the Mekong Delta rarely touched by travellers. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: **Cruising the Mekong** | Life Among the Mangroves Today, board a sampan to wend your way through a channel lined with mangroves, whose tangled roots provide a sheltered habitat for the smallest denizens of the river's ecosystem. Pause to see an artisan produce coconut candy, a favorite local snack. Next, board a small boat for a cruise through lush, narrow creeks lined with nipa palms, a native species and the only one of its kind adapted to the mangrove habitat. Participate in a Chef's Table cooking demo this afternoon led by your onboard chef. 'Mekong Princess' | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Ho Chi Minh City | Design Your Day

Unlike other river ships that are forced to dock outside of Saigon, 'Mekong Princess' takes you right into the heart of this lively, evocative metropolis, now known as Ho Chi Minh City. Disembark your river cruiser to enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit the War Remnants Museum to view photographs by Bunyo Ishikawa, a Vietnam War photojournalist, and then explore Reunification Palace.
- Explore the City's Bustling Culinary Scene, sampling traditional dishes prepared by local street-food vendors.
- Cycle the Countryside, exploring the nearby Thanh Da Peninsula.

Tonight, gather for a special farewell dinner. The Reverie Saigon | Meals: B D

DAY 12: Depart Ho Chi Minh City

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to depart. Meals: B

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Luang Prabang Pre-Tour Group Extension 4 days from \$2,595 | Internal air from \$1,125 Available on all departures.

Explore the Royal Palace, enjoy a baci ceremony, make offerings to monks, visit a farm and take a sunset cruise.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



'Mekong Princess' Exclusively chartered all-suite river cruiser limited to just 24 guests.



Four Seasons Hotel Bangkok at Chao Phraya River — Elegant luxury hotel with views of the river.



La Résidence d'Angkor, A Belmond Hotel, Siem Reap Luxury hotel near the temple ruins.



The Reverie Saigon *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel with beautiful river views.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Saigon Suite	Aspara Suite	Tonle Suite	Angkor Suite
Jan 15-26, Jan 29-Feb 9, Feb 12-23, Feb 26-Mar 8, Mar 11-22, Sep 23-Oct 4, Oct 7-18, Oct 21-Nov 1, Nov 4-15	\$8,795	\$9,295	\$10,695	\$11,695
Single Supplement	\$995	\$1,295	\$2,095	\$3,095
Dec 16-27	\$9,795	\$10,295	\$11,695	\$12,695
Single Supplement	\$1,095	\$1,395	\$2,195	\$3,195

Internal Air: Economy class from \$675 Bangkok/Siem Reap

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

AVAILABLE STOPOVER PACKAGES



Spend three days exploring Dubai (from \$2,495) or Hong Kong (from \$2,695) before or after your journey.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Singapore & Malaysia: Tapestry of Cultures

11 days from \$11,595 | Limited to 18 guests

Immerse yourself in two sumptuous destinations, each with diverse cultures, that have been at the crossroads of international trade for centuries, getting to know their many peoples and cuisines on a unique journey that reveals the rich contrast between the soaring architecture of major cities and the tropical beauty of highland landscapes.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience Singapore and Malaysia's rich culinary diversity with lunch at the famed Newton Food Centre, a Malay cooking lesson, and a traditional English afternoon tea
- Wander the colonial streets of Penang and learn to play mahjong with an expert in the city's historic Blue Mansion, a location featured in the movie Crazy Rich Asians
- Explore two highly diverse cities, Singapore and Kuala
 Lumpur, from the Gardens of the Bay to the Petronas Towers
- Marvel at the former royal town of Kuala Kangsar and try your hand at picking tea leaves in the picturesque Cameron Highlands

DAY 1: Arrive Singapore

Arrive in Singapore, where you are met and transferred to your legendary hotel. Check in and relax, with an authentic, complimentary Singapore Sling in hand. **Raffles Singapore**

DAY 2: **Singapore** | Chinese Culture, Then and Now Begin exploring Singapore with a walking tour of the Chijmes, a historic building complex and former convent. Continue to the city's lush Botanical Gardens, including its renowned National Orchid Garden. Enjoy lunch at hawkerfilled Newton Food Centre before proceeding to spectacular Gardens by the Bay, observing the resident flora and fauna and experiencing the futuristic Supertree Observatory. Discover Singapore's Chinatown and learn about the city's legacy as a center for the spice trade on a visit to Ang Siang Hill. Return to your hotel, where later this evening you enjoy a welcome dinner. **Raffles Singapore** | **Meals: B L D**



DAY 3: **Penang, Malaysia** | Foodie Fantasies Come True After a morning at leisure, fly to the island state of Penang, checking into your hotel on arrival. This evening, seek out culinary treasures on a foodie tour of the Gurney Drive Hawker Centre, the city's go-to hub for mouthwatering street food. **Eastern & Oriental Hotel** | **Meals: B D**

DAY 4: **Penang** | Exploring Historical Georgetown Today, Ride Like a Local by rickshaw through UNESCOlisted colonial Georgetown, a multicultural enclave. Visit Pinang Peranakan Mansion, a museum devoted to preserving the culture of the Peranakans. Then, proceed to the Cheong Fatt Sze Mansion (the Blue Mansion) to take in its distinctive architectural features. After lunch, enjoy a lesson from a master in the game of mahjong on an A&Kexclusive experience. Later at your hotel, gather for a proper afternoon tea. Eastern & Oriental Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Penang** | Treasures of a Hidden Rainforest Experience the natural splendors of Tropical Spice Garden, a rainforest home to hundreds of species. Take a break from exploring for a Malay cooking class, helping a local chef concoct the dishes you enjoy for lunch on a Chef's Table experience. Visit Penang Hill Biosphere Reserve, home to soaring tropical trees and over 100 species of birds, taking a funicular to the summit of the hill. Eastern & Oriental Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Kuala Kangsar | Royal Heritage

Drive to Kuala Kangsar, nestled in a lush valley and once home to the Sultan of Perak. Take the opportunity to learn about the history of these royal rulers before continuing to



the rolling, green Cameron Highlands and your colonial bungalow-inspired resort hotel, where you enjoy dinner. Cameron Highlands Resort | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Cameron Highlands | Tea Plantation Visit

Set out for Boh Tea Plantation, where you try your hand at picking tea leaves, observe the artful work of processing tea and sip a freshly brewed cup yourself. This afternoon, choose to explore this scenic area during a hike through a cloud forest, or relax at your hotel, savoring a traditional high tea. Cameron Highlands Resort | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Kuala Lumpur | Cave Temple

Descend from the highlands and see Sam Poh Tong Temple, hewn into a cave at the foot of a limestone pinnacle. Then, journey overland to the nation's dazzlingly modern capital city, Kuala Lumpur. On arrival, check in to your luxurious hotel, where you partake in a Scenic Sundowner overlooking the city's dazzling skyline before dinner at a local restaurant. Four Seasons Hotel Kuala Lumpur | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Kuala Lumpur | Malaysia's Islamic Heritage Start your exploration of the city from an incredible vantage point: the skybridge of the soaring Petronas Twin Towers. Next, discover another facet of Malaysia's cultural mix with a visit to the Islamic Arts Museum, the largest of its kind in southeast Asia. Peruse the city's Central Market, where local artists and craftsman sell their goods. After lunch at a local restaurant, your afternoon is at leisure for relaxing or exploring. Four Seasons Hotel Kuala Lumpur | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Malacca | Fusion of East and West

Venture to historic Malacca, a city whose architecture reflects

a mix of Chinese, Dutch and Portuguese colonial influences. Privately cruise the Malacca River to visit St. Paul's Church, the Sultanate Palace, Stadthuys (city hall) and Old Town. After lunch at a local restaurant, return to Kuala Lumpur. Tonight at your hotel, gather for a farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Kuala Lumpur | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Kuala Lumpur

After breakfast, transfer to the Kuala Lumpur airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS





Raffles Singapore Iconic luxury hotel, recently refurbished and ideally situated in the city.





Cameron Highlands Resort Comfortable, colonial bungalow-style Historic and iconic hotel close to the hotel set amid the scenic highlands.

Eastern & Oriental Hotel heart of the action in Penang.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jun 8-18, Dec 7-17	\$11,595	\$3,795

Internal Air: Economy class from \$430 Singapore/Penang

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails walking over steep, uneven terrain, and visits to sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges.

AVAILABLE STOPOVER PACKAGES



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JOURNEY BY PRIVATE AIR

WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over India

12 days from \$37,995 | Limited to 17 guests

Explore India's treasures, from the splendidly beautiful Taj Mahal to the palaces of Jaipur, witness the sacred aarti ceremony on the banks of the Ganges in Varanasi and seek out the elusive Bengal tiger in Ranthambore National Park, all while staying in some of the country's most iconic and luxurious hotels.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Fly in comfort and style between India's iconic cities aboard private aircraft exclusively chartered for your journey
- Stay in exceptional luxury at Oberoi hotels, including The Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur and The Oberoi Vanyavilas, Ranthambore
- Experience the glorious Taj Mahal during a visit to Agra, witnessing its jewel-like radiance
- Enjoy private Jeep safaris in Ranthambore National Park, home of the elusive Bengal tiger
- In Varanasi, visit the banks of the Ganges, the most holy site in Hinduism, before seeing Sarnath, one of Buddhism's most holy sites
- Join a pandit (Hindu priest) for an exclusive Hindu blessing ceremony in Jaipur

DAY 1: Arrive Mumbai, India

Arrive in Mumbai, the illustrious gateway of India, where you are met and privately transferred to your luxurious hotel. The Oberoi, Mumbai

DAY 2: Mumbai | Five-Senses Walking Tour

Explore Mumbai on a visit that appeals to all of your senses, heading to a railway station to watch the famous dabbawalas, who deliver thousands of hot home-cooked meals in time for lunch. Visit the Prince of Wales Museum. After savoring lunch at a local restaurant, visit a local spice market. Return to your hotel, where this evening you enjoy a welcome cocktail and dinner. The Oberoi, Mumbai | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Ranthambore National Park** | Rural Rajasthan Fly by private charter to Jaipur in the heart of Rajasthan.



Travel to the southeast toward Ranthambore National Park. Along the way, stop for an exciting camel cart ride in the Rajasthani countryside followed by lunch at Talabgoan Castle. This evening at your hotel, listen to a special talk on Ranthambore's wildlife and enjoy a Scenic Sundowner. The Oberoi Vanyavilas, Ranthambore | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Ranthambore National Park** | Into the Wild Explore Ranthambore National Park on two thrilling game drives, spotting crocodiles, sloth bears, leopards or perhaps the rare and majestic Bengal tiger. Alternatively, you may choose to visit Ranthambore Fort this afternoon, which offers panoramic views of these former royal hunting grounds. The Oberoi Vanyavilas, Ranthambore | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Jaipur | The Pink City

Travel overland to Jaipur, where you settle into your stunning room set in a beautiful garden and featuring exotic design touches, such as local textiles, in a fantasy of pinks, purples and greens. Later this afternoon, visit the local bazaar, taking in the colors and vibrancy of local life. The Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur | Meals: B D

DAY 6: **Jaipur** | The Amber Fort & Astronomical Wonders Explore the Amber Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Built of red sandstone and overlooking a lake, it features opulent and influential design flourishes worthy of the Rajput rulers who once called it home. Savor lunch at a local restaurant, and then visit the City Palace and Jantar Mantar Observatory, an open-air array of astronomical instruments built by Maharaja Sawai Jai Singh II that includes the world's largest stone sundial. The Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur | Meals: B L D



Flight Details Mumbai-Jaipur (1 hr 15 min) Jaipur-Agra (30 min) Agra-Varanasi (1 hr) Varanasi-Delhi (1 hr 15 min)



DAY 7: **Jaipur** | Design Your Day

This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day options.

- Bike the Streets of Jaipur, stopping for chai at a local cafe, visiting a market and feeding cows for good karma.
- Interact with the students and teachers at Digantar Vidyalay, a school supported by A&K Philanthropy.
- Learn how Rajasthan has historically managed water resources during a walk outside of Nahargarh Fort.

Later, join the pandit (Hindu priest) for a Hindu blessing

ceremony at a 300-year-old temple in the hotel. Savor lunch and a Chef's Table cooking demonstration, learning about the use of Indian spices in local specialties. Enjoy your evening at leisure. **The Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur | Meals: B** L

DAY 8: Agra & Varanasi | Visions of the Taj Mahal Today, fly to Agra via private charter. Upon arrival, explore the peerless Taj Mahal, a travel moment that never fails to amaze. Later, reboard your jet for a flight to Varanasi, a city of more than a thousand temples and shrines sacred to Hindus and Buddhists. Taj Ganges, Varanasi | Meals: B L D





Experience the Many Wonders of India

Whether it's the sinewy shape of a Bengal tiger slipping from the bush into the dappled sunlight of the forest floor or the iconic silhouette of the Taj Mahal seemingly painted against the evening sky, India's wonders come in many forms.

There are architectural wonders, like the imposing Amber Fort and the delicate Palace of the Winds in Jaipur. There's also the inspiring beauty of countless temples in Varanasi, places where structural design intersects with the everyday life of locals and pilgrims.

India's culinary wonders are on display throughout your journey as well, never more so than during a Chef's Table experience that immerses you in the intoxicating scents and colorful sights of the subcontinent's spices.

Perhaps India's most extraordinary wonders are its people, from the white-suited dabbawalas of Mumbai to the saffron-robed priests who guide the aarti ceremony and your rickshaw driver in Delhi's Chandni Chowk bazaar. Their warmth, kindness and gracious reverence for life are unmistakable wonders of their own.

The wonder of it all is your ability to experience all of this in just 12 days. Such is the power of private chartered air to weave the sprawling majesty of India into a single, intimate travel experience.





DAY 9: Varanasi | Sacred Sarnath

Discover Sarnath, the place chosen by Buddha to deliver his first sermon. Explore the ruins of a once-flourishing Buddhist monastery and look around a museum of Buddhist art and sculpture. At dusk, beside the Ganges River, witness the aarti ceremony, as lantern-bearing priests bid the gods a restful slumber. Taj Ganges, Varanasi | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Varanasi | Sunrise on the Ganges

Rise early for a private sunrise cruise on the Ganges River to observe activity along the ghats (stone steps leading down to the river), where locals and pilgrims cleanse themselves, literally and spiritually. Later, fly to Delhi for a farewell dinner. The Oberoi, New Delhi | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Delhi | A City's Timeless Treasures

Explore Delhi, old and new, visiting Jama Mosque. Ride Like a Local by rickshaw through Chandni Chowk bazaar and encounter Humayun's Tomb — an architectural precursor to the Taj Mahal. Stop for lunch at a restored 19th-century mansion, and then fly a kite from its rooftop overlooking Old Delhi. The Oberoi, New Delhi | Meals: B L

DAY 12: Depart Delhi

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

Customize this itinerary and create the perfect private **Luxury Tailor Made Journey** just for you. Contact A&K for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



The Oberoi, New Delhi Iconic luxury hotel conveniently located in the heart of the city.



The Oberoi Vanyavilas, Ranthambore Luxury permanent-tented camp.



The Oberoi, Mumbai Luxury hotel with stunning views of the Arabian Sea.



The Oberoi Rajvilas, Jaipur Luxury hotel set amid sprawling and tranquil gardens.



Taj Ganges, Varanasi Contemporary hotel set on 12 acres of elegantly landscaped gardens.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Oct 9-20, Nov 13-24	\$37,995	\$3,795

Journey Details

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Taj Mahal & the Treasures of India

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Nepal & Kathmandu

4-day Post-Tour Extension from \$1,995

Explore India's greatest treasures as you visit the timeless Taj Mahal, seek the graceful Bengal tiger and witness a holy rite beside the sacred Ganges – all while staying in royal palaces-turned-luxury hotels.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Stay in former palaces, including iconic royal residences such as the lavish Taj Lake Palace in Udaipur and the grand Rambagh Palace in Jaipur
- Embark on a private sunset boat cruise on Lake Pichola and cap it off with a refreshing cocktail
- Behold the glorious Taj Mahal at sunrise and sunset
- Set out on private safaris in Panna National Park, home to the elusive Bengal tiger, and enjoy an exclusive talk on conservation by a member of the local Pardhi community
- Observe priests performing an aarti ceremony on the banks of the Holy Ganges in Varanasi
- Experience the diverse appeal of India's great cities, from colorful, fast-paced Mumbai to Delhi, with its enduring British influence, a blend of old and new

DAY 1: Arrive Mumbai, India

Arrive in Mumbai, where an A&K representative meets and transfers you to your iconic hotel. The Taj Mahal Palace, Mumbai

DAY 2: Mumbai | The Gateway of India

Explore the city's classic sites, including the Gateway of India, whose design reflects India's Muslim and Hindu traditions. Visit the Prince of Wales Museum and Mani Bhawan, dedicated to the life and works of Mahatma Gandhi. Next, see the Dhobi Ghat, the world's largest open-air laundry, a wonderful spectacle to behold. Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner. The Taj Mahal Palace, Mumbai | Meals: B D

DAY 3: Udaipur | Cruise to Jag Mandir

Fly to Udaipur and settle into your stunning palace hotel



set in the middle of scenic Lake Pichola. After time to relax, embark on a private cruise past Jag Mandir, a marble palace on an island in Lake Pichola. Then, admire the vibrant sunset from your island hotel on a Scenic Sundowner followed by dinner. Taj Lake Palace, Udaipur | Meals: B D

DAY 4: Udaipur | Splendors of the City Palace

Visit the stunning City Palace, a marble complex that offers unforgettable views of the lake. Continue to the Crystal Gallery in Fateh Prakash Palace. Stroll through the Sahelion Ki Bari (Garden of the Maids of Honor) before returning to the hotel. Taj Lake Palace, Udaipur | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Jaipur | Gardens & Temples

Fly to Jaipur and check in to your hotel, the former residence of the Maharajah of Jaipur. Later, explore the City Palace, a unique and arresting complex of several palaces, pavilions, gardens and temples. Located within the palace's gates is the Mubarak Mahal, or "Auspicious Palace," which contains textiles including the royal formal costumes, Sanganeri block prints, Kashmiri pashminas and silk saris. Then, visit Jantar Mantar, an open-air array of astronomical instruments. Rambagh Palace, Jaipur | Meals: B D

DAY 6: Jaipur | Design Your Day

View the Palace of the Winds — built so the women of the royal household could observe street life without being seen. Explore the Mughal-style Amber Fort, a red sandstone and marble palace that is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

 Practice Yoga During a Private Session at historic Rambagh Palace.



- Visit Digantar Vidyalay to interact with the students at an innovative school supported by A&K Philanthropy.
- Discover the Bazaars of Jaipur, taking in the vibe of local life and shopping for keepsakes from your journey.

Return to your hotel for an evening at leisure. Rambagh Palace, Jaipur | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Agra | Visions of the Taj Mahal

Drive to Agra, observing the colorful rural life of Rajasthan on your journey. Upon arrival, catch your first glimpse of the breathtaking Taj Mahal from your luxurious room. Visit the Taj Mahal in the late afternoon, as the setting sun bathes it in a soft orange glow. The Oberoi Amarvilas, Agra | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Agra | Spectacular Agra Fort

Return to the Taj Mahal the next morning, when the rising sun lends a warm pink tint to its marble face. Visit the Agra Fort, once the prison of Mughal emperor Shah Jahan, who built the Taj Mahal after the death of his beloved wife. The Oberoi Amarvilas, Agra | Meals: B D



Gaze upon the soaring minarets of Jama Masjid, a vast mosque built by a Mughal emperor in Delhi



DAY 9: Panna National Park | Into the Wild

Board a train to Jhansi. After lunch, continue to remote Panna National Park, a haven for India's wildlife, and check in to your wilderness lodge. Then, on an A&K-exclusive experience, meet with a member of the local Pardhi community to learn their role in efforts to restore the Bengal tiger to the park. Pashan Garh, Panna National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Panna National Park | Tiger Tracking

Rise early for a 4x4 game drive in Panna National Park, spotting crocodile and searching for tiger. Learn how a conservation program has grown the park's tiger population, increasing the odds of a sighting. Return to the lodge to savor a Chef's Table experience featuring an Indian cooking demonstration, as your lodge's chef prepares local dishes for lunch. Enjoy another game drive before returning to Pashan Garh for dinner. Pashan Garh, Panna National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: **Khajuraho & Varanasi** | India's Holiest City Drive to Khajuraho to see all of life — joy, love, divinity, war — depicted in detail on every inch of its 85 Hindu and Jain temples. Then, fly to Varanasi, a city of more than a thousand temples and shrines, sacred to Hindus and Buddhists. At dusk, beside the Ganges River, witness the aarti ceremony. Chanted prayers and rhythmic drumming fill the air as you watch lantern-bearing priests bid the gods and goddesses a restful slumber. Taj Ganges, Varanasi | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Varanasi & Delhi | Private Sunrise River Cruise Rise early for a private sunrise cruise on the Ganges River to observe activity along the ghats (stone steps leading down to the river), where locals and pilgrims cleanse themselves, literally and spiritually. Later, fly to Delhi for a farewell dinner. The Oberoi, New Delhi | Meals: B D

DAY 13: **Delhi** | Exploring the Old & the New

Visit the great Jama Masjid, the most important mosque in India, completed in 1656. Then, Ride Like a Local by rickshaw through the narrow alleys and stalls of Chandni Chowk bazaar, one of the oldest and busiest markets in Old Delhi, a vital part of the daily life of locals and a mustsee destination for visitors. After lunch, tour New Delhi, including Humayun's Tomb, the last resting place of an esteemed 16th-century Mughal emperor and an architectural precursor of the Taj Mahal. The Oberoi, New Delhi | Meals: B L

DAY 14: Depart Delhi

Transfer to the airport early this morning for your flight home, or begin your post-tour extension to Kathmandu. Meals: B

CELEBRATE THE PUSHKAR FAIR



Experience India at its most vibrant on three special departures that feature three extra nights in Pushkar to attend the Pushkar Fair, a beloved and colorful festival centered around an annual livestock sale. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

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Nepal & Kathmandu Post-Tour Group Extension 4-days from \$1,995 | Internal air from \$825 Available on select departures

Fly to Kathmandu, Nepal. Discover its mix of Hindu and Buddhist heritage, visiting sites key to each faith. Immerse yourself in local life with a cooking lesson in a local home. Board an aircraft for awe-inspiring views of Mount Everest.

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Spend three days exploring Dubai (from \$2,495) before or after your journey.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Taj Lake Palace, Udaipur Historic palace on Lake Pichola, a *Travel + Leisure* World's Best hotel.



The Oberoi Amarvilas, Agra *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel with views of the nearby Taj Mahal.



The Oberoi, New Delhi Iconic luxury hotel conveniently located in the heart of the city.



The Taj Mahal Palace, Mumbai Iconic, historic hotel located next to

Taj Ganges, Varanasi Contemporary hotel set on 12 acres of elegantly landscaped gardens.

Rambagh Palace, Jaipur

Once residence of a maharajah, now a

Pashan Garh, Panna National Park

A luxury lodge with 12 cottages in

Panna National Park.

Travel + Leisure World's Best hotel.

DATES & PRICING

the Gateway of India.

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 7-20, Jan 10-23, Jan 17-30, Jan 21-Feb 3, Jan 24-Feb 6, Jan 28-Feb 10, Jan 31-Feb 13, Feb 4-17, Feb 7-20, Feb 11-24, Feb 18-Mar 2, Feb 21-Mar 5, Mar 6-19, Mar 10-23, Mar 13-26	\$12,795	\$5,995
Mar 31-Apr 13, Apr 14-27, May 1-14	\$10,495	\$4,295
Oct 6-19, Oct 13-26, Oct 16-29, Oct 20-Nov 2, Oct 23-Nov 5, Oct 27-Nov 9, Oct 30-Nov 12, Nov 3-16, Nov 13-26	\$12,795	\$5,995
Dec 15-28	\$15,295	\$7,995
Dec 22-Jan 4, 2025	\$16,795	\$8,995
Pushkar Fair Departures:	\$14,795	\$7,495

Oct 31-Nov 15,* Nov 3-18,* Nov 5-20

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,430 Mumbai/Udaipur/Jaipur; Khajuraho/Varanasi/Delhi

*Departure operates in reverse. Days 4-5 at The Lalit Temple View Khajuraho.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements.

Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

India Wildlife Safari

11 days from \$10,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Explore some of the world's most treasured architectural and natural wonders, from the iconic Taj Mahal to India's biodiverse jungles and dry forests, where you track elusive leopards and tigers and sight incredible birdlife.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover Bandhavgarh National Park, home to the world's largest concentration of elusive Bengal tigers
- Set out on morning and afternoon game drives in Kanha National Park, the lush, teeming inspiration for Kipling's *The Jungle Book* and home to 1,300 bird species
- In Agra, experience the glorious Taj Mahal, gaining insight into the moving story of this grand mausoleum
- Become one with nature at authentic accommodations that put you in the heart of India's jungles and wildlife
- Begin and end your journey in culturally diverse Delhi, exploring vibrant Chandni Chowk bazaar by rickshaw

DAY 1: Arrive Delhi, India

Arrive in Delhi this evening, where you are met and transferred to your iconic hotel. Taj Palace, New Delhi

DAY 2: Delhi | Exploring Old & New

Begin your exploration of Delhi with a visit to the great Jama Masjid, the largest and most important mosque in India. Move among locals engaged in daily prayer, taking in its two minarets, each over 130 feet tall. Then, Ride Like a Local by rickshaw through the alleys of Chandni Chowk bazaar — one of the oldest and busiest markets in Delhi. After lunch, discover New Delhi, including Humayun's Tomb, an architectural precursor of the Taj Mahal. Also view the India Gate, a triumphal arch more than 130 feet tall; drive along the Rajpath, or King's Way, a broad ceremonial boulevard; and see the presidential residence of Rashtrapati Bhawan. Tonight, enjoy a welcome cocktail reception and dinner at the hotel. Taj Palace, New Delhi | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Agra | Stunning Taj Mahal

Embark on an overland day trip to Agra. Here, drive past the city's 16th-century fort, fascinating monuments and



vibrant chowks (markets) en route to visit the Taj Mahal, the stunning mausoleum and testament of love built by Indian artisans from neighboring Islamic countries. Return to Delhi for an evening at leisure. Taj Palace, New Delhi | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Kanha National Park | Journey into the Jungle After breakfast, fly to Jabalpur. After pausing for lunch at a local restaurant, continue several hours overland into the jungles of Kanha, where your luxury camp overlooks the lush forests and grassy meadows of Kanha National Park. Banjaar Tola, Kanha National Park | Meals: B L D



Spot the colorful Indian Roller, along with hundreds of other spectacular exotic birds, at Kanha National Park.

DAY 5: Kanha National Park | Jungle Safari

Take in an early morning and afternoon of game viewing in Kanha, one of India's most famous national parks. Among the sal (resin tree) and bamboo forests, search for the elusive Bengal tiger. You may also encounter chital, blackbuck, gaur, leopard, hyena, sloth bear, barasingha and a host of exotic bird species. **Banjaar Tola, Kanha National Park** | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Kanha National Park | Immersed in the Wild Once again set out on captivating morning and afternoon game drives, and cap off your visit to Kanha with a refreshing



Scenic Sundowner, taking in views of the river and forests. Banjaar Tola, Kanha National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Bandhavgarh National Park** | Seeking The Tiger After breakfast, journey overland to Bandhavgarh National Park. One of India's most beautiful national parks, it is nestled among the tropical forests, woodlands, rocky hills and flat grasslands. While renowned for its tiger reserve, the park also harbors dense populations of gaur, leopard, wild boar, Indian gazelle, common langur, rhesus monkey and sloth bear. Mahua Kothi, Bandhavgarh National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Bandhavgarh National Park** | Vast Biodiversity Enjoy early morning and afternoon game drives, watching for the Bengal tiger, leopard and wild boar. Keep an eye on the canopy for its diversity of exotic bird species. Take part in a Chef's Table experience led by your lodge's chef, learning about and sampling local popular dishes. Mahua Kothi, Bandhavgarh National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Bandhavgarh National Park** | A Final Safari Day After once again venturing into the forest for morning and afternoon game viewing, toast your Indian safari with fellow guests over farewell cocktails, followed by dinner at the lodge. Mahua Kothi, Bandhavgarh National Park | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Delhi | Return to India's Capital City

After breakfast, travel several hours to Jabalpur Airport for a flight to Delhi. On arrival, transfer to your hotel for an evening at leisure. Taj Palace, New Delhi | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Depart Delhi

Early this morning, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Mahua Kothi, Bandhavgarh National Park

A vast, 40-acre property bringing impeccable service and luxurious amenities to the lush tropical forests of Bandhavgarh National Park.



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Taj Palace, New Delhi

Favored by distinguished world travellers and heads of state, this iconic grand luxury hotel is set in a prestigious area of New Delhi.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Apr 15-25, Oct 7-17	\$10,995	\$6,695

Internal Air: Economy class from \$645 Delhi/Jabalpur/Delhi

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails extended drives over unpaved roads and visits to sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges.

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Spend three days exploring Dubai (from \$2,495) before or after your journey.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Bhutan & Nepal: Heart of the Himalaya

11 days from \$10,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover Bhutan and Nepal, two Himalayan countries little touched by the passage of time, as you ascend to stunning "Tiger's Nest" Monastery, stroll through Kathmandu's Durbar Square and enjoy a meal in the home of a local Nepali family.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Absorb the grace, beauty and remoteness of Punakha, where you visit the ornately designed Dzong and wander in handpainted courtyards among crimson-robed monks
- Feel the spirit of remote Bhutan on a pilgrimage hike to the revered "Tiger's Nest" Monastery, perched high on a sheer rock face, followed by a celebratory Champagne toast
- Explore Kathmandu's storied Durbar Square, and connect with Nepal's rich spiritual heritage during a guided meditation at Kopan Monastery
- Hear firsthand from a Mount Everest summiteer about their experiences scaling the world's tallest peak
- Savor a lesson in Nepalese cuisine in a local family's home

DAY 1: Arrive Kathmandu, Nepal

Arrive in Kathmandu, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu

DAY 2: Kathmandu | Historic Durbar Square

On an experience exclusively for A&K guests, enter Kopan Nunnery and Monastery, where a monk or nun leads you in a private guided meditation session. After lunch, Ride Like a Local by rickshaw to Kathmandu Durbar Square and Taleju Temple, see the House of the Living Goddess (Kumari), and stroll the bazaar and old city. Later, hear a lecture by a Mount Everest summiteer. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Kathmandu | Temples & Shrines

Visit Pashupatinath, a Hindu temple built in a pagoda style. Continue to Boudhanath, home to a Buddhist shrine, where you meet a local artisan for an overview on Thangka paintings and Buddhism and enjoy a Scenic Sundowner. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L



DAY 4: **Paro & Thimphu, Bhutan** | Among Towering Peaks Fly to Paro, your gateway to Bhutan, a nation whose cultural traditions remain well preserved. Travel to Thimphu, where you visit the National Memorial Chorten. Later, stroll through the town of Thimphu. **Taj Tashi, Thimphu** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 5: Punakha | The Divine Madman

Drive over the Dochula Pass, seeing the colorful prayer flags en route to Punakha. Take a short hike to Chimi Lhakhang (Temple of the Divine Madman), a storied fertility temple, continuing to Punakha Dzong. Taj Tashi, Thimphu | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Thimphu | Design Your Day

Today, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Hike Wangditse Nature Trail, a two-hour scenic walk through fields to Wangtse Monastery, with stunning views.
- Offer Butter Lamps at a Monastery in Thimphu, and explore the Folk Heritage and National Textile Museum.
- Ascend to Buddha Point to view the soaring Buddha Dordenma statue and visit a sanctuary for the takin (gnu).

Tonight, gather for dinner at your hotel. Taj Tashi, Thimphu | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Paro | Monasteries, Rivers & Relics

Journey overland to Paro, stopping en route to visit local farmers at their farmhouse. Once in Paro, view the religious thangka (scroll) paintings and explore the National Museum of Bhutan. Proceed to Kyichu Lhakhang, a seventh-century Himalayan Buddhist temple. Zhiwa Ling Heritage | Meals: B L D



Visit Boudhanath, a highly venerated Buddhist shrine in Kathmandu

DAY 8: Paro | Ascent to the "Tiger's Nest"

Today, you may choose to attempt the climb to Taktsang Monastery ("Tiger's Nest"). This hike is intentionally difficult, intended as an arduous pilgrimage for Buddhist devotees. Upon your descent, celebrate your trek with a Champagne toast and a specially arranged picnic breakfast with local entertainment. Later, try your hand at archery, Bhutan's national sport. Zhiwa Ling Heritage | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Kathmandu, Nepal | Bhaktapur

Fly to Kathmandu. Upon arrival, proceed to Bhaktapur, a city founded in the ninth century, viewing its palace constructed in the 17th century by famed King Bhupatindra Malla, and Nyatapola, a striking five-tiered temple built in an angular pagoda style. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Kathmandu | A Lesson in Nepalese Cuisine

Explore Patan to see Durbar Square and the former royal palace. Participate in a Chef's Table cooking class at a local family's home, learning about local cuisine and daily life in Nepal. Continue to Swayambhunath, one of the most sacred shrines for Tibetan Buddhists. Later, savor a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Kathmandu

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to board your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Dwarika's Hotel, Kathmandu A destination in itself, rich in the local history of Kathmandu.





Taj Tashi, Thimphu Centrally located property inspired by Himalayan architecture.

Zhiwa Ling Heritage A cultural gem inspired by Bhutanese architecture and art.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Mar 6-16, Mar 13-23, Mar 28-Apr 7, Apr 19-29, May 1-11, Sep 18-28, Oct 6-16, Oct 16-26, Oct 23-Nov 2, Nov 3-13, Nov 13-23	\$10,995	\$3,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$675 Kathmandu/Paro/Kathmandu

Journey Details

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Immerse yourself in Italy's sun-splashed Mediterranean vibe on an easygoing luxury journey from Rome's Renaissance art and classic cuisine to rural Puglia and the storied islands of Sardinia and Sicily, exploring local cultures, wines and favorite dishes along the way, and smoothly accessing these far-flung locales via exclusive private flights.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Journey seamlessly between some of Italy's most beguiling mainland and island destinations, with an ease only made possible by private charter air
- Indulge in fettuccine Alfredo at the Roman restaurant where the recipe was created
- Enjoy a full day in the rugged back country of Sardinia, with lunch in a traditional farmhouse overlooking the scenic coast
- Partake of the culinary pleasures of Sicily wine, chocolate and gastronomy – and visit the famous markets of Catania
- Savor three days of exploration in Puglia, including an eclectic choice of Design Your Day experiences

DAY 1: Arrive Rome, Italy

Arrive in Rome, the Eternal City, where you are met and transferred to your hotel in the city center. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a welcome reception and dinner. Sina Bernini Bristol | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Rome** | Ancient Wonders & Renaissance Splendors Dive into the history of Rome as you explore some of its most iconic sights and view the great Ara Pacis of Augustus, an altar dedicated to Pax, the goddess of peace, adorned with detailed stone friezes depicting ancient Roman life. Indulge in lunch at Alfredo alla Scrofa, where the classic dish fettuccine Alfredo was originally created. Afterward, on an A&K-exclusive experience, gain private entry to the Villa Farnesina, a 16th-century suburban estate noted for its



sumptuous Renaissance frescoes. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure, free to explore the city your own way. Sina Bernini Bristol | Meals: B L

DAY 3: Sardinia | Prehistoric Settlement

Fly by chartered air to Sardinia, Italy's mountainous island resting in the heart of the Mediterranean. Arrive in time for lunch, and then tour the prehistoric site of Nuraghe La Prisgiona, dating to the 14th century BC. Continue to your hotel for check-in, and later gather for dinner at a local restaurant. CPH Pevero Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Sardinia | Rural Traditions

Set out on a full-day 4x4 Jeep safari into rural Sardinia, absorbing breathtaking views of the ocean from rocky heights while wandering through country landscapes and rural villages. Stop for a traditional lunch of Sardo specialties in a local farmhouse perched above the scenic coastline. CPH Pevero Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Catania | Sampling a City's Cuisine

Fly to Catania, in Sicily, noting the contrasts of the port and its Baroque architecture upon arrival. Set out on a foodie tour of the city and explore its bustling markets. Enjoy time for lunch at leisure before continuing to Noto to check in to your stunning hotel, where you refresh with a Scenic Sundowner before dinner. Il San Corrado di Noto | Meals: B D

DAY 6: **Ragusa & Modica** | Gems of the Baroque Journey to nearby Ragusa, a town rebuilt after a great earthquake in 1693 — now a UNESCO World Heritage Site — that exemplifies the Sicilian Baroque style. Afterward,



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Aircraft

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Flight Details

Rome-Olbia (45 min) Olbia-Catania (1 hr 20 min) Catania-Bari (1 hr 15 min)

Explore historic Syracuse alongside a local expert on the island of Sicily

continue to another UNESCO-listed site, Modica, for an introduction to their chocolate crafting skills: a molto dolce Chef's Table experience that includes a demonstration and tasting workshop. Later, relax with an evening at leisure at your hotel. Il San Corrado di Noto | Meals: B

DAY 7: **Avola** | Wine Tasting in the Countryside Venture into the countryside this morning as you Ride Like a Local by e-bike to a winery in the Avola area, home of the famous Nero d'Avola grape, one of Sicily's most important indigenous varieties. Taste the fruit of the vine and take advantage of time at leisure to stroll in this charming coastal town. After time to relax and enjoy your hotel, join the traditional passegiatto (pre-dinner stroll) in beautiful Noto before dinner at a local restaurant. Il San Corrado di Noto | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Syracuse & Puglia** | Legacies of the Greeks Travel to Syracuse, one of the earliest and most powerful colonies of Ancient Greece. Join a local expert who reveals

Visit the village of Alberobello to view the distinctive trulli houses

Discovering Italy Through Its Richly Varied Cuisine

There is no better way to appreciate the amazing culture of Italy than through its marvelous cuisine, a Mediterranean tradition that informs the way we eat right down to the present day. Think pasta, tomato sauce, olive oil and a passion for living. Each new destination on Wings Over Italy presents you with a delectable array of food and wine, and a feast for your other senses as well.

Starting in Rome, indulge in fettuccine Alfredo at the restaurant where the creamy dish originated. There's a traditional farmhouse lunch on Sardinia that lets you sample the recipes of rural Italy as well as a foodie walking tour and market visit in Catania that immerses you in the everyday life of locals looking for a quick bite or fresh ingredients for a slowly savored meal.

A chocolate workshop in Modica finds you crafting your own dessert and, before leaving Sicily, a winery visit reveals the Italian love of relaxation and celebration. History comes full circle in Puglia, where you stop at an olive oil mill dating to ancient times.

Italy's beloved culinary heritage is yours to enjoy with ease, thanks to privately chartered flights, on this delicious adventure cooked up by the experts at Abercrombie & Kent.



the many-layered history of this old city, and then take time for lunch at leisure. Transfer to the airport in Catania for your private flight to Puglia, Italy's mythic southern region, where you check in to your hotel. Il Melograno | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Locorotondo & Alberobello | Trulli Houses

Visit Locorotondo, considered one of the most beautiful villages in Italy. After some time for lunch at your leisure, proceed to fascinating Alberobello and see its traditional trulli houses. Built entirely of stone without mortar, only a handful of people remain who can still create these distinctive structures. Explore the town with a local expert, and then return to your hotel. Il Melograno | Meals: B

DAY 10: Monopoli | Design Your Day

This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Take a Cooking Class at a Local Masseria, making pasta and foccacia on an experience that includes lunch.
- Hike in scenic Alto Salento with a Guide, and break for a classic picnic lunch.
- Set Out on an E-bike Tour on an active experience that includes lunch in Ostuni.

Afterward, drive to Ostuni, a region famed for its massive, gnarled olive trees — some over 3,000 years old — to visit a local olive oil producer with an ancient underground mill. Learn how the production of oil, a staple of the region's culture, has evolved from Roman times to present day. Tonight, gather for a farewell dinner. Il Melograno | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Puglia

After breakfast, privately transfer to Bari or Brindisi airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sina Bernini Bristol

Iconic luxury hotel in Rome, newly reopened after a complete renovation, with decor that celebrates Baroque art, located near the Trevi Fountain.



Il San Corrado di Noto

Luxurious boutique resort with 26 suites and eight villas situated in the former masseria (fortified farmhouse) of a prince.





Il Melograno Luxury boutique hotel nestled amid olive-tree-dotted Puglian countryside. with a private Mediterranean beach.

CPH Pevero Hotel Contemporary luxury resort hotel

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jun 17–27, Jun 24–Jul 4, Sep 9–19, Sep 16–26	\$40,995	\$6,195

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

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A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore the Vatican Museums in the early morning hours, and view the Sistine Chapel, at this cooler, less-crowded time of day
- Set out on a walking tour of Florence, visiting the Accademia to view great works, such as Michelangelo's *David*, led by a local art specialist
- Dine at a farm-to-table restaurant in Florence, savor a wine tasting in Tuscany, and try your hand at pizza-making in Rome for a well-rounded sampling of Italy's culinary delights
- Enjoy exclusive access to an architectural restoration project in Florence that is supported by A&K Philanthropy

DAY 1: Arrive Rome, Italy

Arrive in Rome, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director for dinner. Hotel de la Ville | Meals: D

DAY 2: Rome | Essence of the Eternal City

This morning, begin with early access to the Vatican Museums, before visiting St. Peter's Basilica. After lunch, discover the Eternal City, starting at the Palatine Hill, where your local guide brings to life the city's origin. Pass the Arch of Constantine to visit the mighty Colosseum, opened in AD 80. Hotel de la Ville | Meals: B L

DAY 3: Rome | Artistic Masterpieces

Today, explore the Montemartini Museum, set in a building that once housed Rome's first electric power station, to view a grand collection of classical statues depicting early Roman life, all displayed in thought-provoking juxtaposition with the extraordinary industrial architecture surrounding them.



Pause in Rome's Eataly emporium to taste local specialties. This afternoon, enjoy time at leisure. Later, get a hands-on feel for an Italian culinary tradition, when you take part in a pizza-making class in a top Roman neighborhood pizzeria. Hotel de la Ville | Meals: B D

DAY 4: Florence | Tuscan Landscapes & Wine Tasting Drive to Florence, roaming through the sun-splashed Tuscan countryside. Along the way, stop at a distinctive winery for a guided tasting of Brunello di Montalcino and a light lunch. Continue to Florence and check in to your historic hotel in the city center. Hotel Savoy | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Florence** | Accademia & Farm-to-Table Dinner Walk the lively streets of Florence with your local guide, an art specialist, who accompanies you to fascinating sites, including the Accademia, where you behold striking masterworks such as Michelangelo's incomparable *David*. Next, visit the Cappella di San Luca of the Basilica della Santissima Annunziata to meet with a restorer working on the precious Renaissance art, a project supported by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy. Then, indulge in a delectable, hands-on Tuscan cooking experience at the Florence University of the Arts. Start with a lecture on Tuscan culinary masterpieces followed by a cooking class on favorite Tuscan dishes that completes this mouthwatering Chef's Table moment. Hotel Savoy | Meals: B D

DAY 6: Venice | Mountain Views & Wondrous Mosaics Today, cross the Apennines by express train to the valley of the Po and onward to Venice. Upon arrival, Ride Like a Local in a water taxi along the Grand Canal, and then board a gondola for a quintessential Venetian experience. Break for



lunch, before visiting St. Mark's Square; St. Mark's Basilica, beholding its mosaics; and the Doge's Palace. Later, check in to your hotel. Baglioni Hotel Luna | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Venice | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Visit One of the City's Last Gondola Workshops to learn about this time-honored boat-building craft.
- Marvel at the Textile Weavers of Tessitura Bevilacqua and take a walking tour of Venice's historic Jewish ghetto.
- Explore Sites Featured in Famous Films, visiting the shooting locations of scenes from *Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade, The Italian Job* and others.

Follow up your exciting experience with an afternoon at leisure, free to relax or further explore the city. Tonight, savor a Scenic Sundowner overlooking the Venetian Lagoon, setting the mood for your farewell dinner. Baglioni Hotel Luna | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Depart Venice

Transfer by boat to the airport and depart. Meals: B

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For a private journey consider **Tailor Made Italy: The Vatican to Venice**. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Baglioni Hotel Luna

Classic luxury hotel housed in a magnificent 12th-century building, adorned with antiques and frescoes and located just steps from St. Mark's Square.





Hotel Savoy Grand and historic luxury hotel, nestled in the heart of Florence. Hotel de la Ville Luxury hotel in a historic palazzo, ideally set atop the Spanish Steps.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 10-17	\$10,995	\$4,195
May 24-31	\$11,495	\$4,695
Jun 7-14, Jul 12-19, Sep 27-Oct 4, Oct 4-11, Oct 11-18	\$10,995	\$4,195

Journey Details

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- Begin a day in Paris with an A&K-exclusive breakfast atop the Eiffel Tower, and end it with cocktails in an iconic jazz club
- Explore the lanes and artisanal merchants of Rome's Trastevere neighborhood, then partake in a pasta cooking class, using the freshest local ingredients
- Soak up the sun during a ride along the sparking Athenian Riviera

DAY 1: Arrive London, England

Arrive in London, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Brown's Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: London | Classic Sights & Culinary Delights Explore the Household Cavalry Museum and view the daily changing of the Mounted Guard on an A&K-exclusive escorted experience. Then, stroll to Westminster Pier, passing Downing Street, the Houses of Parliament and Big Ben along the way. Board a ferry as you Ride Like a Local to the Bankside Pier to sample delicacies at the Borough Market on a foodie walk. Afterward, ascend the Shard, with fasttrack entry, and toast the moment with a glass of Champagne from the towering building's open-air Skydeck, as you take in panoramic views across London before dinner at a local restaurant. Brown's Hotel | Meals: B D



DAY 3: London | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Visit Majestic Windsor Castle, one of the official residences of England's Royal Family.
- Savor a Gin-Focused Walking Tour through the neighborhoods of old London, stopping for tastings of the "white satin."
- Bike Through London on an Active, Guided Excursion, peddling past Big Ben, Buckingham Palace and Westminster Abbey.

All choices include a traditional Sunday pub lunch. Return to your hotel with the remainder of your day at leisure. Brown's Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 4: **Paris, France** | A Toast to the City of Light Fly by private charter aircraft across the English Channel, taking advantage of convenient executive airports in both cities to make your passage virtually seamless. On arrival, enjoy lunch in a typical Parisian brasserie before embarking in a classic Citroën 2CV, which the French nicknamed the deux chevaux, for an old-style excursion around the city. Cap off your ride with a Champagne toast atop Montmartre, the fabled hill district renowned as a bohemian enclave of artists, replete with cobblestone streets and lively bistros and crowned by magnificent Sacre-Coeur Basilica, on a relaxing Scenic Sundowner experience. This evening, indulge in an onboard dinner and toast the City of Light as you cruise by boat along the romantic Seine. Le Grand Mazarin | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Paris** | Private Eiffel Tower Breakfast Begin your day on the Eiffel Tower — the iconic wrought-



Flight Details London-Paris (50 min)

Paris-Rome (1 hr 50 min) Rome-Athens (1 hr 50 min)

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iron marvel designed for the Paris Exposition of 1889 with an A&K-exclusive private breakfast at the Jules Verne restaurant. Next, enjoy a class that teaches you the secrets of making delicious French macarons. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure, free to explore the city. Tonight, gather for dinner followed by cocktails at an iconic Parisian jazz club. Le Grand Mazarin | Meals: B D

DAY 6: Champagne | Private Winery Experience Head into the Champagne region, past softly rolling hills and quaint villages, for a private visit to a family run

winery that produces organic wines. Discover their vine cultivation techniques and winemaking methods as well as the Champagne production process. Visit the barrel room, fermentation room and cellars, taking in the aromas and tasting two of their emblematic cuvées, brut and rosé. Cap off this culturally immersive experience with lunch at the winery. Later, visit the cathedral of Reims, coronation site of the French kings, before returning to Paris. Le Grand Mazarin | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Rome, Italy | Strolling the Eternal City Fly by private charter aircraft to Rome. On arrival, enter the







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historic city center for lunch at a traditional trattoria near the Campo de Fiori, and then set out on a guided stroll of Rome's most historic neighborhoods. Check in to your hotel and relax in its hidden gardens before dinner. Hotel de Russie | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Rome | Exclusive Moments in Historic Settings Join a guide to privately explore the Castel Sant'Angelo, once the mausoleum of Emperor Hadrian and the Imperial family, and later a personal fortress of popes. On an A&K-exclusive experience, enter the secret passage that connects the castle with the Vatican itself, and then join a guide for a panoramic exploration of some of Rome's most iconic sites. Later, enjoy a private visit to the church of San Lorenzo in Miranda, admiring the incomparable views over Rome's ancient Forum on another A&K-exclusive moment. Tonight, gather for dinner with music overlooking the ruins. Hotel de Russie | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Rome | Food & Wine Adventure

Begin your day in charming Trastevere, one of Rome's most iconic neighborhoods, where you embark on an Italian food and wine adventure. Join a specialist guide to discover the bustling local market and lively back streets lined with artisanal businesses. Finish with a pasta-making class to satisfy your well-earned appetite, the culmination of a rich and varied Chef's Table experience. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure or, if you wish, enjoy the option to accompany your Resident Tour Director on a guided visit of the Vatican Museums, and pause to admire the immortal works of Michelangelo that grace the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel. Hotel de Russie | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Athens, Greece | Ancient Cultural Immersion Journey on your private charter aircraft to historic Athens, the birthplace of democracy. Begin with lunch in the traditional Plaka neighborhood, and then embark on a guided walk that reveals the history and mythology of this ancient culture. Transfer to the nearby Athenian Riviera, where you settle into your luxurious hotel, and then enjoy dinner. One&Only Aesthesis | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Athens | Life on the Athenian Riviera

Devote a day to indulging in everything Athens' Apollo Coast — a sun-splashed enclave of jet-set glamour, otherwise known as the Athenian Riviera — has to offer. Start with a visit to an authentic taverna, where the chefs reveal the secrets of traditional Greek cooking in a fun hands-on experience. Pair what you've created with a glass of wine for a culinary experience worth savoring. This afternoon, set out on an electric trike excursion, taking in views of the idyllic coast. Follow your guide to Megalo Kavouri Beach where you can stretch out in on the sand under the Mediterranean sun. Continue to Vouliagmeni, a gorgeous natural lake known for warm waters alleged to have therapeutic properties. Enjoy it your way, perhaps with a quick swim or a refreshing drink at a local café, before returning to your hotel. This evening, gather for a farewell dinner in a refined venue overlooking the flashing blue Aegean Sea. One&Only Aesthesis | Meals: B D

DAY 12: Depart Athens

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to board your departing flight.

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS





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DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jun 12–23, Sep 1–12, Sep 15–26	\$49,995	\$11,795

Journey Details Minimum age is 10 years.

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- Relax along the incomparable Amalfi Coast, indulging in a hands-on cooking lesson above the sparkling sea
- Roam the ancient ruins of Pompeii, witnessing a moment frozen in time by a volcanic eruption
- Customize your travel experience in Dubrovnik with a choice of Design Your Day options

DAY 1: Arrive Lisbon, Portugal

Arrive in Lisbon, where you are met and transferred to your hotel in the city center. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a welcome reception and dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon | Meals: D

DAY 2: Lisbon | Private Dinner with Fado Performance Begin your day with a visit to the National Coach Museum to see ceremonial and promenade vehicles from the 17th to 19th centuries. Proceed to the Jeronimos Monastery to admire its Manueline-style architecture, and then explore the Calouste Gulbenkian Museum. Tonight, experience the magic of Portugal's ancient Fado tradition over dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon | Meals: B D

DAY 3: **Sintra** | Romantic Castles by the Sea Travel just outside Lisbon today to Sintra, designated a



UNESCO World Heritage Site for its stunning 19th-century monuments. Explore the National Palace of Portugal, the best-preserved medieval royal residence in the country, and then proceed to the Pena Palace, decorated with vivid colors and evocative stone carvings. Return to Lisbon for time at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon | Meals: B

DAY 4: **Barcelona, Spain** | A City Rich in History Leave Lisbon for a private exploration of one of Portugal's oldest wineries. After lunch, fly by private charter aircraft to sunny Barcelona. Take in the views from the hill of Montjuïc, and then ride the cable car to the port and savor dinner beside the sea before checking in to your hotel. **The One Barcelona** | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Barcelona** | Gaudí's Magnificent Wonder View the Barcelona Pavilion, and then discover the Sagrada Família, a spectacular basilica designed by Catalan architect Antoni Gaudí. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure, perhaps stopping for lunch in the Central Market, also known as La Boqueria, free to explore the city. Tonight, gather for a flavorful tapas experience and a flamenco performance. The One Barcelona | Meals: B D

DAY 6: **Figueres** | Birthplace of Salvador Dalí Travel overland to Figueres, where you are guided through the Salvador Dalí Theater-Museum, designed by Dalí himself and considered the world's largest surrealist object. Continue to Girona, a city that boasts Romanesque towers, medieval stone ramparts and a cathedral with the widest Gothic nave in the world. Explore the charming old Jewish Quarter and visit the medieval Arab baths before returning to Barcelona. The One Barcelona | Meals: B D



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Aircraft

Bombardier Challenger 850 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Lisbon-Barcelona (1 hr 45 min) Barcelona-Naples (1 hr 45 min) Naples-Dubrovnik (55 min)



Enjoy a seaside drive along Italy's sparkling Amalfi Coast

DAY 7: **Naples, Italy/Sorrento** | A Glimpse into History Fly by private charter aircraft to Naples. On arrival, enter the historic city center for lunch at a traditional Neopolitan pizzeria. Afterward, visit the National Archaeological Museum to view many of the treasures excavated from Pompeii and Herculaneum. Later, travel to the coastal town of Sorrento and settle into your hotel, where you enjoy a relaxing Scenic Sundowner experience overlooking the glittering Gulf of Naples.

Grand Hotel La Favorita | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Amalfi Coast | A Lesson in the Local Cuisine Indulge in the many splendors of the Amalfi Coast, as you Ride Like a Local along the coast by ferry to colorful Amalfi itself. Proceed to the hilltop town of Ravello, where you take part in a cooking class, and then sample the local dishes you've helped create for lunch. Later, enjoy a seaside drive back to Sorrento, absorbing the postcard-perfect coastal seascapes along the way. Grand Hotel La Favorita | Meals: B L

DAY 9: **Sorrento** | A Time in the Sun This morning, visit a local organic farm, strolling through



Ancient Cultures Linked by the Sea

Few bodies of water on earth have played a more central role in the development of human civilization than the Mediterranean Sea. It was here that the ancient Phoenicians, Greeks and Romans sailed forth to explore new lands, do battle and conduct trade, spreading aspects of their distinctive cultures into Europe, Asia, North Africa and the Middle East as they went.

Time and tide rolled on, and new dynasties arose. The Moors conquered the northern coast of Africa and ruled Iberia for seven centuries until the crusader knights overcame them, leaving their own mark on Mediterranean history. Later still came the Venetians, who used their economic, cultural and naval might to dominate life on and around the sea.

Wings Over the Mediterranean is designed to reveal the common threads these bygone peoples wove throughout the entire region during their travels, and to discern remnants of their faded cultures that still linger today in the destinations you visit.

Only A&K's ability to craft one-of-a-kind itineraries utilizing privately chartered flights offers you this comprehensive perspective in a shorter time than ever before possible, on a single luxurious journey.



their garden to see how it showcases the local biodiversity and basking in the sun-warmed scents of aromatic herbs. Then, gather in the on-site dairy to learn how traditional fresh mozzarella is crafted by participating in a hands-on demonstration. Then, taste the delicious results accompanied by an apertif, concluding this delightful Chef's Table experience. Return to Sorrento for an afternoon at leisure, free to hike the rugged hills, visit the lyrical island of Capri or simply relax. Grand Hotel La Favorita | Meals: B

DAY 10: Pompeii & Dubrovnik, Croatia | Adriatic Crossing

Journey to historic Pompeii to explore this UNESCO World Heritage Site, where the daily life of ancient Italy was frozen in time by ash and debris from an eruption of nearby Mount Vesuvius in AD 79. Then, fly by privately chartered aircraft to Dubrovnik, where you settle into your luxurious hotel, and then enjoy dinner. Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Dubrovnik | Silk Weavers Visit

Start your day by observing silk weavers at work in Konavle who practice an intricate craft handed down through the generations. After lunch, stroll in Dubrovnik with your local guide to see the Franciscan monastery, Dubrovnik Cathedral and the Rector's Palace, a masterpiece of secular architecture. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B L

DAY 12: Dubrovnik | Design Your Day

Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Attend a Cooking Class with a Wine Tasting and then savor what you created for lunch.
- Embark by Sea Kayak on a refreshing, tranquil paddle around Dubrovnik's picturesque Old Town and Lokrum Island.
- Visit Game of Thrones Shooting Locations on a walking tour, led by a local who worked as an extra on the celebrated television series.

Tonight, gather for a farewell dinner. Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B D

DAY 13: Depart Dubrovnik

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to board your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



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Grand Hotel La Favorita Luxury hotel set in lush gardens with Iconic landmark luxury hotel with Bay of Naples views.

Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik magnificent views of the city and sea.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jun 11–23, Sep 3–15, Sep 17–29	\$37,995	\$7,195

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Spain & Morocco

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A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience the time-saving convenience of travelling between destinations on a private chartered aircraft
- Marvel at the fortress-like Alhambra, a fine example of Islamic architecture in Granada
- Ride a camel and experience the Sahara in style at A&K's Exclusive Desert Tented Camp
- Discover the well-preserved mosaics of Roman villas at Volubilis and the medieval-era Medina of Fez, both UNESCO World Heritage Sites
- Behold the mastery of Yves Saint Laurent at a museum devoted to his works in Marrakech
- Customize your travel experience on an afternoon in vibrant Marrakech, taking advantage of A&K's diverse Design Your Day feature
- Explore Seville's monumental Royal Alcázar palace on a special after-hours visit
- Walk the whitewashed medieval streets of Córdoba, once known as a city of three cultures – Muslim, Jewish and Christian

DAY 1: Arrive Granada, Spain

Arrive in Granada, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a cocktail, followed by a welcome dinner at your hotel. **Hotel Alhambra Palace** | **Meals: D**

DAY 2: **Granada** | Incomparable Alhambra Discover Alhambra, a medieval Muslim palace and UNESCO



World Heritage Site, led by a top local guide. See the delicate beauty of the Nazaries Palace, the Court of Myrtles and the intricately decorated Court of the Lions. Then, stroll the gardens of the Generalife, a palace from the days of Granada's last Arab kings. Hotel Alhambra Palace | Meals: B D

DAY 3: Fez, Morocco | Land of Rich Heritage

Board your private chartered flight to Morocco, landing in Fez. Transfer to your hotel, a refurbished former palace, where you stay for lunch. This afternoon, explore Fez el-Jedid (modern Fez). See the Royal Palace, madrasas (school mosques), city wall and mellah (Jewish quarter). Tonight at your hotel, attend a cocktail reception and dinner, joined by a guest speaker who reveals fascinating aspects of Moroccan culture. Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Volubilis | Roman Ruins & Vineyards

Journey overland to explore the Roman ruins of Volubilis, a UNESCO World Heritage Site brimming with iconic architecture and mosaics depicting mythical scenes. Venture to a local winery outside of Meknes for a special Chef's Table experience set among the region's sun-bathed vineyards and olive groves. Sample some of the wine produced here along with a gourmet meal made from locally sourced organic ingredients. Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Fez | Timeless Medieval City

Explore Fez el-Bali (Old Fez), the cultural heart of Morocco. Stroll the labyrinthine old quarter, with its 9,000 narrow lanes, alleys and lively souks. View the 14th-century Karaouine — one of the world's oldest universities — and visit Nejjarine Square. Palais Faraj Suites & Spa | Meals: B L



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Aircraft

Bombardier Challenger 850 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Granada-Fez (55 min) Fez-Erfoud (40 min) Erfoud-Marrakech (50 min) Marrakech-Seville (1 hr 20 min)



Stroll the souks of Marrakech and vibrant Djemaa el-Fna Square

DAY 6: **Sahara Desert** | Camel Ride to Desert Camp Fly to Er-Rachidia Moulay Ali Cherif, and then transfer overland, stopping for lunch before rolling out into the Sahara Desert, amid towering red sand dunes, in a 4x4 vehicle. Change modes of transport as you Ride Like a Local by camel to complete your journey to A&K's exclusive nomadic tented camp. As the sun sets over the dunes, toast your desert sojourn with a Scenic Sundowner. Later, relax to the sounds of authentic Moroccan entertainment beside a campfire before adjourning to a nearby tent for a dinner of regional dishes with wine. Slumber tonight in comfort, in the silent Sahara. A&K Exclusive Desert Tented Camp | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Marrakech | Arabian Horses & Moroccan Cuisine Fly by private charter to Marrakech, saving hours of overland travel time. Upon arrival, stop for lunch, and then marvel at a horse show featuring stunning Arabian stallions. Then, check in to your exquisite hotel — and your elegant riad room. Tonight, gather for a traditional Moroccan dinner prepared by an award-winning chef at the hotel's restaurant. Royal Mansour Marrakech | Meals: B L D



Experience Seville, exploring its cathedral with a guide and visiting a private 16th-century palace





Legacy of the Moors

Spain and Morocco are both nations with rich and colorful histories influenced by many cultures down through the centuries — but perhaps by none more so than that of the Moors. The Moorish presence here began when Muslims from eastern North Africa, including Berbers and Arabs, expanded westward and northward across the Mediterranean Sea. In 711, they conquered Visigothic Hispania (the Iberian Peninsula). Later, the Berber Revolt in the Maghreb — a region that includes modern-day Morocco — led to eventual Moorish rule along the southern coast of the Mediterranean.

Over the next 700 years, the Moors developed a culture devoted to Islam while remaining comparatively tolerant of other religions. They built magnificent mosques and impressive seats of learning, including some of the oldest continuously operating universities in the world. Christian Europeans waged a centurieslong war dubbed the Reconquista to reclaim Iberia, which culminated in 1492. Moorish power later faded across Morocco as well.

Today, A&K's superb Resident Tour Directors and local guides excel at providing visitors with an in-depth understanding of the Moors' legacy of lyrical architecture, tantalizing cuisine and commitment to education, which still influences life throughout the region.



DAY 8: **Marrakech** | Historic Gardens & Design Your Day Visit the Jardin Majorelle, a picturesque garden created by French painter Jacques Majorelle and later restored by design legend Yves Saint Laurent. Tour the on-site Pierre Bergé Museum of Berber Arts and the Yves Saint Laurent Museum nearby, which reveals his vast portfolio. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Learn to Cook with Moroccan Spices during a hands-on cooking class with a local chef.
- Explore the City's Souks with an expert guide, walking narrow streets lined with shops plying local food and crafts.
- ▶ Walk the Historic Jewish Quarter (Mellah) with a guide, a place once known as a bastion of religious tolerance.

Afterward, return to your hotel with your evening at leisure. Royal Mansour Marrakech | Meals: B

DAY 9: Marrakech | Exploring the Red City

Explore Marrakech, starting at Bahia Palace, an exemplary example of privileged life here in the 19th century. Then visit the Dar El Bacha Palace or the Dar Si Said Museum. Savor lunch at a local restaurant, followed by an opportunity to discover the meandering souks and colorful Djemaa el-Fna, Marrakech's main square, filled with orange juice stalls, mime artists and street musicians performing at every turn. Later, gather for a special dinner featuring entertainment by a gnaoua band. **Royal Mansour Marrakech | Meals: B L D**

DAY 10: **Seville, Spain** | After-Hours at the Royal Alcázar Board a privately chartered flight to Seville, Spain, where you check in to your hotel, and then walk with your guide to the Royal Alcázar — a monumental palace — for a special afterhours visit. Finish the evening with a dinner of authentic Spanish tapas. Hotel Alfonso XIII | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Seville | Private Visit to Hospital de la Caridad Today, explore the Seville Cathedral with a guide, and then visit the Casa de Salinas, where you meet a member of the family that owns this small, private 16th-century palace. Tonight, after dinner at a local restaurant, experience a private, after-hours visit to Baroque Hospital de la Caridad and hear Gregorian chant performed live. Hotel Alfonso XIII | Meals: B D

DAY 12: Córdoba & Seville | A Vibrant Flamenco Finale Venture by train to Córdoba, in Spain's Andalusia region, for a walking tour of its whitewashed medieval streets. Stroll to its heart: the old Jewish quarter, part of the historic center of Córdoba, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Then, discover the magnificent Mezquita, viewing its 10th-century splendors, and continue to Medina Azahara, one of the main archaeological sites in Spain, before returning to Seville. Later this evening, ride by horse-drawn carriage to a private reception and farewell dinner, followed by a performance of flamenco dancing and singing — a fitting coda to your amazing Moorish adventure. Hotel Alfonso XIII | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: Depart Seville

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



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Royal Mansour Marrakech Palatial classic luxury hotel and spa featuring private riads.



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Hotel Alhambra Palace Landmark luxury hotel and palace in Granada, with inspiring city views.



Hotel Alfonso XIII The most iconic hotel in Seville, in the historic Santa Cruz neighborhood.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Apr 16-28, Oct 8-20	\$44,995	\$10,995

Journey Details

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Explore the best of the entire Iberian peninsula on one spectacular journey, discovering how Moors, Jews and Europeans influenced the culture, cuisine and arts of Spain and Portugal.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience two Gehry-designed architectural masterpieces, exploring the Guggenheim Museum Bilbao and staying for two nights at the Hotel Marqués de Riscal
- Savor a private dinner and a superb flamenco performance at a palace in Seville, on an A&K-exclusive experience
- Roam the medieval streets of Córdoba's Jewish Quarter and view the stunning interior of the city's Grand Mosque
- Taste a variety of culinary treats on a tapas adventure in Madrid, partaking in a delectable Spanish cultural tradition
- Learn the secrets to baking a Portuguese dessert specialty, and then indulge in your creation, in a private, hands-on pastry-making workshop in Lisbon

DAY 1: Arrive Lisbon, Portugal

Arrive in Lisbon, capital of Portugal, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Settle in and then join your A&K Resident Tour Director for a welcome drink, followed by dinner at your hotel. Olissippo Lapa Palace | Meals: D

DAY 2: Lisbon | Private Pastry-Making Workshop This morning, set out panoramic review of the city, including Jerónimos Monastery. Afterward, try your hand at creating the famous Portuguese specialty, pastel de pata (custard tart). Learn the art of making this delicious, sweet treat from start to finish, guided by professional chefs during a private workshop in the Alvalade district of Lisbon. The class takes place in a tea house specializing in Portuguese desserts. Complete your experience by taking a mindful moment to savor your pastry, complemented by a cup of tea or coffee. The rest of your day is at leisure. Olissippo Lapa Palace | Meals: B



DAY 3: Évora | Walled Medieval City

Journey to Évora, a beautifully preserved medieval city, stopping for a wine tasting en route. On arrival, visit the historic town center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, to view an ancient Roman Temple, the Gothic 13th-century Sé Cathedral with its Romanesque architectural influences, and the striking city walls. Convento do Espinheiro | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Mérida, Spain & Seville** | Ancient Mérida Today, drive eastward into Spain, stopping in Mérida to view its Roman amphitheater, inaugurated in 8 BC to host theatrical performances and gladiatorial combat. Also see an ancient 82-foot-tall aqueduct built from stone and brick. Afterward, continue into Spain's storied Andalusia region for a two-night stay in vibrant Seville. Once there, ride a horse-drawn carriage to a palace where the owners host your private dinner, followed by a performance of flamenco dancing and singing on the patio of this historic home. Hotel Alfonso XIII | Meals: B D

DAY 5: Seville | Gothic Cathedral & Jewish Quarter Set out on a guided excursion through Seville, including a visit to the largest Gothic cathedral in the world. Proceed to the Jewish Quarter, with its labyrinth of narrow streets dating to the time of Moorish rule. Then, relax during an afternoon and evening at leisure. Hotel Alfonso XIII | Meals: B

DAY 6: **Granada** | The Moorish Architecture of Alhambra After breakfast, travel to Granada and take in the city. Visit Alhambra, a vast palace and UNESCO World Heritage Site that exemplifies Moorish architecture. Tonight, dine at a local restaurant overlooking the site. Hotel Palacio de Santa Paula | Meals: B L D



DAY 7: Córdoba & Madrid | Jewish Quarter & Mezquita Travel to Córdoba, where you visit this city's historic Jewish neighborhood and roam its narrow streets, and then enter the former Great Mosque, now known as the Mezquita, to view its breathtaking Moorish-influenced interior. Enjoy time to explore before boarding a high-speed AVE train, as you Ride Like a Local to Madrid. Upon arrival, check in to your hotel. Cap off your day of exploring with a fun tapas tour for dinner. Palacio de los Duques Gran Meliá | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Madrid | Royal Splendor

Set out on a city tour that includes the Royal Palace, with its rich decor comprised of marble, stucco and mahogany. Break for lunch at a local restaurant. Enjoy the afternoon and evening at leisure. Palacio de los Duques Gran Meliá | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Madrid & Toledo | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

See Madrid on a Parks & River Bike Tour, cycling in a vast, beautiful city park and along the Manzanares River.





- Discover Toledo, a place in medieval Europe where Muslim, Jewish and Christian communities coexisted.
- Tour the Prado Museum, viewing works by El Greco, Velázquez and Goya, guided by a local expert.

Spend your evening at leisure in Madrid, free to sample the city's many culinary attractions. Palacio de los Duques Gran Meliá | Meals: B

DAY 10: Elciego | An Enchanting Food & Wine Experience Today, journey to La Rioja, stopping en route for a tour, followed by a Chef's Table experience featuring a gourmet lunch with wine pairings at the Vivanco Museum of Wine Culture. Proceed to Elciego and check in to the Hotel Marqués de Riscal. Settle into your luxurious room and admire the hotel's amazing design, created by master architect Frank Gehry. Gaze out upon the vineyard-covered hills surrounding this contemporary retreat from one of its eight terraces and enjoy your evening at leisure. Hotel Marqués de Riscal | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Elciego | Tasting the Fruits of the Rioja

This morning, explore Spain's storied Rioja region, visiting an olive oil mill and sampling their oils, walking through Laguardia, and tasting wine with tapas in one of the village cellars. Return to your hotel to relax in the lush surroundings before dinner. Hotel Marqués de Riscal | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: **Bilbao** | Guggenheim Museum Tour Drive to Bilbao today, where you tour galleries devoted to modern and contemporary art, including the monumental sculpture *The Matter of Time*, at the Frank Gehry-designed Guggenheim Museum Bilbao. After lunch at a local

restaurant, fly to Barcelona, settle into your hotel, and then enjoy a light dinner. Almanac Barcelona | Meals: B L D

DAY 13: **Barcelona** | Gaudi's Unfinished Masterpiece This morning, set out on a panoramic city tour. See the Barcelona Pavilion, a study in minimalism built for the 1929 International Exposition, and then explore the Sagrada Família, a spectacular basilica designed by Catalan architect Antoni Gaudí. This amazing structure features eight towering spires outside and an incomparably detailed vaulted ceiling inside. Begun in 1882, parts of it are still under construction. Enjoy time for lunch at leisure in the Central Market, also known as La Boqueria, one of the city's many vital marketplaces for fish, meat and produce. Spend your afternoon with time to relax or explore this colorful, vibrant city on your own. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a Scenic Sundowner followed by a festive farewell dinner. Almanac Barcelona | Meals: B D

DAY 14: Depart Barcelona

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



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Hotel Palacio de Santa Paula Historic luxury hotel in central Granada, set in a renovated convent.



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DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 3-16, May 10-23, May 24-Jun 6,* Jun 21-Jul 4	\$13,995	\$4,295
Jul 5–18, Aug 30–Sep 12	\$13,795	\$3,995
Sep 6-19, Sep 13-26, Sep 27-Oct 10,* Oct 4-17,* Oct 11-24,* Oct 18-31	\$13,995	\$4,295

Internal Air: Economy class from \$270 Bilbao/Barcelona *Days 12-13 at The One Barcelona.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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Immerse yourself in a cultural and culinary exploration of Spain's vibrant Basque country and France's celebrated Bordeaux region, two spectacularly scenic destinations renowned the world over for their fine food and wine.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Tour the Guggenheim Museum Bilbao, a Frank Gehrydesigned architectural icon
- Visit Guernica, the city that inspired Pablo Picasso's most celebrated masterwork, delving in to its famed local market, and discover an underwater wine cellar like no other
- Savor Basque cuisine and culture on an exclusive experience at a local culinary club in San Sebastián
- Go behind the scenes in some of Bordeaux's finest châteaux, savoring a day of private cellar tours and tastings
- Cruise the coastal waters of Arcachon Bay, enjoying oysters plucked fresh from the sea

DAY 1: Arrive Bilbao, Spain

Arrive in Bilbao, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. This evening, gather for cocktails and a welcome dinner at the hotel. **Gran Hotel Domine** | **Meals: D**

DAY 2: **Guernica & the Coast** | A Legacy of Remembrance Start your day with a visit to nearby Guernica, a city inextricably linked to the brutality of war and nationalism as vividly portrayed in Pablo Picasso's masterwork, *Guernica*. Delve into the poignant history that inspired the master, seeing ground zero of the infamous bombing raid that leveled the city in 1937. Next, explore Guernica's renowned market, one of the finest in all of Basque Country, where growers from across the province display their freshly harvested produce for locals and visitors alike. Then, return to Bilbao to explore the fascinating streets of its Old Town, followed by a relaxing evening at leisure. **Gran Hotel Domine** | Meals: B

DAY 3: **Bilbao** | Masterworks of the Guggenheim Explore the Frank Gehry-designed Guggenheim Museum



Bilbao and its world-class collection of modern and contemporary art. Next, visit a cellar where the wines are aged more than 60 feet below the surface of the sea, to sample these special vintages paired with pintxos. Proceed to San Sebastián for an A&K-exclusive dining experience at a local gastronomic society, a members-only social club where Basque cuisine and culture are passed from one generation to the next. Hotel Maria Cristina | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: San Sebastián | Sun, Surf & Cider

Explore San Sebastián's local cider culture, learning how this delightful regional staple is brewed, poured and quaffed in the Basque tradition. After some time at leisure to relax or explore, join a Chef's Table experience, preparing and tasting regional favorites. **Hotel Maria Cristina** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 5: Pamplona | Hemingway's Haunts

Visit a family-run dairy farm and taste their fresh cheeses. Continue to Pamplona — home to the annual festival of San Fermín (the running of the bulls) that inspired Hemingway's classic *The Sun Also Rises*. After time for lunch at leisure, stroll the city's medieval lanes with a local expert, and then return to San Sebastián. Tonight, you may opt to explore the city's world-renowned culinary scene independently, with advice from A&K if you like. Hotel Maria Cristina | Meals: B

DAY 6: **Bordeaux, France** | Duet of Spicy & Sweet Cross the border into France, pausing to take in the scenic fishing village of Saint-Jean-de-Luz. Continue into the foothills of the Pyrénées, stopping to try the local peppers of Espelette, an ingredient prized by chefs the world over. Proceed to coastal Bayonne for an expert-led chocolate tasting. Continue northward to Bordeaux, where your guide



reveals the city as you walk to a local restaurant for dinner. InterContinental Bordeaux - Le Grand Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 7: Bordeaux | Wines of the Châteaux's Cellars Today, explore some of Bordeaux's iconic châteaux, enjoying privileged access to areas otherwise closed to the public. Savor expertly curated tastings of some of the world's most coveted wines, and pause for lunch at one of the châteaux. InterContinental Bordeaux - Le Grand Hotel | Meals: B L



Delve into the culture of Bordeaux's most celebrated export at The City of Wine.

DAY 8: Bordeaux | Delicacy of the Coast

Travel to Arcachon, a charming seaside town renowned for its oysters. Join an oysterman to Ride Like a Local around his beds, savoring fresh oysters plucked straight from the sea. After lunch on board, head to shore for a guided tour of The City of Wine, celebrating the region's deeply rooted wine culture with a Scenic Sundowner. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner in a private salon of your hotel overlooking the opera house. InterContinental Bordeaux - Le Grand Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Bordeaux

After breakfast, you are transferred to the airport for your departure flight. Meals: B

NSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



InterContinental Bordeaux - Le Grand Hotel Classic landmark luxury hotel.





Hotel Maria Cristina Landmark luxury grand hotel gracing This contemporary luxury hotel fronts San Sebastián's city center since 1912. the Guggenheim Museum Bilbao.

Gran Hotel Domine

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jun 9-17, Aug 18-26, Aug 25-Sep 2, Sep 8-16, Sep 15-23	\$10,795	\$3,395

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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The Azores & Madeira: Portugal's Island Gems

8 days from \$9,995 | Limited to 18 guests

From whale watching and wine tasting to tea plantations and botanical gardens, experience the best of two remote Atlantic Ocean island chains as you explore the Azores for their amazing scenery and wildlife and discover the vital role Madeira's volcanic terrain played in the development of its namesake wines.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Go whale watching in the Atlantic waters around the Azores accompanied by resident biologists who share their deep understanding of the region's marine life
- Explore the São Miguel "tea route" and stop by a plantation to sample teas, grown in the Azores since the early 1800s
- Visit a winery in Madeira to learn the storied history of the islands' fortified wines and stay for an A&K-exclusive tasting of their heritage 1920 vintage
- Explore Funchal's bustling farmer's market, which has been held weekly since 1940
- Visit Madeira's vibrant tropical gardens, including an introduction from a botanist at the Botanical Garden

DAY 1: Ponta Delgada, Portugal

Arrive in Ponta Delgada, Portugal — located on São Miguel Island in the Azores — where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Set amid dramatic volcanic scenery, the city combines a rich maritime tradition with an unhurried pace of life. Octant Ponta Delgada | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Ponta Delgada** | Whale Watching & Sete Cidades Embark on a morning cruise to watch for whales and dolphins. As you behold these magnificent mammals, learn about them and other Azorean marine life from the experienced resident biologists who accompany you throughout the experience. Return to Ponta Delgada to enjoy lunch time at leisure before visiting splendor-filled Sete Cidades. Set out on a moderate hike along mountain trails to absorb breathtaking views over mystical blue and green



lakes, and walk a road lined with hydrangea bushes, taking in their colors and scents, in this lush volcanic caldera. Tonight, dine at a local restaurant. Octant Ponta Delgada | Meals: B D

DAY 3: Terceira | Volcanic Chimney

Rise early and fly to Terceira, your next island experience. Visit UNESCO-listed Angra do Heroismo, considered the most beautiful town in the Azores, where you enjoy lunch. Then, view the island's stunning volcanic landscape, especially Algar do Carvão, an astonishing volcanic chimney left behind from an eruption around 2,000 years ago. Later, fly back to Ponta Delgada. Octant Ponta Delgada | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Ponta Delgada | Tea Plantation Visit

Explore the island's volcanic region, where you stop at one of the few tea plantations in Europe. Sample a variety of teas, some of which have been grown here since the early 19th century. Break for lunch in a local restaurant in the delightful village of Furnas, sampling a local traditional dish cooked by natural volcanic heat. Return to Ponta Delgada with the rest of your day at leisure. Octant Ponta Delgada | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Madeira** | A&K-Exclusive Wine Tasting Fly to Madeira, landing in the city of Funchal. Proceed to a local winery for an A&K-exclusive experience. Visit the old cooperage, aging rooms, museum and private family collection, finishing in the vintage room, where you sample the winery's iconic 1920 Bual, paired with dried fruits, cheese, dark chocolate and madeira cake for a sublime Chef's Table experience. Learn how each bottling of this 1920 vintage was unique, owing to variations in heat, humidity and cask size. Later, check in to your hotel and dine at a local restaurant. Reid's Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Madeira | Meals: B L D



DAY 6: Madeira | Market Visit & Lush Gardens

Explore the food and wine of Funchal, led by a local guide, starting at the Mercado dos Lavradores (Farmers' Market), where locals gather to buy and sell fresh exotic fruits, vegetables, spices and herbs as well as leather and wicker goods. Take in the colors, aromas, sounds and traditions on display around you and enjoy time at leisure for lunch. This afternoon, roam through Funchal's magnificent Botanical Garden with a professional botanist, and then Ride Like a Local by cable car up to Monte Palace Tropical Garden to further admire Madeira's natural splendors. Return to Funchal, with the option of a thrilling descent aboard a wicker toboggan.

Reid's Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Madeira | Meals: B

DAY 7: Madeira | Clifftop Panoramas

Venture west of Funchal to Cape Girão, site of the highest sea cliff in Europe, from which you take in the captivating vistas. Afterward, hike along one of the island's many levadas - manmade water channels that gently slope down the mountainside — before heading to Porto Moniz for the opportunity to swim in the natural rock pools. Enjoy time at leisure in Porto Moniz before heading back to Funchal. This evening, toast your journey with a Scenic Sundowner, followed by a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. Reid's Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Madeira | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Depart Madeira

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

NSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS





Octant Ponta Delgada

Reid's Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Contemporary luxury hotel with sea Madeira - Grand luxury hotel set views and easy access to the outdoors. on a clifftop among verdant gardens.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jun 17-24, Jul 1-8, Sep 2-9, Sep 9-16, Sep 23-30, Oct 7-14	\$9,995	\$2,895

Internal Air: Economy class from \$695

Ponta Delgada/Lajes/Ponta Delgada; Ponta Delgada/Funchal

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Program Note

Travel in this remote region entails walking over steep, uneven terrain, and visits to sites with limited accessibility for those with mobility challenges.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Treasures of Croatia

8 days from \$7,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Slovenia & Zagreb 5-day Pre-Tour Extension from \$3,895

Montenegro 3-day Post-Tour Extension from \$1,795

Discover the best of Croatia's Adriatic coast and the romantic island of Hvar, taking in spectacular scenery and savoring local delicacies, and experience the historic walled city of Dubrovnik, walking its medieval ramparts, meeting with locals and viewing the city from the sea.

σ A&K ADVANTAGES

- Stroll Split's lively daily market to experience life as locals do, and ponder history on a visit to the majestic ruins of Diocletian's Palace
- On a Chef's Table culinary experience in Hvar, visit a familyowned winery for a tasting accompanied by a variety of locally produced foods
- Explore the charming fishing town of Ston and sample some of its famous oysters
- Soak in the ambiance of historic Dubrovnik, walk the ramparts of its medieval walls and view the city by water on a private cruise
- Learn about daily life during wartime from a civilian survivor of the siege of Dubrovnik who shares memories of the costly battle for Croatian independence

DAY 1: Arrive Split, Croatia

Arrive in Split, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. This evening, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Hotel Park | Meals: D

DAY 2: Split | Palace of Diocletian

Explore Split, starting with the Palace of Diocletian and its synagogue, and view St. Domnius Cathedral. Stroll Split's old town and harbor-front promenade. Visit the daily market, and then enjoy your afternoon at leisure before dinner with a klapa (a capella singing) concert. Hotel Park | Meals: B D



DAY 3: **Hvar** | Wine Tasting at a Family-Owned Winery Ride Like a Local by public ferry along the stunning Dalmatian coastline to picturesque Hvar, a lush, mountainous island where Venetian palaces grace narrow backstreets and secluded coves beckon. Upon arrival, visit the family-owned winery of renowned winemaker Andro Tomic for a Chef's Table experience that includes a wine tasting. Later, on the scenic drive back to Hvar Town, stop to view the gleaming limestone Spanjol Fortress. Tonight, enjoy fine dining while overlooking the waterfront. Palace Elisabeth | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Hvar** | A Stroll Through Historic Streets This morning, walk the historic center of Hvar Town, pausing to take in the Cathedral, the Arsenal and the Benedictine Nunnery where resident nuns produce the world-famous agave lace. Palace Elisabeth | Meals: B

DAY 5: Dubrovnik | Oysters & the Old City

Head to Dubrovnik, the "Pearl of the Adriatic," stopping en route in Ston, renowned for its oysters, which you may wish to sample when you enjoy lunch in a typical Dalmatian restaurant. **Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B L D**

DAY 6: **Dubrovnik & Konavle** | Walking Tour & Silk Weaving Stroll through Dubrovnik with your local guide to see the Dominican Monastery, the Rector's Palace and Dubrovnik Cathedral. Mingle with local traders and craftspeople in its markets. Then, listen as a survivor of the Balkan War shares memories of the conflict that secured Croatia's independence from the former Yugoslavia. Hear about daily life in a city under siege and gain insights into how community members



supported one another during their darkest hour. Later, watch silk weavers at work on a fascinating artisan visit in Konavle. Return to Dubrovnik for a private cruise, enjoying a Scenic Sundowner and taking in the fantastic city views. Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Dubrovnik | Design Your Day

Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- ▶ Take Part in a Cooking Class with Wine Tasting, and then savor what you created for lunch.
- Embark by Sea Kayak on a refreshing, tranquil paddle around Dubrovnik's Old Town and Lokrum Island.
- Visit Game of Thrones Shooting Locations on a walking tour, led by a local who worked as an extra on the series.

Tonight, gather for a farewell dinner in a fine local restaurant. Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Depart Dubrovnik

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to depart. Meals: B

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Montenegro Post-Tour Extension

3 days from \$1,795 | Available on all departures. Boat to tiny Our Lady of the Rocks, visit UNESCO-listed Kotor, tour medieval Budva and soak up the Adriatic sun.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Hotel Excelsior Dubrovnik

An iconic landmark. Uniquely located on a cliffside, with magnificent views of the island of Lokrum and the Old Town from every floor.





Hotel Park Lavish, centrally located seaside hotel with Mediterranean flair.

Palace Elisabeth Perched on the promenade with views of the Venetian piazza and bay.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 12-19, May 26-Jun 2	\$7,795	\$2,695
Jun 9-16, Jun 16-23, Jun 23-30, Jul 7-14, Jul 14-21, Sep 1-8, Sep 8-15, Sep 15-22, Sep 22-29	\$8,495	\$3,395
Sep 29-Oct 6, Oct 6-13, Oct 13-20	\$7,795	\$2,695

Journey Details

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JOURNEY BY PRIVATE AIR

WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Greece & Turkey

12 days from \$39,995 | Limited to 13 guests

Explore the historic and cultural riches of the ancient world, from the glories of Athens and Istanbul to the Minoan culture of idyllic Crete and the wonders of Cappadocia, flying by private chartered air around this fascinating region and walking historic paths to experience the local life of yesterday and today, up close.

ראל A&K ADVANTAGES

- Fly in comfort between iconic locales throughout Greece and Turkey aboard an exclusively chartered aircraft with a dedicated flight crew
- Explore Athens, the birthplace of democracy, learning about Greek civilization at the Acropolis Museum and viewing the iconic Parthenon
- Discover Crete, where you visit the Palace of Knossos archaeological site, savor lunch at a winery and set out on an exhilarating Jeep safari
- In Turkey, journey to the ruins of Ephesus, one of the bestpreserved ancient cities in the world, arriving at, exploring and departing from this legendary site on the same day, thanks to the convenience of privately chartered flights
- Enter Cappadocia's incredible underground city of Kaymakli, view volcanic stone "fairy chimneys" and discover the restored Dark Church
- Stay four nights in historic, legendary Istanbul as you visit the famed Topkapi Palace and magnificent Hagia Sophia, view spectacular examples of Ottoman architecture and ferry across the Bosphorus to experience life on its Asian bank

DAY 1: Arrive Athens, Greece

Arrive in Athens, where you are met and transferred to your hotel in the city center. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Hotel Grande Bretagne | Meals: D

DAY 2: Athens | Private Rooftop Dinner This morning, set out on a foodie walking exploration of



Athens, visiting some of the city's oldest neighborhoods and experiencing its charming streets, street food and traditional dishes for a lively Chef's Table outing. Devote your afternoon to leisure, perhaps exploring on your own. Later, view the Parthenon in the early evening light, and then savor an A&K-exclusive dinner at a 19th-century private townhouse, located on the oldest street in Europe. If the night is warm, dine on the rooftop to take in views of the illuminated Acropolis. Hotel Grande Bretagne | Meals: B D

DAY 3: Crete | Minoan Treasures

Board your private aircraft for the short flight to Crete. On arrival, enjoy lunch before visiting the Heraklion Archaeological Museum, viewing items collected from across the island that date back 5,500 years and offer glimpses into the ancient Minoan civilization. Afterward, proceed to your hotel. Daios Cove | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Heraklion** | A Triumph of the Bronze Age Explore the Palace of Knossos, the largest Bronze Age archaeological site on Crete. As you do, learn more about the Minoans, the people who built the palace sometime in the 17th century BC and who were named by historians for the mythical King Minos, remembered for constructing the labyrinth that imprisoned the monstrous Minotaur. After lunch at a Cretan winery, return to your hotel to enjoy its many amenities. Daios Cove | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Crete | Roaming the Countryside

Today, set out on an exhilarating off-road safari to absorb fun information about Greek mythology as well as breathtaking views. Visit a local village and take in majestic vistas over Mirabello Bay. Journey to the plateau of Katharo, along



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Aircraft

Bombardier Challenger 850 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Athens-Heraklion (50 min) Heraklion-Izmir (55 min) Izmir-Cappadocia (1 hr 15 min) Cappadocia-Istanbul (1 hr 10 min)



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View the timeless Parthenon before a dinner at a private townhouse

winding dirt tracks, passing through the biggest forest on the island where the mountains soar to nearly 5,000 feet above the sea, perhaps stopping at a kafenio (café) for a refreshment. Later, wind down the mountainside to another plateau, where you savor an al fresco barbecue lunch served with wine. Continue along roads that can only be accessed by fourwheel-drive vehicle, crossing rivers and rugged terrain as you Ride Like a Local to the village of Krassi. Head back to your hotel, passing en route through the Selinari, an area noted for endangered vultures, which you may spot soaring overhead. Daios Cove | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Izmir, Turkey | Ancient Ephesus

Depart for Turkey this morning on an illuminating day trip made possible by privately chartered flights. Touch down in Izmir, where you visit the ruins of ancient Ephesus, some of the most well-preserved remains of an ancient civilization anywhere in the world. Founded in the fourth century BC, the city has at times been ruled by the Persians and the Romans as well as the Greeks. It was home to Saint Paul for more than three years, and it was here that he established the church that became the head of the Seven Churches in Asia Minor. After your exploration of this history-laden site, with



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At the Crossroads of Empires

The lands of present-day Greece and Turkey have been trod by many peoples of many eras, sometimes linking East with West, and at other times dividing them. The armies of vast empires have swept across these crossroads again and again, driven by the ambitions of legendary leaders and bringing with them immeasurable cultural change.

As the birthplace of democracy and the ancient home of philosophy, mathematics, theater and more, Greek culture was once without peer. In the Bronze Age, circa 3000 BC, the Greek island of Crete was home to the Minoan culture, a progenitor of Classical Greece and, by extension, Western Civilization itself. Your visit to the ruins of the palace of Knossos reveals the grace of Minoan architecture and art.

Turkey has witnessed its own share of momentous historical turning points, from the first establishment of Christianity as an organized religion in Constantinople to its role as the hub of the vast Ottoman empire that ruled the region for 600 years. Whether ballooning over Cappadocia or appreciating the majesty of the incredible Hagia Sophia, Turkey holds an inimitable appeal.

This amazing journey by private air takes you in a matter of days across two countries steeped in a shared history that took centuries to unfold.


Europe

its ruins of temples, roads, baths, fountains and far more, re-board your aircraft and continue to Cappadocia. Argos in Cappadocia | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Cappadocia | Ballooning Over Cappadocia Lift off on a hot air balloon excursion over Cappadocia and explore the area's volcanic stone "fairy chimneys." Break for lunch while taking in views of the incredible Cappadocian landscape. Afterward, visit a pottery in Avanos to learn how the region's renowned earthenware is created and observe master potters at their craft. Next, on an A&K-exclusive experience, enjoy private, after-hours access to the rock-carved churches of Goreme, and discover the stunningly restored Dark Church. Argos in Cappadocia | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Istanbul | Lunch with a Local Family Explore the fascinating underground city at Kaymakli, which dates to as early as the eighth century BC and includes chapels, kitchens, air vents and living quarters carved out of volcanic rock. Then, get to know the Goreme Weavers Association on an engaging artisan visit. Next, meet with a local family and join them for lunch in their home. This afternoon, fly by private charter to Istanbul and settle into your luxuriously appointed hotel.

Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Istanbul | Hagia Sophia & Suleymaniye Mosque Rise early for a private, before-hours opening of the Basilica Cistern, with its marble columns still standing since the sixth century. Continue to the timeless Hagia Sophia for a visit, marveling at the structure's imposing façade, matched only by the grandeur of its towering, vaulted ceilings. Next, explore Suleymaniye Mosque and take in other highlights of the city, from the Golden Horn to the Hippodrome. This evening, privately cruise the glittering Bosphorus, toasting its beauty with a Scenic Sundowner. Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Istanbul | Legacy of a Magnificent Ruler Discover the marvels of Topkapi Palace and its harem, and then proceed to the Grand Bazaar, where you have lunch at a craftsman's eatery. The remainder of your day is at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Istanbul | Design Your Day

This morning, set out to explore the magnificent Dolmabahce Palace. Then, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- ▶ Ferry to the Asian side of the City, strolling its vibrant food markets and staying for lunch.
- Explore Cultural Istanbul at the Pera Museum, the Galata shopping district and Karakoy's coffeehouses.
- ▶ Indulge in a Historic Hammam Experience or simply relax in the spa at your hotel.

This afternoon is at leisure, leaving you free to explore the city on your own. Tonight, gather for a farewell dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Depart Istanbul

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to board your departing flight. Meals: B

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Daios Cove

Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus Luxury hotel in an Ottoman palace.



Hotel Grande Bretagne Classic luxury hotel in the heart of Athens, with views of the Acropolis.

Argos in Cappadocia Contemporary luxury hotel set on the hillside site of a historic monastery.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 6-17, Jun 10-21, Jun 24-Jul 5, Sep 2-13	\$39,995	\$5,495

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years.

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Turkey: A Journey Through History

11 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover the rich and diverse historical landscape of Turkey, exploring the best the nation has to offer, from exquisite Istanbul to archaeological wonders that date from ancient Greece to the Ottoman Empire, enjoying privileged access and scholarly guiding throughout your journey.

J A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore Topkapi Palace and the magnificent Hagia Sophia, and stroll the fabled Grand Bazaar in Istanbul
- On a day trip to ancient Ephesus, learn firsthand about the amazing archaeological discoveries made in this one-time home of Saint Paul
- Discover Turkey's rich culinary heritage, as you visit a traditional farmers market on the sparkling coast in Bodrum, savor a cooking demonstration in the countryside and stroll a spice market in Istanbul
- Privately cruise the Bosphorus, passing magnificent palaces, mansions and gardens along the shore
- Experience authentic Cappadocian culture when you join a local family for lunch in their home, set amid the stunning "fairy chimney" landscape

DAY 1: Arrive Istanbul, Turkey

Arrive in Istanbul, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at Sultanahmet

DAY 2: **Istanbul** | Hagia Sophia & Private Bosphorus Cruise Rise early for a private, before-hours opening of the Basilica Cistern, with its marble columns dating to the sixth century. Continue to the timeless Hagia Sophia, marveling at the structure's imposing façade and towering vaulted ceilings. Then, explore the ancient Hippodrome, which once hosted chariot races, and the city walls, dating to various eras of the city's storied history. After lunch, embark on a private cruise of the Bosphorus. Later this evening, gather with your fellow guests for a welcome dinner.

Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at Sultanahmet | Meals: B L D



DAY 3: Istanbul | Wonders of Topkapi Palace

Revel in the ornately decorated ceilings and spectacular tile work of Topkapi Palace, the one-time imperial residence of Ottoman sultans, and then visit the Istanbul Archaeological Museum. Fly to Bodrum and check in to your hotel to relax before dinner. The Marmara Bodrum | Meals: B D

DAY 4: **Bodrum** | Oldest Shipwreck & Exclusive Access Stop by the ancient Theater of Halicarnassus before visiting the Bodrum Underwater Archaeology Museum in the Castle of St. Peter, which houses the oldest shipwreck ever discovered. Gain A&K-exclusive private access to the research and conservation laboratories. Next, savor a Chef's Table cooking demonstration at a charming restaurant founded by a local selftaught gourmet chef who shares some of her secrets. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. The Marmara Bodrum | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Euromos** | Temples of Zeus, Apollo & Athena Journey to Euromos to explore the ruined yet magnificent Temple of Zeus. Continue to Didyma to discover the Temple of Apollo, dating to at least 300 BC. Stop for lunch at a local seaside restaurant. Then, proceed to Priene for a walking tour at the ageold Temple of Athena before continuing to Izmir, where you enjoy dinner overlooking the sea. Swissotel Buyuk Efes | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **Ephesus** | Historic Archaeological Dig Embark on a day trip to Ephesus, where Saint Paul once lived. Explore the renowned archaeological park and museum here as well as the weekly farmers market's vibrant product stalls, before enjoying a special lunch in a nearby village. Return to Izmir for an afternoon and evening at leisure. Swissotel Buyuk Efes | Meals: B L



DAY 7: Cappadocia | Fairy Chimneys & Frescoes Fly via Istanbul to Kayseri and explore the nearby volcanic stone "fairy chimneys." Next, on an A&K-exclusive experience, enjoy private, after-hours access to the rockcarved churches of Goreme, and visit the Dark Church, before dining at your hotel. Argos in Cappadocia | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Cappadocia | The Ancient Art of Weaving This morning, enjoy an optional hot air balloon excursion over Cappadocia. Afterward, visit the Goreme Weavers Association on an engaging artisan visit. Then, sit down with a local family for lunch in their home. In the afternoon, explore the fascinating underground city at Kaymakli, which dates to the eighth century BC and includes chapels, kitchens, air vents and dwellings carved out of volcanic rock. Finish with a refreshing Scenic Sundowner looking over the amazing Cappadocian landscape. Argos in Cappadocia | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Istanbul | Seat of a Mighty Empire

Today, fly back to Istanbul. This afternoon, visit Dolmabahce Palace, once a seat of Ottoman power, and see the collection of Ottoman royal barges, a hidden gem of the city. Shangri-La Bosphorus, Istanbul | Meals: B

DAY 10: Istanbul | Ottoman Architecture & The Grand Bazaar Ride Like a Local on a public ferry across the Bosphorus to explore Suleymaniye Mosque and the Grand Bazaar, and stroll the fragrant spice market. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner. Shangri-La Bosphorus, Istanbul | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Istanbul

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to depart. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Shangri-La Bosphorus, Istanbul Enchanting contemporary luxury hotel elegantly set on the Bosphorus.



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Argos in Cappadocia within a former monastery.



Swissotel Buyuk Efes Modern luxury hotel set among lush gardens in the heart of Izmir.



The Marmara Bodrum Chic luxury hotel perched on a hilltop overlooking Bodrum Bay.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 13-23, May 20-30, May 27-Jun 6, Jun 3-13, Aug 26-Sep 5, Sep 9-19, Sep 16-26, Sep 30-Oct 10, Oct 7-17, Oct 14-24	\$9,795	\$4,695

Internal Air: Economy class from \$735 Istanbul/Bodrum; Izmir/Kayseri/Istanbul

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Norway & Denmark: A Fjordland Journey

10 days from \$14,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Venture to the heart of Norway's rugged Fjordland, roaming along stunning, glacier-carved coastlines and visiting small villages alive with history. Discover two bustling Scandinavian capitals, exploring the culture and culinary treasures of both Oslo and Copenhagen, visiting renowned art museums, dining on fine cuisine and learning the principle of hygge.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Cruise majestic Naeory Fjord by RIB boat, disembarking at an authentically recreated Viking settlement for an A&Kexclusive Viking-style lunch
- Dine in a traditional lavvo (Norwegian tent) overlooking the picturesque shores of a stunning fjord
- Privately explore the innovatively designed Oslo Opera House
- Explore picturesque Bergen, ancient trading port of the Hanseatic League
- Meet a Danish family in their home for conversation over an afternoon tea on an A&K-exclusive experience

DAY 1: Arrival Oslo, Norway

Arrive in Oslo, the capital of Norway, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Later, enjoy a welcome dinner at your hotel's restaurant. Grand Hotel Oslo | Meals: D

DAY 2: Oslo | Treasures of Christiania

Experience life along the scenic Oslo fjord, starting with a guided visit to Vigeland Park, a Scandinavian cultural treasure comprising over 200 granite, bronze and wroughtiron sculptures created by Gustav Vigeland. Then, explore the Munch Museum to peruse its vast collection of artworks, texts, letters, photos and personal possessions bequeathed to the city by Norwegian artist Edvard Munch, best known for his iconic modern Expressionist work, *The Scream*. Proceed to privately tour the cutting-edge Oslo Opera House and opt for a walk along its mountain-inspired sloping roof. Then,



enjoy some time at leisure to discover the city on your own, perhaps stopping for lunch at the Sanguine Brasserie with its views of the stunning fjord. Later this afternoon, walk with your Resident Tour Director to Telthusbakken — one of oldest streets in this city once known as Christiania — to see where factory workers built small wooden houses that are now a protected cultural heritage. Grand Hotel Oslo | Meals: B

DAY 3: Oslo | Godoya Island Village Visit

Rise early for a flight to Kristiansund, on Norway's rugged coast. Upon arrival, begin your explorations of stunning Fjordland, starting with a drive along the Atlantic Ocean Road. View breathtaking scenery en route to charming Alnes on the island of Godoya, which you reach via underwater sea tunnels. Marvel at the village's classic boathouses and lighthouse and note how dwellings were built close together for protection against the sometimes-fierce coastal climate. Stop into the lighthouse's charming on-site café to savor a Norwegian vafle (waffle) or svele (pancake) with coffee and peruse the local artworks on display before continuing to your hotel. Storfjord Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 4: Alesund | Design Your Day

Begin your day by enjoying one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Kayak a Tranquil Fjord accompanied by an expert instructor, stopping in bays and inlets, and watching for seabirds and other aquatic life.
- Hike the Mountainous Terrain of the Fjord with a guide who reveals the flora and fauna of the Nordic forest.





Learn Traditional Norwegian Baking from a local chef, creating lefse (flatbread) and sampling the tasty results.

Afterward, set out on an excursion to Alesund, a fishing town on Norway's west coast, to view its distinctive architectural style born of devastation. On a stormy night in January 1904, a fire raged through the town, destroying 850 houses and leaving 10,000 people homeless. Over the next four years, the dwellings were rebuilt in an Art Nouveau style with a local folkloric twist, sporting turrets, spires and medieval ornamentation, including dragons. After lunch in

a local restaurant, enjoy a guided walk of the city followed by free time to explore on your own. This evening, enter a traditional Norwegian lavvo (tent) to savor dinner made from local ingredients and served al fresco around a roaring fire. Storfjord Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Geirangerfjord | Panoramic Fjord Cruise Journey along Storfjord, taking in the extraordinary scenery and traversing the winding Eagle Road, which carries you up for views over rugged coastal terrain. View Seven Sisters Falls and gaze down on the many cruise ships that





traffic the fjord far below. Listen as your guide explains how glaciers created the fjords over countless centuries. Next, board a vessel for a panoramic cruise along the wondrous Geirangerfjord, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Disembark in Hellysylt and continue toward the picturesque village of Loen, where you enjoy lunch accompanied by stunning views at a skylift restaurant. Then, check in to your waterside hotel and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Hotel Alexandra | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Naeroyfjord | Meet the Vikings

Rise early for a drive along a route that includes a ferry crossing of the Sognefjord and a jaunt through the Laerdal tunnel. Arrive in the tiny village of Flam, located on the shores of the Aurlandsfjord, which you experience by RIB (rigid inflatable boat), and then cruise into the spectacular Naeroyfjord to Laegdafossen — a breathtaking waterfall in the heart of this UNESCO-listed natural wonder — the perfect vantage point for views into the spectacular fjord. Along the way, enjoy tales of the region's history shared by your personal guide. Disembark in Gudvangen and enter the historic Viking village of Njardarheimr to view reconstructed Viking-style houses built using the tools and techniques of the Viking Age. Stop at the home of the resident Viking chieftain, your host for a private meal prepared with traditional Viking methods, such as spit roasting and smoking, on an A&K-exclusive experience. First, look on as the Viking style of combat is recreated for your enjoyment, and then savor dishes flavored with the kinds of herbs and spices the Vikings brought back to the region from their seafaring forays. Afterward, drive to Voss, where you board a train to Bergen, a UNESCO World Heritage City. Upon arrival, set out on a guided walk that reveals the hidden gems of this enchanting city. **Opus XVI | Meals: B L**

DAY 7: Bergen | Hanseatic City

Travel outside Bergen to visit Fantoft, a stave church dating to the 13th century. Proceed to the Hanseatic Museum and Schotstuene in Bergen, two museums where you see how the merchants from the Hanseatic League traded stock, fish and grains from the 14th through 18th centuries. Continue to the Bergen Fish Market to enjoy a sampling of traditional local products. This evening, gather for dinner at a local restaurant. **Opus XVI | Meals: B D**

DAY 8: **Copenhagen, Denmark** | Seaside Capital Fly to Copenhagen, enchanting capital of Denmark, to discover its elegant contrast of medieval and modern architecture and examples of world-famous Danish design. Upon arrival, enjoy a typical Danish lunch at iconic Nyhavn Harbour, followed by a boating experience through the canals of the city, listening as your local guide introduces you to the Danish capital and its history. Settled as a small stone-walled fishing village in the 11th century, learn how Copenhagen grew into a sea-trading port city often in conflict with the powerful Hanseatic League and later a center for elegant architecture throughout the Renaissance. Hotel d'Angleterre | Meals: B L

DAY 9: **Copenhagen** | Exclusive Danish Family Visit Venture outside Copenhagen to discover Frederiksborg Castle, home to the Museum of National History. Discover five centuries of Danish history through its rich collection



of paintings, furniture and applied art. Continue to the internationally known Louisiana Museum of Modern Art. View its 4,000-plus pieces, mainly paintings and sculptures, in a minimalist but inviting space filled with art juxtaposed with windows offering views onto the lovely Danish landscape. Then, enjoy some time at leisure, free to explore the museum's lovely garden and on-site restaurant. This afternoon, savor a relaxing "hygge Sunday" on a private visit with a local Danish family. Share afternoon tea and conversation with them, and find out how the Danes learn early in life to protect their social customs, on this A&Kexclusive experience. Return to your hotel and later enjoy a farewell dinner at iconic Tivoli Gardens. Hotel d'Angleterre | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart Copenhagen

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Storfjord Hotel Secluded luxury boutique hotel, with beautiful fjord and mountain views.



Hotel Alexandra Tranquil spa hotel set near UNESCO-listed Geiranger Fjord.



Hotel d'Angleterre

Opus XVI Classic luxury hotel situated near Contemporary luxury hotel with Oslo's Parliament and Royal Palace. modern decor in the heart of Bergen.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 25-Jun 3, Jun 15-24, Jul 13-22, Aug 10-19, Sep 7-16, Sep 14-23	\$14,995	\$5,295

Internal Air: Economy class from \$795 Oslo/Kristiansund; Bergen/Copenhagen

Journey Details

Grand Hotel Oslo

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

ACTIVE

Finland & Sweden: Adventure Across Lapland

11 days from \$14,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience an exhilarating winter adventure filled with fun outdoor activities like snowmobiling, snowshoeing and ice fishing as you roam across Finland and Sweden, from cosmopolitan Helsinki and Stockholm to the far-north wilds of Lapland, learning the ways of the indigenous Sami people on an exclusive visit to a reindeer farm, venturing above the Arctic Circle for a sled-dog safari and searching for the wondrous northern lights.

J A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore two great Scandinavian capitals, starting in charming Helsinki and finishing in magnificent Stockholm
- Visit a Finnish family in their private forest home to learn about their life as moose hunters
- Join a young Sami couple in the small Swedish village of Jokkmokk, where they reveal the traditions, spirituality and history of their people, who range across the Arctic
- Relax in some of Scandinavia's most exclusive and unusual accommodations: a hotel built over an Arctic river, glassdomed Aurora Cabins and suites set in the Finnish forest
- Savor dinner in a snow castle, newly created each winter

DAY 1: Arrive Helsinki, Finland

Arrive in Helsinki, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. This evening, gather with your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Hotel Kamp | Meals: D

DAY 2: Helsinki | Rock Church & Bustling Food Market This morning, explore the sights of Helsinki. Enter the famous Temppeliaukio Church; built directly into solid rock, it is fittingly known as Rock Church. Experience the Helsinki Food Market, before enjoying lunch at a local restaurant, and then spend the afternoon at leisure, free to relax or explore the city at your own pace. Hotel Kamp | Meals: B L



DAY 3: **Kittila** | Adventure above The Arctic Circle Fly to northern Kittila, landing far above the Arctic Circle, to begin your immersive Lapland experience. Start with a thrilling snowmobile safari that reveals the true spirit of this remote natural region as you Ride Like a Local, basking in stunning views over the vast Lappish wilderness. Stop for a light barbecue snack served up fresh from the fire before completing your rousing ride to your hotel in Levi. Upon arrival, settle into a specially designed aurora cabin, its glass dome allowing you to search the skies for the northern lights as you drift asleep from the reclined vantage point of your bed. Northern Lights Village | Meals: B D



Meet passionate dogsledders devoted to the wellbeing of their animals and embark on an unforgettable safari into the Lappish wilderness, pulled by a well-trained team of huskies.

DAY 4: Levi | Mush like a Master Sledder

Visit a local reindeer farm to meet the family living there and hear stories of the seven generations that have worked this land. Then, ride a reindeer sled through the forest and enjoy lunch with the family. Afterward, continue to a nearby husky farm owned by a couple who sustainably raise top sled dogs. Receive an introduction to sled-driving before setting out on a husky safari into the Lappish wilderness, pulled by an eager dog team. Return to the farm to sip hot berry juice by an open fire while listening to



fascinating stories about these lovable canines. This evening, join a privately guided snowshoe trek into the darkness surrounding your resort as you scan the sky for a possible appearance of the northern lights. Northern Lights Village | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Rovaniemi | Design Your Day

Journey overland to Rovaniemi, nestled on the Arctic Circle and renowned as the "home of Santa Claus." En route, stop at a private cabin, set in the woods beside a secluded lake, to enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- ▶ Try Your Hand at Ice Fishing, learning tricks from the locals about catching fish through a hole in the frozen lake.
- Snowshoe Through the Surrounding Woods, immersed in the quiet beauty of the untouched wilderness.
- Experience Ice Floating, donning a survival suit for a surreally relaxing float in the lake's icy Arctic waters.

Reenergize with a lunch of salmon cooked over a fire before continuing to your hotel. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure,





free to relax or perhaps join your Resident Tour Director for a fun, all-ages visit to "Santa's" house. Arctic TreeHouse Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Rovaniemi | Two Exclusive Experiences Experience traditional life in Lapland up close when you visit Palovaara Farm, situated on 500 acres of private forest. Meet the family who lives there and learn how they provide for themselves by hunting moose. Then, for a Chef's Table moment, savor a homemade lunch prepared by your hosts, featuring fish caught from their own lake and meat from the moose they've hunted. Follow this A&K-exclusive experience with another as you proceed to Villa Vinkkeli, studio of renowned photographer Kaisa Sirén, to view an exhibition of her works and hear her share her passion for the Arctic, an insider-access opportunity arranged exclusively for A&K guests. This evening, stop for dinner at the magical Snowland's igloo restaurant, an ice structure freshly rebuilt every year to incorporate new layouts and decor. Savor a Scenic Sundowner cocktail in the ice bar, and then dine in this unique setting before embarking on a hunt for the aurora borealis, accompanied by a professional photographer who helps you get the best shot should you happen to spot this rare, awe-inspiring phenomenon. Arctic TreeHouse Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Harads, Sweden | Historic Gammelstad Cross a far-north frontier this morning as you pass from Finnish Lapland into Swedish Lapland. Join your Resident Tour Director to explore Gammelstad, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, walking through its labyrinth of narrow streets among hundreds of charming 400-year-old cottages to the impressive Gammelstad Church. Later, pause for lunch at nearby Brandon Lodge, nestled on the edge of the Gulf of Bothnia and overlooking the islands of the Lulea Archipelago. Continue to Arctic Bath, your home for the next two nights, where rooms rest suspended over a frozen wilderness river. Arctic Bath | Meals: B L D



Make a personal connection with Lapland's Sami culture, past and present, when you gather with a young local couple by their fireside for engaging conversation and a round of traditional storytelling.

DAY 8: Jokkmokk | Discovering the Sami Culture Travel today to Jokkmokk, a village that is a center for the Sami people and culture in Sweden, which houses an office of the Sami Parliament. Meet a young Sami couple who introduce you to the modern realities of life for this traditionally nomadic people whose main activity is reindeer herding and who range throughout the Arctic region of Europe. Gather around the fire with them to listen to joik, the ancient Sami practice of storytelling through music. Learn about the Sami language and traditional cuisine, and then meet the couple's reindeer up close and enjoy the opportunity to hand-feed them. Return to Arctic Bath with time to relax and enjoy the saunas and spa, or just bask in the tranquility of the pristine natural surroundings. Arctic Bath | Meals: B L D



DAY 9: Stockholm | Sweden's Elegant Capital

After a leisurely morning, transfer to nearby Lulea for a short flight to Stockholm, a colorful capital city built on a 14-island archipelago and graced with charming architecture. Upon arrival, set off on a guided stroll through Gamla Stan — the most historic area of the city, contained on its own island — walking its cobblestone streets past shops, museums and galleries as well as the Royal Palace. Grand Hôtel | Meals: B

DAY 10: **Stockholm** | Home of the Nobel Prize This morning, join a local expert who reveals authentic Stockholm to you. Visit the Vasa Museum and City Hall, where the annual Nobel Prize ceremony takes place. Enjoy time at leisure in the city, then gather with your fellow guests for a special farewell dinner as you recall the adventures of your Lapland journey. **Grand Hôtel | Meals: B D**

DAY 11: Depart Stockholm

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS







Arctic TreeHouse Hotel Tranquil hotel designed in harmony with its natural surroundings.





Hotel Kamp Traditional luxury grand hotel set in the stylish heart of Helsinki.



Grand Hôtel Luxury waterfront hotel overlooking the Royal Palace and Gamla Stan.

Northern Lights Village Unique, glass-domed cabins with overhead views of the night sky.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jan 11-21, Jan 18-28, Jan 25-Feb 4, Feb 1-11, Feb 8-18, Feb 15-25, Mar 24-Apr 3	\$14,995	\$5,295

Internal Air: Economy class from \$775 Helsinki/Kittila; Lulea/Stockholm

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 4 guests.

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Splendors of Budapest, Vienna & Prague

10 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Warsaw & Krakow 6-day Pre-Tour Extension from \$4,795

Discover the three most radiant cities in Central Europe and experience the grand architectural, artistic and cultural heritage of the Old World, exploring Baroque-era treasures with the finest local experts.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Absorb the imperial grandeur of Budapest, a city that has survived the passing of empires and kept its romantic allure, where you savor an exclusive garden lunch at a private villa
- Take in the dazzling beauty of Budapest illuminated at night, viewing impressive examples of architecture along the way, on a private evening cruise on the Danube
- Attend an intimate concert at the Mozarthaus in Vienna, which was a mecca for great composers, including Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert and Strauss, for more than a century
- Savor local wines on a visit to an award-winning winery in Moravia, set on vineyards dating back to the 13th century
- Privately explore the library of the Strahov Monastery in Prague, gaining access to an area usually closed to the public, on a guided visit exclusively for A&K guests

DAY 1: Arrive Budapest, Hungary

Arrive in Budapest, a city occupying both sides of the Danube River and founded in 1873, when right-bank Buda and Obuda joined left-bank Pest. Budapest's broad avenues and turn-of-the-century architecture have earned it the name, "the Paris of Eastern Europe." Like Paris, it is a cultural mecca for writers, artists and musicians. Transfer to your hotel, where you join your fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Gresham Palace Budapest | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Budapest** | Matthias Church & Fisherman's Bastion This morning, cross the Danube River to explore the Buda side of the city. Visit Matthias Church, the 13th-century coronation cathedral of Hungarian kings, and Fisherman's Bastion, offering spectacular views of the city. Built in neo-



Gothic and neo-Romanesque styles, the bastion is named for the guild of fishermen who defended this part of the city during the Middle Ages. Then, meet a Buda resident for lunch in the gardens of her villa, an experience specially planned for A&K guests. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure, relaxing in your luxurious accommodations or exploring this romantic city on your own, perhaps dining at one of Budapest's fine restaurants.

Four Seasons Hotel Gresham Palace Budapest | Meals: B L

DAY 3: **Budapest** | Across the Bridge in Pest Today, discover Pest, starting with a private visit to the Liszt Academy of Music. Continue exploring the city as you view Heroes' Square and stop to see the Great Synagogue as well as St. Stephen's Basilica, whose south tower houses the largest bell in Hungary. Then, visit the Central Market Hall to view the vast array of food and crafts on sale throughout its three floors, including cheeses, sausage and other local specialties, and enjoy time at leisure for lunch on your own. Later, visit the Parliament Building before spending the remainder of your afternoon at leisure. This evening, after dinner, embark on a private cruise of the romantic Danube to watch the glittering lights of Budapest drift by in the night, toasting your journey on a memorable Scenic Sundowner experience. **Four Seasons Hotel Gresham Palace Budapest** | Meals: B D

DAY 4: **Bratislava, Slovakia & Vienna, Austria** | Chef's Table Journey overland to Bratislava, capital of Slovakia, for a guided walk through its old town, once a jewel of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. Stop at a local restaurant for a Chef's Table experience, where the esteemed chef greets you and shares insights into the seasonal dishes you are to enjoy for lunch. Then, Ride Like a Local, embarking by high-speed



catamaran for a quick cruise along the Danube River to Vienna, Austria. Hotel Imperial | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Vienna | Austrian Treasures

Join your local guide for a walking tour of marvelous Vienna. At the Hofburg Palace — former seat of emperors and current residence of the president of Austria - visit the Imperial Treasury to admire its glittering collection of imperial regalia. Then, continue to the Gothic St. Stephen's Cathedral. Spend your afternoon at leisure. Dine at a local restaurant before attending a concert at the Mozarthaus

Vienna, the historic house where Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart lived in the 18th century. Hotel Imperial | Meals: B D

DAY 6: Vienna | Visions of the Imperial City

This morning, enjoy a panoramic tour of Vienna, viewing the Prater and its Giant Ferris Wheel. See the Secession Building and the famous Hundertwasser House, and then visit the Belvedere Gallery, where you view many works by the brilliant and controversial symbolist artist Gustav Klimt, including The Kiss. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant, and then visit Schönbrunn Palace, the former residence of





Habsburg monarchs. Spend your evening at leisure. Hotel Imperial | Meals: B L

DAY 7: **Moravia, Czech Republic** | Wines of a Rare Terroir Travel to Prague, stopping en route at the Stary Vrch winery in the Czech countryside for a tasting of its signature vintages, followed by lunch. Continue to Prague, where you check in to your hotel, and then enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. Mandarin Oriental, Prague | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Prague | History Remembered

Today, explore the city's Castle District, starting with the towering, Gothic St. Vitus Cathedral, which houses the tombs of Bohemian kings and Holy Roman Emperors, including that of Wenceslas I, Duke of Bohemia, legendary subject of the beloved Christmas carol "Good King Wenceslas." Stroll the Golden Lane, the last surviving vestige of Prague Castle's 16th-century architecture, where the castle's original craftspeople lived and worked. Follow this with a private visit to the Baroque library halls of the Strahov Monastery to view its incredible frescoes, which reside amid detailed stucco ceiling decorations. Stroll in the peaceful quiet, looking up at the mural devoted to the intellectual progress of mankind, and let yourself contemplate a bygone era. Then, admire the religious artifacts at the Loreto Chapel, a remarkable Baroque monument that remains a place of pilgrimage. Cross the famous Charles Bridge, an iconic landmark of Prague completed in 1402, to embark on a walking tour of Josefov, the city's Jewish Quarter, which remained a walled ghetto until 1848. View the birthplace of Franz Kafka (part of the Jewish Museum complex), best known for his existentialist novel The Metamorphosis.

Proceed to visit the Old Jewish Cemetery, site of 12,000 graves, and the Old-New Synagogue, Europe's oldest active synagogue, completed in 1270. Afterward, enjoy your evening at leisure. Mandarin Oriental, Prague | Meals: B

DAY 9: Prague | Design Your Day

This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Attend a Traditional Puppetry Workshop, and then visit the National Gallery Prague in the Schwarzenberg Palace.
- Set Out on a Foodie Walking Tour, savoring tastes of Czech cuisine, from pastries to goulash to beer.
- Relax with a Spa Experience at your hotel, in a haven for the body and spirit, choosing from an array of treatments.

Spend your afternoon at leisure. Tonight, gather for a celebratory farewell dinner at a nearby local restaurant. Mandarin Oriental, Prague | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart Prague

Transfer to the airport to board your flight home. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Four Seasons Hotel Gresham Palace Budapest *Travel + Leisure* World's Best hotel, offering stately grandeur and a serene retreat from the bustle, located along the shimmering Danube.



Hotel Imperial

Luxurious, opulent hotel set in a historic former palace in the heart of the city, within walking distance of the Vienna State Opera and the Imperial Palace.



Mandarin Oriental, Prague Historic luxury hotel appointed with contemporary elegance ideally located near the iconic Charles Bridge.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 6-15, May 20-29, Jun 3-12, Jun 10-19, Jun 24-Jul 3	\$9,995	\$3,995
Jul 1-10, Jul 8-17, Jul 15-24, Aug 12-21, Aug 26-Sep 4	\$9,795	\$3,795
Sep 2-11, Sep 9-18, Sep 16-25, Sep 23-Oct 2, Sep 30-Oct 9, Oct 7-16, Oct 14-23	\$9,995	\$3,995

Journey Details

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Germany: Berlin to Bavaria

10 days from \$10,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Capture the essence of eastern Germany and Bavaria, from thatched-roof villages to bustling cities where the Nazi and Communist eras still echo, and embrace the best of today's art, culture and cuisine, on a refined and revealing adventure.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Meet with a local artist in Berlin who lived in the shadow of the Berlin Wall and learn the significance of the mural display at the East Side Gallery
- Discover the production secrets of Europe's oldest porcelain maker on a guided visit that includes a private recital on their historic porcelain organ
- Explore privately owned Proschwitz Castle and taste wines in the castle's vineyards on an A&K-exclusive experience
- Step into Boros Bunker, a former World War II air-raid shelter, for a privately guided look at its impressive contemporary art collection
- Savor the authentic taste of Munich's beer culture on a foodie tour, brewery visit and dinner in a lively beer hall

DAY 1: Arrive Berlin, Germany

Arrive in Berlin, the capital of Germany, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. This evening, gather for cocktails followed by a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. Hotel de Rome | Meals: D

DAY 2: Berlin | History & Art of a Vibrant City

Discover historic Berlin, starting with a visit to the Reichstag Building, viewing panoramas of the city from its large glass dome. Stroll through Potsdamer Platz and stop at Checkpoint Charlie, a former border crossing between East and West Berlin. After lunch, step into the Boros Bunker for a privately guided viewing of the contemporary art collection housed in this former World War II air-raid shelter. Finish with a Scenic Sundowner overlooking the city, before dinner. Hotel de Rome | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Berlin** | Stories of the Berlin Wall Today, meet a local artist to learn about the history of the



Berlin Wall at the iconic East Side Gallery, a series of murals painted on the longest section of wall still standing. Continue to a privately guided tour of the Stasi Museum to discover how East Germany's secret police exerted control over every aspect of society. Round out your experience with a complimentary pass to a range of other museums. Hotel de Rome | Meals: B

DAY 4: **Meissen** | Exclusive Castle Visit & Wine Tasting Delve into the world of exquisite Meissen porcelain on a guided visit to the manufacturer's workshop that includes lunch and a private organ recital on their famous porcelain organ. Afterward, drive to Proschwitz Castle for a guided walk of this medieval manor, exclusively opened for A&K guests, and savor a wine tasting in the castle's vineyards. Continue to Dresden, where you check in to your hotel before dinner. **Gewandhaus Dresden** | **Meals: B L D**

DAY 5: Dresden | Splendors of a City Reborn

Uncover the splendor of Dresden on a guided walk, starting with the Zwinger Complex, a historic Baroque-style palace built in 1728 for the Dresden Court. Visit the Dresden Frauenkirche, and then explore the New Green Vault, a museum in the Dresden Castle containing Europe's largest treasure collection. Eat lunch at the renowned Pfunds Dairy, followed by time at leisure to explore the city your way. Gewandhaus Dresden | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Leipzig | Musical Giant of Baroque

Depart for Munich, stopping en route in Leipzig for a guided walk revealing St. Thomas's Church, where the legendary composer Johann Sebastian Bach worked as music director for 27 years. Enjoy some time to explore on your own, and then Ride Like a Local by high-speed train to Munich. Arrive at your



luxury hotel with time to relax before dinner. The Charles Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 7: Munich | The Best of Bavarian Cuisine

This morning, set out on a walking excursion to see why the city is a global center of art, culture and architecture. Stroll through Marienplatz in the heart of Munich's Old Town and watch the famous Rathhaus-Glockenspiel display its stories of 16th-century Bavarian culture. Marvel at the Frauenkirche cathedral's twin onion-style domes, and then, at lunchtime, set out for an extensive foodie tour to indulge in the best tastes of the region, such as schmalznudel (a Bavarian-style doughnut), sausages, local cheeses and beers. Later, on a Chef's Table experience, delight in a brewery visit and eat dinner in a traditional beer hall. The Charles Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 8: **Munich** | Alpine Adventure with a Fairy-Tale Castle Discover the fairy-tale landscape of southern Bavaria, exploring "Mad" King Ludwig's iconic Neuschwanstein Castle. Continue to the Alpine village of Oberammergau, strolling its charming streets to see the detailed, storytelling murals on its buildings. Return to Munich for an evening at your leisure. The Charles Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 9: **Munich** | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Discover the Dachau Memorial on a guided visit, and explore history at the Documentation Center.
- Experience Munich by Bike, cycling with a local guide who expertly reveals the fascinating sights and cultures of the bustling Bavarian capital.

Explore the Deutsches Museum with a Guide, taking in its extensive collections devoted to science and technology.

Tonight, celebrate at a farewell dinner, toasting your journey through Germany. The Charles Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart Munich

After breakfast, you are transferred to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Hotel de Rome

Prestigious luxury hotel housed in a former bank, featuring elegant, contemporary styling and situated in the heart of Berlin.





Gewandhaus Dresden Luxurious hotel featuring finely crafted, modern Baroque design. The Charles Hotel Contemporary luxury hotel centrally located in Munich.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 14-23, May 28-Jun 6, Jul 9-18, Aug 13-22, Aug 27-Sep 5, Sep 3-12, Sep 7-16,* Oct 8-17, Oct 15-24	\$10,495	\$3,295

*Departure operates on an alternate itinerary. Contact A&K for details.

Journey Details

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Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

Ireland: Splendors of the Emerald Isle

9 days from \$8,695 | Limited to 18 guests

Revel in the legendary hospitality and warmth of the Irish people on this comprehensive journey across the Emerald Isle. Take in world-famous scenic backdrops, bask in traditional songs and stories, and celebrate a culture cherished on both sides of the Atlantic, staying in five-star hotels along the way.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore Dublin, Ireland's historic capital city, on a day that includes an intimate guided walk through Trinity College and an up-close look at the illuminated Book of Kells
- Visit a country pub in County Kilkenny for an introduction to Irish culture, including a hands-on hurling lesson
- Immerse yourself in authentic rural life on a farm visit, conversing with a local family over a farmhouse lunch
- Explore stunning landscapes and traditional crafts on a journey around the Ring of Kerry
- Venture along the scenic coast of County Clare to taste oysters and gaze out from atop the soaring Cliffs of Moher

DAY 1: Arrive Dublin, Ireland

Arrive in Dublin, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. Anantara The Marker Dublin Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Dublin | Viewing the Book of Kells

Begin with a privately led exploration of Trinity College, founded in 1592 by Queen Elizabeth I. View the legendary Book of Kells, one of the finest illuminated medieval manuscripts in existence. Discover more of the city with your expert guide, followed by an afternoon at leisure. Anantara The Marker Dublin Hotel | Meals: B

DAY 3: Kilkenny | Countryside Traditions

Travel south to the heart of County Kilkenny. Visit a familyowned country pub, meet the owner and his family, and receive a hands-on introduction to the national Irish sport of hurling. Listen to a seannachi (traditional storyteller) spin



tales and play music, eat a hearty lunch and learn how to pull a pint of Guinness for a full-on classic Irish pub experience. Arrive at your country resort at Castlemartyr before dinner. Castlemartyr Resort | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Cobh & Cork | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Sample Classic Irish Whiskeys on a premium tour and tasting at Jameson's Old Midleton Distillery.
- Play a Round of Golf or Relax with a Spa Experience, taking full advantage of your hotel's diverse amenities.
- Visit the Cobh Heritage Centre to learn about the lives of emigrants to America, and visit the English Market in Cork.

Later, dine at Ballymaloe House, one of Ireland's culinary treasures, for a delectable Chef's Table experience. Castlemartyr Resort | Meals: B D

DAY 5: West Cork | An Inviting Farm-to-Table Experience Drive Ireland's wild southern shore through rugged West Cork to meet a sixth-generation Irish storyteller and join this colorful raconteur for a ferry ride to Whiddy Island. Listen as he leads you on a personally narrated tour of the island and its history, and then stop at a traditional pub for lunch and a pint before ferrying back to the mainland. Proceed to Kenmare and check in to your hotel, set beside rollicking Sheen Falls. Then, savor a Scenic Sundowner, gazing over the sparkling cascades. Sheen Falls Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **Kenmare** | Around the Ring of Kerry Cross through Killarney National Park en route to the town of Killarney. Ride Like a Local in a traditional jaunting car



for a closer look at the park's natural beauty. Then, set out on the famed Ring of Kerry for a breathtaking coastal drive, where every turn in the road reveals new and ever-morestunning vistas. Pause to peruse local handicrafts in the Gap of Dunloe, a ruggedly beautiful valley formed by glaciers and set between two mountain ranges. Sheen Falls Lodge | Meals: B

DAY 7: **Newmarket-on-Fergus** | Lunch with a Farm Family Make a personal connection to Ireland when you visit a traditional family dairy farm. Hear about rural life here from family members, and then join them for a home-cooked farm lunch, on this A&K-exclusive experience. Stop in Adare, often voted Ireland's most beautiful village, before you continue to your majestic hotel. **Dromoland Castle** | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Newmarket-on-Fergus | The Tastes of Galway Bay Journey to busy Galway, gateway to western Ireland, and then on to small, coastal Clarinbridge, where a special tasting introduces you to the quintessential pairing of Guinness stout with fresh Galway Bay oysters. After lunch, drive the coast of County Clare, stopping to stand atop the soaring Cliffs of Moher. Tonight, join your fellow guests for an elegant farewell dinner. Dromoland Castle | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Shannon

After breakfast, transfer to Shannon Airport and board your onward flight. Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

For a private journey consider **Tailor Made Ireland: Coastal Vistas & Country Lanes.** Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Anantara The Marker Dublin Hotel — Contemporary landmark hotel in Central Dublin.



Sheen Falls Lodge Luxurious hotel outside Kenmare, overlooking a river and waterfalls.



Castlemartyr Resort Five-star hotel set in an 18th-century manor house on immaculate grounds.



Dromoland Castle Luxury castle-turned-hotel on the *Condé Nast Traveler* Gold List.

DATES & PRICING

Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
\$8,695	\$2,995
, \$8,995	\$3,295
\$8,695	\$2,995
	Occupancy \$8,695 \$8,995

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Scotland: Edinburgh & the Highlands

9 days from \$8,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover the rich heritage and dramatic beauty of Scotland, from its refined cities steeped in time-honored tradition to its heathered highlands shrouded in the mists of legend, and learn about the cultures of its storied clans.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Set out on a four-wheel-drive safari into the wild highlands and enjoy a picnic lunch amid stunning natural landscapes
- Explore Scotland's heritage, trying your hand at the bagpipes in a fun workshop at the National Piping Center
- Gain access to areas usually off limits to the public during an exclusive experience at majestic Inveraray Castle
- Learn the history of design in Scotland on a curator-led excursion through the V&A Dundee, a showcase of Scottish ingenuity
- Board the majestic Royal Yacht 'Britannia' for a private before-hours visit during an exploration of Edinburgh

DAY 1: Arrive Glasgow, Scotland

Arrive in Glasgow, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. This evening, gather with fellow guests for cocktails and a welcome dinner at the hotel. **Hotel du Vin Glasgow | Meals: D**

DAY 2: Glasgow | Hidden Gems

Make an exclusive before-hours visit to the Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum, home to one of Europe's great art collections. Next, explore the art of the bagpipes during an interactive workshop at the National Piping Center. Eat lunch at the Willow Tea Rooms, emblematic of the local Arts and Crafts movement of the early 20th century. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. Hotel du Vin Glasgow | Meals: B L

DAY 3: Inveraray | Home of a Laird

Journey to Inveraray Castle, passing Loch Lomond en route. Walk through this aristocratic residence with a private guide on an exclusive A&K experience, followed by lunch. Drive through the Highlands and past Loch Tay to your hotel beside scenic Loch Rannoch. Enjoy live piping and dancing with dinner. Dunalastair Hotel Suites | Meals: B L D



DAY 4: Kinloch Rannoch | A Highland "Safari"

Ride Like a Local into the Highlands by 4x4 vehicle on a wilderness safari, absorbing the scenic views of lakes, forests and mountains, and keeping watch for native wildlife such as red deer, mountain hares and golden eagles. Then, enjoy a picnic lunch in this idyllic location, followed by free time to relax, cast a fishing line, peruse local art galleries and craft shops, or simply marvel at the natural grandeur surrounding you. Dunalastair Hotel Suites | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Dundee & St. Andrews** | Scottish Innovation Travel to Dundee to discover the V&A Dundee, a museum showcasing the history of Scottish design, technology and innovation. Enjoy time for lunch at your leisure, and then proceed on a unique Chef's Table experience at the Scotch whisky distillery at Lindores Abbey, called whisky's spiritual birthplace, where you indulge in a tasting. Continue to the lovely coastal town of St. Andrews, site of the Open and regarded as the home of golf. After an introduction to the historic town, savor a Scenic Sundowner overlooking the iconic Old Course, and then check in to your hotel set on the famed links. Old Course Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 6: **St. Andrews** | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Bike to a Nature Reserve, meandering through St. Andrews links and along the shores of a lovely estuary.
- Savor a Tutored Gin Tasting and create your own signature gin and tonic at a top local distillery.
- ▶ Walk St. Andrews' Old Course, guided by a former caddy, to learn the secrets of the "Grand Old Lady" of golf.



Explore Inverary Castle on a privately guided, A&K-exclusive visit

THE EDINBURGH MILITARY TATTOO



On a separate edition of this journey with three summer departures, enjoy an especially grand farewell on the last night of your itinerary as you witness the pageantry of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo. Sit back in your premium grandstand seat and watch magnificent performances of martial music and military-style maneuvers that symbolize Scottish culture and history. Priced from \$9,995. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for complete details.

Relax during an afternoon and evening at leisure. Old Course Hotel | Meals: B

DAY 7: Edinburgh | Traditional Afternoon Tea Today, journey to Edinburgh, Scotland's elegant capital. Begin your visit with a tour of Holyrood Palace. Continue up the Royal Mile to the historic Signet Library, where you are invited to one of Edinburgh's most substantial afternoon teas, featuring savory side dishes and sweets that make for a satisfying lunch. Afterward, explore Edinburgh Castle with an expert local guide and take in the stunning views over the city and beyond. Later, check in to your hotel for an evening at leisure. The Balmoral | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Edinburgh | A Private Visit to her Majesty's Yacht Begin your day with a private, before-hours visit to the Royal Yacht 'Britannia,' a proud vessel that served as a floating home to the Royal Family for over 40 years. Enjoy a panoramic overview of the local sights before returning to your hotel for an afternoon at leisure. This evening, gather for a farewell dinner at a fine local restaurant. The Balmoral | Meals: B D

DAY 9: Depart Edinburgh

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Old Course Hotel Luxurious resort set at the 17th hole of the Old Course at St. Andrews.



The Balmoral Classic luxury hotel with bespoke rooms in the heart of Edinburgh.



Hotel du Vin Glasgow Iconic hotel in the city's fashionable West End, devoted to your service.

Dunalastair Hotel Suites Upscale, design hotel nestled in the majestic Scottish Highlands.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 20-28, Jun 10-18, Jul 1-9, Jul 15-23, Sep 2-10, Sep 9-17, Sep 16-24	\$8,995	\$2,995

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

FESTIVAL

MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

English Gardens & the Chelsea Flower Show

9 days from \$14,295 | Limited to 18 guests

Savor the joys of spring with privileged access at every turn on this quintessential English journey spanning exclusive estates and gardens, culminating in a Royal Horticultural Society Members' Day at the Chelsea Flower Show.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Attend the world-famous Chelsea Flower Show in a style befitting a member, enjoying all-day access to an exclusive RHS hospitality pavilion where you are invited to savor a full breakfast, lunch with Champagne and a traditional high tea
- Stroll through the Arts and Crafts-style gardens of Sissinghurst Castle, planted by Vita Sackville-West
- Spend an afternoon at Hidcote Manor, one of England's greatest gardens
- Watch a master trainer put some of England's finest thoroughbred jump racers thorough their paces on an exclusive experience at Jackdaws Castle in the Cotswolds
- Privately explore the birthplace of Sir Winston Churchill, Blenheim Palace, with a local expert leading the way

DAY 1: Arrive London, England

Upon arrival, you are met and transferred to your luxury hotel set among gardens. Enjoy a private welcome dinner at this historic manor house. Ockenden Manor | Meals: D

DAY 2: West Sussex | Heritage Gardens

Journey to Storrington for a private tour of the 16th-century Parham House and its landscaped Pleasure Grounds. Stroll Veronica's Maze and The Walled Garden, learning how they are organically maintained. After lunch at Parham House, visit nearby Borde Hill Garden, set on 200 acres of traditional English landscape. Ockenden Manor | Meals: B L

DAY 3: **Sissinghurst & Great Dixter** | Arts & Crafts Gems Today, enjoy a private tour of the late Christopher Lloyd's garden at Great Dixter, conducted before opening hours. Built in the Arts and Crafts style, it mingles vegetables and flowers, a large orchard with pockets of wildflowers and a



magnificent herbaceous border. Later, drive to Sissinghurst Castle and stroll its garden. Learn how Harold Nicolson, a diplomat and author, laid down its main lines while his wife, Vita Sackville-West, a poet and gardening writer, handled the planting. View the influential White Garden, which exemplifies early 20th-century garden designer Gertrude Jekyll's use of color themes. Ockenden Manor | Meals: B D

DAY 4: Hampshire | West Green House

Drive north to the quaint and charming Cotswolds area, pausing in a wooded corner of North Hampshire for a visit to the gardens of West Green House. Learn how acclaimed designer Marylyn Abbott fused neoclassical and contemporary influences as you tour the grounds with the senior gardener. Then, stay on site for lunch. Later, toast your day with a Scenic Sundowner before dining at your hotel. Dormy House | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **The Cotswolds** | Kiftsgate & Hidcote Manor Enjoy a private visit to Kiftsgate Court Gardens and stroll the harmonious, color-schemed upper gardens. Afterward, drive to the lovely town of Chipping Campden to visit its High Street, Jacobean Market Hall and impressive Church of St. James. Continue to nearby Hidcote Manor — one of England's greatest gardens and a true Arts and Crafts masterpiece — to explore its series of unique outdoor "rooms." Nestled in the Cotswolds, a range of hills known for their beauty, the garden offers stunning panoramas across the Vale of Evesham. Dormy House | Meals: B D

DAY 6: The Cotswolds | A Glimpse Into the Sport of Kings Visit Jackdaws Castle, a renowned facility for British jump racing. Follow horses from their indoor school outdoors to watch them work on their various gallops under the watchful



A FRENCH GARDENS JOURNEY



Also consider French Gardens: Paris & the Loire, featuring two nights in Paris, private access to gardens and châteaux in the Loire Valley, and a day at the International Garden Festival. Priced from \$14,295 this Marco Polo Journey departs immediately after English Gardens & the Chelsea Flower Show. Book them back to back to create one grand garden show adventure. Turn the page for full details.

eye of the owner-trainer and his team, all the while taking in the stunning scenery of this magical setting. Return to the yard to watch a horse swim in an equine pool and then join a guide who introduces you to some of the amazing thoroughbreds. Finish with a cordial visit to the owners suite. This afternoon, explore Sudeley Castle (resting place of Katherine Parr) or stroll the scenic Cotswolds Way to a nearby neolithic burial site. Dormy House | Meals: B

DAY 7: **Blenheim Palace** | Birthplace of Sir Winston Churchill Drive to Blenheim Palace, a magnificent edifice set on 2,100 acres of beautiful parkland landscaped by Lancelot "Capability" Brown. Enjoy a special talk and tour focused on the life of Sir Winston Churchill, who was born here in 1874. Examine the breadth of his talent and achievement, from bricklayer to the "Greatest Briton." After lunch at leisure, continue to London. **Brown's Hotel** | Meals: B

DAY 8: **The Chelsea Flower Show** | A World of Inspiration Attend the world-renowned Chelsea Flower Show on an exclusive Royal Horticultural Society Members' Day. Enjoy a four-course luncheon and an open bar, as well as morning and afternoon tea, in an exclusive Royal Horticultural Society hospitality area. Walk countless exhibits showcasing the finest examples of English gardening and some of the most avant-garde show-garden designs in the world. Return to the hotel in the late afternoon, gathering in the evening for a farewell dinner. Brown's Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart London

After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Dormy House

Luxury boutique hotel built into a 17th-century farmhouse and set in the heart of England's scenic Cotswolds region.



Ockenden Manor Boutique hotel nestled amid gardens in the West Sussex countryside.

Brown's Hotel Historic classic luxury hotel set in London's most exclusive borough.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 15-23	\$14,295	\$5,995

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

FESTIVAL

MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

French Gardens: Paris & the Loire

9 days from \$14,295 | Limited to 18 guests

Celebrate the stunning gardens and châteaux of France, from Paris to Versailles, in exuberant style. Devote an entire day to the International Garden

Festival at Domaine de Chaumont-sur-Loire, explore magnificent châteaux and sample vintages at an organic winery on a journey for flower lovers that includes two nights in Paris.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Take in the botanical pageantry at the International Garden Festival at Domaine de Chaumont-sur-Loire during a full day on site
- Sit down to an intimate picnic on the grounds of Versailles, and then explore the palace itself
- Explore a variety of châteaux in the Loire Valley, both large and small, including a special visit to family-owned Château Beauregard
- Stroll the Jardin des Plantes in Paris, once a royal medical garden and now France's most important botanical garden
- Join an award-winning florist for a master class in the art of regal floral arrangements at the Château de Chenonceau
- Learn the secrets of Chantilly cream at the château where it originated

DAY 1: Arrive Paris, France

Arrive in Paris, the City of Light, where you are met and transferred to your luxury hotel. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner. Le Grand Mazarin | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Paris** | French Cuisine & Sparkling Varietals Start your day with a walking foodie excursion that introduces you to some of Paris' best-loved treats and the vendors who supply them. Then, stroll by the Cuvier Fountain as your guide begins to explain the history of wine in Paris. Continue through the Jardin des Plantes to visit the ecological garden. Pass the site of the ancient Halle aux Vins, once the world's largest wine storage facility, and proceed



to Les Arènes de Lutèce (Paris' Roman Arena). Finish by sampling sparkling wines, putting your powers to distinguish between varietals to a pleasing test. Le Grand Mazarin | Meals: B

DAY 3: Loire Valley | Private Garden Tour

Ride Like a Local on the TGV high-speed train to Tours in the heart of the Loire Valley — a UNESCO World Heritage Site filled with historic towns, landscapes and châteaux. Upon arrival, privately tour the magnificent gardens of the Château de Villandry, followed by lunch on the grounds. Then, transfer to your hotel in the former royal town of Blois. Fleur de Loire | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Loire Valley | Gardens Whimsical & Practical Begin your day with a private tour of Château Beauregard and its fascinating "Portrait Gallery" garden, followed by a sommelier-led tasting of historic wines and lunch. Afterward, visit the organic kitchen gardens at the majestic Château de Chambord. Fleur de Loire | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Chenonceau** | Special Before-Hours Access Journey east along the Loire River, then up its tributary, the Cher, to beautiful Château de Chenonceau, which arches elegantly over the river's flowing waters. Enjoy this remarkable castle — once home to Catherine de Medici without the crowds, thanks to before-hours access arranged by A&K. Take part in a floral master class led by the château's celebrated chief florist, a winner of the prestigious Meilleur Ouvrier de France. Then, proceed to a nearby winery to explore its carved stone cellars and savor a lunch paired with their organic wines. Return to your hotel to cap off your day with an refreshing Scenic Sundowner. Fleur de Loire | Meals: B L D



DAY 6: **Chaumont** | The International Garden Festival Today, experience the International Garden Festival, which each year brings together leading garden designers from around the world to create themed installations at the Domaine de Chaumont-sur-Loire. Tour the château and its historic stables, and then Ride Like a Local by traditional flatboat as you cruise along the Loire, enjoying a lunch on board. Return to Chaumont for an afternoon exploring the fascinating garden creations and botanical wonders of the festival. Continue to Château de Troussay for a private tour and apéritif with a selection of local cheeses and petit fours. Tonight, dine at your hotel. Fleur de Loire | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Versailles | Dazzling Legacy of Louis XIV

Drive to the magnificent Palace of Versailles, set in 2,000 acres of beautiful park and gardens principally designed by André Le Nôtre. Indulge in a picnic created with ingredients from local markets amid the splendor of the palace grounds. Then, explore the astounding palace itself, a masterpiece built out to its full glory by Louis XIV. Proceed to your hotel at Chantilly. Auberge du Jeu de Paume | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Chantilly | A Dish Fit for a King

Explore the grand Château de Chantilly, home to one of the country's best art collections. After lunch in one of its historic buildings, partake in a Chef's Table workshop that reveals the secrets behind authentic Chantilly cream, which was first served at this castle during a lavish party held for Louis XIV. Return to the hotel for time at leisure. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner. Auberge du Jeu de Paume | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Paris

After breakfast, transfer to Charles de Gaulle airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Fleur de Loire

Boutique luxury hotel situated on the banks of the Loire River overlooking the historic town of Blois.



Le Grand Mazarin Elegant new luxury hotel; a serene hideaway in Paris' Marais district. Auberge du Jeu de Paume Sleek luxury Relais nestled in the

grounds of the Château of Chantilly.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 25-Jun 2, Jul 13-21	\$14,295	\$4,995

 ${\bf Note:}$ Combine the first departure of this journey with English Gardens & the Chelsea Flower Show to create one grand garden show adventure.

Journey Details

Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Peru: Machu Picchu & the Sacred Valley

8 days from \$7,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience the enduring heritage of the Incas as you interact with the people of the Sacred Valley, sample Peruvian culinary delights and explore magnificent Machu Picchu, staying at the only hotel on site.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Sample Peruvian cuisine at a Chef's Table experience to understand its cultural impact on Peru and the world, and enjoy an exclusive A&K street food tour led by a local chef
- Mingle with the residents of the Sacred Valley of the Incas, and gain an intimate understanding of their ancestral weaving and farming techniques during a private visit to their village, where you partake in a Pachamama ceremony
- Enjoy a private lecture on Machu Picchu with a renowned scholar in Incan history before discovering the magnificent ruins for yourself in the company of a local expert guide
- Discover Peru's rich musical traditions during a captivating private performance by an expert in Andean music
- From April through December, opt to trek the last portion of the Inca Trail from KM 104 to Machu Picchu

DAY 1: Arrive Lima, Peru

Arrive in Lima and transfer to your hotel, located in the city's exclusive residential district of Miraflores. Founded in 1535 by Spanish conquistador Francisco Pizarro, this "City of Kings" is a blend of colonial structures, pre-Colombian sites and modern conveniences. Miraflores Park, A Belmond Hotel, Lima

DAY 2: Lima | Discovering Peruvian Cuisine

Start with a visit this morning to Huaca Pucllana, a historical site in the midst of urban Lima. Then, visit a food market in the company of a local chef before enjoying lunch at a local restaurant. Afterward, stroll the city's colorful Barranco, an artists' haven, and visit the Osma Museum. Continue your gastronomic discovery of Peru on a Chef's Table experience, savoring the delicious dishes you have cooked for dinner. Miraflores Park, A Belmond Hotel, Lima | Meals: B L D



DAY 3: Sacred Valley | Cusco and Camelids

Fly to Cusco, located more than 11,000 feet above sea level, where you are met and transferred to the Sacred Valley of the Incas. En route, visit an animal sanctuary to interact with the South American camelids living there — such as llamas and alpacas — and learn about the valuable fibers created from their coats. Then, visit the beautiful Hacienda Sarapampa to savor lunch with the owner, who cordially shares his family's history in farming and shows you around the farm. Continue to your awe-inspiring resort, designed to fit in with the Sacred Valley's landscapes.

Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Sacred Valley | Learning Time-Honored Traditions Visit a remote village where the local residents provide a hands-on introduction to the customs and crafts that make up their way of life, including weaving and cooking, for an A&K-exclusive experience. Then, participate in one of Peru's oldest and most sacred rituals when you join a local shaman in a traditional offering to Mother Earth (Pachamama). After this spiritual ceremony, visit the Kuychi Center to meet the children at Niños del Arco Iris (Children of the Rainbow), a project supported by Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy that provides education, nutrition, medical care and hope to children in the Sacred Valley. Sit down to lunch served on site before returning to your hotel, where you prepare for your visit to Machu Picchu with a private lecture from a renowned scholar and expert on the Incas. Enjoy the rest of the afternoon at leisure, gazing upon the soaring Andes and savoring a refreshing Scenic Sundowner. Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba | Meals: B L D



DAY 5: **Machu Picchu** | Bingham's Stunning Find Today, explore Ollantaytambo, a fortress of massive stone terraces that hug the mountain slopes and the site of the Incas' greatest victory over the invading Spanish. Then Ride Like a Local, journeying aboard the Inca Rail First-Class Train deep into the Andes toward Machu Picchu, and gazing out at the spectacular Peruvian countryside. Upon arrival in the early afternoon, explore the ruins with your expert guide and, as you wander amid the age-old stone walls, picture life as it might have been in this majestic high-altitude citadel. Overlooking the Urubamba River, Machu Picchu was built in the 15th century at the height of the Inca Empire. Although this "Lost City" was revealed to the rest of the world by American historian Hiram Bingham in 1911, its location was long known to locals. Alternatively (for an additional cost), travel by train for the same scenic ride, but with a twist: disembark at KM 104 and set out with a guide on a hike that culminates at the Sun Gate (Inti Punku), looking out over the vast UNESCO World Heritage Site. Either way, arrive for your overnight stay at the only hotel located on-site at marvelous Machu Picchu.

Sanctuary Lodge, A Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu | Meals: B L D





HIKE THE INCA TRAIL



As an option, engage in a more active Day 5 adventure, departing the train early for a guided hike along the last portion of the Inca Trail, starting at KM 104 and ascending to the Sun Gate (Inti Punku) at Machu Picchu. Priced from \$750.

DAY 6: **Machu Picchu** | Walking the Spectacular Ruins Rise with the sun to walk through Machu Picchu in the early morning mist before the crowds arrive, an experience some consider the spiritual highlight of the journey. After exploring the "Lost City of the Incas," board the Vistadome train back to Ollantaytambo. Continue to Cusco, where you check in to your hotel, once a 16th-century monastery and now a national monument that offers a retreat from the bustle of Cusco while set just off the city square. Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco | Meals: B L "This was our first A&K experience and it will not be our last. The quality of service throughout was unmatched. Thank you for an incredible journey."

– Jordan; Franklin, TN

DAY 7: Cusco | Plaza de Armas & Colossal Sacsayhuaman This morning, discover Cusco on a city tour that includes the Cathedral on the Plaza de Armas and the Santo Domingo Temple. Listen as a local expert explains how the historic clashes between the Incas and the Spanish played a role in forming today's Peruvian culture. Later, visit the wellpreserved ruins of Sacsayhuaman, a testament to Incan architectural skill. This imposing fortress, which witnessed the greatest battle between the Spanish and the Incas, is compiled from colossal stones and overlooks the red-tiled roofs of Cusco. This afternoon, enjoy time at leisure to rest or shop. Tonight, listen to a private Andean music presentation by a regional expert and learn the history of his handmade instruments. Absorb not only the timeless quality of the Peruvian folk tunes he plays, but the unmistakable cultural identity revealed by their haunting, immersive melodies as well. Afterward, sit down to a farewell dinner at an elegant Cusco restaurant, where the chef gathers local ingredients for use in innovative recipes that remain true to Peru's culinary traditions. Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco | Meals: B L D



DAY 8: Depart Lima | Design Your Day

This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Visit the San Blas Neighborhood, a unique bohemian enclave where you find the workshops of artisans.
- Stroll San Pedro Market & Visit the Inca Museum for a taste of local fruits and cheese, and a glimpse of daily life, followed by a look back into Peru's rich history.
- Explore with an Expert Photographer who helps you refine your skills and capture Cusco as a local sees it, including its narrow streets and beautiful houses.

Later, board your departing flight. Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport (dayroom) | Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

Customize this itinerary to create the perfect private Luxury Tailor Made Journey just for you. Contact A&K for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Lodge, A Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu Occupying a privileged site just steps from the mystical Incan citadel of Machu Picchu, the only hotel adjacent to the "Lost City."



Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco — Historic luxury hotel located in a former monastery.



Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba Hacienda-style hotel featuring luxury casitas with Andes mountain views.



Miraflores Park, A Belmond

Luxury hotel with ocean views.

Hotel, Lima

Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport — Stylish hotel conveniently located just steps from Lima's airport.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 19-26, Feb 9-16, Feb 23-Mar 1, Mar 1-8, Mar 15-22	\$7,495	\$2,795
Apr 5-12, Apr 12-19, Apr 19-26, Apr 26-May 3, May 3-10, May 10-17, May 17-24, May 24-31, May 31-Jun 7, Jun 7-14, Jun 14-21, Jun 21-28, Jun 28-Jul 5, Jul 12-19, Aug 9-16, Aug 16-23, Aug 23-30, Sep 6-13, Sep 13-20, Sep 20-27, Oct 4-11, Oct 11-18, Oct 18-25, Oct 25-Nov 1, Nov 1-8, Nov 8-15, Dec 6-13, Dec 13-20	\$7,795	\$3,095

Internal Air: Economy class from \$545 Lima/Cusco; Cusco/Lima

Journey Details

Hike the Inca Trail starting at KM 104 as an optional activity on departures from April through December. This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Full-day Inca Trail hike is challenging, over steep, uneven terrain, at high altitude, requiring good physical fitness.

Book Your Journey Today

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Peru: Machu Picchu & the Amazon

11 days from \$13,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience the incredible diversity of Peru on a luxury adventure that ranges from the soaring stone walls of Machu Picchu to remote reaches of the Amazon Rainforest, sampling a variety of culinary treasures along the way. Opt to hike the final stretch of the Inca Trail, explore the Sacred Valley with Ilamas at your side and cruise for three nights along wildlife-rich tributaries of the Amazon River.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Explore the pristine Amazon Rainforest on a three-night cruise aboard elegant 'Aria Amazon,' disembarking on daily excursions in the Pacaya-Samira National Reserve, one of the most pristine, biodiverse regions in the Amazon Basin
- Join a guided nature walk in the Sacred Valley, accompanied by llamas on a trek that features a gourmet picnic
- ► For a more active experience, enjoy the option to trek the last portion of the Inca Trail from KM 104 to Machu Picchu
- Discover one of the culinary capitals of South America on a biking gourmet food tour in Lima
- Experience authentic expressions of Amazonian culture, such as a shamanic ceremony

DAY 1: Arrive Lima, Peru

Arrive in Lima, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Miraflores Park, a Belmond Hotel, Lima

DAY 2: Lima | Immersion in Peruvian Cuisine

This morning, set out on a gourmet biking tour of the city's street foods. Along the way, stop at Choco Museum to listen to a brief presentation about the importance of coffee and chocolate production in Amazon communities. Ride on to La Mar before visiting a small food market, and stop at a local restaurant for some delicious Peruvian cooking. On your return to Miraflores, pause for a refreshment along the way. Take some time back at the hotel to freshen up and rest. This afternoon, enjoy a colonial city tour, starting in the



historical center of Lima, visiting Casa de Aliaga and Santo Domingo Convent. Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner at a top-flight local restaurant.

Miraflores Park, a Belmond Hotel, Lima | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Cusco | Into the Sacred Valley

Fly to Cusco, arriving in time for lunch at a local restaurant, followed by a briefing on the history and highlights of the Inca Trail in preparation for your hike. Head out for the Sacred Valley, stopping en route at a center devoted to caring for South American camelids, such as llamas, guanacos and alpacas, with the opportunity to feed them if you wish. Arrive at your hotel and enjoy an afternoon at leisure to acclimatize. This evening, dine at your hotel's restaurant. Tambo del Inka, a Luxury Collection Resort & Spa, Valle Sagrado | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Sacred Valley** | Village Visit & Llama Walk Begin today interacting with members of a village community in Sacred Valley, followed by a light trek escorted by llamas on trail that overlooks a lake. Stop for a delicious picnic lunch, and then enjoy an afternoon at leisure capped off by a Scenic Sundowner overlooking a river. Tonight, gather for dinner at your hotel. Tambo del Inka, a Luxury Collection Resort & Spa, Valle Sagrado | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Machu Picchu** | Bingham's Stunning Find Start the day by exploring Ollantaytambo, a fortress of massive stone terraces that hug the mountain slopes and the site of the Incas' greatest victory over the invading Spanish. Then Ride Like a Local, journeying aboard the Inca Rail



First-Class Train deep into the Andes toward Machu Picchu gazing out at the spectacular Peruvian countryside. In the early afternoon, explore the ruins with your expert guide and, as you wander amid the age-old stone walls, picture life as it might have been in this majestic citadel, set some 8,000 feet above sea level. Arrive for your overnight stay at the only hotel located on-site at Machu Picchu. Alternatively, you may opt to hike the Inca Trail en route. Depart early, boarding a many-windowed Vistadome Train for the same scenic ride, but with a twist: disembark at KM 104 and set out with a guide on a hike that culminates at the Sun Gate (Inti Punku), looking out over the vast UNESCO World Heritage Site. Sanctuary Lodge, a Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu | Meals: B L D

HIKE THE INCA TRAIL



As an option, engage in a more active ascent to Machu Picchu, departing the train early for a guided full-day hike along the last portion of the Inca Trail, from KM 104 to the Sun Gate (Inti Punku) overlooking the ruins. Priced from \$750.





DAY 6: **Machu Picchu** | In the Spectacular "Lost City" Today, explore Machu Picchu, led by an expert guide, wandering amid the age-old stone walls and picturing life as it might have been in this majestic citadel, set some 8,000 feet above sea level. Overlooking the Urubamba River, Machu Picchu was built in the 15th century at the height of the Inca Empire. Although this "Lost City" was revealed to the rest of the world by American historian Hiram Bingham in 1911, its location was long known to locals. Its original purpose, however, remains a matter of some conjecture, as the Incas left no written records. After a thorough exploration of this UNESCO World Heritage Site, return to your hotel for lunch. Then, board the Vistadome Train back to Ollantaytambo, and continue to Cusco to relax or explore on your own.

Monasterio, a Belmond Hotel, Cusco | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Cusco | Design Your Day

Experience Cusco your way, enjoying one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Explore Highlights of Cusco and visit imposing Sacsayhuaman, compiled from colossal stones.
- Join a Photographer in Cusco who helps you capture authentic images of the city's impressive architecture.
- Visit Oropesa where you sample fresh-baked bread at an artisan bakery — and the Main Plaza of Cusco.

After lunch at a local restaurant, return to your hotel for an afternoon at leisure. Tonight, gather for a dinner at the trendsetting MAP Café restaurant. Monasterio, a Belmond Hotel, Cusco | Meals: B L D DAY 8: **Iquitos & Nauta** | Birthplace of the Amazon Today, fly to Iquitos via Lima. Upon arrival, journey overland into the Peruvian countryside en route to remote Nauta, a village set on the banks of the Marañón River, one of the Amazon's three main tributaries. Begin your three-night river-cruise adventure, embarking elegant 'Aria Amazon,' a modern river cruiser. Settle into your spacious suite before meeting the expert naturalist guides who accompany your expedition. This evening, gather for dinner featuring innovative Amazonian cuisine created by consulting chef Pedro Miguel Schiaffino, owner of one of Lima's top-ranked restaurants. Aqua Expeditions 'Aria Amazon' | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Yanayacu Pucate & Marañón Rivers | Village Visit Begin your day near the main entrance of the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve, cruising along the Yanayacu Pucate River in a comfortable skiff. Also enjoy opportunities to kayak, canoe and swim in these unspoiled black waters, keeping your eyes peeled for the Amazon's legendary pink dolphins. Upon returning to the boat, join your onboard bartender and chef for a Chef's Table experience. Prepare a cocktail that will pair with the dish you will be making for lunch. This afternoon, visit a remote village along the Marañón River to learn about traditional customs and witness a ceremony performed by the local shaman. Then, watch and learn through the eyes of these river people, who demonstrate how they climb a palm tree by utilizing a kind of scaffolding to harvest the palm fruit without chopping down the tree, thus conserving it for future generations. This evening after dinner, gather around your vessel's high-tech telescope for a stargazing experience beneath the Amazon night sky, identifying a variety of planets and constellations. Aqua Expeditions 'Aria Amazon' | Meals: B L D



DAY 10: Samiria River | Amazonian Natural Park & Nauta Caño Set off in skiffs on an excursion along the Samiria River with the option to try your hand at fishing for the paiche, a huge carp-like river dweller and longtime local food source that has more recently become a favorite of gourmet chefs. Listen to an after-lunch lecture on the flora and fauna that surround you, before venturing forth on a thrilling jungle walk across the high Amazon rainforest. On our return in the evening, enjoy the jungle symphony and extraordinary stargazing on local boats along the "enchanted lake." Later, gather for a chat with the crew members of your vessel who recount stories of life in the Amazon, followed by a farewell dinner on board. Aqua Expeditions 'Aria Amazon' | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Lima

On your return to Nauta, visit local points of interest by bike, especially its lively markets, where the freshly harvested bounty of the surrounding forest is on display. Bid farewell to your crew and disembark 'Aria Amazon.' Visit the Amazon Forever Manatee Rescue Center to encounter some of the gentle, endangered aquatic mammals up close, along with examples of paiche, the river fish you sought out earlier during your journey, and learn about conservation efforts being made to protect these vital Amazon species. Then, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Miraflores Park, a Belmond Hotel, Lima Luxury hotel with ocean views.



Tambo del Inka, a Luxury Collection Resort & Spa, Valle Sagrado Secluded resort in the Sacred Valley.



Sanctuary Lodge, a Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu — The only hotel just steps from the "Lost City."



Aqua Expeditions 'Aria Amazon' Contemporary 147-foot river cruiser revealing the Amazon in style.



Monasterio, a Belmond Hotel, Cusco Historic luxury hotel located in a former monastery.



Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport — Convenient hotel, located just steps from the airport.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Deck 1	Deck 2
Jul 19–29, Aug 2–12, Aug 30–Sep 9	\$13,795	\$14,295
Single Supplement	\$4,195	\$4,995

Internal Air: Economy class from \$895 Lima/Cusco/Lima/Iquitos/Lima

Journey Details

Hike the Inca Trail starting at KM 104 as an optional activity. This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Full-day Inca Trail hike is challenging, over steep, uneven terrain, at high altitude, requiring good physical fitness.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Wonders of the Galápagos & Machu Picchu

12 days from \$14,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Discover natural and man-made wonders, from Ecuador to Peru, on a journey that includes a fournight cruise in the wildlife-rich Galápagos Islands, an exclusive visit to a village in the Sacred Valley and a guided exploration of Machu Picchu, the awe-inspiring "Lost City" of the Incas.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Cruise for four nights in the Galápagos Islands aboard stylish 'La Pinta,' a 48-guest expedition vessel that offers comfort and flexibility for exploring
- Experience some of the most intimate and up-close wildlife encounters in the world, both on land and in the water
- Explore the Galápagos on twice-daily shore excursions that include nature walks led by a certified naturalist guide, and choose from activities such as kayaking, snorkeling, light trekking or relaxing on shore
- Discover magnificent Machu Picchu firsthand in the company of a local expert guide, and stay at the only hotel on-site for access to the ruins before most other visitors arrive
- Meet people of the Sacred Valley of the Incas when you privately visit their remote village to gain insight into their centuries-old weaving and farming techniques
- From April through December, opt to trek the last portion of the Inca Trail, from KM104 to Machu Picchu

DAY 1: Arrive Guayaquil, Ecuador

Arrive in tropical Guayaquil, gateway to the Galápagos, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Hotel del Parque

DAY 2: Guayaquil | Baltra, the Galápagos

Fly to the remote Galápagos island of Baltra, where you join your naturalist guide for the ferry ride to Santa Cruz Island. Disembark and drive up into the island's mist-shrouded highlands in search of giant tortoises. Continue on to Puerto Ayora and board 'La Pinta,' your expedition ship for your four-night cruise through the Galápagos' northern islands.



'La Pinta' is built for adventure, offering spacious cabins, floor-to-ceiling windows and a comfortable atmosphere. The vessel is ecologically sound and comes equipped with pangas (rubber rafts), a glass-bottom boat and sea kayaks that allow for independent exploration. Tonight, dine on board. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Cruising the Galápagos** | Eden & Sombrero Chino After breakfast, get fitted for your wetsuit and snorkeling gear. Then, Ride Like a Local, boarding a panga for a shore excursion to Eden Islet, a secluded, biodiverse enclave off Santa Cruz. Here, observe the island's iconic bluefooted boobies. Take this opportunity to snorkel the reef or view marine life aboard a glass-bottom boat. Back aboard 'La Pinta,' cruise onward to Sombrero Chino, yet another secluded islet of the Galápagos archipelago. Disembark your panga to hike wilderness trails, swim in a sandy cove, and snorkel among white-tipped reef sharks and Galápagos penguins. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

Experience the most magnificent destinations in this far-flung region of the world on a single, expertly planned itinerary, designed with the help of our local offices for authentic insider access.

DAY 4: **Cruising the Galápagos** | Bartolomé & Santiago Islands Disembark on Bartolomé Island to hike up to the volcano's summit and take in the views. After a panga ride to visit the



penguins of Pinnacle Rock, snorkel the reef, relax on the beach or take in the local marine life aboard a glass-bottom boat. Later, swim or snorkel along the white coral sand beach of Sullivan Bay. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Cruising the Galápagos** | Genovesa Island This morning, hike and snorkel Genovesa Island, a birdwatcher's paradise. Explore Darwin Bay, snorkeling along the cliffs or paddling out in sea kayaks. View the island's cliffs before disembarking to climb the steep, rocky pass of Prince Philip's Steps. Your ascent leads to a clifftop frequented by species such as Nazca booby, frigate bird, storm petrel and short-eared owl. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Guayaquil & Lima, Peru | Begin a Peruvian Adventure Disembark 'La Pinta' at Baltra Island, where you transfer to the airport to fly to mainland Ecuador, and then board a connecting flight to Lima, Peru. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Cusco | Sacred Valley

Fly to Cusco, located more than 11,000 feet above sea level,





where you are met and transferred to the Sacred Valley of the Incas. En route, visit a sanctuary to interact with the South American camelid species living there — such as llama and alpaca — and learn about the valuable fibers created from their coats. Then, visit the beautiful Hacienda Sarapampa for a Chef's Table experience. Enjoy lunch with the owner, who cordially shares his family's history in farming and shows you around the farm.

Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Sacred Valley** | Like a Journey Back in Time Today, visit Moray, a fascinating archaeological site comprising a series of concentric agricultural terraces, some almost 500 feet deep. Then, journey to a remote mountain village, where you experience ancient agricultural methods used for centuries, on an A&K-exclusive experience. Continue to the Children of the Rainbow school, a project supported by A&K Philanthropy, where you enjoy lunch and take in an equestrian performance featuring Paso Fino horses. Return to your hotel to enjoy a relaxing Scenic Sundowner before dinner. Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Machu Picchu | Bingham's Stunning Find Visit the imposing fortress of Ollantaytambo, with its massive stone terraces, and then Ride Like a Local by train, journeying deep into the Andes toward Machu Picchu. Alternatively (at an additional cost), start toward Machu Picchu by train, stopping at KM 104 to disembark and hike to the Sun Gate above the Incan citadel. Overlooking the Urubamba River, Machu Picchu was built in the 15th century at the height of the Inca Empire. Although this "Lost City" was revealed to the rest of the world by American Hiram Bingham in 1911, its location was long known to locals. Its original purpose, however, remains a matter of some conjecture, as the Incas left no written records. As you wander amid the age-old stone walls, picture life here as it might have been. Tonight, stay in the only hotel on site, just steps from the entrance.

Sanctuary Lodge, A Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu | Meals: B L D

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As an option, engage in a more active Day-9 adventure, departing the train early for a guided full-day hike along the last portion of the Inca Trail, from KM 104 to the Sun Gate (Inti Punku) overlooking Machu Picchu. Priced from \$750.

DAY 10: **Machu Picchu** | Walk the Spectacular Ruins Rise with the sun and join your expert guide to walk through Machu Picchu in the early morning mist before the crowds arrive. After your explorations, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before returning to Ollantaytambo by train, savoring incomparable views of the mountain scenery that surrounds you. On arrival, transfer to your Cusco hotel, a 400-year-old architectural treasure that was once a monastery. Tonight, relax or stroll this ancient Incan capital on your own. **Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco** | Meals: B L

DAY 11: **Cusco** | Plaza de Armas & Colossal Sacsayhuaman This morning, discover Cusco on a city excursion that includes the Gothic Renaissance-style Cathedral Basilica


on the Plaza de Armas and the Santo Domingo Temple, a Dominican church built on the foundations of the Koricancha, the Incas' principal religious building. Later, visit the well-preserved ruins of Sacsayhuaman, a testament to Incan architectural skill. Compiled from colossal stones, its walls were cut and placed together with incredible precision and without a single drop of mortar to hold them in place. Back in Cusco, stop for lunch at a local restaurant near the plaza. Afterward, enjoy an afternoon at leisure to relax or shop. Tonight, join your fellow guests for a farewell dinner at an elegant Cusco restaurant. Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: **Depart Lima** | Design Your Day This morning, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Visit the San Blas Neighborhood, a unique bohemian enclave where you find the workshops of artisans.
- Stroll San Pedro Market & Visit the Inca Museum for a taste of local fruits and cheese, and a glimpse into history.
- Join a Photographer in Cusco who helps you capture authentic images of the city's architecture and people.

Later today, fly to Lima and connect with your homebound flight. Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport (dayroom) | Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Sanctuary Lodge, A Belmond Hotel, Machu Picchu Hotel set on site at Machu Picchu.



Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba Hacienda-style hotel featuring luxury casitas with Andes mountain views.



'La Pinta' Comfortable and stylish expedition ship featuring fine onboard cuisine.



Monasterio, A Belmond Hotel, Cusco — Historic luxury hotel set in the heart of the city.



Hotel del Parque Quietly elegant boutique luxury hotel located in the heart of Guayaquil.



Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport — Convenient, comfortable hotel within steps of the airport.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 11-22, Mar 10-21	\$14,495	\$7,995
Mar 24-Apr 4, Apr 7-18, Apr 21-May 2, May 5-16, May 19-30, Jun 2-13, Jun 16-27, Jul 14-25, Aug 11-22, Aug 25-Sep 5, Sep 8-19, Sep 22-Oct 3, Oct 6-17, Oct 20-31, Nov 3-14	\$14,995	\$8,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,925 Guayaquil/Baltra/Guayaquil/Lima/Cusco; Cusco/Lima

Journey Details

Hike the Inca Trail starting at KM 104 as an optional activity on departures from April through December. This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Full-day Inca Trail hike is challenging, over steep, uneven terrain, at high altitude, requiring good physical fitness.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Galápagos Wildlife Adventure

9 days from \$11,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Cruise for six nights on a comprehensive voyage through the wildlife-rich Galápagos archipelago, going ashore to stroll among species such as giant tortoise, marine iguana and blue-footed booby; and snorkel and kayak with sea lion and penguin.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Cruise aboard 'La Pinta' an expedition vessel that blends stability and style – in the Galápagos Islands
- Experience some of the world's most intimate wildlife encounters, coming face to face with marine iguana, giant tortoise, blue-footed booby, sea lion and other species
- Explore the islands known for optimal wildlife viewing as well as iconic, less-visited sites, as you enjoy twice-daily shore excursions and nature walks with a certified naturalist guide
- Choose from island activities that include kayaking, glassbottom boat excursions, snorkeling, stand-up paddle boarding, light trekking or simply relaxing on shore
- Partake in a wide range of onboard activities, including guided stargazing and nature lectures, and rest easy knowing there is a dedicated A&K Resident Tour Director, as well as an Expedition Leader and a physician, on board with you in this remote destination

DAY 1: Arrive Guayaquil, Ecuador

Arrive in Guayaquil, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Hotel del Parque

DAY 2: The Galápagos | On Board 'La Pinta'

Fly to Baltra in the remote Galápagos Islands, a haven for the diversity of wildlife that first led naturalist Charles Darwin to propose that species evolved in response to their environment. You are met by your naturalist guide and escorted to 'La Pinta,' your home for a six-night cruise through the Galápagos' western islands, a route that offers a higher number of endemic species than other island groupings. After an introductory briefing followed by lunch, cruise to North Seymour Island for your first shore excursion. Walk along the coast and the interior of this



beautiful flat island, observing numerous bird colonies as well as sea lion and land iguana. You may also opt to explore just offshore by dinghy. This evening, return to 'La Pinta' for a welcome cocktail and dinner. Each evening, your time is your own: Attend a lecture presented by one of your affable guides, who recaps the day and gives a sneak peek at tomorrow's itinerary; explore the mysteries of the night sky with a fascinating astronomy talk; peruse the ship's library for further insight into a species you encountered; or gather in the lounge to cap off a day of extraordinary discoveries. Drift asleep in your air-conditioned cabin to the rise and fall of gentle ocean swells. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **The Galápagos** | Isabela & Fernandina Today, begin at Isabela Island (Punta Vicente Roca). Since there is no landing site at this location, explore the coast by skiff while your naturalist guide explains the dramatic geology of the area, such as the remains of lava flows and tuff rock layers. Watch for the island's abundant wildlife and snorkel along the cliffs, possibly in the company of a green sea turtle. This afternoon, visit the youngest and most pristine island of the archipelago, Fernandina (Punta Espinoza), to go ashore and view its combination of barrenness and abundant wildlife. Watch for species such as hawk, penguin and flightless cormorant as you take in the astounding views of the surrounding volcanic landscapes. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **The Galápagos** | Urbina Bay & Tagus Cove Disembark at Urbina Bay, on the western side of Isabela Island, to view corals, shells and large, colorful Galápagos land iguana. You may also sight giant tortoise further inland. Cruise up to secluded Tagus Cove on the island's northwest



coast, once a favorite anchorage for pirates and whalers. Go ashore for a hike to saltwater-filled Darwin Crater. Opt to snorkel or kayak if you wish before your hike. Return to the ship for a Scenic Sundowner and dinner. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: The Galápagos | Rábida & Santa Cruz

Go ashore on Rábida Island's beach to view marine iguana, mockingbird, yellow warbler and several species of Darwin's finch. This is a great place to snorkel from the beach. Non-snorkelers may opt to explore via glass-bottom boat. Proceed to the north shore of Santa Cruz Island to view the fascinating landscapes of Cerro Dragón (Dragon Hill). Circle a lagoon frequented by sea birds, such as red-footed booby, and trek inland to sight land iguana. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **The Galápagos** | Encounter the Giant Tortoise Continue your explorations on Santa Cruz with a visit to Puerto Ayora and the Charles Darwin Research Station. Get up close to the examples of giant tortoise living on site in a prickly pear cactus forest. Learn from about their latest conservation efforts, and then head to the highlands for lunch. Afterward, view the exuberant vegetation where



Get to know the prominent species of Santa Cruz Island, including the blue-footed booby



Meet the Natives

From the finches that inspired Darwin to the whales that return to the islands each fall, wildlife sets the Galápagos apart. Encounter each island's unique species up close with the help of your naturalist guide.

Sea Lion

The social sea lion hardly bats an eye at human visitors. When not congregating on the beach, sea lion are swift, powerful swimmers. Want to swim among the sea lion? January through March is a great time of year for water clarity and warmer temperatures. Or come in October for a chance to snorkel with sea lion pups.

Great Frigatebird

Noted for the vivid red gular sac of the male of the species, which he inflates to impress females during courtship, the frigatebird glides over the water on narrow wings that can span over six feet.

Sally Lightfoot Crab

This brilliant-hued crab is perhaps the islands' most photogenic species. It occupies the rocky coasts, feeding on algae year-round.

Blue-Footed Booby

Given to foot-stamping mating displays that make it a favorite of Galápagos visitors, the endearing blue-footed booby may be found mating and nesting year-round, depending on conditions.

Marine Iguana & Land Iguana

Called "imps of darkness" by Darwin, marine iguana are adapted to the water, with finlike tails and teeth designed to scrape algae from rocks. They begin nesting in February. Their terrestrial kin, the land iguana, prefers dining on prickly pear cactus and has a mating schedule that varies by island.

Galápagos Penguin

Both the rarest and the most northerly penguin species, this island denizen arrived at the Galápagos via the chilly Humboldt Current from Antarctica. Penguin and many other Galápagos bird species, such as red-footed booby, start nesting in January.

Giant Tortoise

Overhunting and habitat loss nearly drove these placid, stately reptiles to extinction. Happily, conservation efforts are proving successful and many subspecies' populations are on the rise. Visit in January to see tortoise laying eggs. Come between March and May to see their rare aquatic cousin, the green sea turtle, nesting on the beaches.



















giant tortoise roam in the wild, perhaps spotting one of the iconic, lumbering reptiles yourself. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: The Galápagos | Floreana

After breakfast, Ride like a Local by panga (small boat) along channels on the north shore of Floreana Island, continuing to Baroness Cove with its breathtaking views. Then, land at Post Office Bay to visit the historic barrel that has been serving as a post office in the archipelago for over two centuries. Return to the ship to proceed to Punta Cormorant. Before disembarking, snorkel or ride by glass-bottom boat, viewing life beneath the waves. Cruise along the coast of an extinct volcanic cone called Champion Islet. Later, go ashore at Punta Cormorant for an easy walk beside a brackish water lagoon where the greater flamingo may be observed. Venture to the other side of the island to find a white-sand beach where sea turtle come to nest at night. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Guayaquil | A Fond Farewell

Disembark in Baltra and fly back to Guayaquil. Enjoy time to relax before gathering for a Chef's Table Experience in the form of a cocktail class before a farewell dinner at your hotel's restaurant. **Hotel del Parque** | **Meals: B D**

DAY 9: **Depart Guayaquil** After breakfast, transfer to the airport to board your flight home. Meals: B

TRAVEL PRIVATELY WITH A&K

For a private journey consider **Tailor Made Ecuador: Galápagos Cruise**. Contact A&K or visit abercrombiekent.com for more details.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



'La Pinta' Comfortable and stylish expedition ship featuring fine onboard cuisine.



Hotel del Parque Luxury boutique hotel occupying a restored 19th-century church complex.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Feb 15-23, Mar 28-Apr 5, Apr 25-May 3, May 9-17, Jun 6-14	\$11,995	\$8,995
Aug 29–Sep 6	\$11,495	\$8,495
Oct 10-18	\$11,995	\$8,995
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Internal Air: Economy class from \$725 Guayaquil/Baltra/Guayaquil

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years.

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LUXURY FAMILY JOURNEYS

Family Galápagos

8 days from \$9,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Ascend a volcano by tram before embarking on a four-night cruise to the eastern Galápagos Islands, experiencing some of the most intimate wildlife encounters on earth and joining in all-ages activities that reveal the wonders of this far-flung locale.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Cruise for four nights in the Galápagos Islands aboard 'La Pinta,' a stylish expedition vessel that blends stability with style
- Discover the Galápagos Islands on twice-daily shore excursions that include nature walks and coastal explorations in a panga with a certified naturalist guide
- Choose from island activities that include kayaking, glassbottom boat excursions, snorkeling, stand-up paddle boards, light trekking or simply relaxing on shore
- Experience some of the world's most intimate wildlife encounters, coming face-to-face with land iguana, giant tortoise, sea lion and more
- Enjoy child-friendly programs and activities, such as wildlife photography, scavenger hunts and Spanish lessons

DAY 1: Arrive Quito, Ecuador

Arrive in Quito, the capital of Ecuador, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Casa Gangotena

DAY 2: Arrive Quito, Ecuador

Start your day with a visit to La Mitad del Mundo Equatorial Line Monument, dedicated to the 18th-century French expedition that first established the position of the equator. Then, transfer north to the edge of the city for an awesome Ride Like a Local on TelefériQo, an aerial gondola offering breathtaking views over Quito. The gondola deposits you at the top of an active volcano, 12,950 feet above sea level, where you take in the marvelous vistas. After lunch, have fun in a desserts class featuring traditional and local desserts. Return to Quito to walk its historic district with its beautiful churches and colorful plazas, and take in firsthand views of local life and the city's charming colonial architecture. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. **Casa Gangotena** | **Meals: B L D**



DAY 3: **Baltra, the Galápagos** | Aboard 'La Pinta' Fly to Baltra in the Galápagos Islands, where you board 'La Pinta.' After a welcome briefing, enjoy lunch on board. This afternoon, begin exploring the Galápagos, starting at South Plaza Island. Observe the native flora, such as the prickly pear cactus, a favorite snack of the land iguana that roam the island like real-life dragons. Scan the coastline for playful sea lion and colorful wild birds. Tonight (and each evening) back aboard 'La Pinta,' enjoy a variety of all-ages activities designed to capture the imaginations of young explorers, including fun quizzes, making handicrafts and learning some Spanish words. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Cruising the Galápagos** | Life of Tortoises Today, discover Santa Fe Island, boarding a *panga* (small boat) for a brief ride to its idyllic sandy-white beaches. Walk the onshore terrain, keeping a lookout for wild residents: a curious sea lion coming to greet you, a Galápagos hawk perched atop salt bushes or a Santa Fe land iguana sunning itself on a rock. Then, snorkel and swim along a natural wave barrier or ride in a glass-bottom boat for a cool glimpse into life beneath the waves. Break for lunch back on board as you set a course toward San Cristobal Island. Disembark at Puerto Baquerizo Moreno and drive to the breeding center for highly endangered giant tortoise at Cerro Colorado, set in a fantastic deciduous forest. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Cruising the Galápagos** | Darwin's Legacy Land on San Cristobal Island and set out on a trail that ascends from the beach to a lookout offering you spectacular shoreline views. Observe frigatebird and a colony of sea lion, and, if conditions are favorable, swim from the beach.



After lunch on board, take a panga to Cerro Brujo and walk the same sandy shore once trod by Charles Darwin, the 19th-century English naturalist whose theory of evolution began with the firsthand observations he made of life in the Galápagos. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Cruising the Galápagos | Punta Suárez

Begin at Punta Suárez, walking on lava terrain to visit the island's seabird colonies. Depending on the time of year, you may spy soaring waved albatross, booby or swallow-tail gull; watch for marine iguana, too. After lunch aboard, cruise Gardner Bay and go ashore to observe sea lion, mockingbird and various species of finch. The bay has a magnificent beach, a great place to snorkel, kayak or ride a glassbottomed boat. 'La Pinta' | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Baltra & Quito** | Darwin Research Center Disembark on Santa Cruz Island to visit the Charles Darwin Research Station and learn about the captive rearing program for giant tortoise. Afterward, ferry to Baltra and fly to Quito for a farewell dinner and overnight. Casa Gangotena | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Depart Quito

After breakfast, transfer to the airport to depart. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



'La Pinta' Comfortable and stylish expedition ship featuring fine onboard cuisine.



Casa Gangotena *Travel* + *Leisure* World's Best hotel set in a restored mansion in Quito.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Mar 19-26, Jun 11-18, Jul 9-16, Jul 23-30, Aug 6-13	\$9,995	\$6,995
Children 17 and under*	\$9,495	
Dec 28-Jan 4, 2025** Children 17 and under*	\$10,995 <u>\$10,495</u>	\$7,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$695

Quito/Baltra/Quito

*Pricing applies to children 17 and under sharing with an adult.

**Departure features an alternate routing, cruising the northern Galápagos Islands.

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements.

Minimum age is 6 years. Suggested age 7+. Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

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NEW!

MARCO POLO JOURNEYS

Colombia: Bogotá to Cartagena

9 days from \$9,795 | Limited to 18 guests

Explore today's Colombia, discovering its incredible culture, gastronomy and biodiversity on a journey that reveals how a commitment to social transformation made it a must-see destination. Marvel at the vibrant street art of once-troubled Medellin and bask in the many splendors of beautiful Cartagena.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience the lively and colorful Paloquemao market in Bogotá and sample the fruits, vegetables and herbs on display while also learning about the Peace Agreement
- Descend into the inspiring Salt Cathedral and learn the history of this amazing underground church built by miners
- Try the indigenous sport of Tejo and taste viche, a traditional sugar cane liquor originated by colonial-era slaves
- Discover the parks and graffiti art of Medellin and learn how it overcame its troubled past
- Visit Cartagena to immerse yourself in the rich local culture, gastronomy and music
- Explore an organic flower farm in Santa Elena and meet with a flower vendor in the mountains of Antioquia

DAY 1: Arrive Bogotá, Colombia

Arrive in Bogotá, the capital of Colombia, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Tonight, gather for a festive welcome dinner. Four Seasons Hotel Casa Medina | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Bogotá** | A Market Visit & the Peace Agreement Explore Paloquemao market with a guide, sampling local delicacies as you go. Peruse the flower market before heading to Monserrate, a 10,000-foot peak you ascend by funicular railway or cable car. Explore La Candelaria, the oldest part of Bogotá, distinguished by its many colonial-era buildings. Visit the Plaza de Bolivar and the Gold Museum, viewing its vast collection of pre-Hispanic artifacts. Throughout your day, listen as your Resident Tour Director explains crucial aspects of Colombia's history, including the build up to the



Peace Agreement (signed in September 2016) that ended more than 50 years of conflict. In turn, gain insight into the current moment, which is setting the foundation for a bright future. Tonight, savor dinner at Criterion, one of the country's finest restaurants.

Four Seasons Hotel Casa Medina Bogotá | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Bogotá | Salt Cathedral & Viche Tasting

Venture to the Salt Cathedral near Zipaquira. Descend into this amazing underground church built in a salt mine, passing naves depicting the life, death and resurrection of Jesus, and enter the 82-foot-high main cathedral. Afterward, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before trying the indigenous sport of Tejo. Then, taste viche, a liquor originated by colonial-era slaves that's become a symbol of modern Afro-Colombian culture. Four Seasons Hotel Casa Medina Bogotá | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Medellín | A Triumph of Social Transformation Fly to Medellín, to visit the Parque San Antonio and view sculptures by Fernando Botero, and continue to the Museum of Antioquia to marvel at its pre-Columbian treasures. Next, ride on the Metrocable gondola lift system for views over the once-notorious neighborhood of Santo Domingo Savio, and now an example of the social transformation the city has undergone. Stop in the Comuna 13 neighborhood to learn more about public renovation projects undertaken here and visit a business they positively impacted. Then, Ride Like a Local by tram and cable car, which have greatly improved community accessibility. Tonight, dine at renowned El Cielo Restaurant. Medellin Marriott Hotel | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Medellin | Guatape, El Penol Rock & Santa Elena Journey to picturesque Guatape, admiring breathtaking



Discover the many splendors of Cartagena on a three-night stay

Antioquia along the way. Stroll Guatape's cobblestoned streets past colorful pastel-painted buildings and view massive Peñol rock. Meet with a local silletero (flower vendor) to learn about life at their organic flower farm. Medellin Marriott Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 6: **Cartagena** | Private Rum & Chocolate Tastings Fly to Cartagena to indulge in a private tasting of a variety of rums paired with chocolate and local bites, as you listen to colorful tales of pirates. Dine this evening at the hotel. Sofitel Legend Santa Clara Cartagena | Meals: B D

DAY 7: Cartagena | Wonders of the City

Discover the best of this exuberant city. Start at La Popa hill, taking in surrounding vistas. Continue to Cartagena's colonial walled city and walk its picturesque streets and plazas. Then, visit the Castle San Felipe Barajas, built to defend the city from pirates. Proceed to the church of San Pedro Claver with its fine collection of stained-glass windows as well as the Naval Museum. Stop at the Inquisition Palace to view its Baroque entrance hall and finish at the city's 16th-century cathedral. Dine in the enchanting Getsemaní district. Sofitel Legend Santa Clara Cartagena | Meals: B D

DAY 8: **Cartagena** | Culinary Experience & Sunset Cruise Explore the peaceful waters of La Virgen swamp, a coastal lagoon separated from the Caribbean Sea by a narrow bank of sand and inhabited by dense mangrove forests as well as over one hundred species of birds. Board a boat to navigate tunnels of overhanging vegetation that lead to a paradise of native crustaceans. There, in the midst of a shallow mirror of water, cast a fishing net or pull up traps to access some of the abundant seafood, such as blue crab, dwelling here. Back on shore, gather at a kitchen to watch how a traditional fishermen and local food concierge prepare what you've caught during a cooking class that highlights local ingredients and the catch of the day. Savor the results for lunch to culminate a richly authentic Chef's Table experience. This evening, transfer to a private catamaran for a harbor cruise and enjoy a Scenic Sundowner while taking in the views of the city. Once back on shore, celebrate your extraordinary Colombian adventure with a farewell dinner. Sofitel Legend Santa Clara Cartagena | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Depart Cartagena

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Four Seasons Hotel Casa Medina Bogotá Historic luxury hotel in the upscale Barrio Rosales neighborhood.





Medellin Marriott Hotel Contemporary luxury hotel situated in the heart of the fashion district.

Sofitel Legend Santa Clara Cartagena — Luxury hotel in a former convent, in the city center.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
May 20-28, Aug 5-13, Sep 16-24, Oct 21-29	\$9,795	\$3,595

Internal Air: Economy class from \$415 Bogotá/Medellín/Cartagena

Journey Details

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Argentina, Chile & Brazil

12 days from \$42,995 | Limited to 11 guests

Discover three vibrant nations, experiencing their people, cultures and culinary treasures firsthand, including fine wines, on an active, immersive journey that explores Mendoza's winelands, Patagonia's epic landscapes and stunning Iguazu Falls, all made possible by private chartered flights that dissolve the distances between destinations.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Travel between destinations in style on private flights chartered by A&K
- Share a meal with a celebrated winemaker and set out on a full-day winery experience in Mendoza featuring a variety of tastings and lunch with wine pairings
- Choose your own way to explore the rugged, untouched wilderness of Patagonia, including iconic Torres del Paine National Park, with A&K's Design Your Day feature
- Pursue exhilarating activities in scenic surroundings, including horseback riding, hiking, biking and kayaking
- Experience life at an estancia (ranch) outside of Buenos Aires and savor a traditional asado (barbecue) lunch
- Behold magnificent Iguazu Falls' thundering cascades firsthand, from both the Argentinian and Brazilian sides, and from above on an exciting helicopter flight

DAY 1: Arrive Buenos Aires, Argentina

Arrive in Buenos Aires, where you are met and transferred to your hotel, enjoying guaranteed early check-in. Early this afternoon, explore Recoleta, one of the most fascinating barrios of Buenos Aires. Later, gather for a cocktail reception and festive welcome dinner.

Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires | Meals: D

DAY 2: Buenos Aires | Barrios & Tango Culture

View some of the city's modern street art in La Boca and Barracas, which are steeped in art and history, and home to some of the most spectacular murals in the city. This



experience provides an in-depth look at the effect of politics, economics and social change on Buenos Aires street art and activism to foster a greater understanding of how the city's history has influenced public expression. Experience a private tango demonstration and receive a lesson from performers at the famed Rojo Tango cabaret. Later, delight in dinner and a tango show at this intimate venue. Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: **Buenos Aires** | Polo and Estancia Traditions Journey into the countryside to an estancia (ranch) for a polo lesson and to try your hand at swinging a mallet, or opt for a carriage or bicycle ride through the surrounding landscapes instead. For lunch, savor asado (barbecue), a favorite of porteños (Buenos Aires locals). Afterward, return to your hotel. Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Patagonia, Chile | A Scenic Treasure

This morning, fly south by private charter to Puerto Natales in windswept Chilean Patagonia, arriving in time for lunch at your luxury hotel. This afternoon, take advantage of the wide range of activities and expeditions available in varying grades of difficulty and duration. Tonight, dine at your hotel. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Puerto Natales** | Torres del Paine National Park Explore the magnificent wilderness of Torres del Paine National Park — a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve renowned for its otherworldly landscape of granite spires and deserted pampas. See firsthand the serrated Torres del Paine mountains and scan their peaks, where you might pick out a soaring Andean condor riding an updraft. After dinner,

PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED

Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft

Legacy 600 or comparable Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Buenos Aires-Puerto Natales (3 hrs 15 min) Puerto Natales-Mendoza (3 hrs) Mendoza-Iguazu Falls (2 hrs 15 min) Iguazu Falls-São Paulo (1 hr 50 min)



Roam through ruggedly beautiful Torres del Paine National Park

simply relax or marvel at the Patagonian night sky, awash with starlight. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: **Puerto Natales** | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Cruise the Patagonian Fjords to Two Glaciers, witnessing their majesty and power up close.
- Ride Like a Local on Horseback at Puerto Consuelo, the first ranch in the region, and roam through the surrounding landscapes.

Trek to Condor Lookout on Mount Benitez, viewing rock paintings en route, and watching condors in flight.

Additional activity options are also available. Tonight, gather for another dinner accompanied by superb Chilean wines. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Mendoza, Argentina** | Foothills of the Andes Fly by private charter to Mendoza, Argentina's famous wine region and enjoy lunch with a celebrated winemaker at one of the most recognized wineries, where viticulture and

Thrill to an exhilarating tango performance at famed Rojo Tango cabaret in Buenos Aires View magnificent Iguazu Falls up close, taking it in from both the Argentine and Brazilian sides



Mendoza: Argentina's Enchanting Winelands

From the mystique of its Malbec wines to the majesty of its high-desert expanses at the foot of the Andes Mountains, the Mendoza region is a dream destination. The city of Mendoza, with its wide, tree-lined boulevards, charming plazas and friendly, relaxed atmosphere, is backdropped by picturesque mountains, where stimulating outdoor adventures await, including biking, hiking and horseback riding.

Mendoza is renowned as the largest wine-growing region in Latin America. Blessed with warm, sunny days — more than 300 of them a year on average and cool, grape-nurturing nights, the terroir here is unique, yielding vintages that appeal to diverse and discerning palates.

The region's signature Malbec grape, which originated in the damp of France, thrives in Mendoza's arid surroundings. Its bold taste and outstanding value have helped make it a worldwide favorite, along with other superb wines produced locally. Mendoza is also noted for its olives and the fine oil derived from them.

Wings Over Chile, Argentina & Brazil includes an exceptional three-night sojourn in Mendoza that offers you the opportunity to experience the wines, culture and landscapes of this starkly beautiful land alongside the finest local experts.



literature combine in an unforgettable dining experience. Then, transfer to your hotel, set in a 55-acre vineyard. Enjoy dinner at your hotel. Cavas Wine Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Mendoza | Winery Visits with Tastings

Set out on a full-day winery experience that includes visits and tastings at three wineries, enjoying lunch with paired wines at one of them. Tonight, dine at a restaurant owned by one of Argentina's top chefs.

Cavas Wine Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Mendoza | Learning the Secrets of a Local Chef Today is yours to pursue activities as you desire. Perhaps horseback ride through the local vineyards, mountain bike or do a bit of hiking. A cooking lesson this evening is led by a chef who introduces you to the secrets of Argentinian cuisine. Savor the repast you have created as you relax beside a fire amid the vineyards enjoying a Scenic Sundowner. Cavas Wine Lodge | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Iguazu, Brazil | Splendors of the Falls

Fly northeast to Iguazu, landing on the Argentine side of Iguazu Falls. Bordering Brazil and Argentina, the falls are located in lush Iguazu National Park — a vast forest that is home to rare bird species, such as macaw, toucan and parrot, as well as monkey, crocodile, armadillo and the ever elusive jaguar. Explore the Argentine side of the falls, starting with a train ride. Disembark to trek along pathways to the top of the waterfalls to take in spectacular views and bask in a natural setting filled with orchids, colorful birds and endemic wildlife. Proceed to a suspended platform at the brink of Devil's Throat, the largest cascade in Iguazu National Park, to experience the immense power of the water up close. After the visit, cross the border on your way to your hotel on the Brazilian side. Later, if the sky is clear, enjoy the unique opportunity to explore the falls by moonlight. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Iguazu | Up Close with Natural Wonders Today, experience Iguazu Falls from the Brazilian side. Thanks to exclusive park access, enter before regular operating hours, descending on a canyon trail for panoramic views of more than 240 cascades. Then, board a glass elevator to a platform for a new perspective. Later, a private boat takes you right up to the bottom of the falls to feel the true force of this natural wonder. This evening, savor a memorable Chef's Table experience in the care of a celebrated local chef who takes you on a culinary journey through Brazilian culture.

Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B L D

DAY 12: Depart São Paulo

After a leisurely morning and lunch at the hotel, view the falls by helicopter before flying by private charter to

São Paulo, Brazil, where you connect with your international flight home. Meals: B L

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The Singular Patagonia

Travel + Leisure World's Best hotel overlooking the Patagonian fjords, offering its guests boutique luxury and spectacular views.



Cavas Wine Lodge

Travel + Leisure World's Best hotel with a superb wine cellar, set just south of Mendoza on a 55-acre vineyard at the foot of the Andes Mountains.





Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Celebrated luxury hotel set in the exclusive Recoleta neighborhood.

Hotel, Iguassu Falls — Classic luxury hotel overlooking Iguazu Falls.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 15-26, Feb 14-25, Oct 9-20, Nov 5-16	\$42,995	\$7,495

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements Minimum age is 10 years.

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Brazil: Natural & Cultural Gems

11 days from \$11,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Experience the amazing natural wonders and vibrant cultural splendors of Brazil – from the colorful street art of São Paolo and Rio de Janeiro to the unrivaled spectacle of Iguazu Falls and the musical and culinary traditions of Salvador de Bahia – on an immersive luxury adventure that reveals a nation's finest gems.

🗸 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Discover a vital aspect of São Paulo's diverse art scene, when you view its richly inventive street graffiti
- While in Salvador, learn about the roots of Brazilian culture as you walk the colonial streets of the Pelourinho, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Visit a local market with a chef before preparing traditional dishes together for lunch, during your time in Salvador
- Witness the power of Iguazu Falls from both sides (Argentina and Brazil), and from different points of view – top, bottom and overhead – for an unforgettable experience
- Travel through Brazil's culinary history on a six-course chef-led experience paired with South American wines
- Enjoy an insider visit at HStern, Latin America's leading luxury jewelry company, for an exclusive private gem viewing
- Experience downtown Rio de Janeiro as the locals do and go backstage to view preparations for Carnival
- Fly by helicopter over Rio de Janeiro, lifting off from Sugar Loaf and taking in a wide range of iconic local sights

DAY 1: Arrive São Paulo, Brazil

Arrive in São Paulo, where you are met and privately transferred to your luxurious accommodations. After an early check-in arranged by A&K, enjoy a welcome dinner at the hotel. Rosewood São Paulo | Meals: D

DAY 2: **São Paulo & Salvador** | Graffiti Art & Bahian Culture Visit a fantastic and colorful graffiti alley to behold some of the wildly expressive wall murals created by local street



artists and admire the architecture of the buildings lining São Paulo's streets, reflective of decades of changing design trends. Afterward, fly to the state of Bahia, in the northeast of Brazil, to visit its cultural capital, Salvador de Bahia. The first capital of Brazil and once a hub for the slave trade, this port city is now a thriving center of Afro-Brazilian culture and traditions that influence its music, dance, cuisine and religious celebrations. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel, set in a historic building that boasts fascinating Art Deco design elements. Toast your arrival with a drink on the hotel roof, sitting beside the rooftop pool and taking in the magnificent view of All Saints Bay. Tonight, gather for dinner at the hotel's restaurant. Hotel Fasano Salvador | Meals: B D

DAY 3: **Salvador** | Historic City Walk & Percussion Workshop Discover the essence of Salvador on a guided walk of the Pelourinho, the city's historical city center and a UNESCO Cultural Heritage Site. Here visit Brazilian Baroque churches and century-old manors, stopping at one for lunch accompanied by cachaça, a clear, fruity liquor made from sugar cane that is one of Brazil's most popular drinks. Then, under the expert guidance of a local professional percussionist, try the various instruments that form Bahia's percussive tradition, such as the surdo, the caixa, the agogo, and the berimbau, a single-stringed instrument integral to the Afro-Brazilian martial art of capoeira. This evening, immerse yourself in the African traditions that underpin Bahian culture in a show of African ballet at Miguel Santana Theatre. Hotel Fasano Salvador | Meals: B L

DAY 4: **Salvador** | Cooking Demonstration & Foodie Outing Begin the day at a bustling fair market, joined by a local



chef, to discover the origins of local flavors, smells and tastes before making your way to your chef's private home for a hands-on cooking demonstration of some traditional Bahian dishes. In the evening, visit the Rio Vermelho district, an informal, bohemian quarter where the locals go to meet their friends to drink cold beer or their favorite cachaça, snacking on a variety of tasty petiscos (Brazil's answer to tapas) and listening to live music. Hotel Fasano Salvador | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Iguazu Falls | Brazil's Spectacular Natural Wonder Head south to experience the majestic beauty and power of Iguazu Falls. Arrive at Iguazu Falls Airport and transfer to

the only hotel located within Brazil's Iguazu National Park, just a short stroll from the sensational waterfalls. Tonight, enjoy dinner at your hotel's restaurant. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B D

DAY 6: Iguazu Falls | Both Sides, From Top to Bottom Cross the Tancredo Neves Bridge into Argentina en route to Argentina Iguazu National Park. Upon arrival, board a small train for a ride through the park, making two stops: one to the upper circuit and another to the lower circuit. Take in views of spectacular Iguazu Falls, surrounding by lush





natural foliage. Next, step out onto a suspended platform at the edge of the Devil's Throat, the largest cascade in the park, for an up-close experience that caps off your visit here. Enjoy lunch at the Meliá Iguazu Hotel's restaurant, which offers you another amazing view of the falls. Continue to the Brazilian side and embark by Zodiac, a heavy-duty rubber power boat, for an adventurous ride to the foot of the falls. Feel their power as you bask in the mist they cast up around you. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Iguazu Falls | Design Your Day

Wake up early and gain exclusive park access, entering before regular operating hours and descending on a canyon trail for panoramic views of the more than 240 cascades. Then, board a glass elevator to a platform for yet another perspective on the park, the most significant remaining rainforest in the southern cone of South America, which, along with the waterfalls, has been declared a National Heritage Site by UNESCO. This afternoon, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Go Backstage at Bird's Park, accessing restricted areas for privileged contact with selected birds, including feeding of toucans, at this internationally recognized rescue center.
- Fly over Iguazu Falls in a Helicopter and witness one of the most dramatic and picture-perfect waterfalls in the world.
- ▶ Indulge in a Signature Massage at Belmond Spa to relax.

Tonight, gather for a unique and unforgettable Chef's Table experience at Casa du Chef, where, over six amazing courses paired with wine from exquisite South American wineries, you discover how the combined heritage of indigenous peoples, Africans and Europeans have forged Brazil's unique flavors over the past 500 years. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B D

DAY 8: **Rio de Janeiro** | Welcome to the Marvelous City Fly to Rio de Janeiro, which its inhabitants — the Cariocas — call the Cidade Maravilhosa (Marvelous City), and check in to your glamorous hotel, set on the golden sands of the famous Copacabana Beach. This evening, enjoy dinner at your hotel.

Copacabana Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Rio de Janeiro | Meals: B D

DAY 9: **Rio de Janeiro** | Sugar Loaf & Rio by Helicopter Start with a morning at leisure, and then depart for lunch at Assador, a restaurant that takes barbecue to succulent new heights, to savor a true Brazilian taste sensation. Afterward, ascend iconic Sugar Loaf mountain to take in panoramic views of the city and Guanabara Bay. Lift off from the summit for a scenic helicopter flight, admiring Rio's landmarks, including the soaring Christ the Redeemer statue, one of the Seven Wonders of the Modern World. Land back on Sugar Loaf for a refreshing Scenic Sundowner before returning to your hotel for an evening at leisure. **Copacabana Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Rio de Janeiro** | **Meals: B L**

DAY 10: **Rio de Janeiro** | Carnival Backstage & Rare Jewelry Explore downtown Rio de Janeiro on a guided walk of the historic city center, viewing sites central to local culture. Ride Like a Local along the way, hopping on and off the Rio VLT electric train, which also carries you to the revitalized port area to view the massive Cobra murals, each a dazzling example of Brazilian graffiti art. Then, get a taste of the city's Carnival culture, enjoying insider access that takes you



backstage to see the construction process of costumes and floats. Take some time at leisure in the Ipanema district for lunch, and then enjoy a scintillating visit to HStern, Latin America's leading luxury jewelry company. See an impressive exhibit of precious stones and learn how they become finished gems. Go inside the master safe for an exclusive viewing of HStern's most precious jewels. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner at a Michelin-awarded restaurant, and then get a taste of the samba nightlife at a live music venue located in Lapa, the bohemian neighborhood of the city. Dare a few samba moves or just marvel at the local Cariocas on the dance floor as your amazing journey through Brazil draws to a close.

Copacabana Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Rio de Janeiro | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Rio de Janeiro

After breakfast, enjoy the option to take advantage of late checkout before transferring to Rio's international airport and boarding your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Rosewood Sao Paulo Luxury hotel set in a historical building, surrounded by gardens.



Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls - Classic luxury hotel overlooking Iguazu Falls. luxury hotel on Copacabana Beach.



Hotel Fasano Salvador Contemporary luxury hotel overlooking the Bay of All Saints.



Copacabana Palace, A Belmond Hotel, Rio de Janeiro - Grand

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Apr 8-18, May 6-16, Jun 17-27, Aug 26-Sep 5, Sep 23-Oct 3, Nov 4-14	\$11,995	\$4,595

Internal Air: Economy class from \$875 São Paolo/Salvador/Iguazu/Rio de Janeiro

Journey Details

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MARCO POLO JOURNEYS Brazil: Wildlife of the Amazon, Pantanal & Iguazu Falls

11 days from \$10,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Explore Brazil's iconic rivers, wetlands and waterfalls as you immerse yourself in a world of stunning natural wonders, majestic jaguar and other exotic species.

JA&K ADVANTAGES

- Venture into the wild Pantanal, a vast wetland teeming with tapir, giant river otter, anteater, caiman and jaguar
- Join Onçafari's Jaguar Conservation Team for a thrilling day and night of tracking this elusive predator in the field
- Glide along a major black-water tributary of the Amazon as you track pink river dolphin and other animals by canoe
- Embark on an exciting nighttime safari in the Amazon, glimpsing a wild nocturnal world of predator and prey
- ► Feel the mist of Iguazu Falls, taking in its cascades from both the Brazilian and Argentinian sides

DAY 1: Arrive Manaus, Brazil

Upon arrival, you are met and transferred to your hotel. Hotel Villa Amazonia

DAY 2: Brazilian Amazon | Into the Wild

Begin your wild adventure in the Anavilhanas Archipelago of the Brazilian Amazon, a refuge of diverse species such as river otter, giant armadillo, piranha, manatee, black caiman, pink river dolphin and spider monkey. After lunch at your secluded lodge, hike out to explore the mainland forest and learn the secrets of jungle survival. Return to the lodge as you Ride Like a Local by canoe, taking in a revealing new vantage of the river. Anavilhanas Jungle Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Brazilian Amazon | Nocturnal Safari

This morning, explore the river by wooden canoe, keeping your eyes peeled for pink river dolphin and other exotic denizens. After lunch at the lodge, set out for some hands-on target practice with traditional hunting implements. Return to the lodge for dinner. After nightfall,



venture into the wilderness in search of nocturnal species. Anavilhanas Jungle Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: **Brazilian Amazon** | Fascinating River Safari Today, set out on a riverine safari of Rio Negro, an Amazon tributary, encountering new species as they hunt along the riverbanks. Anavilhanas Jungle Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: **Campo Grande** | Gateway to the Pantanal Rise before the sun and head to the islands to watch a rainbow of colorful, exotic birds dart against the lush canopy and dawn-painted Amazon sky. After breakfast at the lodge, transfer to the airport for your flight to Campo Grande. Upon arrival, you are met and transferred to your hotel. **Hotel Deville Prime Campo Grande** | Meals: B L

DAY 6: The Pantanal | Vast Wetland Habitat

This morning, resume your wild adventure as you transfer to your lodge secluded in the heart of the Pantanal, a vast wetland harboring giant river otter, caiman, capybara and the elusive jaguar. Close your day with a Scenic Sundowner before dinner. Caiman Ecological Refuge | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: The Pantanal | Wild Encounters

Set out on a guided exploration of the Pantanal on foot, scanning the canopy life. Later, delve deeper into the wilderness on a 4x4 game drive and a riverine sunset safari by canoe. After nightfall, search for nocturnal species: ocelot, anteater and jaguar. Caiman Ecological Refuge | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **The Pantanal** | Tracking Jaguar With the Experts Join Onçafari's Jaguar Conservation Team for a once-in-alifetime opportunity to monitor this critical species in the





Track jaguar in the Pantanal alongside local conservationists

field. Learn the team's tricks of the trade as you home in on jaguar, checking camera traps and searching for tracks. After nightfall, find a prime location to lie in wait as the nocturnal wetlands come alive and these elusive predators begin to stalk the Pantanal. Caiman Ecological Refuge | Meals: B L D



Take in the mist-soaked majesty of Iguazu Falls' roaring cascades, viewing the falls from both the Brazilian and Argentinian sides.

DAY 9: Iguazu Falls | Nature's Majesty

Fly to Iguazu Falls and transfer to your hotel, just a short walk from the cascades. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Iguazu Falls | The Devil's Gorge

Today, discover the Argentine side of the falls by train, taking in spectacular views of the falls as well as the tropical flora and fauna. In the afternoon, proceed to a catwalk above the lush basin called the Devil's Gorge. For dinner this evening, head to a local home for a regionally inspired Chef's Table experience. Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Depart Iguazu Falls

After breakfast, explore the Brazilian side of the falls, venturing out on a catwalk for a parting glimpse of the rumbling cataracts. Transfer to the airport for your flight home. Meals: B

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



Anavilhanas Jungle Lodge

Secluded along a vast, pristine stretch of the Rio Negro, this boutique lodge brings refined comfort to the wilds of the Anavilhanas Archipelago.





Hotel Villa Amazonia Boutique hotel occupying a mansion dating back to Manaus's rubber boom.

Hotel Deville Prime Campo Grande Centrally located contemporary gem.



Caiman Ecological Refuge Boutique eco-lodge nestled in the heart of Brazil's Pantanal wetlands.



Hotel das Cataratas, A Belmond Hotel, Iguassu Falls Luxury hotel overlooking Iguazu Falls.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
May 18-28	\$10,495	\$4,395
Aug 10–20, Sep 21–Oct 1, Oct 26–Nov 5	\$10,995	\$4,595
Aug 10-20, Sep 21-Oct 1, Oct 26-Nov 5	\$10,995	\$4,5

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,145 Manaus/Campo Grande/Iguazu Falls

Journey Details

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LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Patagonia: The Last Wilderness

10 days from \$11,495 | Limited to 18 guests

Easter Island

5-day Post-Tour Extension from \$4,595

Marvel at the stunning spectacle of the pristine Patagonian wilderness as you stroll among Magellanic penguins, explore rugged Torres del Paine National Park and view the astonishing Perito Moreno Glacier on an exhilarating adventure at the ends of the earth.



A&K ADVANTAGES

- Sail on an exclusively chartered boat through the Beagle Channel and stand amid a lively colony of Magellanic penguins on a rarely visited island, while staying in Ushuaia, the southernmost city in the world
- Visit a working Patagonian ranch, observing authentic skills such as herding and shearing, and enjoy hiking and horseback riding through magnificent vistas
- Explore the unspoiled Patagonian forest on a guided hike, sail Argentino Lake and view the Perito Moreno Glacier from a choice of picturesque vantage points
- Roam through iconic Torres del Paine National Park to experience the otherworldly beauty of its jagged peaks, pristine forests and turquoise lakes
- Explore wild Patagonia by horseback, on foot or by boat, as you tailor your stay at The Singular Patagonia

DAY 1: Arrive Buenos Aires, Argentina

Arrive in Buenos Aires, Argentina's vibrant capital, and transfer to your hotel. Relax or explore the neighborhood on your own before gathering for a welcome dinner served family style. Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires | Meals: D

DAY 2: Buenos Aires | Colonial Capital

Explore Buenos Aires in the company of your expert Resident Tour Director. Visit the Plaza de Mayo, pass through the San Telmo neighborhood, continue to La Boca and walk along Caminito Street. After a light lunch, fly south to Ushuaia, set in magnificent Tierra del Fuego at the remote tip of South America. Tonight, enjoy dinner at the hotel, with a view of the city and Beagle Channel. Arakur Ushuaia | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Ushuaia | Walking Among Magellanic Penguins Drive to Estancia Harberton, the oldest estancia (farm) in Tierra del Fuego and an Argentine National Historical Monument. Embark on a private cruise to Martillo Island to walk among a teeming rookery of Magellanic penguins before continuing to Gable Island, in the middle of the Beagle Channel, for lunch. Relax and embrace the solitude of its remote, primal landscape, where wind, waves and birds make the only sounds. Later, cruise back to the estancia and return to your hotel for dinner. Arakur Ushuaia | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: El Calafate | Gateway to the Glaciers

Fly to El Calafate to experience Patagonian rural life in this rustic town with well-kept gardens and pretty homes. Later this afternoon, experience over 100 years of history during a visit to an authentic ranch. Watch sheep shearing and herding, and hike or Ride Like a Local on horseback along the pristine banks of Argentino Lake. Admire the stunning Patagonian landscapes during a relaxing Scenic Sundowner; dine tonight on lamb grilled the traditional Patagonian way. Hotel Posada Los Alamos | Meals: B D

DAY 5: El Calafate | An Astonishing, lcy Spectacle Start the day cruising to Argentino Lake's Seno Mayo, stopping along the way for an interpretive walk in the Andean Patagonian forest and getting up close to limestone rock formations and majestic landscapes. Continue to Perito Moreno Glacier, one of the few remaining advancing glaciers in the world. Hike at your own pace and ability along the



seven walkways located at different heights and distances from the glacier, taking in magnificent views of the glacier's northern and southern faces. Return to your hotel and enjoy an evening at leisure. **Hotel Posada Los Alamos** | **Meals: B L**

DAY 6: **Puerto Natales, Chile** | Trekking, Hiking & Biking Journey to Puerto Natales, where, after a late lunch, you enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure. Opened in 1940 and honored as a National Heritage site, the Singular Patagonia was once a cold-storage plant. Today it features an industrial museum on site and offers a wide range of expeditions and activities, such as horseback riding, trekking and mountain biking. Choose your preferred mode of exploration and experience this incredible location on your own terms. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: **Puerto Natales** | Torres Del Paine National Park Today, discover the magnificent wilderness of Torres del Paine National Park, again selecting from available activities — with opportunities to explore fjords, mountains, glaciers, forests and ranches — all with varying grades of difficulty and duration. This park was created by tectonic movements;





its rugged landscapes were sculpted during the ice ages, and the motion of glaciers has continued to reshape them. A UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, the park is renowned for its otherworldly landscape of granite spires, ice and deserted pampas. See firsthand the serrated ridges and spires of the Torres del Paine mountains. Watch closely as you scan the peaks and you might pick out a soaring Andean condor riding an updraft. Later, unwind in your room or marvel at the Patagonian night sky, awash with countless pinpoints of starlight. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: **Puerto Natales** | Design Your Day Today, enjoy one of these **Design Your Day** activities.

- Cruise the Patagonian Fjords to Two Glaciers (weather permitting), witnessing their majesty and power up close.
- Ride Horseback at Puerto Consuelo, the first ranch in the region, and roam through the surrounding landscapes.
- Trek to Condor Lookout on Mount Benitez, viewing rock paintings en route and watching condors in flight.

Additional activity options are also available. Tonight, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for a private, interactive Chef's Table experience, assisting a chef as he prepares barbecue and explains his distinctive preparation for this traditional meal, savoring the result for dinner. The Singular Patagonia | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: **Santiago** | Chile's Cosmopolitan Capital After a leisurely morning, fly to Chile's capital, Santiago, a vibrant city set against the backdrop of the Andes that sits some 2,000 feet above sea level in Chile's Central Valley and is surrounded by a ring of spectacular mountain peaks. Your hotel is strategically located in Santiago's most prestigious and refined neighborhood, El Golf. The Ritz-Carlton, Santiago | Meals: B D

"This was truly the journey of a lifetime and I am so happy I could share it with my family. Everything was so well prepared and our guide was wonderful."

– Laura; Cleveland, TN

DAY 10: Depart Santiago

Explore Santiago during a morning tour of city highlights, including the Palacio de La Moneda (presidential palace) and the Plaza de Armas, with its impressive Metropolitan Cathedral and Central Post Office. Ride by cable car up San Cristóbal Hill to behold the stunning statue of the Virgin Mary and take in expansive views of Santiago. Relax this afternoon, with late access to your room, before transferring to the airport for your departing flight. The Ritz-Carlton, Santiago | Meals: B

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EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY



Easter Island Post-Tour Group Extension 5 days from \$4,595 | Internal air from \$1,695 Available on select departures.

Fly from Santiago to remote Easter Island to discover its well-preserved culture and gain a better understanding of the purpose of its enigmatic moai statues. View Rano Raraku volcano and the "Birdman Ceremony" site before returning to Santiago and exploring the city's highlights.

INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



The Singular Patagonia

Contemporary luxury hotel overlooking the Patagonian fjords, with spectacular views of Puerto Natales and the Antonio Varas Peninsula.



Four Seasons Hotel Buenos AiresArakur UshuaiaCelebrated hotel set in the historicSurrounded by anRecoleta district.built to blend in w

Arakur Ushuaia Surrounded by ancient woodlands, built to blend in with the landscape.



Hotel Posada Los Alamos Ideally set in the heart of El Calafate, near Lake Argentino.



The Ritz-Carlton, Santiago Luxurious, relaxing lodgings in Santiago's best neighborhood.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jan 12-21, Jan 19-28, Jan 26-Feb 4, Feb 2-11, Feb 9-18, Feb 16-25, Mar 1-10, Mar 8-17, Mar 15-24, Mar 22-31, Oct 18-27, Oct 25-Nov 3, Nov 1-10, Nov 8-17, Nov 15-24, Dec 6-15, Dec 13-22	\$11,495	\$2,795

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,245

Buenos Aires/Ushuaia/El Calafate; Punta Arenas/Santiago

Journey Details

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WINGS OVER THE WORLD JOURNEYS

Wings Over Mexico 11 days from \$34,495 | Limited to 11 guests

Immerse yourself in Mexico's diverse culture and discover its rich history on a journey that takes you from bustling Mexico City to the verdant rural landscapes of Oaxaca, where indigenous roots are still strong, and to the imposing Mayan ruins of Palenque and Chichen Itza, exploring sites that range widely throughout Mexico, all made easily accessible by privately chartered air.

🖌 A&K ADVANTAGES

- Fly in comfort between destinations across Mexico aboard an exclusively chartered aircraft with a dedicated flight crew
- Glide over Teotihuacán on an early morning hot air balloon flight, taking in views of one of the world's largest pyramids
- Learn the secrets of Oaxacan cuisine during a cooking demonstration by a top local chef
- Walk through highland forests among millions of monarch butterflies that migrate here from the US and Canada
- Enjoy an exclusive after-hours visit and dinner at the Frida Kahlo House & Museum
- Marvel at Chichen Itza and lesser-known Palenque, two of the best-preserved Mayan sites

DAY 1: Arrive Mexico City, Mexico

Arrive in Mexico City, where you are met and transferred to your luxurious hotel, with the rest of your day at leisure. Four Seasons Hotel Mexico City

DAY 2: Mexico City | Tranquil Floating Gardens Begin your explorations with a visit to the UNESCO-listed floating gardens of Xochimilco, which offer a glimpse into what the landscape was like here before the Spanish conquest. Ride Like a Local as you board a colorful trajinera (gondola-like boat) for a graceful ride through its canals and view the gardens, or chinampas — floating rafts made of reeds covered with mud that eventually took root in the



canal bed — on which locals have grown fruits, vegetables and flowers for generations. Glide along in a festive atmosphere serenaded by mariachi and marimba music, enjoying a relaxing experience beloved by Mexico City residents. After lunch and some time to relax, make your way to the Frida Kahlo House & Museum, the former residence of the famed artist and cultural icon, for an exclusive afterhours private visit and dinner. Toast your experience with a refreshing Scenic Sundowner.

Four Seasons Hotel Mexico City | Meals: B L D

DAY 3: Mexico City | Sunrise Ballooning over Teotihuacán Rise early to lift off on a hot air balloon flight over Teotihuacán, gliding over this UNESCO World Heritage Site to marvel at its stunning pyramids and temple. Built by an indigenous pre-Aztec civilization of which relatively little is known, the city flourished between the first and sixth centuries. Touch down for a private breakfast served on the grounds of a little hacienda. Enjoy time to explore the archaeological wonders of Teotihuacán before discovering the center of modern-day Mexico City, starting in the capital's main square, once an important gathering place for the Aztecs. Then, make a guided visit to the Metropolitan Cathedral, the largest cathedral in the Americas. Savor a lunch of traditional dishes with a contemporary touch, complete with a tequila tasting, and then join your expert guide for an off-hours exploration of the National Museum of Anthropology, a showcase of fascinating artifacts from cultures that once thrived in Mesoamerica. Tonight, head to the trendy Polanco neighborhood to enjoy dinner at one of the most innovative restaurants of Mexico City. Four Seasons Hotel Mexico City | Meals: B L D



PRIVATE CHARTER AIR INCLUDED Fly directly between key destinations on flights exclusive to A&K.

Aircraft Hawker 800 or Legacy 600 Aircraft and seating configuration subject to change.

Flight Details

Toluca-Oaxaca (1 hr) Oaxaca-Palenque (45 min) Palenque-Merida (45 min)



DAY 4: **Piedra Herrada Sanctuary** | Among the Monarchs Head outside the city to visit the Piedra Herrada Sanctuary, a reserve for monarch butterflies. Meet a biologist and expert guide who share their knowledge about these winged wonders, which face steep ecological challenges throughout their migratory existence. Afterward, ride by horseback, and then briefly hike, for a closer look at the monarchs. Stop for lunch before flying by private charter to Oaxaca. Upon arrival, you are met and transferred to your hotel located near Oaxaca's city center. Quinta Real Oaxaca | Meals: B L D DAY 5: Oaxaca | Family Mezcal Distillery Visit Step back in time today on a visit to the remote village of San Agustin Amatengo, where you interact with local mezcal producers and their families, learning how they make the popular spirit. This afternoon, return to Oaxaca for time at leisure. Quinta Real Oaxaca | Meals: B L

DAY 6 **Oaxaca** | Learn the Secrets of Oaxacan Cuisine Explore the city center on a guided walk of this amazing community. Visit the church and former monastery of Santo Domingo de Guzmán, which hosts the treasures of the





The Living Legacy of Mexico's Magnificent Ruins

If you've never ventured beyond the well-worn tourist destinations of Mexico's coastal areas, you haven't fully experienced this storied country's indigenous history. Mighty civilizations like the Maya, Aztecs and Zapotecs left their marks much farther inland, in places both familiar and remote, from Mexico City to the jungles of the Yucatán Peninsula.

Wings Over Mexico puts it all within reach on a single, expert-planned itinerary by employing timesaving privately chartered fights between far-flung destinations. Visit a square in Mexico City that was a meeting place for Aztecs hundreds of years ago. View archaeological treasures of the Zapotecs at the Church of Santo Domingo de Guzmán in Oaxaca. Stand before towering El Castillo in Chichen Itza to appreciate the sophistication of its Mayan architects.

As you go, interact with descendants of these bygone peoples, some of whom still carry on the traditions common to the mighty civilizations that helped forge Mexico's character. Discover for yourself how their legacies still shape everyday life here in subtle yet authentic ways, whether you're savoring traditional Oaxacan cuisine or sampling mezcal at a family run distillery, on this incomparable adventure through the heart of modern-day Mexico.



Zapotecs found in Monte Albán. View an amazing trove that includes golden masks inlaid with precious stones, necklaces and other personal artifacts of Zapotec rulers dating as far back as 500 BC. Join a renown local chef for a Chef's Table experience, followed by lunch. Later, set out for a privileged off-hours visit to Monte Alban, one of the most spectacular archaeological sites of the Pre-Hispanic era, exploring alongside an expert guide. This evening, return to the city center for a dinner of local Oaxacan specialties. Quinta Real Oaxaca | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Palenque | Private Flight to Archaeological Site Board a privately chartered flight to Chiapas to visit Palenque, a stunning yet hard-to-reach Mayan archaeological site. In the company of an archaeologist, explore this impressive remnant of the vast Mayan civilization, which flourished here during the sixth and seventh centuries, including the tomb of the site's longtime ruler, Pakal the Great. After lunch, fly on to Mérida in the heart of the Yucatán Peninsula, and continue to your resort in the jungle just outside the city. Chablé Yucatán | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Mérida | Design Your Day

This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day experiences.

- Visit the Celestún Biosphere Reserve along the Yucatán coast, a mangrove environment seasonally home to migrating flamingos in the winter months.
- Gain a Deeper Knowledge of the Mayan World by visiting the lesser-known UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Uxmal and Kabah.
- Indulge in a Spa Treatment, which is just part of the soothing wellness offerings available at your resort.

Afterward, return to your hotel for some time at leisure. Chablé Yucatán | Meals: B

DAY 9: Mérida | A Day at Leisure

Enjoy a relaxing day at your hotel. Later, gather for a guided city tour in the cooler air of the evening, followed by dinner in Merida's city center. Chablé Yucatán | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Mérida | Awe-Inspiring Chichen Itza

Today, set out on an expedition to famed Chichen Itza, a complex of Mayan ruins best known for its iconic step pyramid, El Castillo (the castle). Visit the site early in the day, before the crowds arrive, giving you more time to observe the magnificent buildings and immerse yourself in Mayan culture. Afterward, drive to a private cenote (limestone sinkhole) for a swim in its clear, refreshing waters, followed by lunch served on site. This evening, toast your journey with fellow guests at a farewell dinner. Chablé Yucatán | Meals: B L D

DAY 11: Depart Mérida After breakfast, transfer to the Mérida Airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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Four Seasons Hotel Mexico City Contemporary luxury hotel fronting the Paseo de la Reforma.





Quinta Real Oaxaca 16th-century convent.

Chablé Yucatán Deluxe boutique hotel set in a former Condé Nast Traveler Gold List hotel situated amid a private forest.

DATES & PRICING

Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jan 11-21, Feb 1-11, Feb 15-25	\$34,495	\$6,395

Journey Details

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LUXURY FAMILY JOURNEYS

Family Alaska

8 days from \$8,295 | Limited to 24 guests

Privately cruise majestic Prince William Sound, search for bears and other wildlife, and fly over Denali National Park, landing on a glacier at the foot of North America's tallest peak.

JA&K ADVANTAGES

- Embark on a breathtaking float trip down the Portage River, where you may spot wildlife against the mountains and hanging glaciers
- Marvel at calving glaciers and marine wildlife on a private cruise of Prince William Sound
- Ride in a Deluxe Dome Rail Car to Denali National Park, taking in scenic views of the Alaska Range
- Search for wildlife on a floatplane wilderness trip
- Fly over the peaks and glaciers of Denali National Park, and land for a walk on the surface of a glacier amid snowy vistas
- Learn about Alaskan huskies and dogsledding on a visit to the dog kennels of Iditarod racer Dallas Seavey

DAY 1: Arrive Anchorage, Alaska

Arrive in Anchorage, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, gather for a festive welcome dinner. Hotel Captain Cook | Meals: D

DAY 2: Kenai Peninsula | Scenic Float Trip

This morning, set out to experience Alaska's jaw-dropping landscapes on a family float trip down the Portage River. Savor Alaska's prized fish during a lunchtime salmon bake. Later, enjoy a behind-the-scenes visit at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, a nonprofit organization that rehabilitates injured or orphaned animals and returns them to the wild. During your visit, keep on the lookout for black and brown bear, moose, bison, wolf, a variety of birds and other species. Dinner this evening is at your leisure, perhaps to enjoy one of the fine local restaurants. The Hotel Alyeska | Meals: B L

DAY 3: Kenai Peninsula | Private Fjords & Wildlife Cruise Cruise by private boat in the majestic glacier and marine wildlife country of Prince William Sound. Spy calving glaciers as well as species such as whale and sea lion at close



range, even as a bald eagle wheels overhead. Go ashore for a guided beach walk during our cruise. Return to your hotel in the late afternoon for dinner at your leisure, whether at your hotel or in neighboring Girdwood. The Hotel Alyeska | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Redoubt Bay | Bear Country

Approximately 90% of Alaska is not served by roads, so aviation plays a vital role in everyday life. Ride Like a Local as you fly to Redoubt Bay Lodge (weather permitting), the site of some incredible bear viewing. Embark by boat through "bear country," watching for black and brown bear, and other wildlife along the way. Later, continue to your accommodations in a rustic-modern lodge that overlooks North America's tallest peak, Denali (formerly Mount McKinley). Enjoy this evening at your leisure. Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge | Meals: B L

DAY 5: **Talkeetna** | Dog Kennel Visit & Glacier Walk Explore historic Talkeetna, the jumping-off point for Denali climbers. Visit the dog kennels of Iditarod racer Dallas Seavey and try your hand at dryland mushing. Visit the family-run Kahiltna Birchworks for tastings of birch-made candy and ice cream, for a uniquely sweet Family Foodie Experience. Set out on a guided walk of the town's historic district, followed by time at leisure for lunch. Fly over the peaks and glaciers of Denali National Park. Then, land and walk — on a glacier's surface (weather permitting), surrounded by snowy peaks. Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge | Meals: B

DAY 6: **Talkeetna** | Scenic Denali National Park by Rail After a relaxing early morning, board a Deluxe Dome Rail Car to Denali National Park, viewing the most scenic section



of this Alaska rail journey featuring the Alaska Range and Denali, while enjoying lunch on board. Arrive at the Denali station in the late afternoon to tour the Visitors Center and take a short hike near the park entrance. Then, enjoy dinner in Denali before returning to your lodge by motorcoach. Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: Anchorage | Kayaking & Hiking Before Your Farewell Continue exploring the magnificent Denali area with an all-ages kayak trip on placid Byers Lake. Next, join a knowledgeable naturalist guide on a hike that reveals Alaska's abundant flora and fauna, stopping for a picnic lunch en route. Then, continue to Anchorage, where you gather for a farewell dinner to celebrate your journey with the new friends you've made. Hotel Captain Cook | Meals: B L D

DAY 8: Depart Anchorage

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departing flight. Meals: B

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INSPIRING ACCOMMODATIONS



The Hotel Alyeska

Alaska's best resort, with your deluxe room looking out on a lush valley surrounded by mountain peaks, deep green forests and glaciers.





Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge views of Denali (Mount McKinley).

Hotel Captain Cook The only hotel in Talkeetna with clear In the heart of Anchorage, with views of Cook Inlet and the Chugach Mountains.

DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed Departure Dates	Double Occupancy	Single Supplement
Jun 8-15, Jun 15-22, Jun 22-29, Jun 29-Jul 6, Jul 6-13, Jul 13-20, Jul 20-27, Jul 27-Aug 3, Aug 3-10, Aug 10-17, Aug 17-24	\$8,295	\$2,595
Children 17 and under*	\$7,795	

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,695

Anchorage/Redoubt Bay/Anchorage & Denali flightseeing *Pricing applies to children 17 and under sharing with an adult.

Journey Details

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The Americas

LUXURY SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

Alaska: Wilderness & Wildlife

8 days from \$8,995 | Limited to 18 guests

Immerse yourself in the epic grandeur of wild Alaska, exploring by road, sea, rail and air, and journeying deep into the remote interior of the state to experience its majestic, untouched landscapes and enduring frontier spirit.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Venture by air beyond the rarely crossed Arctic Circle for a guided visit to an isolated wilderness community, meeting intrepid locals who choose to live there year round
- Ride a dome railcar with breathtaking views of Denali National Park and go flightseeing, landing and setting foot on a snowcovered glacier
- Visit the kennels of a three-time-consecutive Iditarod race winner and meet his Alaskan huskies
- Embark on a private full-day cruise on Prince William Sound with its diverse marine wildlife and majestic Alaskan scenery

DAY 1: Arrive Fairbanks, Alaska

Arrive in Fairbanks, nicknamed the Golden Heart City, where you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Tonight, enjoy a reception and welcome dinner. Pike's Waterfront Lodge | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Fairbanks** | Exploring Above the Arctic Circle Start your day with a guided tour of historic Fairbanks, and then Ride Like a Local, boarding a small plane for a sightseeing flight (weather permitting) that carries you over the majestic Brooks Range to a landing above the Arctic Circle. Visit the far-flung outpost of Wiseman with a local guide and learn more about the Trans-Alaska Pipeline and the Koyukuk River, a tributary of the mighty Yukon River. Return to Fairbanks for an evening at your leisure. **Pike's Waterfront Lodge** | Meals: B L

DAY 3: **Talkeetna** | Train Ride through Scenic Denali Journey overland through breathtaking scenery to Denali National Park. Take in the Denali Visitor Center before transfering to the train depot, where it's "all aboard" a deluxe



dome railcar. Get underway, gazing out spacious windows at the verdant wilderness. Savor lunch on board as you absorb the passing vistas of Denali's pristine forests and snow-capped peaks. Arrive in Talkeetna, a quirky village set at the confluence of three rivers, and transfer to your hotel. Tonight, gather with your fellow guests for a Scenic Sundowner, relaxing with drink in hand as you experience the Land of the Midnight Sun. Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Talkeetna | Walking on a Glacier This morning, enjoy one of these Design Your Day activities.

- Embark by Jetboat on a thrilling excursion in to the heart of the wilderness, going ashore to hike to an authentic trapper's cabin, learning local folklore as you go.
- Relax on a Leisurely River Float Trip, viewing mountain panoramas, watching for eagle, moose and grizzly bear, and stopping occasionally on the riverbank for a light trek.

This afternoon, board an airplane for a flightseeing adventure to the remote western end of Denali National Park, taking in marvelous views of Denali as well as Mount Foraker and Mount Hunter. Weather permitting, land on the slopes of Denali and step out onto a glacier for an exhilarating wilderness experience. Return to your lodge for an evening at leisure. Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge | Meals: B

DAY 5: Anchorage | Meet the Furry Heroes of the Iditarod Start the day with a visit to the kennels of the Iditarod champion Seavey family in Talkeetna. Go up close with members of their Alaskan husky sled-dog teams. Afterward, drive to Anchorage for lunch, followed by a visit to the



Anchorage Museum where you can explore the diverse Alaska Native cultures through their art and design. Then, set out on scenic drive to Girdwood, set at the base of Mount Alyeska. The Hotel Alyeska | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Kenai Peninsula | Private Fjord Cruise

Cruise the dramatic glacier and marine wildlife country of Prince William Sound by private boat. Spy calving glaciers and watch for whale and sea lion as well as bald eagle overhead, and, during your cruise, enjoy a guided beach walk. Return to your hotel in the late afternoon for dinner on your own at any of the restaurants at the hotel or in nearby Girdwood. The Hotel Alyeska | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Mount Alyeska | Panoramas of Wild Alaska

Today, ride the Scenic Alyeska Tram from sea level up to 2,300 feet for a short hike with spectacular views of the rugged surrounding landscapes. Later this morning, set out for the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center, where you enjoy visiting with the native Alaskan species being rehabilitated there, including bison, moose and grizzly bear. Tonight, celebrate your Alaskan journey with a special farewell dinner, meeting with the chef for an engaging Chef's Table experience. Hotel Captain Cook | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Depart Anchorage

Transfer to the Anchorage airport and depart. Meals: B

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Pike's Waterfront Lodge Spacious, comfortable hotel set on a river, minutes from Fairbanks Airport. views of Denali (Mount McKinley).

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DATES & PRICING

Guaranteed	Double	Single
Departure Dates	Occupancy	Supplement
Jun 7-14, Jun 21-28, Jul 5-12, Jul 12-19, Jul 19-26, Jul 26-Aug 2, Aug 2-9, Aug 9-16, Aug 16-23, Aug 30-Sep 6	\$8,995	\$2,495

Internal Air: Economy class from \$1,225 Arctic Circle flightseeing & Denali flightseeing

Journey Details

This journey contains some active elements. Minimum age is 10 years.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

Book Your Journey Today

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'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau'

A bespoke dahabeah (traditional sailing boat) with only four cabins and two suites, 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' is the Grand Dame of the Nile River.

Ship Details at a Glance

- Four luxury cabins and two suites with cabincontrolled air conditioning and Nile views
- Accommodates a maximum of 12 guests
- Opulently styled dining area for elegant à la carte dinners
- Panoramic Upper Deck and Arabian-themed Sun Deck with heated dipping pool
- Doctor on call 24 hours a day
- Game room with Internet access

Style & Comfort by Design

Drawing from Egypt's history, culture and geography, the luxurious, individually designed cabins and suites with modern bathrooms give way to an Arabian-themed Sun Deck with a heated dipping pool, spacious dining area, lounge and game room. A panoramic Upper Deck affords an ideal perch from which to watch life along the Nile flow by.

Built to Explore Further

The smallest of Sanctuary Retreats' boats, 'Sanctuary Zein Nile Chateau' is the first of its kind on the Nile. With only four cabins and two suites, it is the epitome of style. This bespoke dahabeah can sail off the beaten path, unlike other vessels.

Intimate & Impeccable

Throughout your cruise, enjoy incomparable onboard service, top-notch amenities and lively entertainment.



Deck Plan







'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV'

Art Deco-inspired decor, modern amenities and exceptional service distinguish 'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV.' With a maximum capacity of about 76 guests, the atmosphere aboard this elegant vessel is among the most intimate on the Nile.

Ship Details at a Glance

- 34 luxury cabins, two Presidential Suites and two Royal Suites with balcony
- Expert A&K Egyptologist accompanies all shore excursions
- Fully air-conditioned with cabin control
- Panoramic floor-to-ceiling windows in all cabins (except Nile Deck)
- Flat-screen LCD television, plus in-house movies
- Elegant dining room with picture windows
- Onboard doctor available
- Wireless Internet access available

Sweeping Views of the River

All cabins are air-conditioned and feature flat-screen TV, direct-dial international phone and minibar. Floor-to-ceiling windows grace most decks offering sweeping views of the river's shore. Art Deco-inspired public areas make it easy to find a quiet corner from which to observe life along the Nile. Teak flooring enhances outdoor spaces, and vintage decoration coexists with modern comforts.

A Regal, Relaxing Sun Deck

The Sun Deck is adorned with luxurious Egyptian marble, soft canvas sunshades and a tiled swimming pool.

Fine Food & Superb Service

'Sanctuary Sun Boat IV' offers exquisite dining and peerless service, including excursions to the Nile's greatest monuments led by expert Egyptologists.







Royal Suites (638 sq. ft.)

- Presidential Suites (468 sq. ft.)
- Promenade Deck (162 sq. ft. avg.)
- The Sun Deck provides poolside relaxation
- Bridge Deck (180 sq. ft. avg.)
- Main Deck (193 sq. ft. avg.)
- Nile Deck (207 sq. ft. avg.)



Sanctuary Sun Boat III'

Award-winning 'Sanctuary Sun Boat III' graces the Nile River with elegant, comfortable public spaces; luxurious, airconditioned cabins; and gourmet cuisine.

Ship Details at a Glance

- 14 luxury cabins, 2 Presidential Suites and 2 Royal Suites with balcony
- Services of an expert A&K Egyptologist on all shore excursions
- Fully air conditioned with cabin control
- All cabins have a Nile view ►
- Elegant restaurant offering gourmet menus and a lavish lunch buffet
- Luxurious on-deck swimming pool
- ► Stylish lower Sun Deck with lounge
- Doctor present on board
- Wireless Internet access available

Style & Comfort by Design

Egyptian designer Shahira Fahmy adopted a British colonial theme through a blend of European, Egyptian and Bedouin influences, as well as touches of 1920s and 30s design. The Sahara Lounge suggests an Egyptian royal hunting tent, while the cozy H. Carter Lounge is the ideal place to relax after a long day of sightseeing. Perhaps the ship's most stunning feature is Cleopatra's Oasis, where guests go to take a dip in the pool and watch the lush landscape roll by.

A Jewel in Every Respect

Enjoy impeccable onboard service, top-notch amenities and lively onboard lectures on this elegant vessel, which Architectural Digest dubbed the "Iewel of the Nile."



Deck Plan



- Royal Suites (387 sq. ft.)
- Presidential Suites (312 sq. ft.)
- Promenade Deck (168 sq. ft. avg.) Nile Deck (182 sq. ft. avg.)





Al fresco dining is available on the spacious Sun Deck

'Sepik Spirit'

Plying the Sepik region in the wilds of Papua New Guinea, 'Sepik Spirit' brings modern comforts to the heart of the jungle.

Ship Details at a Glance

- Nine basic, yet comfortable, cabins with air conditioning and river views
- Accommodates a maximum of 18 guests
- Tribal-inspired decor graces the spacious Dining Room, Bar and Lounge
- Covered and screened-in top deck Observation Deck affords all-weather, open-air viewing
- Easy access to launches for river excursions

Comfort in the Wild

Inspired by the hospitality of the local tribes of the river, 'Sepik Spirit's' cabins welcome guests in with their warm, inviting interiors. Elevated river views, en suite bathrooms and individual climate controls round out the simple yet comfortable amenities.

A Floating Jungle Lodge

Cruising the heart of the Sepik River basin, 'Sepik Spirit's' greatest feature is its location. This floating lodge is the ideal jumping-off point for daily speedboat excursions out into the remote villages that dot the river and jungles that lie beyond.

Remote, Yet Accessible

Although 'Sepik Spirit' floats in the middle of a remote wilderness, it remains easily accessible to the outside world via light aircraft from Mount Hagen.



Deck Plan







Rest in comfort after a day of jungle explorations

'Mekong Princess'

Redefining intimate with an exclusive A&K charter of an extraordinary 12-suite vessel

Ship Details at a Glance

- 12 elegant suites with private verandas or Juliet balconies
- Gracious spa-inspired bath amenities
- Nightly turndown service
- Fully air-conditioned with cabin control
- Complimentary laundry service, canapés and scented baths in Angkor Suites

French Colonial Decor

Experience the treasures of the Mekong River from aboard intimate, 12-suite 'Mekong Princess,' stopping to explore unique ports and destinations virtually unknown to travellers. Adorned with French colonial furnishings, the vessel also brings a gracious staff and the comforts of a spa.

The dozen tranquil, well-appointed suites on 'Mekong Princess' offer spa bath amenities, with nightly turndown service, as well as either a private veranda or Juliet balcony, both with panoramic views.

Bountiful Dining Options

After ample, buffet-style breakfasts and lunches on board, sit down to casually elegant, multi-course meals in the candlelit Indochine Dining Room amid expansive, floor-to-ceiling windows.

Elegant Onboard Living

While plying the waters, pause to watch life unfold from the Observation Deck, recounting activities in the Lounge and staying connected in the Library. Keep in shape in the fully equipped fitness center.



Deck Plan

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MEKONG DECK



- Angkor Suite (560 sq. ft.)
- Tonle Suite (323 sq. ft.)
- Apsara Suite (256 sq. ft.)
- Saigon Suite (256 sq. ft.)

NOTE: The following suites feature fixed king beds and cannot be converted into twin beds: Angkor Suites (201 & 202), Tonle Suites (203 & 204)




'Aria Amazon'

Custom-built to explore the Peruvian Amazon, 'Aria Amazon' offers 32 guests a floating sanctuary of gracious luxury, superb cuisine and top-flight service, while making a minimal impact on the river and rainforest environment.

Ship Details at a Glance

- 16 Design Suites with floor-to-ceiling windows
- Cruise director and four English-speaking naturalist guides on board
- Expert chef creating fine Peruvian cuisine from locally sourced ingredients
- Panoramic floor-to-ceiling windows in every suite for excellent river views
- Four private launch boats for eight-person river excursions
- Onboard massage therapist

River Cruising with Utmost Ease

All suites are air-conditioned and feature a California king-size bed that can be converted to twins, and borderless, floor-to-ceiling windows for relaxing, front-row river viewing. Public spaces feature soothing hardwood decor, including an indoor lounge with deep plush sofas.

Amenities Made for Relaxing

Other amenities aboard 'Aria Amazon' include an elegant dining room, bar, outdoor lounge, massage room, outdoor Jacuzzi and an expansive observation deck, all designed for making the most of every moment.

Outstanding Service and Eco-Friendly Design

'Aria Amazon' has a crew of 27 for an excellent crew-to-guest ratio resulting in highly attentive service. The ship's eco-friendly design cares for the environment as well, with an onboard water treatment plant and virtually smoke-free, fuel-efficient engines that comply with strict US and international environmental standards.



Deck Plan

OBSERVATION DECK



SECOND DECK





Design Suites (Second Deck)

Design Suites (First Deck)





'La Pinta'

At the heart of your Galápagos experience is a vessel built for adventure, 'La Pinta.' Cruise the islands and discover the wonders of this incredible region, returning each afternoon for leisurely lunches and each night to your comfortable, spacious cabin.

Ship Details at a Glance

- 24 outside cabins, with large windows and ocean views, located on the Cabin Deck
- Includes four triple cabins able to accommodate a third guest under 12 years of age
- Menus, created by a Cordon Bleu-trained chef, featuring fine Ecuadorian dishes and international cuisine
- Sea kayaks and a glass-bottom boat available on board for independent exploration

Built for Exploration

'La Pinta' combines the amenities of a first-class yacht with the skilled personnel of an expedition vessel. At 207 feet long, she carries just 48 guests in 24 spacious cabins. That means more room to stretch out. A small group size also ensures better service, with 28 crew members, three Galápagos-certified naturalist guides and an A&K Resident Tour Director at your service throughout your voyage.

Stylish Yet Casual Dining

Dining on board is a stylish affair, with menus featuring international cuisine and celebrated Ecuadorian dishes. Aboard 'La Pinta,' fine dining doesn't mean formal. You need not pack anything dressier than smart-casual wear, and many meals may be enjoyed al fresco in the Observation Lounge & Bar.

Stable & Eco-Friendly

When not on shore expeditions, guests are free to wander 'La Pinta's' relaxed public spaces, including the outside Sky Bar on the Boat Deck, perfect for a chat with your guides. The ship itself is small enough to nimbly navigate the Galápagos waters but large enough to ensure the safety of passengers.



Deck Plan



Luxury Cabins

Luxury Plus Cabins (Triple Occupancy only)







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Antarctica, South Georgia & Falklands Expedition

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Wings Over East Africa	\$41,795	11								•	٠	٠		
The Great Migration Safari in Style	\$17,295	14	٠	٠	٠		•	•	٠	•	٠	٠		٠
Private Great Migration Safari	\$22,295	14	٠	٠	٠			•	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	٠
Kenya & Tanzania Wildlife Safari	\$10,995	12	٠	٠			•	•	•	•	٠	٠	٠	٠
Private Kenya & Tanzania	\$12,495	12	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•		٠
Kenya & Tanzania: A Great Migration Safari Adventure	\$13,995	10	٠	٠	٠			•	•	•	٠	٠		•
Family Kenya & Tanzania Safari	\$12,795	12						•	•	•				•
Kenya Safari in Style	\$8,795	8		•	•			•	•	•	•	•		•
Tanzania Safari in Style	\$9,495	8	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•		•
Private Tanzania	\$10,795	8	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•		•
Wings Over Southern Africa	\$52,995	14									٠	•		
Botswana Safari in Style	\$10,495	10	٠	٠	٠	٠	•	•	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	•
Private Botswana	\$10,795	10	٠	٠	٠	٠	•	•	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	•
South Africa & Victoria Falls	\$9,995	9	٠	٠	٠	٠	•	•	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠	•
Southern Africa Safari & Rail Adventure	\$15,495	13			٠	٠	•	•	٠	•	٠	٠		•
Climb Kilimanjaro: Summiting the Machame Route	\$8,495	9	•	•	٠		•	•	•	٠	٠	•	٠	
Uganda: Gorillas & Beyond	\$11,695	11								•	٠	٠		
Egypt, Morocco & Beyond			Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Wings Over Israel, Jordan & Egypt	\$52,995	13	•	٠	•	•					•	٠	٠	٠
Egypt & the Nile	\$8,995	10	٠	٠	•	•	•	•		•	٠	٠	٠	٠
Private Egypt & the Nile	\$9,795	10	٠	٠	٠	٠				•	٠	٠	•	•
Pharaohs & Pyramids	\$14,495	13	٠	٠	٠						٠	٠	•	•
Petra to the Pyramids & a Nile Yacht Cruise	\$14,495	13	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•
Splendors of Morocco	\$9,795	12	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	٠	٠
Private Morocco	\$11,495	12	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	•
Jordan & Israel: Ancient Wonders	\$13,295	14	٠	•	•	•	•	•		٠	٠	•	•	•
Private Jordan & Israel	\$18,995	14	٠		٠		•	•	•	•	٠	٠	•	•
Israel: Crossroads of History	\$9,795	9		٠	٠	٠	٠			٠	٠	٠	٠	٠

JOURNEY	PRICED FROM	# OF DAYS		DEPARTURE MONTHS										
Egypt, Morocco & Beyond (continued)			Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Private Israel	\$11,995	9	٠	٠	٠		•	•	٠	•	•		•	•
NEW! Oman & the Emirates: The Sands of Time	\$11,995	11		•									•	•
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Asia, India & the Pacific			Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Wings Over Australia	\$39,995	13		•	•							•	•	
Australia & New Zealand: The Lands Down Under	\$19,995	17	٠	٠	٠	٠					٠	٠	•	•
Papua New Guinea: Mount Hagen Festival	\$13,995	13								•				
Papua New Guinea: The Goroka Festival	\$13,995	13									•			
Classic Japan	\$12,995	9			•	•	•				•	•	•	
Private Japan	\$17,395	9			٠	•	•				•	•	•	
South Korea & Japan: Cultural Legacies	\$18,495	11					•					•	•	
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Private Indochina & Angkor Wat	\$9,795	13	٠	•	٠	٠					٠	٠	•	•
Cruising the Mekong: Siam, Saigon & Angkor Wat	\$8,795	12	•	•	•						•	•	•	•
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