

TANZANIA BUSH TO BEACH SAFARI

10 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS

OCTOBER 2020

"AFRICA SAFARIS...DISCOVER THE UNEXPECTED"



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TARANGIRE N. PARK, SERENGETI N.PARK, NGORONGORO CONSERVATION AREA, ZANZIBAR

Day	Activity	Location	Overnight	Meal plan	Notes
Day 1	Arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport and transfer to Arusha town for dinner and overnight.	Arusha	Mount Meru Hotel	Breakfast & Dinner Bottled drinking water included	Arusha is a city in northern Tanzania and the capital of the Arusha Region, with a population of 416,442 plus 323,198 in the surrounding Arusha District Located below Mount Meru on the eastern edge of the eastern branch of the Great Rift Valley, Arusha has a temperate climate. The city is close to the Serengeti National Park, the Ngorongoro Conservation Area, Lake Manyara National Park, Olduvai Gorge, Tarangire National Park, Mount Kilimanjaro, and Arusha National Park on Mount Meru.
Day 2	Pick up from your hotel in Arusha, after breakfast depart to Tarangire National Park for full day game drive. In the early evening drive to the lodge/camp for the dinner and overnight.	Tarangire National Park	Lake Manyara Serena Lodge	Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Bottled drinking, tea and coffee	Tarangire National Park is a lovely quiet park in Northern Tanzania that is most famous for its elephant migration, birding and quiet authentic safari atmosphere. The majority of travelers to the region either miss out Tarangire altogether or venture into the park for a matter of hours leaving parts of Tarangire virtually untouched.
Day 3	After breakfast at your Lodge/camp depart to the central part of Serengeti (seronera) for game drive in the park and in the evening return to the lodge/camp for the dinner and overnight.	Serengeti National Park	Serengeti Serena Lodge	Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Bottled drinking, tea and coffee	Serengeti is Tanzania's oldest and most popular national park, a world heritage site and recently proclaimed a 7th world wide wonder. It is famed for its annual migration, when some six million hooves pound the open plains, as more than 200,000 zebra and 300,000 Thomson's gazelle join the wildebeest's trek for fresh grazing. Yet even when the migration is quiet, the Serengeti offers arguably the most scintillating game-viewing in Africa: great herds of buffalo, smaller groups of elephant and giraffe, and thousands upon thousands of eland, topi, kongoni, impala and Grant's gazelle.
Day 4	After breakfast at your lodge depart for a full day game drive in the Serengeti. In the evening drive to the camp/lodge for dinner and overnight	Serengeti National Park	Serengeti Serena Lodge	Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Bottled drinking, tea and coffee	Serengeti is well known for its healthy stock of other resident wildlife, particularly the "big five", named for the five most prized trophies taken by hunters: Lion: the Serengeti is believed to hold the largest population of lions in Africa due in part to the abundance of prey species. More than 3,000 lions live in this ecosystem. African Leopard: these reclusive predators are commonly seen in the Seronera region but are present throughout the national park with the population at around 1,000. African Elephant.
Day 5	After breakfast at your lodge depart for a full day game drive in the Central Serengeti. In the evening drive to the camp/lodge for dinner and overnight	Serengeti National Park	Serengeti Serena Lodge	Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Bottled drinking, tea and coffee	River crossings at Kogatende start to occur every day in August as the mega herd settles into the area. For August, September and October, game viewing up here is superb with river crossings pretty much guaranteed every day. There is no distinct movement as the herds tend to cross back and forth over the river, following the rains and subsequent fresh grasses. It is not uncommon to see different herds crossing in different directions on the same day.
Day 6	After breakfast go for a morning game drive in Ngorongoro crater, late afternoon crater rim walk and in the evening back to the lodge for dinner and overnight.	Ngorongoro Conservation Area	Ngorongoro Serena Lodge	Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Bottled drinking, tea and coffee	The crater was named by the Maasai pastoralists after the sound produced by the cowbell (ngoro ngoro). Based on fossil evidence found at the Olduvai Gorge, various hominid species have occupied the area for 3 million years. Hunter-gatherers were replaced by pastoralists a few thousand years ago. The Mbulu came to the area about 2,000 years ago and were joined by the Datooga around the year 1700. Both groups were driven from the area by the Maasai in the 1800s. Approximately 25,000 large animals, mostly ungulates, live in the crater. Large mammals in the crater include the black rhinoceros (<i>Diceros bicornis michaeli</i>), the local population of which declined from about 108 in 1964-66 to between 11-14 in 1995, the African buffalo or Cape buffalo (<i>Syncerus caffer</i>), and the hippopotamus (<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>) There also are many other ungulates: the blue wildebeest (<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>) (7,000 estimated in 1994), Grant's zebra (<i>Equus quagga boehmi</i>) (4,000), the common eland (<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>), and Grant's (<i>Nanger granti</i>) and Thomson's gazelles (<i>Eudorcas thomsonii</i>) (3,000).] Waterbucks (<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>) occur mainly near Lerai Forest
Day 7	After breakfast and with picnic lunch go for game drive at Lake Manyara National Park and thereafter drive to Arusha for your flight to Zanzibar. On arrival in Zanzibar you will be transferred to North Nungwi for the overnight.	Lake Manyara National Park	The Z Hotel	Breakfast & Dinner Bottled drinking water, soft drinks, tea and coffee	Lake Manyara provides the perfect introduction to Tanzania's birdlife. More than 400 species have been recorded, and even a first-time visitor to Africa might reasonably expect to observe 100 of these in one day. Inland of the floodplain, a narrow belt of acacia woodland is the favored haunt of Manyara's legendary tree-climbing lions and impressively tasked elephants
Day 8	After breakfast at the hotel you have option for a stone town tour, Jozani forest and spice tour or sea sport like blue safari, snorkeling (with extra cost). Early evening back to the hotel for overnight.	Zanzibar	The Z Hotel	Breakfast & Dinner Bottled drinking water, soft drinks, tea and coffee	We have developed a special Spice Tour with in depth information not only about spices, but also organically grown herbs and a detailed description about their traditional uses in medicine cosmetics and cooking. After the tour we invite you for an opulent lunch at our guides' home, where you can taste the spices and fruits. After lunch we take you to your beach resort. On the way you pass Jozani Forest, the last habitat of the rare endemic Red Colobus Monkey. With a local guide you stroll through Jozani Chwaka National Park and look at the rare monkeys. If you wish you can even wander down the boardwalk to the fascinating Mangrove Ecosystem.
Day 9	After breakfast at the hotel have a full day of leisure at the beach of north Nungwi.	Zanzibar	The Z Hotel	Breakfast & Dinner Bottled drinking water, soft drinks, tea and coffee	Right on the northern most point of the island, the beach that surrounds this area is truly stunning. Azure waters and white sands are what await those that come here. The only drawback really is that many of the hotels have had to perch on the coral cliffs that run north from the village and, as such, lose their beaches at high tide. Generally, however, this is not a problem and, with the small backpacker community in the village, this is a great place to head if you like to get out of the hotel for a drink or two.
Day 10	END OF PROGRAMME	NA	At your own arrangement	Breakfast & Lunch Bottled water, soft drinks, tea and coffee	After breakfast at the hotel have some leisure time at beach then early afternoon transfer to the airport for your international flight back home.

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PACKAGE PRICE AND ADDITIONAL DETAILS



PACKAGE PRICE US\$ 3,589 PER PERSON

INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➔ Airport transfers as specified in the itinerary.➔ A new 2019 Model 4WD super deluxe seat vehicle with pop up roof, full AC, fridge, binoculars, guide books, destination maps, Wi-Fi on board during safari as specified in the itinerary.➔ Park fees as specified in the itinerary.➔ Ngorongoro Crater fee as specified in the itinerary.➔ Accommodation (9 nights) and Meals at Luxury Tented Camps/ Lodges as specified in the Itinerary.➔ Unlimited bottled Mineral water during safari.➔ Unlimited Soft drinks, during game drive➔ Unlimited tea and coffee during game drive➔ Safari Guide Services➔ Government tax.➔ Private professional English speaking guide.➔ Unlimited game mileage during safari game drives➔ Glass of wine on sundowner➔ Snacks during game drives➔ Flight from Arusha to Zanzibar➔ Maasai visit➔ Olduvai gorge tour➔ Stone town tour➔ Spice tour➔ Jozani forest
NOT INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➔ International Air Transportation.➔ Any other items of a personal nature, i.e. Telephone, Laundry, beverages etc.➔ Tips for the driver guide highly recommended \$20 per person per day.➔ Any Insurance package➔ Visas➔ Optional single room supplement cost of US\$ 425 per person➔ Optional Hot Air Balloon Safari in Serengeti cost of US\$ 450 per person

ADDITIONAL DETAILS

GET AN ADVANTAGE OF 10% DISCOUNT FOR A RETURN AIR TICKET PURCHASED ONLINE WITH ETHIOPIAN AIRLINES THAT WILL GO TOGETHER WITH THIS PACKAGE

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