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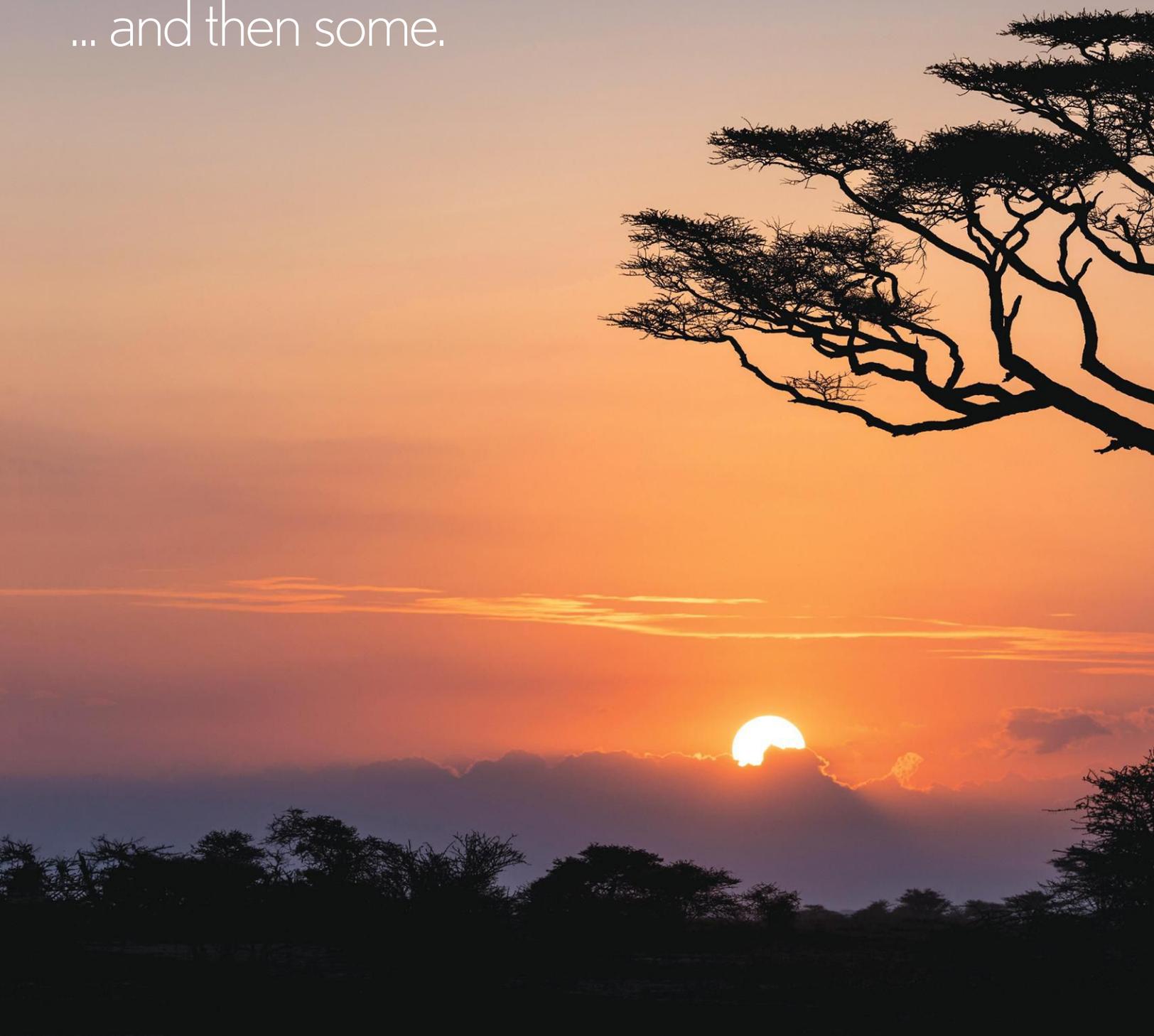
# AFRICA SAFARIS

2020

# Discover the Africa you've dreamed of...

Africa gets a hold of you unlike any other place in the world. A bucket list destination if there ever was one, it conjures up images of lands untamed and forever wild. A place where African wildlife comes together in a living tableau of courage and survival that takes your breath away... where tribal villages welcome with traditions culturally rich... where cosmopolitan cities celebrate nature with nurture... and where you become a part of each storied moment as it unfolds on the safari of a lifetime with Tauck.

... and then some.





*I never knew of a morning in Africa when I woke up  
that I was not happy.* — Ernest Hemingway





On safari in Kenya



# Experience the extraordinary

The world's best travel team. Our African tale began 20 years ago when we introduced our first safaris and wowed our guests with authentic experiences impossible to forget. Today our story continues in the richest wildlife reserves in the world on eight all-inclusive safaris that reflect our award-winning reputation as one of the World's Best travel companies, making your first time – or your next time – in Africa extraordinary in every way.

**Immersive experiences.** It's hard not to be humbled by Africa. Whether you are witnessing the unforgettable spectacle of life and death on our private game drives, meeting tribal villagers living in harmony with the wilderness, or closely interacting with wildlife on intimate excursions that take your breath away, the experiences we include are naturally inspiring, immersing you in the wonders of the destination from dawn to dusk.

**All included.** When it comes to your bucket list adventure, no detail is overlooked and nothing but the best will do. Fully guided safaris led by experienced Tauck Directors and expert guides. Luxury lodges and tented camps. Wining and dining with a regional flair. Bush breakfasts, picnics and sundowners. Land cruisers with window seats for everyone. Duffel bags, on-tour flights, hot air balloon, helicopter adventures, ocean safaris and more. All amazing, all included and all rewarding with priceless peace of mind.



Okavango Delta, Botswana



# Travel with the best

With Tauck, you'll travel with a dream team who makes every moment memorable and worry free. Renowned as the best in the industry, our experienced Tauck Directors accompany you throughout your trip, taking care of all the day-to-day details while sharing their expertise, passion and stories with you every day on safari. Our highly trained and certified naturalist guides and trackers who lead your game drives are handpicked for their knowledgeable insights on conservation, animal behavior and life in the bush, instinctively knowing where the wildlife is from dawn to dusk, with spotting skills that leave others in the dust. Together they provide you with a deeper understanding about life in Africa, showing it to you up close and personally on fully guided experiences that enrich your safari like nothing else can.

## Meet a few of our Tauck Directors here:

**Susan Wahlen** has been a Tauck Director in Africa for 14 years, imparting her knowledge about African history and culture to our guests. "For most people, an African safari is one of the best experiences of their life; inspiring a connection to nature and community that changes them for the better. It gives me great joy to be part of this adventure."



**Chris Mancini**, a resident of Tanzania, loves the adventure, the wildlife, the people and the opportunity to share it all with our guests in Africa, which he has done as a Tauck Director for 14 years. "There aren't many places in the world where you can find true silence, untouched landscapes and wildlife in such vast numbers. It's a spiritual experience that brings a feeling of peace to so many."







# At home in Africa, Tauck Style

**Wake up happy.** Where you stay is an important part of your Tauck travel experience, from service to style and everything in between. Your accommodations throughout Africa reflect an authentic sense of place that makes your stay uniquely memorable. You'll enjoy top-tier hotels, tented camps and luxury lodges that cater to your comfort day and night with attentive service, premier amenities, fine dining and some of the most inspiring settings anywhere.

**Safari lodges authentically designed.** Similar to a hotel in size, style and services, the safari lodges you will stay in with Tauck feature swimming pools, lounges and dining venues where wildlife sightings are a big part of the experience. Spacious guest rooms boast en-suite bathrooms, balconies and often plunge pools.

**Tented camps naturally inspiring.** Smaller and more intimate than a lodge but equally luxurious, our tented camps are located in prime game viewing areas and consist of a main tent for dining and lounging, and individual safari tents nestled in the wilderness. Guest tents are spacious, have en-suite bathrooms with all the modern conveniences and a terrace for private enjoyment.

**Classic hotels ideally located.** From Victoria Falls to Zanzibar... Cape Town... Johannesburg... our hotels are acclaimed as the best available. You'll enjoy welcome hospitality, impeccable service and an authentic ambiance that reflects the cultural landscape of the destination with must-see sites close by.



*Ngorongoro Crater, Tanzania*



# Meet Africa like never before



Amazing natural history travel experiences are true hallmarks of Tauck's Earth Journeys, exclusively co-crafted with BBC Earth, the world's greatest

natural history filmmakers, to tell nature's incredible stories in new and innovative ways. We've spent years working closely with BBC Earth natural history experts developing these trips, reflecting Tauck's commitment to offer you original content that appeals to your adventurous spirit... yearning for something special... and love of nature.

Travel with BBC Earth Certified Tauck Directors and discover the natural world as you have never seen it before. With Tauck, you'll enjoy a backstage pass to the people, places and wildlife reflected in the BBC's award-winning documentaries, poignantly playing out on privately guided game drives in Africa's wildlife-rich reserves and national parks.

Your on-safari experience includes compelling film vignettes created in the destinations you'll visit and produced exclusively for Tauck by BBC Earth experts in the same style of their documentaries – a pageantry of behind-the-scenes stories, observations and insights that are filled with humor and heart.

All Tauck safaris featured in this brochure are Earth Journeys.

## EARTH JOURNEYS

CREATED BY TAUCK WITH BBC EARTH

YOUR  
ADVENTURE  
BEGINS HERE...



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# GREAT MIGRATION: TANZANIA & KENYA



*Africa's great migration stars a cast of millions, thundering herds of wildebeest, zebras and gazelles among them, on a relentless life-and-death journey that circles between the Serengeti in Tanzania and Kenya's Maasai Mara region each year. To catch a glimpse of this wildlife spectacle, predators lying in wait on land and in water, is always amazing and impossible to forget.*

**Day 1 / Rivertrees Country Inn** Africa casts her spell from your first night on the grounds of an old coffee farm, where Mt. Meru and the wilderness reserves around it whisper stories of your safari to come. **Days 2, 3 / Kitela Lodge** Make your way to Africa's Garden of Eden, viewing wildlife that gathers at Lake Manyara before arriving at your intimate lodge. A game drive in Ngorongoro Crater introduces you to the Big Five and herds of zebras, gazelles and wildebeest on their endless quest for food and water. **Days 4-6 / Legendary Serengeti Mobile Camp** Move with the animals of the Serengeti as you enjoy a front-row seat to the action on game drives that leave from a mobile camp strategically located for the best wildlife sightings. **Days 7, 8 / & beyond Kichwa Tembo** See where the migrating herds are headed as you fly to the Maasai Mara National Reserve for game drives and a hot air balloon ride at dawn. **Day 9 / Journey home** Fly to Nairobi where a heartwarming visit with the orphaned elephants at The David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust precedes your journey home.



**9 DAYS FROM \$10,590**  
 Includes 3 On-Tour Flights  
 Group Size limited to 18!  
**BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS NAIROBI**

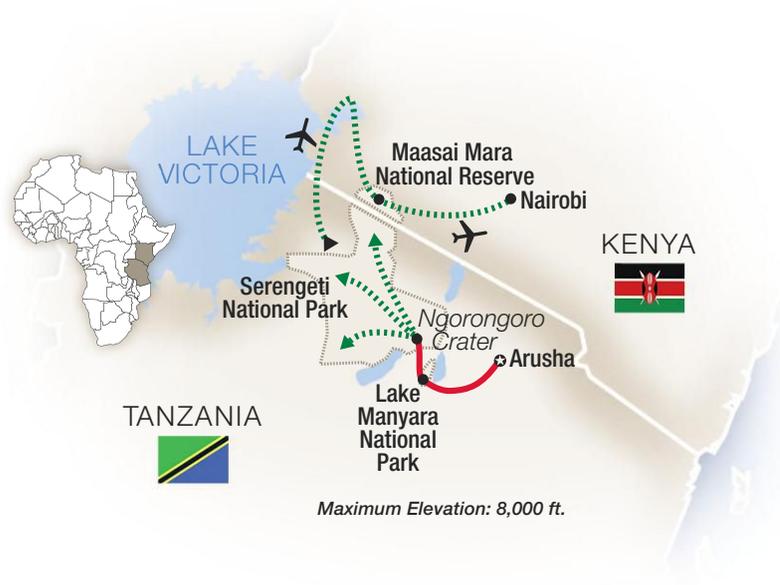
## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Have lunch overlooking Lake Manyara, a magnet for wildlife, including flocks of coral pink flamingos
- Experience herds of different grazing animals passing through the Serengeti during your stay in a mobile camp
- Visit Nairobi's David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust, the world's most successful orphan elephant rescue organization, with an opportunity to see baby elephants at feeding time



## LEGENDARY SERENGETI MOBILE CAMP

Set up in three different locations in the Serengeti at different times of the year for the best possible wildlife viewing, your tented accommodations combine exceptional comfort with unexpected luxury in private canvas tents with en-suite bathrooms, and separate on-site dining and lounge areas.



# KENYA & TANZANIA: A CLASSIC SAFARI



*The best of East Africa's safari circuit, from Tanzania to Kenya, promises a collage of breathtaking moments, from views of mighty Kilimanjaro rising over the vast Serengeti during awe-inspiring game drives to a picnic in a living Garden of Eden at Ngorongoro Crater where the Big Five thrive, to witnessing the majesty of migrating herds in the wildlife-rich Maasai Mara.*

**Day 1 / Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa** Spend the night at a former coffee plantation inviting with views of Mt. Meru and Lake Duluti. **Days 2, 3 / Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge** From lunch overlooking Lake Manyara National Park, a game drive and picnic in Ngorongoro Crater to your lodge on the crater's rim, opportunities to see Africa's Big Five abound! **Days 4-6 / Four Seasons Safari Lodge Serengeti** Your three-night stay in the heart of the amazing Serengeti includes two-a-day game drives and leisure time to view passing wildlife from your safari lodge. **Days 7, 8 / Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge** Two nights in Kenya's Amboseli National Park come alive with a game drive, elephant insights and visits to a Maasai village. **Days 9, 10 / Fairmont Mt. Kenya Safari Club** Visit William Holden's wildlife orphanage, take a game drive in Ol Pejeta Conservancy to Sweetwaters Chimpanzee Sanctuary and see local artisans ply their craft during your two-night stay at this elite club. **Days 11, 12 / Fairmont Mara Safari Club** Fly to the Maasai Mara for daily game drives in the wildlife-rich reserve, famed for lions, wildebeests and more, and a hot air balloon ride at dawn with breakfast in the bush. **Day 13 / Journey home** Fly to Nairobi this morning for your flight home, forever transformed by this true bucket-list experience.



**13 DAYS FROM \$10,590**  
 Includes 4 On-Tour Flights  
**BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS NAIROBI**

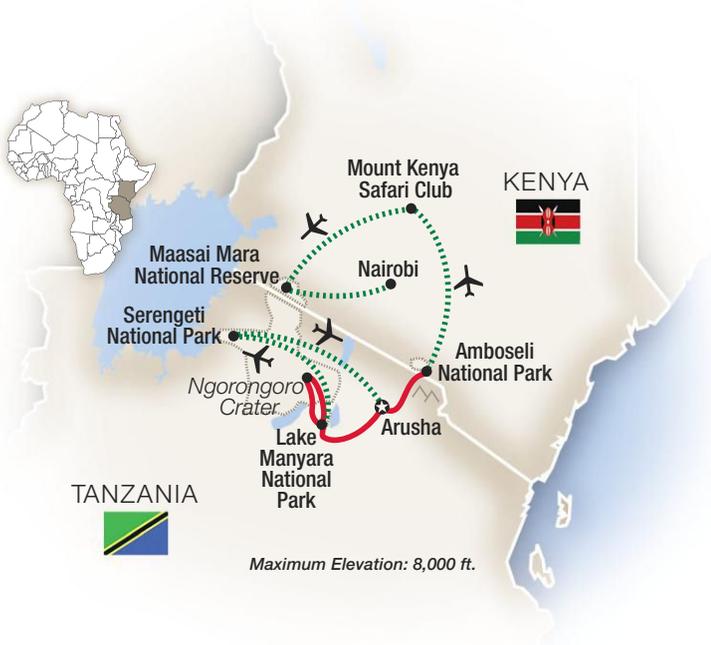
## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Soar over the Maasai Mara National Reserve in a hot air balloon as dawn breaks over the bush illuminating herds of wildlife, touching down for a champagne breakfast
- A private lecture about the famous elephant families of Amboseli National Park enriches your stay in the park
- Picnic in the heart of ancient Ngorongoro Crater, a haven for wildlife including the Big Five and renowned as one of the "Seven Natural Wonders of the World"



## FOUR SEASONS SAFARI LODGE

The height of luxury in the bush, your accommodations are perched on elevated platforms and walkways that let you watch life unfold at a nearby watering hole. Savor animal sightings from your room's private balcony or plunge pool, or relaxing by the lodge's infinity-edge swimming pool.



# TANZANIA: SERENGETI TO ZANZIBAR



*Tanzania is the land of safaris, a mecca for captivating cultures, mighty Mt. Kilimanjaro, snowcapped and soaring regally over moving landscapes abundant with wildlife of all species, protected conservation areas and the exotic archipelago of Zanzibar. To travel here is a gift that grows more priceless with time, a tribute to the circle of life in its natural, most magical state.*

**Day 1 / Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa** Spend the night at the gateway to Tanzania's Northern Safari Circuit, with views of Mt. Meru and Lake Duluti. **Days 2, 3 / Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge** Legends say that Noah let his animals out of the ark in Ngorongoro Crater, home to a head-turning abundance of wildlife – the Big Five included; look for them on game drives and while staying at your accommodations overlooking this UNESCO World Heritage Site. **Days 4, 5 / Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge** A private lecture on early man at Oldupai Gorge, expertly guided game drives and a hot air balloon ride at dawn in Serengeti National Park ensure unforgettable insights on life here, past and present. **Days 6, 7 / Kirawira Tented Camp** Head to the Western Serengeti for two nights in a luxury tented camp with daily game drives that witness one of the greatest wildlife shows on Earth, including migrating wildebeest. **Days 8, 9 / Park Hyatt Zanzibar** The enchantment continues with an ocean safari and beach picnic and a walking tour of Stone Town before your journey ends on **Day 10 / in Zanzibar.**



**10 DAYS FROM \$6,990**  
 Includes 2 On-Tour Flights  
**BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS ZANZIBAR**

## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- A hot air balloon ride over the Serengeti offers a bird's-eye view of the park's wildlife and a bush breakfast
- Meet the Maasai as they share their cultural traditions during visits to tribal *bomas* and primary schools
- A private cruise in Zanzibar aboard a handcrafted *dhow* anchors off a beach for lunch, swimming and snorkeling



## PARK HYATT ZANZIBAR

Spend two nights at the 5-star oceanfront Park Hyatt, indulging in spacious guest rooms and walk-to-everywhere conveniences that make exploring the historic city of Stone Town easy... if you can bear to break away from the views, seaside treats and infinity pool on offer at your hotel!



# MOUNTAIN GORILLA SAFARI: TANZANIA, ZANZIBAR & RWANDA



*Discover the indigenous locals that call Africa home as you experience... up close encounters with the animals, people, and places where the first safaris began in Tanzania... an archipelago where the Indian Ocean charms with exotic beaches and spices in Zanzibar... a visit with a gorilla family of all ages for a rare glimpse of their lives in the mountainous terrain of Rwanda.*

**Day 1 / Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa** Sleep to the sounds of the wilderness, rising early for tomorrow's drive into the bush. **Days 2, 3 / Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge** Meet a Maasai chief in his tribal village before game drives in a prehistoric crater teeming with wildlife. **Days 4, 5 / Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge** Visit the important paleoanthropological site of Oldupai Gorge, en route to the greatest wildlife spectacle on Earth in the Serengeti. **Days 6, 7 / Kirawira Luxury Tented Camp** Experience daily life in the Western Serengeti, forever moved by the drama of the animal world that plays out before you. **Days 8, 9 / Park Hyatt Zanzibar** A change of place and pace introduces you to seaside Zanzibar with an ocean safari, a spice tour, and views that take your breath away. **Day 10 / Kigali Serena Hotel** Fly to Rwanda, overnighing in Kigali. **Days 11-13 / One&Only Gorilla's Nest** Experience a real-life version of Dian Fossey's story, *Gorillas in the Mist*, as you trek into gorilla country to meet the endangered mountain gorillas she worked so hard to save. A visit to poignant museums rounds out your stay.



13 DAYS FROM \$15,990

Includes 3 On-Tour Flights

BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS KIGALI

## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Hear a private lecture at Oldupai Gorge, where the discovery of fossilized bones and stone tools furthered the understanding of early human evolution
- Join a local guide for a private multisensory spice tour in Zanzibar, taking in aromas of cinnamon, cardamom, curry and more, and listening to a serenade by a coconut harvester
- Learn about gorilla behavior and how to behave around these endangered primates at a briefing by an expert guide intimately familiar with the gorilla families of Rwanda



## ONE&ONLY GORILLA'S NEST

Nestled at the base of the Virunga Volcano range, this grass-thatched Rwandan lodge invites with private cottages with en-suite bathrooms and traditional décor, culinary specialties of locally grown fare and a setting that wows with giant hydrangeas, bird songs and tranquil beauty.



# MOUNTAIN GORILLA SAFARI: KENYA, TANZANIA & RWANDA



*The exhilaration you'll feel as you experience a safari in the most spectacular wildlife reserves in the world, from Tanzania's Serengeti to the Maasai Mara in neighboring Kenya, is unlike anything else... until you spend time sitting quietly near an endangered mountain gorilla family in the wilds of Rwanda as they interact with one another... and keep a curious eye on you.*

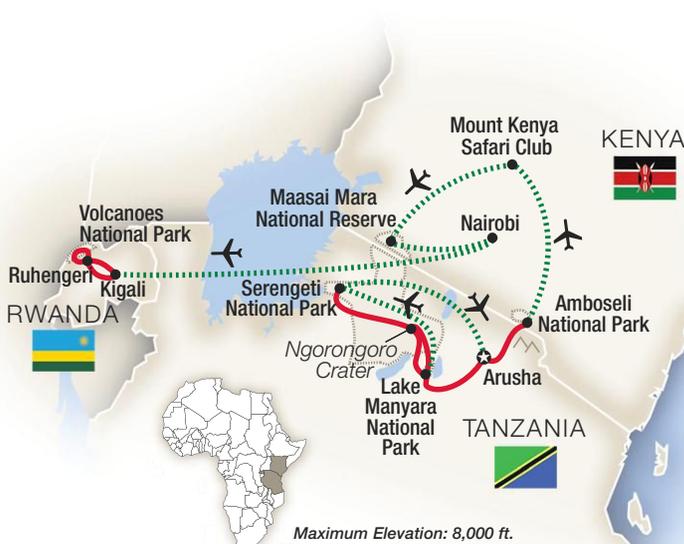
**Day 1 / Arusha Serena Hotel** Rest up for your first safari drive in the morning. **Days 2, 3 / Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge** Wildlife sightings from Lake Manyara to Ngorongoro make meals with a view and game drives unforgettable. **Days 4-6 / Four Seasons Safari Lodge** Fly to the Serengeti and experience the luxuries of the park, from your lodge to awe-inspiring animal encounters with expert guides. **Days 7, 8 / Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge** Visit a Maasai village during your stay in elephant-rich Amboseli National Park. **Days 9, 10 / Fairmont Mt. Kenya Safari Club** Iconic images of safaris past – and orphaned animals and chimpanzees – star at this historic private club. **Days 11, 12 / Fairmont Mara Safari Club** Your spirit for adventure soars during game drives and a hot air balloon ride in the Maasai Mara. **Day 13 / Kigali Serena Hotel** Fly to Kigali where your gorilla trek begins. **Days 14, 15 / One&Only Gorilla's Nest** Unique insights about life in Rwanda prepare you for a once-in-a-lifetime introduction to a mountain gorilla family in Volcanoes National Park. **Day 16 / Journey Home**



**16 DAYS FROM \$19,290**  
Includes 6 On-Tour Flights  
**BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS KIGALI**

## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- See the Big Five - lions, leopards, buffalo, elephants and rhinos - during game drives in Serengeti National Park, the best-known wildlife sanctuary in the world
- Learn about the planting, harvesting and roasting of coffee during an informative visit to a Kigali coffee cooperative, meeting the local women empowered to be coffee growers
- Hike into Rwanda's Volcanoes National Park with an expert guide and a private porter, on hand to make your one-hour visit with a gorilla family everything you dreamed it would be



## FAIRMONT MARA SAFARI CLUB

Bordering the Mara River and the Maasai Mara National Reserve, your tented accommodations at Fairmont Mara Safari Club, which was named a Top 20 Luxury Resort by *Travel + Leisure*, invite with four-poster beds, en-suite baths and private verandahs for spontaneous wildlife viewings.

# TANZANIA: A GRAND FAMILY SAFARI



*Imagine your family meeting Maasai schoolchildren who share their tribal traditions and watching with wide-eyed wonder lion cubs playing in the bush, blue-jeaned topis grazing with giraffes and tiny gazelles, along with zebras and wildebeest by the hundreds, cheetahs, elephants, hippos and more as you share the safari of a lifetime in the land where it all began.*

**Days 1, 2 / Gran Meliá Arusha** Stay in a resort newly opened with family friendly amenities, like drumming and a swimming pool at the gateway to the African wilderness, where a choice of fun includes a hike at Mt. Kilimanjaro or a game drive in the national park. **Days 3, 4 / Tarangire Safari Lodge** Tarangire National Park is a great place to see wildlife of all kinds on game drives in open-top vehicles, including the elephant families that are famous here! **Days 5, 6 / Tloma Lodge** Meet local schoolchildren when you visit a primary school and make elephant dung paper during a craft class at the lodge. What kind of animals live nearby? Find out on a game drive and picnic lunch in prehistoric Ngorongoro Crater, where you will likely see the Big Five and more! **Days 7-9 / Meliá Serengeti Lodge** Fly to the Serengeti and touch down for game drives and a hot air balloon ride at dawn with breakfast outside in the bush during a three-night stay in this magical park. **Day 10 / Journey home** Fly to Arusha and visit a community project and cultural center before returning home with a lifetime of shared memories.



**10 DAYS FROM \$8,060**  
Includes 2 On-Tour Flights  
**BEGINS ARUSHA / ENDS ARUSHA**

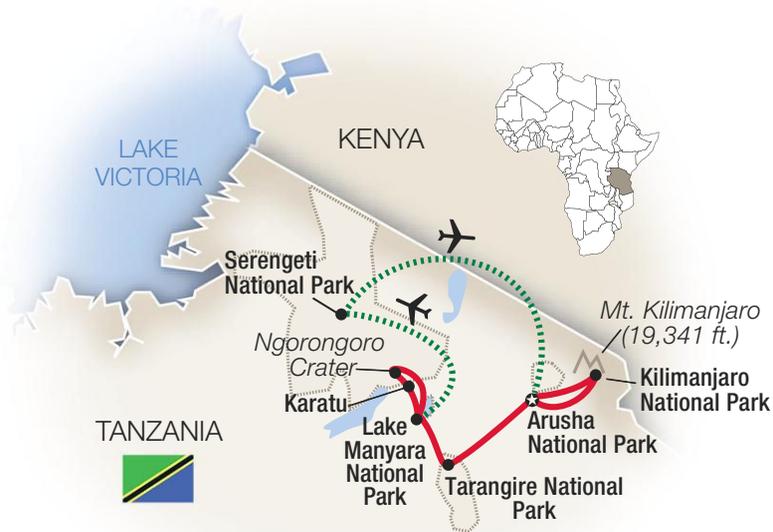
## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Hike up Marangu Trail at the base of Mount Kilimanjaro for a chance to spot birds, monkeys, and antelope
- Meet a Maasai chief and learn about life in a *boma* as he shares insights about tribal traditions and tips about spear throwing and target practice with bows and arrows
- Wake up at dawn for a hot air balloon ride over the Serengeti plains as wildlife families start a new day, touching down for breakfast in the wilds of the bush



## MELIÁ SERENGETI LODGE

Enjoy Maasai-inspired design and décor throughout this eco-conscious lodge, wondrous views of the Serengeti, an outdoor swimming pool, a kids' club, a choice of dining venues, terraces and lounges, and in-room amenities that ensure all the comforts of home... in the wilds of Africa!



Maximum Elevation: 7,550 ft.

# SOUTH AFRICA: AN ELEGANT ADVENTURE



*A living tapestry of cosmopolitan cityscapes, lush winelands, sun-soaked coasts and big game reserves, South Africa celebrates its diversity with a rich cultural heritage and natural treasures around every bend. Go for the history, the scenery, the wines and the wilds, indulge in lodges and hotels world-class in every way, but discover more than you ever imagined.*

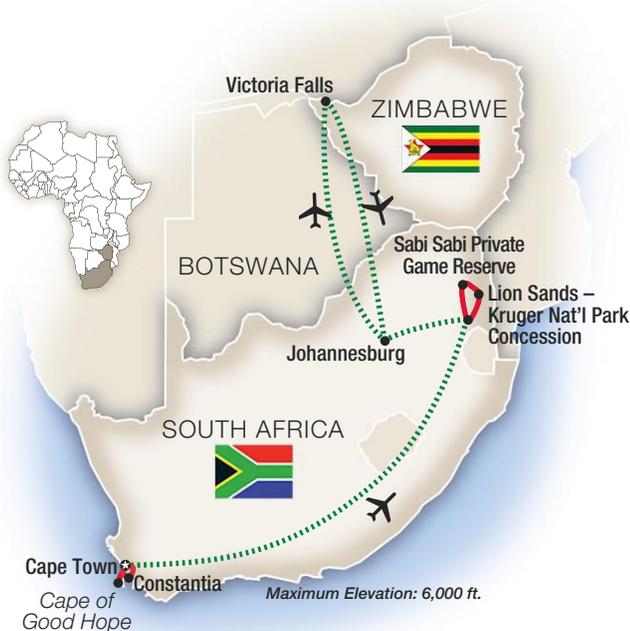
**Days 1-3 / Cape Grace** Cape Town discoveries include tours of botanical gardens, Table Mountain and historic sites, dinner in the Cape Winelands, views of the Cape of Good Hope, the penguins of Boulders Beach and pampering at your waterfront hotel. **Days 4, 5 / Lion Sands – Kruger National Park** Touch down for game drives in Lion Sands Game Reserve, set within Kruger National Park, eye-opening with sightings of big cats, elephants, rhinos, wild dogs and more. **Days 6, 7 / Sabi Sabi Bush Lodge** Experience the safari life from dawn to dusk on morning and afternoon game drives in a private wildlife reserve that's home to the Big Five, cheetahs and over 300 species of birds. **Days 8, 9 / 54 on Bath** Experience a historic look at Johannesburg as you discover the role of apartheid and see where Nelson Mandela and Desmond Tutu lived. **Days 10, 11 / The Victoria Falls Hotel** Victoria Falls proves an elegant host as you enjoy high tea, meet a historian with stories to tell, toast the sunset on a river cruise, view the falls and visit an elephant sanctuary before your journey home on **Day 12 / Johannesburg Airport**.



**12 DAYS FROM \$9,990**  
 Includes 4 On-Tour Flights  
**BEGINS CAPE TOWN / ENDS  
 JOHANNESBURG**

## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Savor locally produced wines and legendary South African hospitality during a private wine-pairing dinner at Steenberg Winery in the lush Cape Winelands
- Spot leopards, rhinos, cheetah, elephants and more during game drives in Kruger National Park
- Learn about the history of apartheid in Johannesburg at a private lecture and visit to the Apartheid Museum



## SABI SABI BUSH LODGE

The magic begins the moment you drive into the Sabi Sabi Private Reserve where your luxury lodge shares an unfenced border with Kruger National Park. Enjoy spacious en-suite accommodations, two swimming pools, a lounge, deck, dining boma and spa, all inspiring with great views.

# BOTSWANA, SOUTH AFRICA & ZAMBIA



*Imagine what adventures Dr. Livingstone experienced as he discovered Victoria Falls and forded the Zambezi River in his record-setting crossing of South Africa. This intimate safari begins where he left off, thrilling you with up close wildlife sightings by motorboat, game drive, helicopter, dugout canoe and ATV from Zambia and Botswana to South Africa.*

**Days 1, 2 / Royal Livingstone Hotel** Dinner aboard the Royal Livingstone Express Steam Train whets your appetite for an African adventure unlike any other starting with a walking safari amidst endangered rhinos, a luncheon cruise à la Dr. Livingstone on the Zambezi River and a walking tour to magnificent Victoria Falls. **Days 3, 4 / Belmond Khwai River Lodge** The adventures continue when you fly into Botswana, where a motorboat safari and game drives in the Moremi Reserve in the Okavango Delta promise animal sightings that will stay with you forever. **Days 5, 6 / Belmond Eagle Island Lodge** Explore life in the delta by motorboat, helicopter and *mokoro* (dugout canoe), viewing hippos and elephants at home near the water. **Days 7, 8 / Camp Kalahari** Walk about with San Bushmen who show you the lay of the land, meet meerkats and ride an ATV to the salt pans for an unforgettable al fresco dinner. **Days 9-12 / One&Only Cape Town** Fly to Cape Town for a city tour, a chef-hosted dinner in a private home, a funicular ride on Cape Point and a boat ride to Seal Island before your journey home.

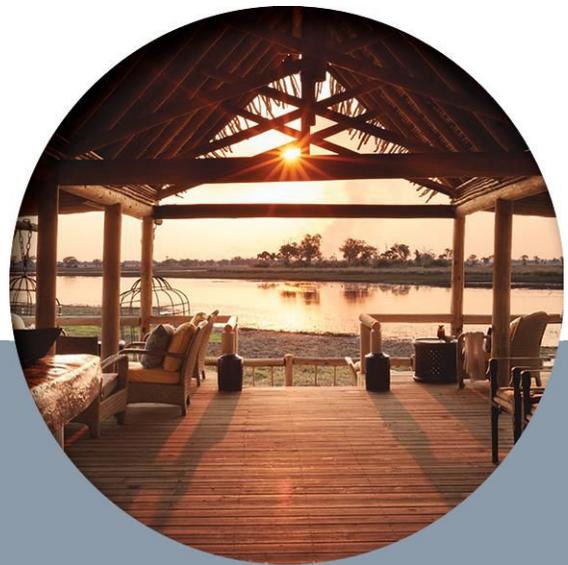


**12 DAYS FROM \$12,990**

Includes 5 On-Tour Air Flights  
**BEGINS LIVINGSTONE /  
ENDS CAPE TOWN**

## Earth Journeys Highlights...

- Ride an all wheel terrain vehicle to the Makgadikgadi Salt Pans where dinner is served under the stars, bonfires lit
- A guided walk through a rhino sanctuary in Zambia to see endangered rhinos in their natural habitat
- A *mokoro* safari in a traditional dugout canoe through the shallow waters of the Okavango Delta



## BELMOND EAGLE ISLAND LODGE

Your own island retreat deep within the Okavango Delta welcomes with thatch-roofed tented rooms on raised wooden decks, a plunge pool and private verandah overlooking a tranquil lagoon so you can watch in wonder the extraordinary wildlife that happens by.



# WILDLIFE ODYSSEY: SOUTH AFRICA, BOTSWANA & ZIMBABWE



COMING SOON, OUR NEWEST 12-DAY BUCKET LIST ADVENTURE FOR 2020 is not quite ready for its close-up, but we wanted to give you a sneak peek before all the final details are in place. Indulge your imagination for safari expeditions of old à la Dr. Livingstone during two nights in Victoria Falls. Make tracks for wildlife-rich game drives in Botswana and South Africa during stays in luxury lodges in the heart of Chobe and Kruger national parks. And explore the stunning landscapes and vineyards of Cape Town, enjoying regionally inspired arts, culinary treats and more. Part safari, part cultural immersion, all amazing, this is a trip you won't want to miss!

## HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE...

- Meet a naturalist who shares expert insights on a walk with elephants at a sanctuary in Zimbabwe
- Soar over South Africa's Cape Peninsula aboard a helicopter for spectacular views of dramatic coastal scenery
  - Your choice – a day in Cape Town on an artisan tour or a day touring Cape Winelands



**COMING SOON FOR 2020!**  
 COMPLETE DETAILS & PRICING AVAILABLE  
 APRIL 2019  
*Reserve with deposit now –  
 fully refundable once pricing is available*

## Journey At A Glance

- 1 **Arrive Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe** / Welcome reception and dinner
- 2 **Victoria Falls** / Walking tour, elephant encounter, Wildlife Trust Animal Clinic
- 3 **Drive to Chobe National Park, Botswana** / Afternoon game drive
- 4 **Chobe National Park** / Game drive / Boat cruise
- 5 **Chobe National Park** / Visit to a local village / Game drive
- 6 **Fly to Kruger National Park, South Africa** / Afternoon game drive
- 7 **Kruger National Park** / Game drives / Walking safari
- 8 **Kruger National Park** / Morning and afternoon game drives
- 9 **Fly to Cape Town, South Africa** / Afternoon arrival
- 10 **Cape Town** / Choice of Cape Town artisan tour or Cape Winelands visit
- 11 **Cape Town** / Cape Peninsula by helicopter / Farewell reception & dinner
- 12 **Depart Cape Town**

*Itinerary subject to change; visit [tauck.com](http://tauck.com) for complete tour details in April 2019*



# CHOOSE A SAFARI THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU



## Go where your heart leads you...

**East Africa** offers tribal cultures, large herds of animals, and sweeping savannahs as well as river valleys and granite vistas in various national parks. The concept of the classic safari was born in East Africa, encompassing Kenya, Tanzania, Zanzibar and the gorilla habitats of Rwanda and home to iconic parks and reserves from prehistoric Ngorongoro Crater to the Maasai Mara and Serengeti National Park, teeming with vast herds of wildlife and renowned for the great wildebeest migration. Here tribal villages and active game viewing are showcased during stays in 4- and 5-star tented camps and lodges authentically decorated and ideally located in the wild places you've dreamed of exploring.

**Southern Africa** offers a mix of city and safari with more up-close time spent with smaller herds in private game reserves. Its landscapes are diverse and evoke images of private game reserves like Sabi Sabi and Lion Sands in Kruger National Park, Cape Winelands lush with traditions and world-renowned vineyards, Johannesburg past and present, Cape Town's mesmerizing Table Mountain and coastal charms aplenty, along with water safaris in Okavango Delta in Botswana and elegant, eye-opening expeditions to Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe and Zambia. A trip to Southern Africa is the ideal choice for travelers looking for a mix of cultural sophistication and intimate wildlife encounters.

TOUR	DAYS	SMALL GROUPS AVAILABLE	DEPARTURE MONTHS	LODGING TYPE	FOCUS	# of Game Drives Possible	ACTIVITY/PACE	GOOD FOR...
KENYA & TANZANIA: A CLASSIC SAFARI (pg. 16)	13		Jan-Mar; May-Dec	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp	Safari & Culture	10	2/4	First timers
TANZANIA: SERENGETI TO ZANZIBAR (pg. 18)	10	✓	Dec-Mar; May-Oct	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp	Safari & Culture	9	2/4	First timers
TANZANIA: A GRAND FAMILY SAFARI (pg. 24)	10		Jun-Aug; Dec	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp	Safari	10	2/4	Families
GREAT MIGRATION: TANZANIA & KENYA (pg. 14)	9	✓ All small groups	Jan-Feb; Jun-Nov	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp, mobile camp	Safari	10	2/4	Been to Africa before
MOUNTAIN GORILLA SAFARI: KENYA, TANZANIA & RWANDA (pg. 22)	16	✓	Jan; Jul-Aug; Dec	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp	Safari, Culture & Gorilla trek	11	4/4	Adventure seekers
MOUNTAIN GORILLA SAFARI: TANZANIA, ZANZIBAR & RWANDA (pg. 20)	13	✓	Jan; Aug; Sep; Dec	Hotel, safari lodge, tented camp	Safari, Culture & Gorilla trek	10	4/4	Adventure seekers
SOUTH AFRICA: AN ELEGANT ADVENTURE (pg. 26)	12	✓	Jan-Dec	Hotel, safari lodge	Safari & City	7	2/4	First timers
BOTSWANA, SOUTH AFRICA & ZAMBIA (pg. 28)	12	✓	Mar-Oct	Hotel, tented camp	Safari	10	2/4	Adventure seekers; Been to Africa before
WILDLIFE ODYSSEY: SOUTH AFRICA, BOTSWANA & ZIMBABWE (pg. 30)	Brand new for 2020; details will be available in April 2019 – Call to reserve your spot today!							

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