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Hotel Accommodations

1. Cape Town Radison Blu Waterfront Hotel 16th -19th Jun 2024
2. Karongwe Shiduli Lodge 19th -21st Jun 2024
3. Johannesburg Garden Court Sandton 21st -23rd Jun 2024
4. Zambia Avani Vic Falls Resort 23rd – 26th Jun 2024

LAND ONLY PACKAGE RATES BASED ON TWO SHARING:

VALID 16 Jun– 26 Jun 2024

Adults sharing a double	USD\$3243.00 GROSS per person
Single Room Supplement	USD\$1258.00 GROSS per person
Child	USD\$1974.00 GROSS per person

Inclusions in above prices:

- 10 nights' accommodation based on a sharing basis Double/Twin with breakfast
- Roundtrip airport transfer with A/C coach in all locations
- Meet & Greet service at CPT and OR Tambo Airport as specified.
- 24-hour service of our Thompson's Africa Customer Care Centre.
- Accommodation, transfers, meals, entrance fees and activities as specified.
- The services of a qualified English-speaking guide on transfers and day tours.
- Hotel and airport portorage

Exclusions in above prices:

- All airfares, departure taxes & fuel surcharges, seat selection
- Personal items
- Optional Tours
- Drinks from the bar
- Tips & Gratuities
- Increase in local tax rates
- Early check-in & late check out of rooms (standard check-in time is 2pm and check out 10am)
- Travel Insurance
- Visa/passport handling fees

ENLIGHTEN EXCURSIONS GROUP JUN 16 2024– JUN 26, 2024

- Suggested Itinerary -



JUN 16 ARRIVE CAPETOWN, SOUTH AFRICA (B)

On arrival at Cape Town airport, you will be met and transferred to your hotel for check in, enjoy the rest of the day at your leisure.

Cape Town is located in the southwest corner of South Africa near the Cape of Good Hope. With its unrivalled natural beauty, Cape Town is certainly a highlight of Southern Africa. Originally intended as a supply station for Dutch ships en route to Eastern Africa, India and the Far East, by 1652, Cape Town had become the first permanent European settlement in South Africa. As time passed other settlements were created, yet the Cape Colony looked to Cape Town as its economic and cultural hub.

With its majestic Table Mountain backdrop, Cape Town is one of the most beautiful and exciting cities in the world; an eclectic mix of architectural styles reflects the tastes and dictates of the past and the more functional demands of the 20th Century.

Accommodation: Radisson Blu Waterfront –3 Nights

JUN 17 FULL DAY ROBBER ISLAND, CAPE TOWN CITY W/TABLE MOUNTAIN (B)

After breakfast at the hotel, transfer to the V & A Waterfront and will walk to the ferry terminal with the guide for your tour to Robben Island. Embark on your 3 ½ hour tour of Robben Island. **Robben Island** needs no introduction with regards to the significance of its place in South Africa's and indeed the world's history. You will have a guided tour and see where Nelson Mandela spent 18 years of the 27 years of his incarceration imprisoned on the island. After the tour, return to the V&A waterfront for lunch on your own.

Take the **cable car up to the summit of the legendary Table Mountain** (weather dependent) for a view of the city and the surrounding layout of the southernmost tip of Africa. Spend time up there exploring. You can hit one of three

hiking trails that start at the Upper Cable Station and explore the summit further. Table Mountain is part of a World Heritage Site, an important part of the Cape Floristic Region and the single richest floristic area in the world. There is a lot of fynbos vegetation on the mountain, with over 1 460 different species of plants. There are also plenty of daisies, lizards, insects and birdlife to be seen. You can take on of the audio tours, join a guided walk, grab a coffee or beverage at the cafe or do some shopping at the gift shop. Whatever you decide, you will enjoy the view. This is a great spot to sit and soak up the commanding 360-degree views of Cape Town, Table Bay, the nearby peaks of the surrounding mountains and the rest of the Table Mountain National Park, in which the Cableway is situated.

You will also enjoy a **half-day orientation tour of Cape Town**. You will see iconic buildings, snatches of history, and experiences the uniqueness of this city. Drive past the country's oldest building, the Castle, and a short distance away, the Company Gardens, both historically fascinating and well conserved. Our drive continues past the Parliament Buildings, City Hall and the Slave Lodge; you will sense the depth of history via their distinctive architecture. Colonial then changes to colourful, as you move up the cobblestoned hills to the Malay Quarter, and marvel at the ice-cream colors of the quaint Bo-Kaap homes. You would also visit District six museum, a memorial which contains maps, photographs of district six which was destroyed in the 1960's by the apartheid nationalist government.

Return to the hotel for the rest of the day at leisure.

JUN 18	HALF DAY WINELANDS TOUR & DINNER	(BD)
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After breakfast, depart for a day tour of the beautiful winelands of the western Cape.

Visit the charming university town of **Stellenbosch**.

Stellenbosch is a university town surrounded by the vineyards of the Cape Winelands and the mountainous nature reserves of Jonkershoek and Simonsberg. The town's oak-shaded streets are lined with cafes, boutiques and art galleries. Cape Dutch architecture gives a sense of South Africa's Dutch colonial history. You would visit a wine estate where you will have **wine tasting** and enjoy lunch on own account.

After lunch, you will take an orientation tour of Stellenbosch before returning to your hotel in Cape Town.



In the evening, you will be having dinner at **the Gold restaurant** where you get to enjoy authentic **South African food and African drumming**. Gold Restaurant is a unique African restaurant in the heart of Cape Town. An evening here begins with a djembe drumming session, followed by a hand-washing ceremony and afterwards, you will tuck into the set 3-course meal consisting of 14 'taster dishes'. This dining experience can best be described as a taste safari that will transport you from Table Mountain to Timbuktu. This culinary experience is accompanied by a unique interactive traditional entertainment.

JUN 19 CAPETOWN – KARONGWE GAME RESERVE (FB)

Breakfast at the hotel, check out of hotel and transfer to airport for your flight to Kapama game reserve.

Arrival in Hoedspruit airport, transfer to Shiduli lodge for overnight the next 2 nights.

JUN 20 KARONGWE GAME RESERVE (FB)

Karongwe Game Reserve in Limpopo, South Africa, is an untamed and tranquil Eden, rich in wildlife and timeless beauty. Sought after Big Five game can be viewed in this vast wilderness and each lodge offers a haven of luxury and indulgence

Positioned on 9000 hectares of land, this Limpopo game reserve in South Africa with its lush environment is one of the best locations to spot Africa's most elusive large cat, the Leopard. Inspirational game drives and walking safaris are guided by superb rangers and trackers, many of whom are native to the land and intimately acquainted with its cultural traditions



JUN 21 KARONGWE- JOHANNESBURG (B)

Breakfast at the hotel, check out of hotel and transfer to airport for your flight to Johannesburg.

On arrival at OR Tambo airport, you will be met and transferred to your hotel for check in.

This afternoon, you will have an introduction to Johannesburg by visiting the Aparthied museum.

Return to hotel, enjoy the rest of the day at your leisure.

Accommodation: Garden Court Sandton hotel –2 Nights

JUN 22 FULL DAY JOHANNESBURG &SOWETO (B)

After breakfast take a tour to Soweto with a township lunch at Sakhumzi's Restaurant. SOWETO an acronym for South Western Township, is the largest Black residential area in South Africa that has a population of more than 3.5 Million, who despite living in crowded and chaotic conditions, have a tangible sense of community. This tour gives you an opportunity to interact with the local residents of the township and ask questions that have been on your mind - such as how life was under apartheid, how life is now, questions on the economy, and on current events.

Visit the **Hector Pieterse Museum, Regina Mundi Church** and have a photo stop outside **Mandela House**.

Township food, although simply delicious. There's something about its simplicity and communal serving that makes you feel like you are not just experiencing good food, but you are a part of the community too. You will have **lunch at Sakhumzi's Restaurant**. Brimming with good cheer, Sakhumzi is popular for its daily lunch buffets. Patrons spill onto the street tables and mingle joyfully with passers-by. Expect African staples such as mutton stew, *umleqwa* (traditional-style steamed chicken) and mealie pap as well as more conventional burgers and steaks.

After lunch, set off for **Constitution Hill**, home of South Africa's architectural marvel, the **Constitutional Court** and site of **Johannesburg's Old Fort Prison** (closed Sundays). Explore the inner city of Johannesburg learning about the gold rush, before exploring the **Maboneng Precinct**, a wonderful example of urban regeneration of the eastside of Johannesburg.

JUN 23 JBORG-VICTORIA FALLS (ZAMBIA) (B)

Breakfast at the hotel.

Overnight at Avani Vic Falls Resort –3 Nights

JUN 24 FALLS (B)

After breakfast, proceed for your tour of Zambian falls along with your guide.

Victoria Falls is part of the mighty Zambezi River, which forms the border between Zimbabwe and Zambia. The waterfall straddles Zimbabwe to the west and Zambia to the east, and is easily accessed from either country via Victoria Falls Town in Zimbabwe or Livingstone in Zambia.

The Victoria Falls, is traditionally known as Mosi-oa-Tunya (which, aptly, means the 'Smoke that Thunders'), the falling water's impressive roar can sometimes be heard from 40 kilometres (25 miles) away. And on a wind-free day during high-water season, which runs from about February to July depending on the rain, a dazzling cloud of mist can float high above the fall. This is truly a magnificent wonder of nature that every safari lover should experience at least once!

JUN 25 FAREWELL DINNER (B)

Enjoy the day at leisure.

In the evening board the African queen sunset cruise, enjoy a 2 hour sunset cruise on the Zambezi River along with cocktails and snacks on deck.

JUN 26 DEPARTURE –HOME BOUND (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Check out of your hotel, transfer to airport for your flight to Johannesburg then connect with home bound flight (flight not included).



IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING COVID-19 AND IMPACT ON TRAVEL

Please be advised that you are considering, or intending to proceed with, international travel at a time when COVID-19 is a known global risk. Any person choosing to proceed with travel with that in mind, does assume and accept responsibility accordingly for the risks, potential loss and limitations that may apply.

Enlighten Excursions and Goway Travel Ltd advises that COVID-19, and the health and security measures around COVID may impact parts of your trip and may affect the operation of some travel services. Any country you travelling to, from or via, and the airline(s) you are travelling on, may all have strict requirements to limit the spread of COVID-19.

These requirements may include, but are not limited to:

- Wearing of masks at airports, while on an aircraft, and when out in public.
- Compulsory requirements to have adequate health & travel insurance coverage.
- Requirement to be fully vaccinated before being allowed to enter or transit a country.
- Being fully vaccinated or be tested for COVID-19, before being allowed to board any flight.
- Subject to pre-screening or screening to enter your destination country or any transit countries.
- Subject to quarantine/isolation periods in any country subject to screening results.
- Having proof of vaccination or health status, when staying in hotels, dining, sightseeing, etc.
- Changing restrictions on sightseeing, due to closures or other public health concerns.
- Limitation/restrictions on travel to your destination by your country of residence/citizenship.
- Possible compulsory quarantine on return to your country of residence/citizenship.

NOTE! For ALL TRAVELERS flying to (including returning to) the USA - Effective June 12, until further notice

Air passengers will no longer need to get tested and show a negative COVID-19 test result or show documentation of recovery from COVID-19 prior to boarding a flight to the United States regardless of vaccination status or citizenship. **Of note, CDC's Order requiring proof of vaccination for non-citizen non-immigrants travelling to the United States is still in effect.** Please note these measures can change at anytime without notice please keep up to date with travel restrictions for the United States by referring to the below link

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel.html>

COVID-19 is causing constant & ongoing changes in the application of the above types of measures. The way a country, government, airline or airport chooses to deal with the threat of COVID is constantly changing.

It is your responsibility to keep yourself and members of your traveling party (travel companions) informed of, and meet, all requirements in relation to your trip and any COVID based restrictions, and we suggest these are constantly monitored until your trip is complete, as they can change at any time even while travelling overseas.

Any additional expenses or fees incurred, or any loss (including missed or non-refundable trip components), resulting from airline or government requirements & restrictions, will be the sole responsibility of the traveler.

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