

LUXURY GOLD

Welcome to
The New Golden Age of Travel

Spectacular South Africa



Your Journey Map



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LUXURY GOLD HOTEL STAYS

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PLACE VISITED

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ROAD/CRUISE JOURNEY

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INCLUDED FLIGHT

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TRAIN JOURNEY

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OPTIONAL FLIGHT/EXTENSION

Your Day by Day Experience

DAY 1 Welcome to the Mother City



Welcome to Cape Town, the crown jewel of the African continent, inviting you with spectacular scenery, culture and flavors. After you're greeted at Cape Town International, you'll be transferred to your hotel nestled between Table Mountain and 12 Apostles Mountain Range. Take in the sweeping views of the Atlantic Ocean before joining your Travel Concierge and travel companions for a dazzling Welcome Dinner at the hotel's Azure restaurant. From your table on the glamorous terrace, enjoy fine dining of modern South African cuisine inspired by the ocean prepared with seasonally organic ingredients and infused with international influences.

Included Dining: Dinner

Accommodation: Twelve Apostles Hotel and Spa, Cape Town.

DAY 2 Cape Peninsula and Lunch in Kalk Bay

Venture south on one of the world's most legendary journeys through the fishing village of Hout Bay, along Chapman's Peak and past colorful Kalk Bay. Explore the natural wonderland of Cape Point Nature Reserve, one of the world's most pristine wildernesses. Rare wildlife sightings continue at Boulders Beach where you'll learn about the resident colony of African penguins. Reflect on the spectacular wildlife and scenery over an exquisite lunch with wine at the Harbor House restaurant in Kalk Bay boasting views overlooking False Bay and the Hottentots Mountain Range before returning to your elegant hotel.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Twelve Apostles Hotel and Spa, Cape Town.



DAY 3 Majestic Table Mountain



Cape Town is yours to discover with your choice of illuminating experiences. Indulge your culinary side for a visit to the trendy The Old Biscuit Mill, a vibrant market where you'll meet the vendors, browse the stalls and sample culinary delights. Or, gain a powerful history lesson visiting the District Six Museum's memorial dedicated to the area destroyed during Apartheid. As the sun begins to dip, ascend Table Mountain on a cable car. Your arrival at the summit welcomes you with 360-degree views across Cape Town, Lion's Head and the Atlantic Ocean as you breathe in the sunset with glass in hand at a drinks reception. This evening, venture to a nearby restaurant for an opulent culinary journey.

Included Dining: Breakfast

Accommodation: Twelve Apostles Hotel and Spa, Cape Town.

DAY 4 Historic Cape Winelands

Relish your time in the Cape's noteworthy fertile wine valleys, famous for crisp white and French-style red wines, traveling through lush lands of rustic beauty and shaded sprawling estates. In the heart of the winelands at Vergelegen Estate, choose to indulge in a wine tasting hosted by the estate's winemaker followed by a walk through the 18 unique gardens. Or, pedal your way through a nearby vineyard with a guide. At Boschendal Wine Estate, one of the oldest farms in the country, sit down to a delicious seasonal farm-to-table lunch at The Werf Restaurant in the beautifully revamped Manor House cellar. Relax and enjoy a scenic drive in style as you are chauffeured back in a vintage car that will make heads turn.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Twelve Apostles Hotel and Spa, Cape Town.



DAY 5 Amy Foundation and Robben Island



Discover South Africa's history of complexities, diversity and ideas boarding a ferry to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Robben Island, best known for its prison where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned. Join an insightful tour of the former prison and meet an ex-political prisoner who will share personal anecdotes. On the mainland join Christo Brand, a former prison guard at the Victor Verster prison where Nelson Mandela spent the last 14 months of his imprisonment, for lunch and fascinating stories at the Amy Foundation, a non-profit organization. On this MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience learn how the lives of vulnerable young people are being transformed through a variety of empowering programs.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch

Accommodation: Twelve Apostles Hotel and Spa, Cape Town.

DAY 6 Luxury Safari Experience

Embark on a deluxe safari flying from Cape Town into the heart of the African bushveld's Kruger National Park, one of the world's largest game reserves. Savor your first moments in Big Five territory en route to the luxurious Lion Sands Lodge for lunch with wine. Then you're off on your first exclusive evening game drive on your private, open-air safari vehicle hosted by an expert ranger and tracker. Plunge through the Lion Sands Game Reserve, part of an ecosystem boasting the largest concentration of wild animal species in the Southern Hemisphere, learning fascinating insights on local wildlife. Pause for a refreshing gin-and-tonic and snacks before an evening feast of slow-cooked meats, seasonal vegetables and sweet treats in your safari style villa.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Lion Sands Tinga Lodge, Kruger National Park.



DAY 7 Looking for the Big Five



Arise with sunrise to a cup of freshly brewed coffee for your captivating morning game drive. Marvel at your tracker's talent for spotting leopards and listening for the sounds of elephants munching on leaves. View crocodiles and hippopotamuses at distant watering holes and the flashes of exotic birds. Enjoy a leisurely late morning breakfast at the lodge before personalizing the afternoon. Choose to relax over high tea or join your ranger for a bush walk. Early evening – the ideal time to spot members of the Big Five – finds you venturing on your second game drive of the day in search of rhinoceros, buffalo and lions. As the sun sets beyond the savannah, feast on another magnificent dinner by candlelight.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Lion Sands Narina Lodge/Sabi Sabi Bush Lodge.

DAY 8 We're Going on a Safari

Greet the dawn, the best time to spot predators, for a game drive through the fresh morning mist. Perhaps stop along the Sabie River to enjoy a cup of hot coffee while keeping an eye out for buck and towering giraffes. Upon returning to your lodge, savor a sumptuous breakfast on deck before exploring your surroundings on a leisurely birding walk or resting before lunch and afternoon tea. This evening, join your ranger and tracker for your final evening game drive, soaking up the magic of the golden hued African bushveld illuminated by the sinking sun. Raise a glass to an outstanding adventure as you linger over your Celebration Dinner paired with local wines beneath a blanket of stars.

Included Dining: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Lion Sands Narina Lodge/Sabi Sabi Bush Lodge.



DAY 9 Farewell South Africa

Your final morning finds you soaking in every moment of your time in South Africa on a morning game-drive. No day in the bushveld is the same, and yours may be enhanced by a unique bird sighting. After breakfast, conclude your Cape Town to Kruger National Park luxury tour with a transfer to the Skukuza Airport for your onward journey. Please do not book onward flights from Johannesburg before 18.00.

On occasion, hotels of similar standard and location may be utilized.

Included Dining: Breakfast