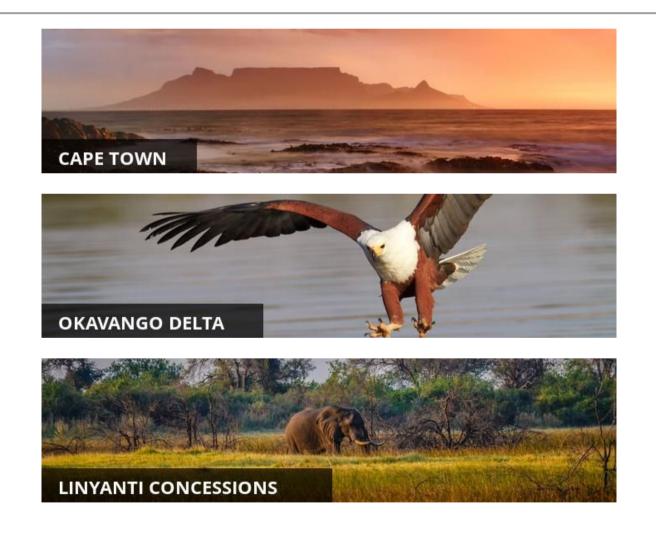


PAWS Premier African Wildlife Safari

Cape Town - Okavango Delta - Linyanti Concessions - Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe - Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve 16 Days / 15 Nights







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Accommodation	Destination	Nights	Basis
Cape Grace	Cape Town	4	B&B
<u>Vumbura Plains</u>	Okavango Delta	3	FI
Kings Pool	Linyanti Concessions	3	FI
Victoria Falls Hotel	Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe	2	D, B&B

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<u>Ulusaba Rock Lodge</u>	Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve	3	FI	
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B&B: Bed and breakfast				
D, B&B: Dinner, bed and breakfast				
FI: Fully inclusive				

Day 1-5: Cape Grace, Cape Town

Overnight: Cape Grace <u>View iBrochure</u>

Nestled on a private quay in Cape Town's bustling Victoria & Alfred Waterfront between a working harbor and the serenity of an international yacht marina, Cape Grace showcases the essence of the Cape, whilst staying true to the warm atmosphere and personalized levels of service that have for years defined the hotel. Cape Grace is centrally located, with quick and easy access to the airport, city center and popular tourist destinations. From the globally inspired offerings of the hotel's restaurant Signal, to the whisky, wine and cocktail treats that await below deck at the popular Bascule Whisky, Wine and Cocktail Bar, to the African delights that surprise at The Spa at Cape Grace, the hotel is dedicated to surpassing expectations.



Included Activities

Cape Point Tour Full Day

Highlights of a trip down to Cape Point include; one of the world's most spectacular drives, Hout Bay, Chapman's Peak, Noordhoek Beach, the Cape Point Nature Reserve, two lighthouses on the tip of Africa, Boulders Penguin Colony, Simonstown, Kalk Bay and the Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens.



Cape Town City Tour Half Day

On a clear day from the summit of Table Mountain you get spectacular views of the City, its Waterfront, Camps Bay, the majestic Hottentots Holland Mountains to the East and the mountains of the Cape Peninsula all the way down to Cape Point to the south. The Table Mountain cableway, boasts revolving floors, giving passengers a 360 degree view. After descending the mountain, you will depart on a tour of the "Mother City" taking in Signal Hill – where the Noon Day Gun is fired at midday (except Sunday) through the colourful Bo-Kaap or Cape Malay Quarter, past the Grand Parade, City Hall and the Castle of Good Hope and South African Cultural History Museum.



Cape Winelands Day Tour

From Cape Town make your way out into the picturesque winelands visiting South Africa's most famous wine regions – Paarl, Franschoek and Stellenbosch. Aside from the excellent wines the area is renowned for its food and is steeped in history such as the Taal monument, various museums and the contribution of the French Huguenots. There are also many attractions you wouldn't expect to find on a wine route, from butterflies to cheetahs and pretty much everything in between.



Included

Private transfer from Cape Town International Airport to the Cape Grace. FOUR Nights Accommodation on a Bed & Breakfast basis. Cape Point Full Day Tour. Cape Town City Half Day Tour. Cape Winelands Day Tour.

Excluded

Scheduled Commercial Flight to Cape Town International Airport. All other meals and drinks.

Day 5-8: Vumbura Plains, Okavango Delta

Okavango Delta

Lying in the middle of the largest expanse of sand on earth the Okavango Delta is one of Africa's most amazing, sensitive and complex environments supporting a spectacle of wilderness and wildlife. Unique as one of the world's few inland deltas, the placid waters and lush indigenous forests offer a safe haven for innumerable bird and wildlife species. The Okavango Delta offers a number of activities for the visitor; game viewing, birding and fishing are all on offer. One can experience this magical world of islands and waterways from land, air and water.

Highlights include the elusive Sitatunga antelope which has found refuge in this pristine wetland ecosystem, while birds such as the African fish eagle, Pel's fishing owl and many others provide a spectacular display.

Overnight: Vumbura Plains <u>View iBrochure</u>

A modern-style safari camp that wouldn't look out of place in an architecture magazine, Vumbura Plains is designed and operated in total empathy with its diverse surroundings. Partnerships with local communities in this region of the Okavango Delta have created empowerment opportunities while allowing guests access to its many treasures.

Fourteen light, airy guest rooms feature designer fittings and touches of unabashed luxury, including private plunge pools and salas, and indoor and outdoor showers. Safari activities focus on day and night game drives through a variety of game-rich terrains. Seasonal water activities can be very rewarding, to say nothing of a hot air balloon safari.

- INSIDER TIP -

Secure a spot at the telescope for exceptional viewing of birds and wildlife. If you are lucky you may even catch a glimpse of the resident otter family!



Included

Private transfer from the Cape Grace to Cape Town International Airport. Scheduled Charter Flight from Maun Airport to Vumbura Plains. THREE Nights Accommodation on a Fully Inclusive basis including all meals, twice daily scheduled camp activities, park fees, laundry and all local drinks.

Excluded

Scheduled Commercial Flight from Cape Town International Airport to Maun Airport. Premium imported drinks brands and champagne.

Day 8-11: Kings Pool, Linyanti Concessions

Linyanti Concessions

The Kwando-Linyanti river system is home to a series of private game reserves, known for their exotic animal species and luxury safari options. An abundance of wildlife roams freely between the woodland habitats, ancient floodplains and forests that make up these lush, unfenced reserves. The big game in this area increases dramatically during the dry season when the area hosts large herds of impala, blue wildebeest, giraffe and buffalo as well as the world's highest density of elephant. Several packs of wild dog are found in the area and lion, leopard and cheetah are frequently sighted. Night drives allow for the discovery of nocturnal creatures such as civets, genets, honey badgers and spring hares. This vast, untamed wilderness is the perfect location for those seeking a unique African adventure in an exclusive and remote big game habitat.

Overnight: Kings Pool <u>View iBrochure</u>

Named for Scandinavian royalty, this luxurious and stylish camp overlooks the oxbow-shaped Kings Pool Lagoon and Linyanti River system.

Nine well-appointed rooms (including a family room) of canvas and thatch each have a large en-suite bedroom, outdoor shower and lounge. A veranda with private plunge pool and separate thatched sala soak up the views. The lounge and dining areas are set on expansive decks, and there is a pool and an open-air 'kgotla' (boma) for evening dining under the stars.

Activities include day and night game drives, walks (depending on qualified guide availability), and nearby hides, ideal for photographing birds and wildlife. In the dry season, guests can spend their siesta watching game come down to drink at the unique underground hide, where the water is at eye level. Seeing elephant feet and trunks almost within touching distance while safely inside is an experience that transcends that of an ordinary safari.



Included

Scheduled Charter Flight from Vumbura Plains to Kings Pool.

THREE Nights Accommodation on a Fully Inclusive basis including all meals, twice daily scheduled camp activities, park fees, laundry and all local drinks.

Excluded

Premium imported drinks brands and champagne.

Day 11-13: Victoria Falls Hotel, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

Resting on the southern banks of the Zambezi river at the western end of the eponymous falls, this popular tourist town is compact enough to walk around and makes an ideal base for travellers exploring the seventh wonder of the world, the unfathomably vast Victoria Falls. About two thirds of the falls can be viewed from the Zimbabwean side and, while the falls are undoubtedly the star attraction, the area provides both adventure seekers and sightseers with plenty of opportunities to warrant a longer stay. Popular activities include scenic flights over the falls in helicopters or micro lights, bungee jumping off the Victoria Falls Bridge, white-water rafting (seasonal), and day trips

to Chobe National Park.

Overnight: Victoria Falls Hotel View iBrochure

The Victoria Falls Hotel, popularly known as "the grand old lady of the Falls", is situated in the Victoria Falls National Park, and is a member of the exclusive Leading Hotels of the World group. It is one of only three ISO-accredited hotels in Zimbabwe. The Edwardian-style five-star hotel combines the charm of the old with the convenience of the new. Set in lush tropical gardens with lily ponds, palm trees and semi-tropical shrubs, it provides the tranquillity and seclusion that many guests seek. The famous Victoria Falls are just a ten-minute walk away using the hotel's private pathway, and "the smoke that thunders" or "Mosi-O-Tunya" in the local dialect, is clearly audible and visible from this luxurious landmark.



Included Activities

Tour of the Falls Zimbabwe

The Victoria Falls – Now In Its 150 Millionth Fantastic Year - Reaches Its Zenith In About May each year. It's a truly awe-inspiring experience – the sight, the sound, the smell; the humbling feeling that here indeed is Nature's Supreme Masterpiece. No photograph can begin to depict the reality...and nothing prepares you for your first sight. This tour is conducted in the morning and afternoon. En route, clients may be taken past the 'Big Tree' where they may stop and take photos. Clients can be accompanied through the Rainforest by qualified Guides who will give a brief history of the Falls themselves as well as detailing the flora, fauna, bird & wildlife and other points of interest.



Ra-Ikane

The Ra-Ikane, the only one of it's kind in Victoria Falls, is a small luxury cruise boat that is out-fitted to suggest, in exquisite detail, an ambiance of a bygone era. The vessel was built to replicate the "Ma-Robert" – Dr David Livingstone's boat.

This cruise boat is exclusive and personalised and designed to complement your stay with us. Period decor, historic memorabilia, fine cuisine and refreshments characterise a level of comfort and grace unsurpassed on the Zambezi.



Lunch at the Lookout Café

CUISINE - À la Carte lunch Highlights:

- Spectacular views of the Batoka Gorge, Vic Falls Bridge and Spray of the Falls
- Semi open-air café with refreshing beverages and a lively cocktail menu
- Cafe style cuisine with offerings to suit every taste and occasion



The Boma Restaurant

The Boma – Dinner & Drum Show is a "must do" Victoria Falls dining and entertainment experience, specializing in traditional African food, drumming and dancing. The food is cooked and served in the style and quantity of a lavish feast, including irresistible desserts. On arrival, you are dressed in a chitenge (traditional sarong) and welcomed into a vibrant atmosphere in which the tantalizing aromas of local dishes and game meat on the braai (barbecue) fill the restaurant, which is partially open to the star-filled African sky. Your meal begins with a mouth-watering platter of starters whilst the buffet includes soup from the campfire, a range of salads, game meat cooked on a braai (barbecue), followed by desserts. Vegetarian options are also available, as well as local dishes such as peanut butter spinach. You can also look forward to outstanding performances by traditional singers and dancers, and enjoy an energizing interactive drumming show. A face painter, storyteller, hair braider and fortune teller also form part of this festive evening.



Included

Scheduled Charter Flight from Kings Pool to Kasane Airport. Private transfer from Kasane Airport to Victoria Falls Hotel. TWO Nights Accommodation at the Victoria Falls Hotel on a Dinner, Bed and Breakfast basis. Private Guided Tour of the Falls on the Zimbabwean side. Lunch at the Lookout Cafe. Dinner at the Boma Restaurant.

Excluded

All other meals and drinks.

Day 13-16: Ulusaba Rock Lodge, Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve

Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve

The Sabi Sands is South Africa's premier private game viewing destination. It was here that the southern African safari began and today this famous reserve offers exceptional game viewing and equally exceptional accommodations. Two perennial rivers, the Sabi and the Sand flow through this Game Park, sustaining the diverse fauna and flora of the area. The success of leopard viewing within the Sabi Sands is legendary. Elephants, lion, rhino, buffalo, cheetah, giraffe, zebra and a vast variety of antelope and other species can be closely observed in their natural environment.

Overnight: Ulusaba Rock Lodge View iBrochure

Ulusaba is Sir Richard Branson's Private Game Reserve located in the Western sector of the Sabi Sand Private Game Reserve. Rock Lodge is perched high on the summit of a koppie and provides panoramic views over miles of bush, the wildlife roaming within, and the beauty of the lowveld below. Rock Lodge features ten individually designed rooms and suites as well as a swimming pool, gymnasium, a wine cellar, Aroma Boma spa with panoramic views, a Bush Observatory perfect for stargazing and tennis courts. Guests can enjoy safari walks, moonlit bush dinners and of course, the twice daily game drives.



Included

Private transfer from Victoria Falls Hotel to Victoria Falls International Airport.

Scheduled Charter Flight from Kruger Airport to Ulusaba Rock Lodge.

THREE Nights Accommodation on a Fully Inclusive basis including all meals served in a variety of locations around the lodges. All drinks including a top quality wine list, fine champagne and premium branded spirits. Twice daily game drives and a daily walking safari (the walking safari is subject to favourable weather conditions). Laundry service (no dry cleaning available).

Excluded

Scheduled Commercial Flight from Victoria Falls Airport to Kruger Airport.

Day 16: Departure

Included

Scheduled Charter Flight from Ulusaba Rock Lodge to O.R. Tambo International Airport in Johannesburg.

Excluded

Scheduled Commercial Flight departing from Johannesburg Airport.

Overview

What's Included Accommodation Meals and Drinks specified as included Transfers and Activities specified as included Scheduled Charter Flights

What's NOT Included

Meals and drinks not specified as included Transfers and Activities not specified as included Scheduled Commercial Flights Tips & Gratuities Shopping Visa Fees Any items of a personal nature Specialist Guide Sid Hayes (Daily Fee TBA)

PLEASE NOTE ALL FLIGHTS AND ROUTING ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDANT ON DAYS AND DATES OF TRAVEL

ALTERNATIVE LUXURY ACCOMMODATION CAN BE SUBSTITUTED IN ANY OF THESE DESTINATIONS

Suggested Gratuities (subject to service standards and at guests' own discretion

USD 10.00 per guest per day for guiding staff at the camps USD 5.00 per guest per day for housekeeping and porterage at the hotels and camps.

"If I have ever seen magic, it has been in Africa."

* John Hemíngway



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