

Wild & Delicious South Africa – 2 Small Group Trips in 2019: April / May 2019 and August 2019 11 Days / 10 Nights

SUMMARY:

Travel dates:

• Trip 1: end of April until beginning of May, 2109 (April 23 to May 3, 2019)

Trip 2: middle of August 2019 (August 13 to August 23, 2019)

Duration of Trip: 11 days / 10 nights

Accommodation format: Double-Occupancy (i.e. 2 people sharing a Room)

DESTINATION HIGHLIGHTS:

- Johannesburg (Transit only upon initial arrival into South Africa): Johannesburg, affectionately known as "Jozi" or "Joburg", is a bustling mega city that melds people from all walks of life. You can eat some of the finest cuisine in the upscale Sandton and Rosebank neighborhoods or marvel at the beautiful graffiti art and eclectic vibe of Maboneng Precinct. Joburg also has some of South Africa's most historically significant sites and museums including Soweto Township (childhood home of Nelson Mandela and Bishop Desmond Tutu) and the Apartheid Museum.
- Cape Town: Also called "The Mother City", Cape Town is a coming-together of cultures, cuisines and landscapes. Considered one of the most beautiful places in the world, there's nowhere quite like Cape Town, a singularly beautiful city crowned by the majestic Table Mountain National Park and flanked by the dramatic coastline and ocean.
- Cape Winelands (South African Wine Country): The "Napa Valley" of Africa can be found right outside Cape Town and cities like Franschhoek and Stellenbosch coalesce the old-world nostalgia with the new world luxuries in a delectable combination of wine, scenery, and fresh delicious food!
- Kruger National Park or a nearby Private Game Reserve (Sabi Sands, Timbavati, etc.): Not only have several Wildlife Specials (National Geographic, Animal Planet, BBC, etc.) been shot here, but some of the most popular wildlife videos on the Internat have been shot in and around Kruger National Park the undisputed wildlife haven in South Africa. If you want to see Africa's Big 5 Mammals (Lion, Leopard, Rhino, Elephant, and Buffalo) in their natural environment, then you must visit Kruger or one of the private reserves neighboring this national park.











DAY BY DAY ITINERARY:

- Day 1: You will depart from your home airport in the U.S. Africa is waiting to give you its unique, warm welcome.
- Day 2: You will be en route to Johannesburg, South Africa.
- Day 3: Upon arrival in Johannesburg OR Tambo International Airport, you will make your way to the hotel shuttle pick-up area, where you will be greeted by someone from your hotel. The driver will assist you with your bags and transfer you to your hotel located near the airport.
 - Accommodations: Peermont Metcourt Hotel. Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 4: After breakfast, you will take the hotel shuttle back to Johannesburg OR Tambo Airport for a flight to Cape Town. (NOTE: This domestic flight is not included in the package pricing quoted below.) Upon arrival in Cape Town Airport, you will be transferred to your hotel in this most magnificent of cities. After checking in, you will be taken for lunch (meal included, but drinks will be at your own cost). After lunch, you will be taken on a half-day tour of Cape Town City as well as Table Mountain (weather permitting) and other attractions. Overnight stay will be at your hotel in Cape Town.
 - Accommodations: Victoria & Alfred Hotel. Meals included: Breakfast and lunch.
- Day 5: After breakfast, you will be taken on a full-day tour of the Cape Peninsula, inclusive of lunch (meal included, but drinks will be at your own cost). During this tour of the southernmost tip of Africa, you will visit Cape of Good Hope, Boulder Beach (where you will see penguins), Hout Bay Harbor, Kirstenbosch Gardens, and other spectacular sites. All of these destination visits are weather permitting.
 - Accommodations: Victoria & Alfred Hotel. Meals included: Breakfast and lunch.
- Day 6: After breakfast, you will check out of your Cape Town hotel and proceed to the wine country, where you will check into your new luxury lodge. Lunch will be at your own cost. In the early afternoon, you will depart on a tour of the Cape Winelands that feature some of the most famous wineries in South Africa. Overnight stay will be at your lodge in the wine country.
 - o Accommodations: Franschhoek Country House & Villas. Meals included: Breakfast only.
- Day 7: After breakfast, you will be transferred to Cape Town Airport for a flight to one of the
 airports near Kruger National Park. Once you land, you will be met by an English-speaking guide
 who will transfer you to your safari lodge for lunch. (NOTE: This domestic flight is not included
 in the package pricing quoted below.) In the afternoon, you will go on your first wildlife safari
 game drive. Overnight in Kruger National Park or a Private Game Reserve (Sabi Sands,
 Timbavati, etc.)
 - o Accommodations: Lukimbi Safari Lodge. Meals included: All meals.











- Day 8: You will enjoy a full day of photography, game drives, and other wildlife-related activities in the African bush. Enjoy two game drives per day as well as other activities such as bush walks. Overnight in Kruger National Park or a Private Game Reserve (Sabi Sands, Timbavati, etc.)
 - o Accommodations: Lukimbi Safari Lodge. Meals included: All meals.
- Day 9: You will enjoy a full day of photography, game drives, and other wildlife-related activities in the African bush. Enjoy two game drives per day as well as other activities such as bush walks. Overnight in Kruger National Park or a Private Game Reserve (Sabi Sands, Timbavati, etc.)
 - Accommodations: Lukimbi Safari Lodge. Meals included: All meals.
- Day 10: After breakfast, you will be transferred to one of the airports located in the Kruger area for a flight to Johannesburg. (NOTE: This domestic flight is not included in the package pricing quoted below.) Upon arrival in JNB, you will connect to your onward flight back home.
- Day 11: You will arrive in the U.S. after a trip of a lifetime with beautiful photographs, amazing video clips, and of course unforgettable memories!

PRICE

Price per adult (when sharing accommodations with another adult): \$3,999/person

The Trip Cost quoted above includes:

- Airport meet & greet services
- Ground transportation with an English-speaking driver/guide or naturalist guide
- Accommodation and meals as stipulated in the itinerary
- Safari game drives or sightseeing as stipulated in the itinerary (game drives may be on a shared basis in other words, there may be other guests in the safari vehicle during the game drives).
- Park or reserve entry fees where applicable

This Trip Cost quoted above excludes:

- Round-trip flights between the U.S. and Africa
- Any domestic or regional flight(s) within Africa that are NOT identified as "Included"
- Visa fees
- Government-imposed taxes
- Tips & gratuities (a tipping guide will be provided)
- Inoculations and personal/medical/travel insurance
- Meals and beverages not included in the itinerary
- Optional activities and excursions
- Items of personal nature such as laundry services, shopping expenses, telephone charges, etc.











DISCLAIMERS & GENERAL TERMS

Disclaimers:

- This itinerary is subject to Terms and Conditions. A copy of the Terms and Conditions will be sent for your review. Please note the General Terms & Conditions itemized below.
- This Itinerary is subject to availability of quoted services at time of booking.
- Costs are based on rates made available by our suppliers and therefore subject to change.
- Costs are subject to change due to currency fluctuations or any other statutory increases beyond our control.
- It might be necessary, due to circumstances beyond our control, where we might need to change the program. Closing times at sightseeing points, changed flight times, road blocks, detours or act of God can also delay the program. We reserve the right to make changes due to circumstance of this nature.

General Terms & Conditions:

- Park Entry Fees: The quoted prices above are inclusive of current park entry fees; however should there be any new statutory taxes introduced and/or increase of any current levies or fees by Government/statutory bodies, these will be passed on to you.
- Luggage restrictions: Soft-sided luggage (i.e. duffel bags) is preferable to hard luggage for storage on safari vehicles. Items of dimensions greater than 24"x 17"x 7" are difficult to store in vehicles and on aircraft, and should be avoided. (Baggage and personal effects are at owner's risk throughout the tour and baggage insurance for members is strongly advised).
- **Seasonal variations:** Some bookings might straddle two seasons, making the above seasonal quotations on accommodations NOT APPLICABLE. In such cases, please contact us for TAILOR-MADE QUOTATIONS for dates that cut across seasons.







