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Safari Mystique Under African Skies

June 11 to 20, 2019

“...all the wonders surrounding you!”

Each day, you will be surprised to discover new and exciting things, its sights, tastes, sounds, smells, and touches of magic! You may forget to breathe with its sights, tastes, sounds, smells, and touches of magic! You may forget to breathe with...
A flock of Pelicans at Lake Nakuru.

Your luxurious hotel, the Kempinski Villa Rosa, is nestled in the amazing Rift Valley scenery.

Begin your exploration of this magnificent country with a drive to the Equator to take in the verdant grasslands often referred to as the ‘Kingdom of Lions’ due to these powerful hunters dominating the local ecosystem. Cheetah, leopard, hyena, and jackal are also present. Birdwatchers will be treated to a bounty of exotic variety as you search for the over 500 resident bird species. Excellent veterinary services at all activities include retreiving down from the observation deck at the Mara Salinas from a hot air balloon. Your luxury lodge is an interpretation of a traditional Masai Mara village, with domed huts set on the saddle of a hill overlooking the rolling plains, woodlands, and rivers that make up the Maasai Mara Triangle - one of the world’s richest wildlife sanctuaries.

Enjoy one last sunrise over the Maasai Mara before driving back to Nairobi (an optional flight between the two). The flight back to Nairobi will take you alongside elephant, buffalo, rhino, giraffe, zebra, and possibly leopard and lion.

MYSIAH: MAASAI MARA/NORTHERN SERENGETI

Maru Safaris is available for an additional cost of $15 per person. A day room will be supplied for you at the OLE SERENI. You’ll have some time to relax before you are escorted to the airport in time for your departure home.

YOUR ITINERARY

DAYS 1-2: SACRAMENTO TO AMSTERDAM

Nairobi: Villa Rosa Kempinski Nairobi at the foot of Mount Kenya. Your “flying hotel” is 2,100 feet up the mountain and surrounded by rain forest. The Serena Mountain Lodge holds the record for its illuminated water hole and a specially-built structure to contain the large baboon tunnel, which allows close-up views of the water hole at dusk. Game viewing this evening will bring you alongside elephant, buffalo, rhino, giraffe, zebra, and possibly leopard and lion.

DAYS 3-5: KENYA

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DAYS 6-8: SWEETWATERS TENTED CAMP (B,L,D Daily)

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DAYS 9-10: MASAI MARA/NORTHERN SERENGETI

MARIA SAFARI LODGE, L.B.L Daily

Your comfortable minibus will take you to the Maasai Mara, Kenya’s most famous wildlife reserve and the primary setting for the film Out of Africa. You will have two days to witness the drama of predator and prey. The grasslands are often referred to as the ‘Kingdom of Lions’ due to these powerful hunters dominating the local ecosystem. Cheetah, leopard, hyena, and jackal are also present. Birdwatchers will be treated to a bounty of exotic variety as you search for the over 500 resident bird species. Excellent veterinary services at all activities include retreiving down from the observation deck at the Mara Salinas from a hot air balloon. Your luxury lodge is an interpretation of a traditional Masai Mara village, with domed huts set on the saddle of a hill overlooking the rolling plains, woodlands, and rivers that make up the Maasai Mara Triangle - one of the world’s richest wildlife sanctuaries.

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Ideally situated an approximate 30-minute drive from your luxurious hotel, the Kempinski Villa Rosa, is the SWEETWATERS TENTED CAMP. Enjoy a stroll on the shoreline of sapphire-blue Lake Nakuru, home to one of the world’s richest wildlife sanctuaries. Visit the 200-acre floodlit waterhole and saltlick. Visit the 200-acre tented camp awaits alongside magnificent views of the slopes of Mt. Kenya. Your “tree hotel” is 7,200 feet above sea level, on a plateau overlooking the rolling plains, woodlands, and rivers that make up the Mara Triangle – one of the world’s richest wildlife sanctuaries.

Resume your drive today to the heart of a privately-owned game reserve, SWEETWATERS TENTED CAMP. (B,L,D Daily)

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Out of Africa. You will have an opportunity to take a tour of the Maasai Mara Nature Reserve, which is renowned for its concentration of flamingos. Sadly, Lake Nakuru’s alkaline body of water that was once world-renowned for its flamingos is today mostly occupied by a variety of birds and animals. The park is home to endangered Black-footed flamingos, and you will have an opportunity to witness their nesting and breeding behavior.
DAYS 1–2 | SACRAMENTO/AMSTERDAM/NAIROBI
VILLA ROSA KEMPINSKI NAIROBI

Your journey begins as you make your way to Amsterdam, where you’ll connect with your flight to Nairobi. Upon arrival, you will be met by your expert guide and escorted to your hotel. Painted pale pink, your luxurious hotel, the Kempinski Villa Rosa, is ideally situated an approximate 30-minute drive from the airport.

DAY 3 | M. KENYA
SEVEN MOUNTAIN LODGE, (BLD Daily)

Begin your exploration of this magnificent country with a drive to the Equator to take in the verdant landscape, which is dotted with coffee plantations. Afternoon, you will visit Lake Nakuru National Park, a shallow volcanic lake renowned for its vast flocks of flamingos. This lake is also home to many other animal species, including hippos, crocodiles, and a variety of birds. Sunset drive to your Two-Bedroom Family Suite at the lodge.

DAY 4–5 | MASAIA MARA/NORTHERN SERENGETI
MARA SERENA SAFARI LODGE, (B,L,D Daily)

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DAY 6 | MASAIA MARA/NAIROBI/AMSTERDAM/SACRAMENTO
(No Meals)

Enjoy one last sunrise over the Maasai Mara before driving back to Nairobi (an optional flight is available for those wishing to skip the drive). You will spend the evening at the Elephant Research Project.

DAY 7 | LAKE NAKURU NATIONAL PARK/LAKE ELEMENTEITA

ELMENETTA SERENA (BLD Daily)

Discover the Great Rift Valley, a huge geological fault line that stretches across one-sixth of the Earth’s circumference and is visible from outer space! Visit Lake Nakuru National Park, a shallow alkaline body of water that was once world renowned for its concentration of flamingos. Though these beautiful birds are no longer there in such staggering numbers, but you will see many other birds and animals. The park is home to endangered Rothschild’s giraffe and both white and black rhino. Your journey then takes you to Lake Elementeita, where thousands of birds of every type gather, including flamingos, pelicans, and black-headed storks. This small and exclusive Lake Elmenteita Serena Camp offers luxurious accommodations nestled in the amazing Rift Valley scenery.

DAY 8 | LAKE ELEMENTEITA SERENA CAMP

(No Meals)

Extend your safari to Tsavo West National Park, a volcanic landscape defined by its four rivers and over 1,000 species of plants. Watch hippo and crocodile in their underwater world at Mzima Springs. Observe elephants with skin painted red by the iron rich soil. Look for descendants of the Ghost and the Darkness, the infamous man eating lions of Tsavo. Visit a local village and school. Then, move to Amboseli National Park, beneath the snow-capped peaks of Mount Kilimanjaro, home to an impressive wildlife reserve that attracts a wide variety of wildlife. Your adventure continues.

Optional Post-Extension to Tsavo & Amboseli National Parks

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Your Journey Costs

**JUNE 11 TO 10, 2019**

**PER PERSON**

- $4,495 land only, double occupancy.
- $4,995 single supplement, additional.
- $2,900 estimated airfare from Sacramento, economy, including departure taxes & fuel surcharges. (Subject to change)

**Your Extension Costs**

RETURNS JUNE 23, 2019

**PER PERSON**

- $2,495 double occupancy.
- $2,995 single supplement, additional.

**Your Journey Costs Include**

- Superior accommodations throughout as indicated or similar.
- American breakfast in Nairobi; all meals while on safari; other meals as specified.
- All wildlife viewing by minibus, driven by a naturalist guide/driver.
- Professional Naturalist with a minimum of 10 travelers.
- A minimum of 6 travelers per minibus.
- A visit to Shimba Sanctuary in Sweetwaters.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATED HEREIN:

I/WE HAVE READ THE CONDITIONS OF TRAVEL ON THIS BROCHURE AND UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE TOUR PARTICIPANT(S).

RESERVATION FORM:

I/WE CERTIFY THAT I/WE AM ABLE TO COMPLETE THE TRIP AS DESIGNED IF ACCOMPANIED BY COMPLETED FORM SIGNED BY THE TRAVELER TO ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF UC DAVIS.

I/WE AGREE TO THE TRAVEL TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATED HEREIN.

Please make domestic round-trip air reservations for me from my home city: _____________________

Please make my/our round-trip air reservations on the group flights from Sacramento via Delta Air Lines.

Optional flight between Amboseli & Nairobi on the post extension ($350 per person)

Optional Balloon Safari ($500 per adult/$300 per child ages 7-12) (subject to change)

I desire single accommodations, if available, and will pay the single supplement additional cost of: $________

I wish to participate in the optional Amboseli/Tsavo post-extension at a cost of $2,495 per person.

I/We wish to participate in the optional Amboseli/Tsavo post-extension at a cost of $2,495 per person.

I am sharing with: __________________________________________________ (form sent separately)

I need assistance in securing a roommate. I understand if Cal Aggie Alumni Association or Classic Escapes cannot locate one for me by final payment date, I agree to pay the additional single

toll charge.

I prefer to share with Smoker Nonsmoker

I/We wish to participate in the optional Amboseli/Tsavo post-extension at a cost of $2,495 per person.

I desire single accommodations, if available, and will pay the single supplement additional cost of:

$________

I certify that I have not recently been treated for, nor am I aware of any physical or other condition or liability that would create a hazard to myself or the other members of this tour.

I/WE WILL BE CONFIRMED ONLY IF ACCOMPANIED BY COMPLETED FORM SIGNED BY THE TRAVELER TO ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF UC DAVIS.

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Final payment due date is March 8, 2019. All final payments are required to be made by check or money order only.

Please charge my deposit to my credit card: □ MasterCard □ Visa □ Discover □ American Express
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