



INTO AFRICA SAFARI

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**22 DAY FOUR COUNTRY – TRANS KALAHARI ADVENTURE SAFARI
(Trip Code: IAS TKA E21)**

Cape Town to Livingstone (Accommodated)

DBB base (Dinner Bed Breakfast) and all excursions as indicated.

THE HIGHLIGHTS:

- Cape Town, Table Mountain & the Cape of Good Hope.
- Scenic beauty of the West Coast Namaqualand region.
- Historic Hantam area of Calvinia.
- Augrabies Falls National Park.
- Game drives in the Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park.
- Fish River Canyon.
- Walking in the dunes of Sossusvlei and the Namib Desert.
- Optional activities in Swakopmund.
- Bushmen rock engravings at Twyfelfontein.
- Visit a traditional Himba village.
- Game drives in Etosha National Park.
- The Okavango River.
- Sunset game viewing cruise on the Chobe River.
- 2 nights at Victoria Falls in Livingstone.
- Visit to Victoria Falls

DAY 1: CAPE TOWN:

You will be met on arrival by your Tourist Guide and transferred to your Hotel for a day at leisure.

Overnight City Lodge V+A Waterfront (or similar accommodation).

(Accommodated - BB)

DAY 2: CAPE TOWN



Set against the majestic Table Mountain, Cape Town offers scenic, historic and cultural attractions. Depart from City Lodge V+A Waterfront at 08h00, for a full day peninsula tour. Driving along the Atlantic seaboard via Hout Bay and Chapman's Peak, we visit the Table Mountain National Park – Cape Point, returning along the Indian Ocean coastline back to our well situated Waterfront hotel. A morning or afternoon cable car ascent up Table Mountain is included (weather dependent). Dinner will be enjoyed at the bustling Waterfront.

Overnight City Lodge V+A Waterfront (or similar accommodation).

(Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 3: CALVINIA (Hantam region)

Departing Cape Town we pass through the picturesque Namaqualand region with spectacular views from the Van Ryns Pass. We arrive in the historic town of Calvinia, nestled on the foot of the Hantam Mountain range. During the months of August – October the landscape is transformed into an explosion of colour due to the numerous wild flowers of the region.

Overnight Hantam Huis (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 3: AUGRABIES FALLS NATIONAL PARK

Leaving the Little Karoo we head north to the Augrabies Falls National Park. We pass through a lush oasis area with an abundance of wine farms. Here the mighty Orange River plummets 56m into the gorge below. The local name for these majestic falls is 'Aukoerebis' or 'place of great noise'. We spend the afternoon enjoying the falls from its many viewpoints.

Overnight Vergelegen Guest House (or similar accommodation).

(Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 5/6: K GALAGADI TRANSFRONTIER PARK

We head north into the Kalahari and the magnificent Kgalagadi Transfrontier Park. Covering over 3.6 million hectares this is one of the largest reserves in Africa. Due to sparse vegetation in the area excellent predator sightings are common including that of the famous black mane Lions of the Kalahari. We overnight at !Xaus Lodge (or similar accommodation).

!Xaus Lodge is a place to experience and not merely to observe – it allows you to be immersed in the unspoiled splendour of the vast, arid Kgalagadi with a wilderness walk with Bushmen trackers. (Accommodated - DBBL)

DAY 7/8: FISH RIVER CANYON



Leaving the Kalahari region we head west and enter Namibia arriving at our lodge situated in a scenically beautiful area. The following morning is free to relax and in the afternoon we visit the Fish River Canyon, which is one of the largest and most awe inspiring canyons in the world. Overnight Vogelstrausskluft Country Lodge (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 9/10: SESRIEM



Our journey takes us north through ever changing scenery to our accommodation located on the edge of the Namib Desert. The following morning is an early departure for Sossusvlei, stopping in the dune belt to witness the changing colours of the world's highest sand dunes. We undertake a 5km walk to Sossusvlei and Deadvlei. In the afternoon we enjoy a short hike through the Sesriem Canyon. Overnight Desert Camp (or similar accommodation).

(Accommodated - DBB)

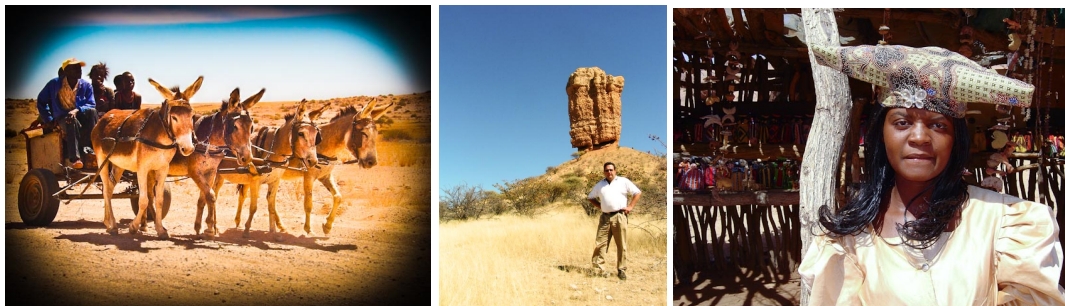
DAY 11/12: SWAKOPMUND



We reach the coast at Walvis Bay and enjoy lunch while viewing the many flamingos feeding. We arrive in Swakopmund and spend the afternoon and following day exploring this German colonial town or booking one of the numerous optional excursions (own expense). Activities available include sand boarding, quad biking, skydiving, kayaking, hot air ballooning or scenic flights over the vast Namib Desert. Overnight Swakopmund Boutique Hotel (or similar accommodation).

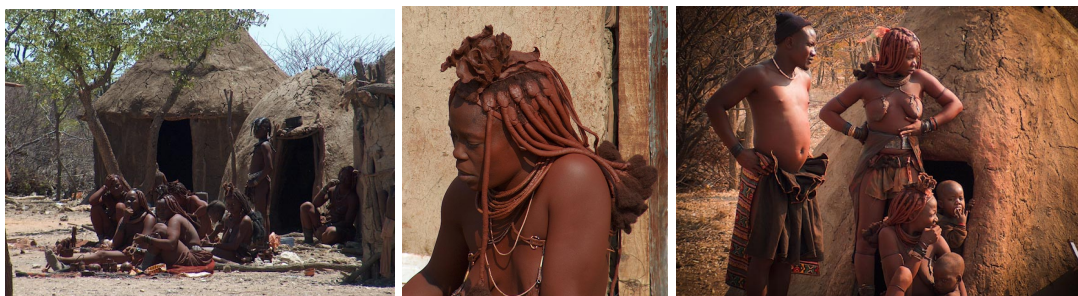
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DAY 13: DAMARALAND / TWYFELFONTEIN



We drive inland through the Damaraland region with its vast and rugged terrain. Its mountain ranges are intercepted by wide gravel plains, which run into sandy, vegetated riverbeds and hot, dry valleys. We visit the Twyfelfontein area for walks to the Bushmen paintings/ rock engravings as well as the Organ Pipes. Our lodge is located on top of a mountain with spectacular views of the surrounding area. Overnight Ugab Terrace Lodge (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 14: HIMBA VISIT / ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK



In the morning we visit the Himba tribe, a semi-nomadic tribe, living in scattered settlements throughout the region. They are characterised by their proud yet friendly stature and the women are noted for their unusual beauty, enhanced by intricate hairstyles and traditional dress. A few hours are spent learning more about these fascinating people. After our visit we proceed to Etosha National Park where we enjoy our first game drive and relax by the floodlight waterhole in the evening. Overnight Okaukuejo Rest camp inside Etosha National Park (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 15: ETOSHA NATIONAL PARK



This Park is one of the most important reserves and game sanctuaries in Africa with thousands of wild animals such as blue wildebeest, springbok, zebra, kudu, giraffe, cheetah, leopard, lion and elephant making this area their home. The day is spent on game drive through the Park from the Western to the Eastern side of the Park. Overnight Halali Rest camp inside Etosha National Park (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 16/17: OKAVANGO RIVER

We enter the Caprivi Strip where we spend the night set amongst the lush vegetation overlooking the Okavango River. Enjoy sunset on the deck or a swim in the famous “river pool”. The following day is free for optional excursions (own account) such as bird walks, game drives, mokoro excursions. Overnight Nunda River Lodge (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 18/19: CHOBE RIVER



Crossing into Botswana via the Chobe National Park we overnight on the banks of the Chobe River. Chobe is famous for its beautiful scenery, magnificent sunsets and abundance of wildlife and birdlife. We get waken up very early for a Game Drive into the world famous Chobe Park and are back in time for a late Breakfast. The rest of the day is a relaxing one before we depart on a sunset game-viewing cruise on the Chobe River. Overnight Chobe Safari Lodge (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 20/21: LIVINGSTONE/ VICTORIA FALLS



We travel across the Zambian border to Livingstone to view Victoria Falls - without doubt one of the greatest and most spectacular sights in Africa. Days are spent at leisure to browse the local markets, to experience the many optional activities on offer in the adrenalin capital of Africa including white water rafting, bungi jumping, micro lighting/ airplane or helicopter flights over the Falls, rhino walks, elephant back safaris, and to visit the Falls (own expense). Overnight Protea Hotel Livingstone (or similar accommodation). (Accommodated - DBB)

DAY 22: LIVINGSTONE – BRISBANE LEAVES LIVINGSTONE 1.30

Transfer to Livingston International Airport in time for your flight back home.

This itinerary will depend on local conditions.

NOTES:

ACCOMMODATED SAFARI INCLUDES

Accommodation: 21 nights rest camp, bungalow, chalet and small hotel/ guest farm.

Meals: Breakfast and Dinners throughout, lunches and drinks own expense.

Group Size: 4-16 participants.

Transfers: All South African and Zambia Airport transfers are included.

Important: This tour is recommended for healthy, active participants looking for an adventurous holiday.

EXCLUDED

Cape Town dinner night of arrival

Expense of a personal nature (Drinks / snacks)

Flights to and from South Africa

Any Visa fees

The staff and management look forward to welcoming you aboard and trust that you will enjoy your trip with Into Africa Safari.



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Cancellations:

Cancellation insurance is advised to be taken out by the passenger at the time of booking. Cancellation fees apply as follows:

30 or more days prior to departure - 25%

15-29 days prior to departure - 50%

8-14 days prior to departure - 75%

7 or less days prior to departure - 100%

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