

North Tanzania and Zanzibar

Visit the Northern game parks of Tanzania, including Lake Manyara, Serengeti and Ngorongoro, before transferring to Zanzibar for an extended beach break.



Day 0 Fly Heathrow to Nairobi

Depart London Heathrow for overnight flight to Nairobi.

Day 1 Lake Manyara National Park, Serena Lodge, 1 night

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Early breakfast and pick up by your driver guide to start your safari at Lake Manyara. Lake Manyara is a small park, famed for its great variety of birdlife, particularly the masses of pink flamingo that congregate on the lake shore. You may also see the rare tree-climbing lion, unique to this park in Tanzania.

Arrive at Lake Manyara Serena Lodge in time for lunch and an afternoon game drive. The lodge itself has a spectacular setting right on the edge of the Mto Wa Mbu escarpment overlooking the Great Rift Valley and the Manyara soda lake. There are 67 en-suite rooms each with private veranda.

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Days 2-4 Serengeti National Park, Serengeti Serena Lodge, 3 nights FB

After breakfast drive to Serengeti National Park, with game viewing and spectacular scenery enroute. The Serengeti ecosystem is one of the oldest in the world. The essential features of climate, vegetation and fauna have barely changed in the past million years. Game viewing, needless to say, is wonderful; the Serengeti is home to the big five, as well as eland, impala, waterbuck, baboon, monkey, warthog, topi and over 400 species of birds.



Accommodation is in Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge, which has been built to resemble a traditional Maasai village. The lodge features circular rondavel stone built rooms, spaciouly set amongst groves of indigenous trees that are cooled by sparkling streams and papyrus-fringed ponds.

The circular bar, its roof supported by massive carven figures of warriors, maidens and elders, looks out over the landscape. There is also a lovely swimming pool.

Day 5 Ngorongoro Crater, Ngorongoro Serena Lodge, 1 night FB

Breakfast early before departing for Ngorongoro Crater, with an excursion to Olduvai Gorge enroute. Olduvai Gorge is the location where the Leakey's discovered the hominoid remains of a 1.8 million year old skeleton of Australopithecus boisei, one of the distinct links of the human evolutionary chain.



You will have a picnic lunch before you reach the Crater. The Ngorongoro Conservation Area covers a huge stretch of land, which includes the Crater, huge expanses of highland plains, scrub bush and forests. The lakes on the crater floor are home to rich game populations and surrounded by a series of peaks and volcanoes which create a stunning backdrop.

Overnight at Ngorongoro Serena Lodge, located on the edge of the Crater and cloaked in indigenous creepers and river stone. There are 75 rooms each with private terrace and views to the crater floor.



Days 6-9	Ngorongoro to Zanzibar, Matemwe Beach Lodge, 3 nights	HB
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Enjoy breakfast at the lodge before driving into the Crater for a game drive.

After your Crater tour, you will be transferred to Arusha Airstrip for an afternoon flight to Zanzibar. On arrival our driver will meet you for your 90 minutes transfer to Matemwe Beach village on the beautiful East Coast of the island.

Matemwe Beach Village is a Zanzibar guesthouse, providing authentic, stylish and comfortable accommodation in an atmosphere of relaxed hospitality.



Located on the north east coast of Zanzibar, close to the Mnemba Atoll, the Matemwe area is a particularly beautiful part of the island, and often photographed.

There is a range of accommodation at Matemwe Beach Village, from the standard rooms to the shamba and asali suites. The standard rooms are simply decorated, furnished in beach style with shades of blue and green. All are en-suite with self-contained bathrooms. Some have sea views. The shamba and asali suites are decorated a little more lavishly. The asali suite is entirely self-contained, with its own plunge pool, indoor and outdoor showers, private chef and private beach – perfect for honeymooners.

The next 3 days are free to explore the island of Zanzibar, or, if you prefer, simply to relax in the Lodge. Consider spending a night in Old Stone Town, the cultural heart of Zanzibar, or one of the surrounding islands, such as Chumbe or Mnemba, which offer private beaches and pristine coral reefs.

Day 10 Fly Nairobi to UK

Transfer to the airport for your flight out to Nairobi and on to UK.



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