

ULTIMATE SOUTH AFRICA, QUEEN TIA & QUEEN RIS BIRTHDAY TRIP TO THE MOTHERLAND

Featuring - CAPE TOWN , JOHANNESBURG, MAPUMALANGA (KRUGER)

06 Jul, 2024 - 14 Jul, 2024

DURATION	GROUP SIZE	AIRPORT	PRICE STARTING FROM
7 Nights / 9 Days	4 People	New York	Twin Occupancy Price Per person - \$ 4,499.00 Single Supplement Price Per Person - \$ 849.00

Overview

Embark on a 7-night adventure beginning in Cape Town, where you'll explore the city's highlights including Table Mountain and Robben Island. Discover the scenic Cape Peninsula before heading to Aquila Private Game Reserve for a thrilling 2-night safari experience. En route back to Cape Town, indulge in wine tasting in the picturesque Cape Winelands. Conclude your tour with a lively dinner accompanied by traditional drumming at Gold Restaurant, immersing yourself in South Africa's rich culture and cuisine.

ACCOMMODATION

CITY	HOTEL NAME	NO. OF NIGHTS
CAPE TOWN	Old Bank Hotel	5 Nights
Aquila Game Reserve	Aquila Private Game Reserve	2 Nights



TOUR PRICE INCLUSIONS

- ◆ Round trip airfare in economy class **ex-New York**
- ◆ Airport taxes, fuel surcharge
- ◆ Baggage fees on the airline
- ◆ Round trip Airport transfers in Cape Town International Airport
- ◆ 5-night(s) Accommodation at Old Bank Hotel in a Luxury Suite on a Bed and Breakfast basis.
- ◆ 2-night(s) Accommodation at Aquila Private Game Reserve in a Standard Lodge Room on a Full Board basis.
- ◆ Half-day Winelands Entrances Table Mountain Aerial Cableway Co Ltd: Cable Way Fee (Morning Ticket) - Weather Permitting
- ◆ Robben Island Museum: Robben Island Ferry Ticket - weather permitting.
- ◆ Chapman's Peak Drive, SA National Parks: Cape of Good Hope (Cape Point) - Entrance Fee
- ◆ Cape Point - Funicular: Funicular (Return)
- ◆ SA National Parks: Boulders Penguin Colony - Entrance fees
- ◆ Home Hosted Dinner
- ◆ Lunch at a wine estate
- ◆ GOLD Restaurant: 14 Dish African Feast Entertainment with return Shuttle Transfer
- ◆ Local English-speaking driver/guide on all transfers and sightseeing excursions

TOUR PRICE EXCLUSIONS

- ◆ All other meals, and other sightseeing or Services
- ◆ Gratuities for meals, tourist guides, drivers
- ◆ Visa fee & Travel Insurance
- ◆ Personal expenses such as alcoholic and other beverages, telephone calls, and laundry
- ◆ Any other services or Items not mentioned above as included
- ◆ Local city taxes if applicable to be paid directly at hotels upon check-out

ITINERARY

DAY 1 | 06 Jul, 2024

Depart New York [-/-/-]

Prepare yourself! You are leaving today for Cape Town to start your unbelievable Ultimate South Africa Journey. Make your way to New York (JFK) airport for your flight VS0026 departing for London at **8:20 Am**.

Arrive in London around 8:10 Pm. and connect for your flight VS 0449 to Johannesburg departing at 10:15 Pm

DAY 2 | 07 Jul, 2024

Cape Town Arrival [-/-/-]

Arrive in Johannesburg around 10:15 am and catch your connecting flight 4Z 0923 departing Johannesburg at 12:15 pm. You'll reach Cape Town by approximately 2:25 pm. Welcome to Cape Town! Upon arrival, retrieve your luggage and proceed to the arrival hall. Our representative will be there, holding a sign with your name, ready to assist you with your transfer to your hotel.

Check-in time at the hotel is 3:00 pm, so take some time to settle in and relax. Spend your evening unwinding and preparing for the exciting sightseeing adventures planned for tomorrow.

Cape Town has been acclaimed as the top destination in the world to visit by the prestigious New York Times. It is a vibrant multicultural city offering a blend of urban and suburban lifestyles, lively day and night spots, outdoor activities, and opportunities for relaxation. Surrounded by two oceans and beautiful white sand beaches, this city is rich in natural beauty. Ride the cable car up Table Mountain for breathtaking views, shop at the V&A Waterfront, one of Africa's premier shopping destinations, visit the iconic Cape Point or explore South Africa's history at Robben Island, where Nelson Mandela was once imprisoned. Known as the Mother City, the "Green City," or the "Tavern of the Seas," Cape Town is a must-visit destination that promises unforgettable experiences.

Overnight in Cape Town

DAY 3 | 08 Jul, 2024

Cape Town -(Full day Table Mountain, City Orientation and Robben Island) [B/-/-]

Morning enjoy your breakfast. Your Cape Town adventure starts with a pickup from your hotel around **8:00 Am** by your guide who will accompany you throughout the day. You will head straight to the ferry dock to catch a boat to Robben Island, where Nelson Mandela was imprisoned for 27 years during the Apartheid era. As you travel to Robben Island, you'll be amazed by the stunning views of Cape Town and Table Mountain. Robben Island is one of the most well-known prisons in the world, and it is here that Mr. Nelson Mandela spent 18 years of his imprisonment. During the tour of the island, you'll visit his cell, which remains unchanged since he was incarcerated, and the tour will be led by former political prisoners who provide a unique understanding of the prison's history and the prisoners' plight.

After returning to the Victoria and Alfred waterfront, your tour guide will take you on a historical tour of Cape Town, where you'll see various iconic landmarks such as the Parliament buildings, Company's Garden, Slave Auction Tree, Apartheid Museum in District Six, Slave Museum, and the Castle, which is South Africa's oldest building, constructed between 1666 and 1679.

Your last stop for the day is Table Mountain, the country's most photographed landmark and a symbol of Cape Town. Take the cable car to the top for views of the city and the ocean. The upper cable station has a restaurant, a curio shop, and some footpaths to explore. If the weather permits, you'll have an opportunity to take in the breathtaking panoramic views of Cape Town from every angle.

After the Table Mountain tour, you're free to explore the vibrant V&A Waterfront, where you can relax at a café, enjoy a glass of South Africa's famous wine, or browse through the local art and craft shops.

Overnight in Cape Town

DAY 4 | 09 Jul, 2024

Cape Town - Full day Peninsula Tour and Home Hosted Dinner [B/-/D]

Embark on an adventure to discover the incredible Cape of Good Hope after having breakfast. Around **8:00 Am**, meet your guide and travel along the

Atlantic coast and admire the stunning scenery as you pass through Bantry Bay, Clifton, Camps Bay, Llandudno, and Chapman's Peak. Chapman's Peak Drive is a renowned marine drive that offers breathtaking views of the coastline and the sandy bays below. The route begins at Hout Bay, a picturesque fishing harbor, and winds steeply up to Chapman's Point before descending to Noordhoek.

As you continue along Victoria Road, you'll pass through exclusive residential areas before reaching the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, a remarkable reserve that spans rugged cliffs, lush fynbos, and vast open spaces. The park is located at the very tip of the peninsula, with the Indian and Atlantic Oceans on either side. Your guide will provide an overview of the reserve upon your arrival, and you'll take the funicular to the Cape Point Lighthouse. As you travel through dense foliage, take in the stunning scenery on your way to the upper lighthouse.

After visiting Cape Point, head to Boulders Beach to see the penguin colony, followed by a scenic drive along Boyes Drive, where you'll see Kalk Bay and Muizenberg. The Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens, which are located against the iconic Table Mountain and overlook the city of Cape Town, are the next stop.

On the return journey to Cape Town, enjoy a home-hosted dinner, where you'll savor authentic South African dishes in a relaxed and comfortable environment while engaging in a fascinating conversation with your host family.

Your day will end with a drop-off at your accommodation after dinner.

Overnight in Cape Town

DAY 5 | 10 Jul, 2024 Cape Town - Aquila [B/L/D]

Enjoy a delicious breakfast before embarking on an African wildlife adventure at Aquila Game Reserve.

Your journey kicks off with a pickup from your Cape Town hotel around **10:00 AM**. Sit back and take in the scenic drive along South Africa's National Road N1, which unveils charming towns and the stunning landscapes of the Cape Winelands. Admire the majestic mountain ranges adorned with vibrant Cape Fynbos,

showcasing a rich tapestry of Proteas, Ericas, and Restios. Upon arrival at Aquila Game Reserve, you'll be welcomed with a refreshing drink. Indulge in a hearty buffet lunch that caters to both vegetarians and non-vegetarians, then check into your accommodation to unwind.

Later in the evening, embark on an unforgettable 2.-3 hour game drive led by an expert game ranger in an open safari vehicle. Keep your eyes peeled for lions, elephants, buffalo, rhinos, leopards, and other wildlife that thrive in Aquila Game Reserve's diverse ecosystem. The reserve is home to a variety of animals, both large and small, ensuring plenty of excitement for avid game viewers and bird enthusiasts alike. Look out for giraffes, blesbok, wildebeest, zebras, springbok, gemsbok, and an array of birds including the majestic black eagle. After the game drive, enjoy a dinner at the lodge prepared to perfection.

After dinner partake in stargazing where an astrologer shall point out constellations, like the Southern Cross which can only be seen in the Southern Hemisphere. The Great Karoo is famous for its clear night sky.

Overnight in Aquila

DAY 6 | 11 Jul, 2024 Aquila Game Reserve [B/L/D]

Prepare for an early morning game drive starting at 7:00 am to enhance your chances of encountering the Big 5 animals, including lion, leopard, elephant, rhino, and buffalo, along with other fascinating species like giraffe, zebra, antelope, and hippo.

Following your game drive, delight in a hearty buffet breakfast at the restaurant. The remainder of the morning is yours to unwind and relax. You have the option to engage in activities such as a quad bike safari, horseback safari, swimming, or enjoying a rejuvenating spa treatment.

Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm.

Later in the day, before your 7:00 pm buffet dinner, embark on a 2 to 3-hour safari game drive for another opportunity to witness the reserve's diverse wildlife. Alternatively, you can opt for a horseback safari for a different perspective on the landscape and animals.

After dinner, consider joining a stargazing safari to

marvel at the night sky, or simply retire to your lodge room for a peaceful night's sleep.

Overnight in Aquila

DAY 7 | 12 Jul, 2024

Aquila - Winelands - Cape Town [B/L/-]

Awaken to the serene sounds of the African bush on your last morning at Aquila Private Game Reserve. You have the choice of embarking on a final safari game drive around 7:00 am or enjoying a leisurely morning to prepare for your departure.

Breakfast will be available in the restaurant from 8:00 am to 10:00 am. Following breakfast, check out from your lodge room with the assistance of a porter, then meet your private guide-driver in the lodge reception area for your transfer back to Cape Town. Around **10:30 Am** Journey towards the Cape Winelands, a renowned region in the Western Cape that captivates with its rolling vineyards, historic Cape Dutch manor houses, and exceptional cuisine, complemented by world-class wines nestled amidst majestic mountains.

Within easy reach of Cape Town lie the charming towns of Stellenbosch and Franschhoek, both steeped in centuries-old history and culture. A stroll through Stellenbosch's historic streets is a must, where remarkable European-period architecture awaits. Take the opportunity to visit one of the Cape's prestigious wine estates for a tasting, and if time allows, a tour of their cellars.

Your day concludes with drop-off at your accommodation. Spend the remainder of the evening at your leisure. Explore the vibrant V&A Waterfront, where you can unwind at a café, savor a glass of South Africa's renowned wine, or peruse local art and crafts shops.

Overnight in Cape Town

DAY 8 | 13 Jul, 2024

Cape Town - (Day free at leisure), Evening dinner at Gold Restaurant [B/-/D]

You have a full day to explore Cape Town at your leisure. You can start the day by enjoying a leisurely breakfast at your hotel or venture out to one of Cape Town's many cafes or restaurants for a taste of South African cuisine.

There are plenty of activities to keep you occupied during your free day in Cape Town. You can take a stroll through the colorful Bo-Kaap neighborhood or head to the bustling V&A Waterfront for shopping, dining, and entertainment. For a cultural experience, visit the Zeitz MOCAA Museum or the District Six Museum.

Evening At Gold Restaurant, you can enjoy Interactive Djembe Drumming, a 14-course African feast, and entertainment. This vibrant restaurant promises an evening of wining and dining in scintillating African style. The dinner begins with the drumbeat of the djembe drum and an interactive drum circle, and you will then be led into a courtyard where you will ceremoniously wash your hands before the feast begins. This 14-course set menu features authentic Cape Malay and African cuisine, and you'll be entertained by live performances near your table. Gold restaurant inspires and immerses you in the spirit of Africa while serving delectable cuisine

Overnight in Cape Town

DAY 9 | 14 Jul, 2024

Cape Town - Departure [B/-/-]

Today concludes your memorable South Africa tour. You have the day free to relax at your leisure. (Standard check-out time is 11:00 am).

In the evening, around 7:00 pm, you will be transferred to Cape Town airport for your flight KL0598 departing for Amsterdam at 11:15 pm, where you will connect for your onward flight KL0645 departing at 2:30 pm.

Payment Policy

Deposit: US\$ 500 per person [Non-refundable / Non-transferrable]

Deposit Date: 16th Dec, 2023

50% Deposit: 12th Feb 2024

Full Balance: 7th April 2024

(Once the initial deposit is paid, the travelers can then pay any amount on any date. Travelers to ensure that the payment deadlines are met as above)

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Cancellation Policy

- ◆ From booking and deposit date to 145 days before departure: \$500 per person Non-Refundable / Non-transferrable Deposit + interruption insurance cost (if purchased)
- ◆ 144-90 days before departure: 50% of the tour price per person
- ◆ 89 days or fewer before departure: **No refund is available.**

Note: A person becoming single because of the roommate's cancellation must pay the single supplement

Note 2: All payment cut-off dates are firm, and missing deadlines without approved extensions will result in cancellations without refunds being offered.

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