



TANZANIA LUXURY SAFARI

8-Day Exclusive Safari to Tanzania's Northern Circuit

Duration

8 days

2016 Departures

Any time

Accommodations

Luxury lodges

Fitness Rating

Easy

Activities

Game drives, nature walks, cultural visits

Land-only price*

Peak Season

Jan 1 - 5, Jun 1 - Aug 31,

Dec 16 - 31:

\$16,779

High Season

Jan 6 - 15, Sep 1 - Dec 15:

\$14,595

Low Season

Jan 16 - May 31:

\$12,428

Single supplement: \$525

Flight price

Call for pricing

*Pricing is per person based on double occupancy. Single supplement rates apply to first 2 singles in any booking. Rates & itinerary are subject to change. Price includes all transfers, accommodations, meals, guides, 4WD vehicles, park fees, activities as indicated, Flying Doctors insurance and a \$25 donation to a worthy African charity. Price excludes international flights, insurance, visas, tips, inoculations, and anything not specified above. We accept Visa, Master Card, Discover and American Express. No refunds - see terms & conditions.



Discover majestic beauty and incredible concentrations of wildlife on this superb safari, while staying at the very best accommodations in Tanzania. Start your safari where "Maasai meets Versailles" in the lush Ngorongoro highlands. Activities include game drives, cultural visits, a visit to the 'The Cradle of Mankind', and a descent down the Ngorongoro Crater. Later, enjoy three days exploring the Serengeti in the exclusive Singita Grumeti Reserve, where you will have this wild stretch of Africa all to yourself.

Day 1 – ARUSHA: On arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport, you'll be met and driven to Lake Diluti Lodge with its spacious, contemporary African styled romantic chalets inside a 30 acre active coffee farm. Overnight here.

Days 2 – NGORONGORO CONSERVATION AREA: After breakfast, you will head west towards Lake Manyara National Park. Enjoy a game drive and picnic lunch in the park, famous for its elephants, dense forest and other wildlife. The lake supports an incredible diversity of birds, particularly water fowl, migrants and thousands of flamingos. In the late afternoon, continue on to the Ngorongoro Conservation Area and enjoy your evening at leisure along the Crater rim. Dinner and overnight at Ngorongoro Crater Lodge. (B, L, D, Dr)

Between the spectacular views swirling through mists around the Ngorongoro Crater Lodge and its somewhat unexpected architecture, it is easy to believe that you have entered a realm of pure fantasy. Each stilted, handcrafted mud and thatch suite is adorned with graceful antiques. En suite bathrooms, with a center piece of fresh roses, feature huge showers and chandelier-lit bathtubs, while floor-to-ceiling windows ensure breathtaking views from everywhere. Personal butlers discreetly tend to guests' every need, bringing tea in bed, stoking fireplaces and drawing luxurious baths. Each camp has its own guest sitting and dining areas and viewing decks.

Day 3 – NGORONGORO CRATER: After breakfast, explore the 3 million-year-old Ngorongoro Crater, the largest intact caldera in the world and home to more than 20,000 animals. Black rhino are protected within its rim, giant tusked elephants wander the forest, black-maned lions stalk the grasslands, and flamingos crowd the soda lakes. Overnight Ngorongoro Crater Lodge. (B, L, D, Dr)

Day 4 – NGORONGORO: This morning visit the Olduvai Gorge, home to the Leakey family's famous discoveries of ancient hominids and animals and known for the fantastic archaeological discoveries made by Doctor Louis and Mary Leakey, including the skull of a humanoid, which is believed to be 1.75 million years old. After lunch, continue exploring with a Maasai village visit and return in time for dinner and overnight at Ngorongoro Crater Lodge. (B, L, D, Dr)

Days 5, 6, & 7 – SERENGETI/SINGITA GRUMETI RESERVE: After breakfast, transfer to the airstrip for your flight to the Singita Grumeti Reserve's Sasakwa Lodge for lunch. Enjoy your afternoon at leisure by the pool, playing tennis, or head out on an afternoon game drive in the Grumeti Private Reserve. Experience another 2 full days exploring the Grumeti Private Reserve including off road game drives and activities back at the lodge. Meals and overnights Sasakwa Lodge. (B, L, D, Dr)

Singita Sasakwa Lodge is one of three lodges in the enormous Singita Grumeti Reserve, a private concession just outside Serengeti National Park. Sasakwa is built in the style of an Edwardian manor house. Stone walls, deep verandas, high ceilings, stately furniture, silverware and ornamental pieces complete the picture. Each cottage has a private infinity-edge pool overlooking 'where the land stretches to forever'. The four-poster beds are beautifully appointed, displaying African influences with touches of wood, leather and grass, alongside crisp linens, imported chandeliers and hand-crafted furniture.

Day 8 – ARUSHA/DEPART: Have breakfast then transfer to the Singita Grumeti airstrip for your flight to Arusha where you'll have lunch and the use of a day room at the KIA Lodge and later transfer to the airport for your flight home. (B, L)

