

# Victoria Falls and Hwange

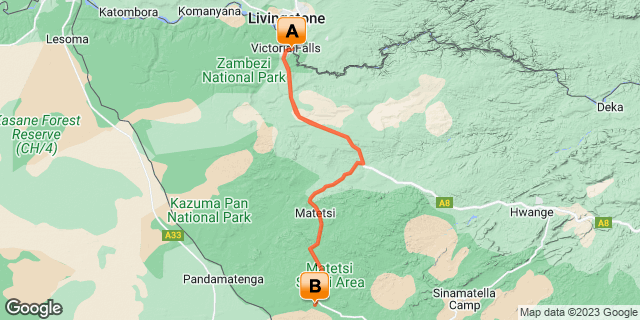




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*Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe - Hwange National Park*  
*6 Days / 5 Nights*

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## Introduction

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| **Accommodation** | **Destination** | **Basis** | **Duration** |
| [Victoria Falls Hotel](http://digital.jenmansafaris.com/iBrochure/17668_32952_1152) | Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe | B&B | **2 Nights** |
| [Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange](https://wetu.com/iBrochure/17668_32952_177983) | Hwange National Park | FI | **3 Nights** |

**Key**  
B&B: Bed and breakfast  
FI: Fully inclusive

## Included

* 5 x Breakfast
* 3 x Lunch
* 4 x Dinner
* Accommodation and meals as mentioned in the itinerary
* Return airport transfers as specified in the itinerary
* Activities, transport and excursions as mentioned
* Selected drinks in Hwange
* Park entrance fees

**Excluded**

* Excluded Pre and Post tour accommodation
* Optional activities
* Drinks not mentioned
* Personal expenses such as gratuities, telephone calls, curios, travel insurance etc.

**Jenman Safaris Unique Experiences**

* Discover why it's known as '‘The Smoke That Thunders'' on a guided tour of the majestic Victoria Falls. In the evening, relax on a luxurious sunset cruise while taking in the beauty of the Zambezi River.
* Zimbabwe's largest national park, Hwange National Park, is one of Africa's best-kept secrets, and offers a less crowded game viewing experience.

## Day 1: Victoria Falls Hotel, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

### Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

Resting on the southern banks of the Zambezi river at the western end of the eponymous falls, this popular tourist town is compact enough to walk around and makes an ideal base for travellers exploring the seventh wonder of the world, the unfathomably vast Victoria Falls. About two thirds of the falls can be viewed from the Zimbabwean side and, while the falls are undoubtedly the star attraction, the area provides both adventure seekers and sightseers with plenty of opportunities to warrant a longer stay. Popular activities include scenic flights over the falls in helicopters or micro lights, bungee jumping off the Victoria Falls Bridge, white-water rafting (seasonal), and day trips to Chobe National Park. The town itself offers some excellent accommodation and restaurant options as well as an eclectic variety of African curios and authentic art sold by friendly Zimbabwean locals who are wonderfully welcoming and eager to help you enjoy your stay.

### Day Itinerary

On arrival at Victoria Falls Airport you will be met and transferred to your accommodation, where you will spend the next two nights. The rest of the day will be at your leisure, to relax beside the pool or participate in some of the optional activities available, such as a helicopter flight over the Victoria Falls. This first night you will have the pleasure of enjoying a tasteful and satisfying dinner at Victoria Falls Hotel.

### Overnight: Victoria Falls Hotel [View iBrochure](http://digital.jenmansafaris.com/iBrochure/17668_32952_1152)

The Victoria Falls Hotel, popularly known as “the grand old lady of the Falls”, is situated in the Victoria Falls National Park, and is a member of the exclusive Leading Hotels of the World group. It is one of only three IS0-accredited hotels in Zimbabwe. The Edwardian-style five-star hotel combines the charm of the old with the convenience of the new. Set in lush tropical gardens with lily ponds, palm trees and semi-tropical shrubs, it provides the tranquillity and seclusion that many guests seek. The famous Victoria Falls are just a ten-minute walk away using the hotel’s private pathway, and “the smoke that thunders” or “Mosi-O-Tunya” in the local dialect, is clearly audible and visible from this luxurious landmark.

### Basis

Dinner, Bed & Breakfast

## Day 2: Victoria Falls Hotel, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe

### Day Itinerary

Today you will take a guided tour of the mighty Victoria Falls. In the late afternoon, enjoy a spectacular sunset cruise on the Zambezi.

### Activities

#### Victoria Falls Guided Tour

A view of the Victoria Falls is something you will never forget and the best way to see them is on a guided tour. Discover how the Falls were formed and what local customs and traditions surround them. These tours are extremely informative and end with a visit to the local art and crafts centre.



#### Sunset Cruise

Enjoy a brief history of the river with a cocktail in hand as you set out on the Sunset Cruise. Snack on delicacies from the high tea selection, as well as other delectable snacks, and be treated to any of the thirst-quenching beverages from the fully-stocked bar, while you take in the wild Zambezi.

### Basis

Bed & Breakfast

## Day 3: Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange National Park

### Hwange National Park

Hwange National Park is the largest reserve in Zimbabwe and is home to a variety of wildlife, including giraffes, lions, zebras and about 40 000 elephants. It is also a protected region for endangered species. The area stretches from sandy dunes and savannahs through to rocky terrain and forests. Visitors can choose between game drives, guided tours and horseback safaris to explore the park and its wildlife.

### Day Itinerary

After breakfast a road transfer will take you to Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange, which is situated in the northwest corner of Hwange National Park. Upon your arrival, you'll have the opportunity to partake in an afternoon game drive, allowing you to immediately immerse yourself in the rich wildlife experience this pristine location has to offer.

### Overnight: Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange [View iBrochure](https://wetu.com/iBrochure/17668_32952_177983)

A unique, small and intimate eco-lodge reclaimed from a bygone era, for true safari lovers who want to get off the beaten track and discover the pristine wilderness and abundant wildlife of Northern Hwange National Park in Zimbabwe.

Each suite has been lovingly recreated in an eco-friendly way, repurposing and refreshing with a modern touch. We have repurposed existing elements into stylish and useful interiors around the lodge, a prime example of true African innovation.

The main communal area consists of inside and outside lounge and dining spaces, a communal Boma area and a curio shop. An open display kitchen allows guests to observe and interact with chefs as their meals are being prepared.

The main area overlooks a waterhole and large dam where wildlife frequent throughout the day. Another outside dining area is located at the eco-friendly pool which is separate and allows for alternative dining with views over the plains and easy access to the pool. The lodge runs on dual grid and solar power. Complimentary WIFI is available in the main area.

After an exhilarating day of game viewing, guests can retreat to the cool refuge of the camp’s swimming pool and can enjoy delectable meals savoured al fresco or in the elegant dining room.

### Basis

Fully Inclusive

## Day 4: Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange National Park

### Day Itinerary

Today is spent on a game drive in the Hwange National Park, the largest national park in Zimbabwe, covering an area of approx. 14 650 km2. Named after a local chief, Hwange is situated in the northwest corner of the country about one hour south of the Victoria Falls. Due to its close proximity to the Falls, Hwange boasts an incredible biodiversity of flora and fauna, and a plethora of African wildlife. There are over 100 species of mammals and nearly 400 bird species recorded here. Specifically, the elephant population in Hwange is considered world famous, as it is one of the largest in the world. Experience parts of this national park on a full day game drive and you will discover a variety of animals, including some predators among them. In the evening, you will be able to enjoy a night game drive, offering a unique opportunity to witness the fascinating nocturnal wildlife in their natural habitat.

**Activities**

***Full-Day Game Drive***

Full Day Game Drive in the Hwange National Park with our trained guides. This activity includes lunch.

#### Night Drives

Night drives are a fantastic opportunity to experience the magic of Nantwich Lodge in a whole new light. As the sun sets and darkness falls, our expert guides will take you on an unforgettable adventure through the concession. The night brings out a different side of wildlife, and you'll have the chance to witness animals that are rarely seen during the da

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### Basis

Fully Inclusive

## Day 5: Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange National Park

### Day Itinerary

This morning, you will embark on a walking safari, immersing yourself in the sights and sounds of the African wilderness. In the afternoon, you'll have the chance to extend your quest for African wildlife on an exciting game drive.

**Activities**

***Walking Safari***

Take part in a 3-hour game walk with our pro-guide in Hwange National Park. A walk through the bush allows guests to experience it from a completely different perspective than in a game safari vehicle. Our pro-guide will be sure to point out many interesting things not always visible to the naked eye and will ensure that guests are completely safe.

### Basis

Fully Inclusive

## Day 6: End of Itinerary

### Day Itinerary

Enjoy your last breakfast at the lodge before your drive back to Victoria Falls Airport, where you embark on your onward journey.

### Basis Bed & Breakfast

**Transport**

## Transfers

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| **Date** | **Company** | **Pick Up** | **Drop Off** | **Time** | **Vehicle** |
|  |  | Victoria Falls International Airport [VFA] | Victoria Falls Hotel |  | Transfer |
|  |  | Victoria Falls Hotel | Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange |  | Transfer |
|  |  | Hideaways Nantwich, Hwange | Victoria Falls International Airport [VFA] |  | Transfer |

# PRE-DEPARTURE INFORMATION

# DEPARTURE:

The Victoria Falls & Hwange Package departs from Victoria Falls. Whilst it is our every intention to adhere to the above mentioned itinerary, there may on occasion be a necessity to make alterations in order to make the tour more enjoyable or practical. Therefore please treat the itinerary as a guide only.

# TRANSPORT:

You will be picked up at Victoria Falls International Airport.

For transfers between Victoria Falls and Hwange (or vice versa), 2x4 vehicles may be utilised. All luggage, besides hand luggage and photo equipment, is carried on the vehicle or trailer roof racks to ensure maximum comfort in the vehicle. Some game drives may be conducted in open-sided safari vehicles.

**Please reconfirm flight details at the time of booking**.

# MEALS:

Meals included in your safari will be taken in the restaurants at the various accommodation establishments. Please advise us of any special dietary requirements in advance.

# VISAS:

The onus is on the client to organize all visas required to visit the countries stated on the itinerary.

# TRAVEL INSURANCE:

Please note that travel and cancellation insurance is mandatory for every guest travelling with Jenman African Safaris. All insurance is solely the responsibility of our guests. Please ensure you arrange your own insurance with protection for the full duration of your journey to cover personal injury, damage and loss of personal items including but not limited to camera equipment and other electronic items, medical expenses, repatriation expenses and loss of luggage, etc. Please speak to your travel agent if you require assistance.

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