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**WORLD IN ONE COUNTRY**

**19-DAY LODGE SAFARI FROM JOHANNESBURG TO CAPE TOWN.**

Embark on an unforgettable adventure through South Africa and Eswatini on this immersive 20-day journey. From the vibrant streets of Johannesburg to the majestic landscapes of Mpumalanga and the cultural richness of Eswatini. Encounter diverse wildlife in Kruger National Park, delve into Zulu traditions in Zululand, and unwind on the pristine beaches of Cinsta before culminating in the cosmopolitan charm of Cape Town.

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# HIGHLIGHTS

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| **Johannesburg:**  **Panorama Route:**  **Kruger:**  **Kingdom of Eswatini:**  **St Lucia:**  **Hluhluwe:** | Arrival in a bustling African city  Enjoy breath-taking scenic views at God’s Window and Blyde River Canyon  Visit spectacular rock formations at Bourke’s Luck  Open Vehicle Game drives in the iconic national park  Visit to Mlilwane Wildlife Sanctuary including guided birding walk interactive cultural experience at a chief’s homestead  Afternoon boat cruise in the iSimangaliso Wetland Park  Wildlife viewing in the Hluhluwe–Imfolozi Game Reserve on a game drive | **Drakensberg Mountains:**  **Sani pass:**  **Garden Route:**  **Cape St Francis**  **Cape Winelands:**  **Cape Town:** | Exploring the picturesque World Heritage Site on guided walks  Visit highest pub in Africa  Game driving in Addo Elephant National Park  Explore the forests of Tsitsikamma National Park on leisurely hikes  Taste the “white gold” on a Calamari tour  Wine blending experience  Explore the city at leisure  Full day scenic Cape Peninsula tour |

# QUICK FACTS

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| **Tour type:**  **Duration:**  **Start:**  **End:**  **Countries visited:** | Small group lodge safari  19 days  Johannesburg, South Africa  Cape Town, South Africa  South Africa, Eswatini and Lesotho | **Meals:**  **Vehicle:**  **Group Size:** | 18 x Breakfast  02 x Lunch  05 x Dinner  Suitable touring vehicle according to group size  \*Additional game drives in open game-viewer available (optional)  Min. 4\* / Max. 14  \*Guaranteed departures with no minimum pax available |

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# DEPARTURE DATES 2025

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| **MONTH** | **TOUR START** | **TOUR END** | **TYPE** | **MONTH** | **TOUR START** | **TOUR END** | **TYPE** |
| **February** | 16/02/2025 | 06/03/2025 | D |  | 10/08/2025 | 28/08/2025 | D |
| **March** | 10/03/2025 | 28/03/2025 |  | **September** | 01/09/2025 | 19/09/2025 |  |
| **April** | 12/04/2025 | 30/04/2025 | D |  | 22/09/2025 | 10/10/2025 | D |
| **May** | 17/05/2025 | 04/06/2025 |  | **October** | 03/10/2025 | 21/10/2025 | GD/D |
|  | 29/05/2025 | 16/06/2025 | D |  | 20/10/2025 | 07/11/2025 | GD |
| **June** | 28/06/2025 | 16/07/2025 | GD | **November** | 03/11/2025 | 21/11/2025 | D |
| **July** | 26/07/2025 | 13/08/2025 | D |  | 17/11/2025 | 05/12/2025 |  |
| **August** | 02/08/2025 | 20/08/2025 |  | **December** | 15/12/2025 | 02/01/2026 |  |

D – German guided departures / GD - Guaranteed departures

# ITINERARY

**B** – Breakfast **L** – Lunch **D** – Dinner

## DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA

On arrival in Johannesburg, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. You have the remainder of the day at leisure. This evening you will meet your guide and the rest of the group for your pre-departure meeting at 18h00.

**Accommodation:** Southern Sun OR Tambo or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool and restaurant)

**OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES IN JOHANNESBURG**

Below is a list of some of the most popular optional activities on offer in Johannesburg. Pre-booking is recommended to avoid disappointment. The rates are per person and are quoted in South African Rand. All activities are subject to availability and may require a minimum amount of passengers to operate. Certain activities only operate at specific times of the year or on certain days of the week only. Please contact our reservation office for further information. Should you wish to partake in an activity that is not listed below, we will gladly assist you with rates and reservations.

Apartheid Museum Tour Pretoria City Tour

Gold Reef City Tour Johannesburg City & Soweto Tour

Lesedi Cultural Village Tour

## DAY 2: JOHANNESBURG TO MPUMALANGA, SOUTH AFRICA B

Departing from Johannesburg we head east towards Mpumalanga. A landscape characterized by mountains, panoramic passes, valleys, rivers, waterfalls and forests. We spend the night in the town of Graskop, a small forestry town situated on the Drakensberg Escarpment at the start of the Panorama route and the gateway to the Kruger National Park.

**Distance:** 385 km **Departure:** 06h30

**Accommodation:**  Graskop Hotel or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, bar & restaurant)

**Breakfast:** At Southern Sun OR Tambo or similar

## DAY 3: BOURKE'S LUCK POTHOLES & BLYDE RIVER CANYON, SOUTH AFRICA B

This morning we start with a scenic drive along the Panorama Route, arguably one of the most beautiful destinations in South Africa. The most spectacular stretch is the Blyde River Canyon, which is the 3rd largest canyon in the world, and filled with lush vegetation and wildlife. We make a stop at Bourke’s Luck Potholes to view these spectacular rock formations, formed eons ago by erosion. Then, marvel at the vast expanse of Blyde River Canyon, where towering cliffs and lush landscapes create an awe-inspiring spectacle.

**Distance:** 117 km **Departure:** 07h00

**Accommodation:** Hazyview Sun Hotel or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, restaurant)

**Breakfast:** At Graskop Hotel or similar

## DAY 4: KRUGER NATIONAL PARK, SOUTH AFRICA BD

Today is spent on a full day open vehicle game drive in Kruger National Park where you will have the chance to encounter the wildlife of Africa in our comfortable 4x4 open vehicle.

**Accommodation:** Hazyview Sun Hotel or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, restaurant)

**Day 4**

**Breakfast:** At Hazyview Sun Hotel or similar

**Dinner:** Boma Dinner experience at Hazyview Sun Hotel or similar

## DAY 5 & 6: KINGDOM OF ESWATINI B, BL

Today we cross the border into the mountainous Kingdom of Eswatini, led by King Mswati III, and one of 3 monarchies in Africa. You will explore the traditions and discover the culture of which the Swazis are so proud. We spend two nights in the Mlilwane Wildlife Sanctuary, Eswatini’s pioneer conservation area situated in the “Valley of Heaven”. Apart from abundant bird life, there are a number of animal species to be seen including hippo, giraffe, zebra, and a variety of antelope, which we hope to spot on a guided walk in the afternoon. The next day we visit the Umphakatsi Chief’s homestead, for an interactive experience where you will get to try your hand at grinding maize and plaiting mountain grass or join the children in Swazi song and dance. An offering of a taste of local food is made but forget about your cutlery and try it the Swazi way… with your hands!

**Distance:** 290 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Mlilwane Rest Camp or similar (beehive huts with en-suite bathrooms, restaurant)

**Day 5**

**Breakfast:** At Hazyview Sun Hotel or similar

**Day 6**

**Breakfast:** At Mlilwane Rest Camp or similar

**Lunch:** Lunch in village or similar

## DAY 7: ZULULAND, SOUTH AFRICA B, B

After visiting a craft market en-route, we re-enter South Africa via Northern Kwa-Zulu Natal. We arrive at our lodge in the late afternoon.

**Distance:** 305 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Ezulwini Game Lodge or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, bar & dining area)

**Breakfast:** At Mlilwane Rest Camp or similar

## DAY 8: ZULULAND, SOUTH AFRICA B

Today we explore the Hluhluwe-iMfolozi Game Reserve, during a game drive in our tour vehicle. Hluhluwe-iMfolozi is the oldest game reserve in Africa and is a safe haven to both the endangered black and white rhino. In the afternoon we make our way to the iSimangaliso Wetland Park, which was listed as South Africa’s first World Heritage Site. Here we enjoy a boat cruise on the St Lucia estuary, getting up close to the hippos and crocodiles that inhabit the lake.

**Distance:** 150 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Elephant Lake Hotel or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, bar & restaurant)

**Breakfast:** At Ezulwini Game Lodge or similar

## DAY 9 & 10: ZULULAND - DRAKENSBERG, SOUTH AFRICA - LESOTHO BD, BD

Embark on an exciting journey to the Southern Drakensberg Park, where rugged landscapes and towering peaks await. Join a guided 4x4 excursion up the legendary Sani Pass in Lesotho, navigating challenging terrain with expert guidance. At the summit, savour a drink and soak in the breathtaking mountain views at the highest pub in Africa, nestled amidst the clouds.

**Distance:** 460 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, bar & restaurant)

**Day 9**

**Breakfast:** At Elephant Lake Hotel or similar

**Dinner:** At Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar

**Day 10**

**Breakfast:** At Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar

**Dinner:** At Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar

## DAY 11 & 12: CINSTA, SOUTH AFRICA BLD, BD

Head south to Cinsta, the crown jewel of the Wild Coast. Here, miles of untouched beaches await, inviting you to relax and unwind. Feel the soft sand beneath your feet as you stroll along the pristine shoreline, soaking in the beauty of nature. Whether you're lounging by the sea or exploring hidden coves, Cinsta promises a tranquil escape by the water's edge.

**Distance:** 517 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Crawfords Beach Lodge or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool & restaurant)

**Day 11**

**Breakfast:** At Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar

**Lunch:** Lunchpack from Premier Sani Pass Resort or similar

**Dinner:** At Crawfords Beach Lodge or similar

**Day 12**

**Breakfast:** At Crawfords Beach Lodge or similar

**Dinner:** At Crawfords Beach Lodge or similar

## DAY 13: ADDO, SOUTH AFRICA B

Today we take a journey through the historical Zuurberg Mountain Pass. Guided by experts, traverse rugged terrain as the late afternoon sun illuminates ancient rocks. Listen to tales of explorers and settlers amidst sweeping vistas and vibrant wildflowers. In the late afternoon enjoy a guided walk across the Zuurberg mountain.

**Distance:** 345 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Zuurberg Mountain Inn or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool)

**Breakfast:** At Crawfords Beach Lodge or similar

## DAY 14 & 15: ADDO ELEPHANT NATIONAL PARK - CAPE ST FRANCIS, SOUTH AFRICA B, B

Embark on a morning game drive in Addo Elephant National Park. We continue to the coastal town of St Francis Bay and enjoy a sunset boat cruise on the great canal system of the Kromme River.

The next day enjoy an informative Calamari tour & tasting at Port St Francis. This exclusive opportunity offers a chance to taste South Africa's finest local calamari, often referred to as "white gold," and gain a deeper appreciation for its exquisite flavours.

**Distance:** 250 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Cape St Francis Resort or similar (cottages with en-suite bathrooms, swimming pool, restaurant)

**Day 14**

**Breakfast:** At Zuurberg Mountain Inn or similar

**ADDO ELEPHANT NATIONAL PARK**

**ADDITIONAL GAME DRIVE IN OPEN GAME-VIEWER VEHICLE**

**Morning Game Drive** Incl. snacks and drinks Price to be advised

\*Pre-booking recommended. Based on a minimum of 2 people. Departure times are seasonally dependent.

**Day 15**

**Breakfast:** At Cape St Francis Resort or similar

## DAY 16: CAPE ST FRANCIS, TSITSIKAMMA TO OUDTSHOORN, SOUTH AFRICA B

Embark on a scenic drive to the Tsitsikamma Forest, where you'll enjoy a guided walk to the iconic suspension bridge at Storms River Mouth. Experience the breathtaking views of the rugged coastline from high above the rushing waters. Continue your journey to Oudtshoorn, known as the ostrich capital of the world. Explore ostrich farms and immerse yourself in the town's rich cultural heritage. Enjoy the day's adventures and discoveries in these two unique destinations along South Africa's Garden Route.

**Distance:** 320 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Mooiplaas Guest House or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, bar, restaurant and swimming pool)

**Breakfast:** At Cape St Francis Resort or similar

## DAY 17 & 18: CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA B, B

Early morning embark an Ostrich Farm tour. Continue to Cape Town and on-route, we visit the town of Robertson, where you will enjoy a tour and tasting at a local wine estate. Once in Cape Town, the afternoon is at leisure, enjoy sundowners at one of the fabulous beaches or indulge in some last-minute shopping at the V&A Waterfront.

The next day we get to explore the many attractions the ‘Mother City’ has to offer, on a Cape Peninsula tour. Travelling along the Atlantic Seaboard via Sea Point, Clifton and Camps Bay, we stop at Maiden Cove look-out point before continuing to Hout Bay. Here you have the option to take a boat trip to Seal Island (seasonal and not included in the cost). We carry on over Chapman’s Peak, one of the world’s most breath-taking coastal drives, to Cape Point and the Good Hope Nature Reserve. In the afternoon we travel on to Simon’s Town, a village with charming Victorian architecture, a naval base and a large penguin colony at the beautiful Boulders Beach. Kindly note the reserve entrance fee at Boulders Beach carries an additional cost.

**Distance:** 420 km **Departure:** 08h00

**Accommodation:** Pullman Cape Town City Centre or similar (rooms with en-suite bathrooms, restaurant)

**Day 17**

**Breakfast:** At Mooiplaas Guest House or similar

**Day 18**

**Breakfast:** At Pullman Cape Town City Centre or similar

## DAY 19: CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA B

Spend the final day at leisure. Weather dependent, there is the chance to take the cable car up Table Mountain (own expense) and enjoy one last view of the Cape of Good Hope before your transfer to the airport.

**Breakfast:** At Pullman Cape Town City Centre or similar

**OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES IN CAPE TOWN**

Below is a list of some of the most popular optional activities on offer in Cape Town. Pre-booking is recommended to avoid disappointment. The rates are per person and are quoted in South African Rand. All activities are subject to availability and may require a minimum amount of passengers to operate. Certain activities only operate at specific times of the year or certain days of the week. Please contact our reservation office for further information. Should you wish to partake in an activity that is not listed below, we will gladly assist you with rates and reservations.

Cape Peninsula Tour (full day) Marine Eco Boat Tour

Spier Wine Farm & Vineyards Gliding Tour (Segway) Give Back Cultural Field Trip

Cape Township Tour Inverdoorn Day Visit - Self-drive

Inverdoorn Day Safari - With transfers The Whale Route Tour

Evening Township Tour Experience Sunset Cruise

Cape Town City Cycle Tour Table Mountain Hike

Mountain Biking (Table Mountain)

Aquila Private Game Reserve Day Safari

Cape Peninsula Tour (half day)

Cape Town City Tour (half day)

Harbour cruise - Dawn (30 Minutes)

Cape Point Tour with Hiking & Biking

Private Photographic Tour of Cape Town

# PRE-DEPARTURE INFORMATION

# DEPARTURE:

The World in One Country Safari departs from Southern Sun OR Tambo or similar in Johannesburg.

**Please note that the daily departure times are a guideline only and are subject to change due to seasonal variations, as well as unforeseen circumstances. The final decision rests with your guide who will advise you at what time you will be departing each day.**

On the evening of Day 1, there will be a meeting presented by your guide, at 18h00, at Southern Sun OR Tambo. It is imperative that all clients attend this meeting so as not to miss out on any critical information.

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:

Jenman Safaris uses fully equipped Toyota Quantum’s, Mercedes Benz Sprinters or Vito’s or other appropriate vehicles with comfortable seating, a music system, PA system and air-conditioning. Please note all game drives are conducted in the touring vehicle. Clients have the option to book additional game drives in open game-viewer vehicles. It is recommended that you pre-book additional game drives in advance to avoid disappointment.

# TRAVELLING TIMES AND DISTANCES:

All travelling times are affected by road conditions, border crossings, detours and weather conditions, therefore on certain days travelling times may be longer than anticipated especially where there is a lot of distance to be covered.  Please keep in mind that the time it takes to travel 100 km in your home country is not equivalent to the time it takes to travel 100 km on African roads, therefore we encourage you to sit back and enjoy the spectacular scenery Africa has to offer.   Where possible additional stops will be made to ensure your travelling comfort at all times.

# ACCOMMODATION:

We make use of mid-range typical African standard lodge accommodation. Accommodation is situated either in National Parks, on the banks of a river, or in other places of interest. The accommodation will be a mix of lodges, chalets and tented camps. Most of them have a private bathroom with a shower and toilet. Some properties are equipped with swimming pools and/or bar areas.

# MEALS:

Breakfast is included daily and provided by the lodge restaurants. Please advise us of any special dietary requirements in advance. Should you not wish to pre-pay for this, dinners will be for your own account and will still need to be taken in local restaurants or at the lodges if there are no restaurants in the nearby vicinity. There are no facilities available for self-catering.

# VISAS:

The onus is on the client to organize all visas required to visit South Africa, Swaziland and Lesotho prior to departure.

# 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.

# MAKING YOUR TRAVELS MEANINGFUL:

The Grow Africa Foundation (163-738 NPO) is the responsible tourism initiative started by Jenman African Safaris and Hideaways. The focus of Grow Africa is to make a positive impact on the environment, society and economy in the places we travel to. We do this by instigating and supporting local social and environmental projects.

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**For more information regarding the attractions, accommodations and areas visited on this tour, we invite you to click through to the tour listing on our website** [**www.jenmansafaris.com**](http://www.jenmansafaris.com)**. You will also find information regarding availability and possible extensions to our scheduled tours. Our reservations office is at your service and we look forward to welcoming you to Jenman online!**

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