

# 7DAYS TANZANIA ADVENTURE SAFARI (LANDSCAPE, NATURE & WILDLIFE EXPLORATION)

# PROPOSAL TRAVEL ITINERARY

Tour Duration: 7 days

Date of tour / safari: Year Around - 2022

Tour Category: Tanzania Adventure Safari

Accommodation level: Midrange

Highlights: Tarangire National Park, Lake Manyara National Park, Serengeti National Park and Ngorongoro Crater

# **DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY**

# Day 1: Arrival at Kilimanjaro Airport – Transfer to Arusha

#### Distance: 55Km/ Approx. 1 hr. in tarmac road

Upon your arrival at Kilimanjaro Airport, your Lifetime Safari team will be waiting for you with a warm welcoming smile. Today you will have a driver who will assist you to board on your comfortable vehicle as he takes you to your hotel in Arusha

Midrange: - Arusha Planet Lodge - on bed and breakfast

## **Day 2:** Arusha - Tarangire National Park (countryside, sceneries & Game drives) Distance: 120Km/ Approx. 2- 2:30 hrs. with En-route game

After breakfast, your safari driver guide will pick you from your lodge and drive you in your private 4x4 safari vehicle to Tarangire National Park. The park is most famous for its elephant migration, birding and quiet authentic safari atmosphere in a unique surrounding of baobab trees. We will enjoy a game drive exploring the park. Lunch will be taken in a picnic site overlooking the Tarangire River.

Proceed with game drive until end of the day you drive to your accommodation located at Mto wa Mbu (Manyara) for dinner and overnight.

#### Mid-Range: Manyara Secret - Full Board

# Day 3: Lake Manyara, Cycling and Nature Walking Safari

**Travel / Activity:** Early in the morning will meet with your local guide and go for a **bicycle ride** at Lake Manyara I (**out of the park**). The trail is leading through banana plantations to the shores of Lake Manyara, and then we follow the shoreline. We cycle besides flocks of flamingoes and pelicans. Herbs of wildebeests, zebras and giraffes usually are grazing around the plains of the lake. The ride is approximately 3-31/2 hours. Return to the camp for breakfast and relaxation for a while.

After relaxing for a while, depart for Mto wa Mbu **village nature walk**. Again, meet your local guide and go for a cultural experience and nature walking safari. Mto wa Mbu village is thought to be one of the only places in Tanzania where there are representatives from all 120 tribes living happily side by side. Although the name translates as 'Mosquito River', due to the permanent water source in the village, we fortunately didn't see many mosquitoes. Your guide is very likely to be from the village itself so you will have a unique opportunity to see the community through his eyes. During your visit you'll get a good feel for the social side of the village – the banana plantations, the milling machines, the schools, markets and churches. Your guide will be happy to answer any questions you might have and will help you to gain an understanding of the inner workings of this typical Tanzanian community. Return to the accommodation for evening leisure dinner and overnight.

### Mid-Range: Manyara Secret - Full Board

# Day 4: Manyara to Serengeti NP, En-route Game drive (Sceneries, fauna & flora) Distance: 205Km/ Approx. 4-5 hrs. with en route game

After an early breakfast we drive direct to Serengeti National Park, through the beautiful high lying farmland of Karatu and the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. Leaving the highlands behind to the heart of wild Africa – the Serengeti National Park – with its endless plains, rolling into the distance as far as the eye can see. We head to the central park area, known as the Seronera area, one of the richest wildlife habitats in the park, featuring the Seronera River, which provides a valuable water source to this area and therefore attracts wildlife well representative of most of the Serengeti's species

We arrive in time for lunch and enjoy an afternoon game drive in the Serengeti national park. In the evening arrive to your accommodation for evening leisure time, dinner and overnight.

#### Midrange: Serengeti Wilderness Camp - on Full board

# Day 5: Serengeti National Park – Full day Game drive – Optional of taking hot air balloon safari over Serengeti Plains

Morning in Serengeti is an experience worth cherishing. We will wake up surrounded by enchanted sounds and smell of the wilderness staring at a magnificent breathtaking sunrise view at the endless plains of Serengeti.

After breakfast, depart for a full day game drive exploring Serengeti in search of the wildlife. **Serengeti National Park** is the world Heritage Site that has many attractions than any other national park in Africa. The Great Migration, The Big Five, Unique Bird Collections, Endangered Species, Highest concentration of Carnivores and Herbivores, Scenic and Spectacular Landscapes are some of the attractions one will encounter!

In the late afternoon, we drive to your accommodation. After freshen up Cosy around the campfire and enjoy sharing stories of the day's wildlife sightings while waiting for dinner.

#### Midrange: Serengeti Wilderness Camp - on Full board

# Day 6: Serengeti to Ngorongoro Conservation, evening crater rim guided nature walk (Ngorongoro by foot) & Sundowner Experience

Sunrise game drive, searching for big Cats while hunting, they actively hunt during early morning. Then we proceed with en-route game drive from Serengeti to Ngorongoro enjoying the unwinding scenery along the way.

After some time to relax in the lodge, IF WEATHER PERMITTING -depart for late afternoon walk along the crater rim. This is the Guided tour around Ngorongoro Crater rim. Enjoy an easy 90-minute wildlife walk around the lodge and Crater rim with our resident naturalist. On this purely educational tour, you will see an array of bird species, wildlife and plants and flowers while enjoying spectacular views of the Crater floor.

**Thereafter SUNDOWNER EXPERIENCE** at Ngorongoro Crater rim - This is an essential part of traditional safari life, the concept of having drinks whilst watching the sun go down dates back to the time of the great safaris of the 1920's, all of which featured the serving of elegant 'bush' cocktails against the unforgettable backdrop of the African sunset

"Timed to commence as the sun starts its descent, which on the Equator is usually around 6 pm, the Ngorongoro sundowner begins with a gentle drive to a scenic spot on the rim of the Crater, where chairs, lamps, campfire and bush bar with cocktail snacks will already have been set up. Enjoy the breathtaking experience.

Later return to your lodge located inside Ngorongoro conservation, Leisure time, dinner and overnight.

Accommodation at : <u>Ngorongoro Serena Lodge</u> - Located on the crater rim with perfect view towards the crater. on Full Board

# Day 7: Ngorongoro Crater – Arusha – Kilimanjaro Airport

### Distance: 245Km/ Approx. 3-4 hrs. from exit gate

At sunrise we drive down to the crater floor for wildlife game. With its abundant water, excellent grazing and natural protection from the densely vegetated crater walls, the crater provides shelter to over 25000 animals, including the endangered Black Rhinoceros. Lunch will be taken in a picnic site inside the crater.

In the afternoon we ascend the crater and drive back to Arusha. Proceed to the Airport for your evening flight to your onward destination.

End of Tanzania Adventure Karibu Tena Tanzania. (Welcome again to Tanzania)

#### **Price includes**

- Return airport transfer Kilimanjaro Intl. Airport / Arusha
- Accommodation in Arusha on BB
- 4x4 vehicles for the safari vehicle (pop up roof jeep).
- Services of English-speaking driver guide for Safari.
- Accommodations and meals as indicated on the itinerary while on Safaris in FB

- Fly doctor evacuation
- Mineral water on game drive, coffee, and some other soft drinks
- Crater tour and government taxes.
- WIFI on Safari jeep
- Binoculars
- Cycling and Nature walk at Manyara
- All National Parks entry fee,

### **Price Excludes**

- International Flights
- Visas
- Hot Air Balloon Safari in Serengeti US\$550
- Optional activities mentioned on the above itinerary
- Travel/medical/baggage insurance
- Tips, Laundry
- Telephone bills (Whenever applicable)
- Any other items of a personal nature