# **Incredible Rwanda & Tanzania**







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#### 1 Arrive in Kigali

Upon arrival at Kigali International Airport, you will be met by our representative and transferred to your hotel for the night.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Marriott Kigali | Silver: Kigali Serena | Gold: The Retreat **Meal Plan:** 

#### **2 Volcanoes National Park**

After breakfast, embark on a city tour of Kigali including the Memorial Centre and Craft Centre. After lunch, drive north to Ruhengeri at the foothills of the Virungas arriving at your lodge late in the afternoon in time for dinner and overnight.

Hidden away amongst the thick rainforest of Volcanoes National Park in the northwest of Rwanda lives one of the planet's most endangered species: Mountain gorillas. The park, which contains five out of the eight volcanos of the Virunga Mountains, is the most accessible gorilla national park in the world and is home to 12 habituated groups of this glorious creature.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Mountain Gorilla View Lodge | Silver: Virunga Lodge | Gold: One&Only Gorilla's Nest **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### **3 Gorilla Tracking**

After an early breakfast, drive to Volcanoes National Park HQ to meet your guide and other members of the tracking group. After a briefing by a guide, you will drive to the trail head for the start of an amazing adventure.

The Mountain gorillas in the Parc National des Volcanes are part of a worldwide population of just over 1000 individuals. Once the gorillas are located, you will be allowed a maximum of one hour with them. This is one of the world's truly memorable experiences – a look into one of these magnificent creatures' eyes brings home the bond that exists between them and us.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Mountain Gorilla View Lodge | Silver: Virunga Lodge | Gold: One&Only Gorilla's Nest **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### 4 Golden Monkey Tracking

After your breakfast at your lodge, you will be picked by your driver guide, and drive to the park headquarters where you will be briefed and escorted to track the Golden monkeys. The Golden monkeys are also an endangered species and the park is currently home to two habituated Golden monkey troops which consist of up to 100 members each. The Golden monkeys are cheeky and often difficult to photograph. However this is a rare and delightful experience and one not to be missed whilst in Rwanda.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Mountan Gorilla View Lodge | Silver: Virunga Lodge | Gold: One&Only Gorilla's Nest **Meal Plan:** B,L,D



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#### **5 Fly to Serengeti National Park**

Set out for Kigali early this morning to catch the mid-day flight to the Serengeti. Arrive in the afternoon and do a short game drive to the property.

One of the world's last great wildlife refuges, the Serengeti, stretches between the Ngorongoro Highlands and Lake Victoria. The name comes from the Maasai word 'siringet', meaning "endless plains". The Serengeti's 14,763 square kilometers (5,700 square miles) contains about three million large animals, many of them taking part in seasonal migrations, unparalleled in nature.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Kubu Kubu Tented Lodge | Silver: Lemala Nanyukie | Gold: Serengeti Bushtops **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### 6 & 7 Serengeti National Park

Spend the next two days exploring the Serengeti National Park on morning and afternoon game drives in your private land cruiser. There is the chance to do an early morning balloon safari (additional cost).

**Overnight:** Bronze: Kubu Kubu Tented Lodge | Silver: Lemala Nanyukie | Gold: Serengeti Bushtops **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### 8 Ngorongoro

Fly to the Lake Manyara Airstrip. On arrival, you will be picked up in your private land cruiser and driven to your lodge where you have the afternoon at leisure to enjoy the facilities.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Kitela Lodge | Silver: Gibb's Farm | Gold: Ngorongoro Crater Lodge **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### 9 Ngorongoro

Set off for a full day game drive in the Ngorongoro Crater - the worlds largest unbroken caldera.

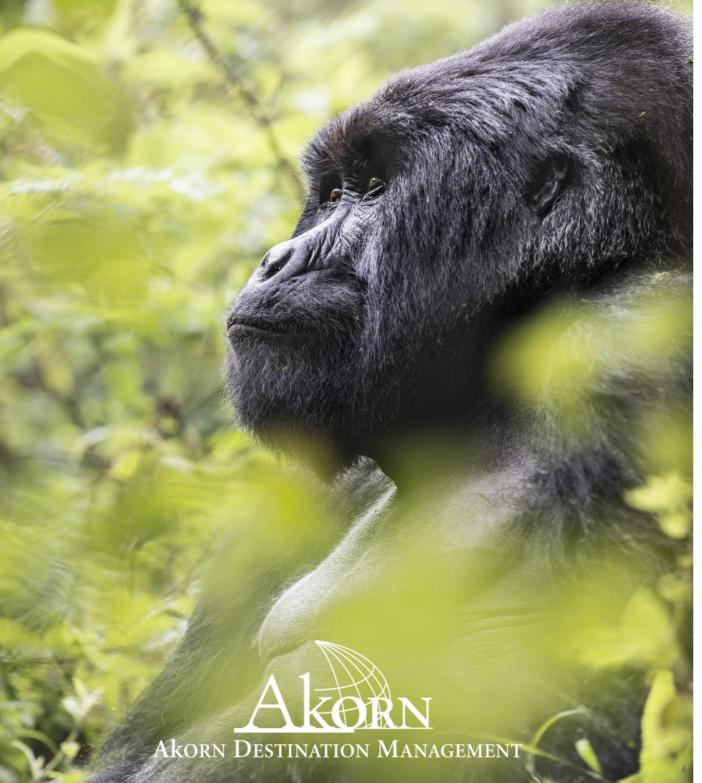
Your game drive today will be like no other as you visit one of the most dramatic safari destinations in Africa, the Ngorongoro Crater. Descend to the crater floor in search of the big 5 with the backdrop of the forest covered crater walls surrounding you, creating stunning backgroundfor all of your wildlife photographs.

**Overnight:** Bronze: Kitela Lodge | Silver: Gibb's Farm | Gold: Ngorongoro Crater Lodge **Meal Plan:** B,L,D

#### **10 Depart**

Drive to Arusha and relax in a day room before being transferred to Kilimanjaro International Airport for the flight home.

Meal Plan: B





### **OVERVIEW**

- 1 NIGHT KIGALI 3 NIGHTS VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK 3 NIGHTS SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK 2 NIGHTS NGORONGORO

# **INCLUDES**

- Accommodation
- Meals & drinks as indicated
- One gorilla track, one Golden monkey track and game drives in the Serengeti and Ngorongoro
- Internal flights (maximum 15kg/33lb luggage allowance)
- Meet and assist upon arrival at each airport
- Park fees

# **EXCLUDES**

- Meals & drinks not specified
- Premium drinks including champagnes, cognacs, fine wines, premium brand spirits, cigars
- Touring and excursions not specified
- All items of personal nature, telephone calls, curio shop purchases
- Gratuities
- International flights & visas

## **PLEASE NOTE**

- Rates are valid for 2024 (subject to change),
- Rates are based on a minimum of two guests (per person sharing)
- Rates are based on entry level category rooms
- Transfers and guiding with an English speaking driver/guide unless other languages are requested
- Seasons rates are subject to camp/lodge/hotels
- Minimum age for gorilla tracking is 15
- Contact your consultant for a quotation based on quest's travel dates