

# AFRICAN SAFARI ADVENTURE

**SMALL  
GROUP  
ADVENTURE**  
*Maximum  
20 Travelers*



13 DAYS • 32 MEALS

**2017 Departure Dates:**  
March 12; May 12; September 12; October 5, 28

  
**MayflowerTours**<sup>™</sup>  
Life Enriching Experiences

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Experience Africa's unique wildlife in their natural habitat

## The Mayflower Way

- ✓ 32 Meals (10 breakfasts, 11 lunches and 11 dinners)
- ✓ Airport transfers on tour dates when air is provided by Mayflower Tours
- ✓ Experienced Safari Guide with you during the entire adventure
- ✓ Game-viewing drives in the Lake Nakuru, Serengeti, Tarangire and Amboseli National Parks
- ✓ Visit to a traditional Maasai village
- ✓ Full-day adventure on the Masai Mara Game Reserve
- ✓ Crater exploration at the Ngorongoro Conservation Area
- ✓ \$65 in Mayflower Money

### DAY ONE – Depart the USA

Depart the USA on your overnight flight to Nairobi, the capital and largest city of Kenya.

### DAY TWO – Nairobi, Kenya

JAMBO - KARIBU!! (Welcome!) Upon arrival at the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, you will be met by a Mayflower Tours representative who will assist with your transfer to the hotel, located in the heart of the central business district, for overnight accommodations.

### DAY THREE – Nairobi to Lake Nakuru National Park

After breakfast, depart for a drive to Lake Nakuru and a brief stop at the Rift Valley view point. Continue on to your lodge, arriving in time for lunch. This afternoon, the safari adventure begins with the first game-viewing drive to Lake Nakuru National Park. Prides of lion, Cape Buffalo, waterbucks, wart hogs, the endangered Rothschild Giraffe, Black & White Rhino, Burchell's Zebra, impalas, and the elusive leopard are among the many species of animals that make this park their home. After the safari, return to the lodge for dinner and overnight.

(Breakfast, lunch and dinner)

### DAY FOUR – Lake Nakuru National Park to Masai Mara Game Reserve

After a hearty early morning breakfast, drive to the Masai Mara National Reserve. Upon arrival at the intimate Tipilikwani Camp, you are greeted with a warm welcome and lunch. This afternoon, depart on an exciting game-viewing drive of the Masai Mara. Rolling plains and grasslands, stretching as far as the eye can see, are home to the Black-maned Lion, Savannah (African) Elephant, Cape Buffalo, wildebeests, cheetah, hyena, rhino, topi, Burchelle's Zebra and Masai Giraffe. Have your camera ready...the Mara game reserve is one that can never disappoint! After an exciting game drive, return to the lodge for dinner and overnight. (Breakfast, lunch and dinner)

### DAY FIVE – Masai Mara Game Reserve

Today is a full-day adventure on the Masai Mara Game Reserve as you keep a lookout for the big five: lion, Savannah Elephant, Cape Buffalo, leopard and the Black Rhino. In the afternoon, visit a traditional Maasai manyatta (village) and experience the culture of this world famous community where the Maasai still live as they have for centuries. Interact with these nomadic people and experience their way of life. Return to the camp for dinner and overnight. (Breakfast, lunch and dinner)

### DAY SIX – Masai Mara Game Reserve to Serengeti National Park

It's time to leave Kenya and travel to Tanzania via the Isebania & Sirari border where your driver/guides will assist with immigration procedures. During the drive, a picnic lunch will take place. The world famous Serengeti National Park covers an area of 5700 square miles, is Tanzania's oldest park, and one of the world's last great wildlife refuges. The Serengeti ecosystem supports the greatest remaining concentration of plains game in Africa, including more than 2,500 lions and over one million wildebeests. Arriving at your Serengeti lodge, check-in and enjoy an included dinner. (Breakfast, picnic lunch and dinner)

### DAY SEVEN – Serengeti National Park

After breakfast, depart with picnic lunch boxes for a full day of game-viewing drives on the Serengeti plains. 'Serengeti' is derived from a word meaning 'the place where the land runs on forever', and the vast national park remains true to its name.



Immerse yourself in the culture of the locals



Enjoy a bush lunch at Serengeti National Park

Aside from being spoiled by the variety of wildlife and bird species of the Serengeti, its landscape is stunningly beautiful, especially in the early morning and late evening light. Elephant, buffalo, lion, rhino, zebra, giraffe and others may be spotted during your Serengeti adventure. An early morning optional excursion, Balloon Safari at Dawn, prior to the included game drive, may be available (weather permitting).

*(Breakfast, picnic lunch and dinner)*

### DAY EIGHT – Serengeti National Park to Ngorongoro Conservation Area

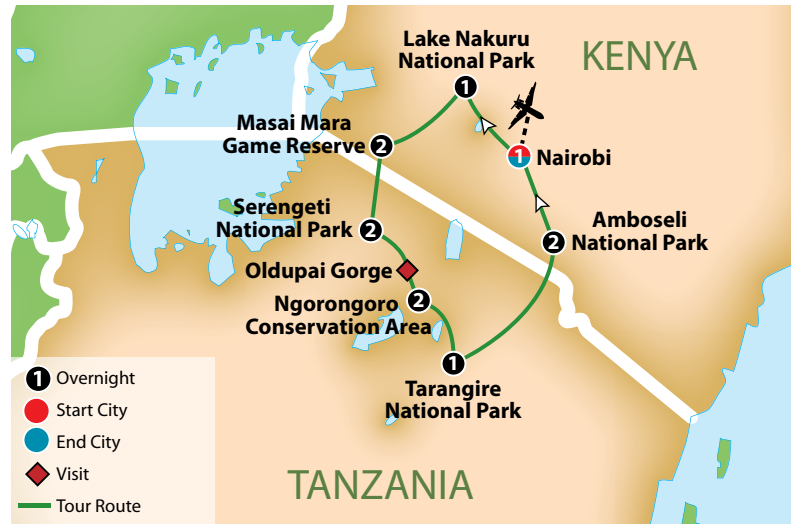
After breakfast, depart for the Ngorongoro Conservation Area with a stop at the Olduvai Gorge en-route. As one of the most important prehistoric sites in the world, a resident guide will provide an interpretation of the gorge. Lunch will be provided after checking in to the lodge on the rim of Ngorongoro Crater which has the largest unbroken caldera in the world and has been described as one of the great natural wonders of the world. Almost every species of African plains mammal lives in the crater, including the endangered Black Rhino. This afternoon, relax and enjoy the breathtaking views from the lodge before tonight's dinner. *(Breakfast, lunch and dinner)*

### DAY NINE – Ngorongoro Conservation Area

Today's adventure is a descent into the crater, in the game-drive vehicles, for a full day of game viewing. A photogenic paradise, an abundance of resident wildlife freely roams the plains of the crater floor while hundreds of bird species refresh in the small lakes. Unmatched for its natural variety and breathtaking beauty, there are few places on earth where such a tremendous diversity of landscapes exist in an area of this size. The crater is also of great archaeological importance with the remains of some of mankind's earliest ancestors discovered in the area. Return to your lodge late afternoon with time to relax before dinner. *(Breakfast, picnic lunch and dinner)*

### DAY TEN – Ngorongoro Conservation Area to Tarangire National Park

After breakfast, depart for Tarangire National Park, arriving at your lodge in time for lunch. An exciting game viewing drive takes place this afternoon. Herds of elephants scratch the dry bed of the Tarangire River searching for underground streams, while migratory wildebeest, zebra, buffalo, impala, gazelle, har-tebeest and eland crowd the shrinking lagoons. It's the greatest concentration of wildlife outside the Serengeti ecosystem - a smorgasbord for predators – and the one place in Tanzania where dry-country antelope such as the stately Fringe-Eared



Oryx and peculiar Long-Necked Gerenuk are regularly observed. *(Breakfast, lunch and dinner)*

### DAY ELEVEN – Tarangire National Park to Amboseli National Park

Enjoy an early morning breakfast before departing via the Namanga border to Amboseli National Park where you check in to the lodge and enjoy lunch. On this afternoon's game-viewing drive, you have the opportunity to see buffalo, cheetah, giraffe, baboon, gazelle, hippo and wildebeest among many other inhabitants of this national park. With over 400 species of birds, flora and fauna, it's also a bird-lovers paradise. This evening, enjoy dinner at the lodge. *(Breakfast, lunch and dinner)*

### DAY TWELVE – Amboseli National Park

A morning and afternoon game viewing drive are in store for today. Amboseli National Park offers some of the most breathtaking views in Africa and is one of the best places for a photogenic view of Mount Kilimanjaro (weather permitting). Famous for its large herds of giant elephants, the park provides the classic Hollywood image of Africa. *(Breakfast, lunch and dinner)*

### DAY THIRTEEN – Amboseli National Park to Nairobi

Your African Safari Adventure comes to an end as you depart for Nairobi, taking with you memories and photographs of the special moments and unforgettable experiences. Lunch is included before arriving at the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport for your flight home. *(Breakfast and lunch)* *(Arrival at your home city may be on Day Fourteen based on flight schedule)*



One of the 'Big Five' roams freely

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Your African Safari Adventure awaits

| 2017 DEPARTURES | PER PERSON TWIN ROOM | SINGLE ROOM |
|-----------------|----------------------|-------------|
| March 12        | \$5,199              | add \$1,099 |
| May 12          | \$4,499              | add \$1,045 |
| September 12    | \$5,999              | add \$1,099 |
| October 5       | \$5,999              | add \$1,099 |
| October 28      | \$5,369              | add \$929   |



Call for air rates and schedules between your city and Nairobi, Kenya



## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

EASY **1** **2** **3** **4** **5** ENERGETIC

**FOR RESERVATIONS OR INFORMATION CONTACT:**

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

**Day Two** – Sarova Stanley Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya

**Day Three** – Mbweha Safari Camp, Lake Nakuru National Park

**Days Four and Five** – Tipilikwani Luxury Mara Camp, Masai Mara Game Reserve

**Days Six and Seven** – Serengeti Sopa Lodge, Serengeti National Park

**Days Eight and Nine** – Ngorongoro Sopa Lodge, Ngorongoro Conservation Area

**Day Ten** – Tarangire Sopa Lodge, Tarangire National Park

**Days Eleven and Twelve** – Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge, Amboseli National Park

### Travelers Protection Plan (TPP) - \$249

This nonrefundable fee waives all cancellation fees when we are notified of cancellation one day before the tour departs. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness, illness or death of a member of your immediate family, TPP guarantees full refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line, and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included ONLY if your air tickets were provided by Mayflower Tours. If you purchase the optional Travelers Protection Plan (TPP), you will be refunded all payments, including deposit amount, less the TPP premium amount.

#### Cancellation Charges Without Traveler's Protection Plan (TPP)

- 91 days or more Deposit Amount
- 90 to 45 days prior 20% of tour cost
- 44 to 15 day prior 30% of tour cost
- 14 to 1 day prior 40% of tour cost
- Day 1 of departure 100% of tour cost
- or early departure from tour
- No refund on unused portions of the tour

**Exclusions:** Mayflower Tours reserves the right to alter its refund and cancellation policy when a substantial amount of cancellation or postponement of travel is attributable to: conditions resulting from an act of God, natural or man-made disaster, fire, government action, civil disorder, war, hostilities between nations, or unavailability of transportation through no fault of Mayflower Tours.



### Passport & Visas

Each U.S. citizen must have a valid passport. Expiry date of passports should be at least 6 months after the return date of tour. If you don't have a passport, call our office and we'll tell you how to apply for one. Some countries require visas for entry by U.S. citizens. We will send visa applications and instructions if a visa is required for your tour. Holders of non-U.S. passports should contact their nearest consulate and inquire about the necessary passport or visa documentation required for entry into the countries visited. NOTE: Due to airline security measures, your passport name must match your airline ticket name and your tour reservation name or you may be denied aircraft boarding.

