

Tanya's birthday celebration in South Africa

PRICES QUOTED ARE GROSS IN USD DOLLARS:

Rates quoted are estimated for travel in February 2025, and will be subject to change. Makalali Main lodge rates are firm.

LAND ONLY PACKAGE RATES BASED ON MAKALALI MAIN LODGE:

VALID FEBRUARY 3-13, 2025

10-12 paying passengers

USD\$4552.00 per person

Single Room Supplement:

USD\$2233.00 per person

Makalali is 1hr drive from Hoedspruit airport

Inclusions in above prices:

- 4 and 5* hotel accommodation as per itinerary based on twin share
- Transfers and transportation (**One Group transfer** meeting one flight only on arrival and departure is included.)
- Services of a qualified English speaking guides on transfers and day tours
- Arrival Meet & Greet assistance
- Entrance fees and game activities as per the itinerary
- Government/local taxes at existing rates
- Tours as noted below:
 - Tour of the Falls, and Sunset cruise
 - Adrenaline High Wire Pass
 - Durban city tour
 - Phezulu Cultural Park
- Meals as noted below:
 - 10 x Breakfasts
 - 3 x lunches
 - 3 x dinners
- Hotel and airport portorage

Exclusions in above prices:

- All airfares, departure taxes & fuel surcharges, Seat Selection
- Additional charges will apply for extra transfers if anyone in the group is arriving or departing on different flights.
- Any future fuel surcharges on land arrangements or additional costs due to COVID rules
- Personal items
- Meals unless listed in itinerary or note above and all drinks
- Tips & Gratuities
- Early check-in & late check out of rooms (standard check-in time is 2pm and check out 10am)
- Travel Insurance
- Changes in Government/local taxes
- A guide does not stay over with you at the safari lodges, you will use the lodge guide
- Visa/passport handling fees
- Quotation excludes additional fuel surcharges which may be implemented due to the current fluctuations in South Africa

**CONFIRMED ITINERARY FOR
TANYA FOX'S GROUP TO SOUTHERN AFRICA
FEBRUARY 3-13, 2025**



FEBRUARY 3 VICTORIA FALLS

On arrival at Victoria Falls airport you will be met and transferred to Shongwe Oasis Boutique Lodge for overnight in a deluxe room. Note you will need to get a double entry visa as you will be crossing the border into Botswana for a day tour.

Named for the Queen of England, but known locally as Mosi-oa-Tunya, “The Smoke Which Thunders,” Victoria Falls is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World. Twice the size of Niagara Falls, they are the largest sheet of water of any falls in the world. Victoria Falls also offers many hotels, restaurants and bars that welcome tourists and is well known for an abundance of adrenaline activities. While many initially come to see the magnificent waterfalls, more and more people who travel to Zimbabwe are choosing to stay to enjoy what this famous town has to offer.

Accommodation: Shongwe Oasis Boutique Lodge, deluxe room – 4 nights

FEBRUARY 4 VICTORIA FALLS (B)

Breakfast at the hotel followed by a morning tour of the falls.

We’re exploring Victoria Falls inside, outside, and right from the top - it’s a full tour, and you’ll thrill to every aspect of the fascinating stroll through the permanent gentle rain and mist occurring alongside the Falls, stopping off at the key view sites for a photo call! Here, you’ll be bombarded by the mighty roar of tons of water crashing over the series of ledges – it’s literally breathtaking.

Return to the hotel with the afternoon at leisure. Tonight you will have a sunset cruise on the Zambezi Explorer – Deck 1 & 2. Return to the hotel for overnight.

FEBRUARY 5 VICTORIA FALLS (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Today you will have a Adrenaline High Wire Pass with return transfers included. Flying Fox/Zip Line/Gorge Swing.

FEBRUARY 6 VICTORIA FALLS (BL)

Breakfast at the hotel and begin your full day trip to Chobe National Park in Botswana with lunch included.

This is a sensational trip - land- and water-based game viewing. Your first game sighting is from The Chobe River, teaming with animals, you sitting securely on board, just off the riverbank, game viewing from the relaxing vantage point of a boat. You're on the mighty Chobe River which flows through the renowned Chobe National Park providing a haven for herds of grazing animals and bird life. Just sit back, relax, and keep those binoculars handy. Watch this glorious scene unfolding itself – large herds of elephant, often with the tiniest frolicking calves, kicking up dust as they wait their turn at the water's edge to drink.

Frighteningly large crocodiles sun themselves on the banks of the river, mouths agape, teeth terrifying. Glorious birdlife, wonderful game, and the gentle rocking of the riverboat. Can life get any better? Apparently. When we disembark, we join our open safari vehicle for a drive through the Chobe Game Reserve with the chance of seeing more wildlife and birdlife, and a gorgeous lunch at a lodge awaiting us.... overlooking the Chobe River. Let's call it the ultimate.

Note: A passport is required and visa conditions may apply.

*** Guests are advised to request a double entry visa on arrival in Victoria Falls, which covers the day trip into Botswana.**

Return to your hotel for overnight.

FEBRUARY 7 DURBAN (B)

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Victoria Falls airport in time for your flight to Durban via Johannesburg. (flight not included) On arrival at Durban King Shaka Airport you will be met and transferred to your hotel.

Accommodation: Oyster Box Hotel, classic sea-facing room – 3 nights

FEBRUARY 8 DURBAN (B)

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to Phezulu Cultural Park (approx. 45min drive). Zulu dancing show (10am) and Reptile Park. Return to the hotel with the afternoon at leisure.

FEBRUARY 9 DURBAN (B)

After breakfast you will have a half day Durban city tour.

Our tour begins as we travel along Golden Mile, the revitalised beachfront promenade which hugs the beckoning beaches of Durban viewing the upgraded Point Waterfront. We move through the City, viewing the majestic City Hall, and enjoying its humorous history! We continue to the small craft harbour viewing the 8th largest harbour in the world. Drive past the sugar terminals and very busy harbour warehouses on our way to the University of Natal – Durban Campus where we view lovely sights of the harbour down below. Then we visit the bustling African/Indian Markets at Warwick Triangle – home to 9 distinct markets developed around Durban's largest public transport interchange and where approximately 6 000 street vendors ply their trade, to an average of 460 000 daily commuters – an authentic experience. From culture to nature, we visit the peaceful Durban Botanic Gardens founded in 1849, a treasure trove of massive trees from Asia, Africa and America, and a magnificent orchid house.

Return to the hotel with the afternoon at leisure.

FEBRUARY 10 DURBAN-MAKALALI (BD)

Breakfast at the hotel. Transfer to Durban airport in time for your flight via Johannesburg to Hoedspruit (flights excluded) On arrival you will be transferred to Makalali Private Game Reserve. Afternoon game drive and dinner back at the lodge. Overnight on a full board basis. Included is all meals, two daily game drives and conservation levies.

MAKALALI MAIN LODGE

Situated on a 26 000 hectare conservancy in the Hoedspruit region, west of the famous Kruger National Park, in the Limpopo province of South Africa and close to the Drakensberg Mountains, lays the breathtaking Makalali.

A place where the echoes of Africa are everywhere. With its thatched spires and earthy walls, ancient mystical ornaments and Pan African cuisine. Here you're surrounded by the untamed bushveld and yet cosseted by the warmth of our service and all the comforts of a truly unique resort.

Considered one of the leading pioneers in ecotourism in South Africa, Makalali Private Game Reserve is home to over one thousand wild animals including Africa's "Big Five". Experienced guides will take you on open air game drives or on guided bush walks and introduce you to a whole new world of bush lore and animal habits.

Makalali Main Lodge is a newly built 5 star lodge, It's central area is strikingly designed with rustic structures that effortlessly redirect the outside elements indoors. It also features a chic library; a quiet space to reflect or retreat with a book.

Guests can enjoy an array of African cuisine in the main dining area, with its characteristic dual aspect fireplace that connects the bar lounge and dining area; perfect for keeping the night chill at bay and enjoying an intimate dinner. The outside area is distinctively designed around the natural surrounds with a spacious deck area built around indigenous trees, overlooking a watering hole.

Makalali is the ideal place to see wildlife interact and take in the scenery. Equally spectacular is the large crystal blue rim flow pool. Its comfy chairs and sun-loungers create an inviting ambience, paired with a signature Makalali drink, it concludes the day beautifully.

Enjoy an evening under the Africa night sky from the elegantly designed boma area and listen to the wildlife come alive.

Accommodation: Makalali Main Lodge, superior room – 3 nights

FEBRUARY 11 & 12 MAKALALI PRIVATE GAME RESERVE (BLD)

Morning and afternoon game activities with all meals and overnight at Shiduli Lodge. On February 11 a birthday is included with dinner.

FEBRUARY 13 DEPART (B)

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Hoedspruit airport in time for your flight to Johannesburg and connect home (all flights excluded)

End of Arrangements by GOWAY Travel

TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR SOUTHERN AFRICA

DEPOSIT & FINAL PAYMENT:

I. GROUP DEPOSIT:

In order to block land arrangements, a non-refundable deposit of USD \$1,000.00 must be received by our office, together with the signed booking form. This amount will be deducted from the final invoice. If the group cancels, we will hold on file the initial deposit for up to 1 year to be transferred once to a future new group booking; sorry it cannot be transferred to an existing group and/or a new or existing FIT booking.

Prices cannot be confirmed until all land and/or air arrangements have been booked as per the group's final itinerary.

To book this quote, please go to the following link for Goway's Group Booking and Deposit Payment Form <https://www.goway.com/goway-travel/our-services/goway-groups-booking-and-payment-forms/>

II. ADDITIONAL DEPOSIT:

At times, additional deposits may be required for your arrangements and at times this information may be advised after initial quote or confirmation. If applicable, we will advise you as soon as we are made aware of this by the supplier.

III. DEPOSIT PAYMENTS:

All deposit payments, for land and/or air must be made via agency cheque or credit card only / Group leader cheque or credit card only.

IV. FINAL PAYMENT AND DOCUMENT ISSUANCE:

Final payment and valid passport copies* are due no later than 90 days prior to departure. For payments within 90 days of departure or if air tickets and documents need to be issued immediately after payment, a certified cheque, bank draft or wire transfer must be received. Normally air tickets and travel documents are sent out 30 days prior to departure.

The above are our normal final payment terms; however certain arrangements may require the balance of payment earlier.

Important: * These are required as per TSA requirements. Tickets cannot be issued without this information.

To make payments on your booking, please go to the following link for Goway's Group Payment Form. <https://www.goway.com/goway-travel/our-services/goway-groups-booking-and-payment-forms/>

V. INSTALLMENT PAYMENTS:

Goway Travel will accept installment payments on groups. Please note, any refunds of instalment payments that have been made over and above the non-refundable deposits will be subject to a 5% processing (e.g. a refund of \$500 will be charged a \$25 fee), a minimum charge of \$5 will apply. This processing fee applies if the cancellation is made prior to the effective date of the penalty period for the group. Please review the terms and conditions for full details of these dates and charges.

VI. OVERPAYMENT/ADDITIONAL COMMISSION:

Please note that any additional overpayment beyond 15% will be subject to an administration charge of 3% on the overage. This applies to NETT rates and also Gross rates where additional commission is added.

CANCELLATION:

I. LAND ARRANGEMENTS:

Goway Travel General Group Land penalties*

More than 91 days prior to departure	loss of non-refundable deposits
Between 90-61 Days prior to departure	75% of net tour price
60 days or less prior to departure	100% non-refundable

Important Note: Cancellation penalties for some travel arrangements may differ from our general conditions. In this occurrence, you will be advised of these addendums at the time of confirmation or prior to any penalties becoming applicable and as soon as we are notified of these special conditions.

INSURANCE:

It is strongly recommended that clients purchase cancellation insurance to protect themselves against cancellation due to illness prior to or during travel. In the event a traveller becoming ill during a tour and has not purchased insurance, all hospital and medical expenses are the traveller's responsibility. Based on Goway Travel's current cancellation policies the passenger may incur up to 100% cancellation penalties and should protect themselves with cancellation insurance.

Insurance MUST be purchased within 7 days of individual client deposits or payments being made and only covers non-refundable client money held by Goway Travel. If the group cancels prior to final payment and supplier fees being applicable, due to the required minimum numbers not being reached, the premium is refundable providing no claim has been made. In all other cases the premium is non-refundable.

Rates: All rates are subject to reconfirmation at the time of the policy being purchased. We will be happy to quote current rates, however these are not guaranteed until the policy is purchased.

For information on our insurance plan coverage, please visit:

Standard Package: www.tripmate.com/wpF422S (no CFAR)
Deluxe Plan: www.tripmate.com/wpF422D (with CFAR)

IMPORTANT NOTES ON INSURANCE:

1. Goway Travel cannot sell insurance to clients who are non US or Canadian residents or if they reside in Quebec
2. We are unable to sell any insurance to residents of the State of New York or Hawaii

IMPORTANT TRAVEL NOTES:

The Botswana Government have announced their intention to ban the use of plastic carrier bags effective from the 1st of November 2018. Guests travelling to Botswana should be aware of this and are advised to not carry plastic bags into the country. The proposed fine for carrying plastic bags will be US\$500.

PASSPORT & VISA INFORMATION*:

Please ensure clients have arranged all documentation with the appropriate consulate well in advance of their departure from US and that passports are also valid for the minimum validity required for **ALL** destinations being travelled to. The information following only applies to the itinerary booked with Goway Travel and does not cover any independently arranged destinations.

I. PASSPORTS

Passports must be valid for a minimum of **6** months from your scheduled return date.

Please ensure you have the correct documentation with you ready for check-in, security clearance and the boarding gates. For international travel, government regulations require all travelers over 16 years old to be in possession of a valid (return) air ticket, a passport and visa and health documentation (if required). Travelers without the necessary documents will not be allowed to board to avoid flouting immigration rules. Customers travelling to international destinations must ensure that their passports are signed on the space provided at the bottom of the page that lists contact details. This is a requirement from various Immigration Authorities which you must adhere to.

MUST Passports must be valid for a minimum of 6 months from your scheduled return date.

Please note that visitors who wish to travel to South Africa must have a machine readable passport that is valid for at least 60 days after their intended return date from South Africa.

MUST have sufficient blank pages in passport. These pages must be completely blank, this is a requirement. This blank page does not include the page reserved for Observations, Amendments or Endorsements.

It's important to note that non-South African passport holders must have at least two (1) completely unused visa page for entry or departure endorsements by South African Immigration Service in their passport. Government regulations prohibit airlines from boarding travelers without the required blank visa pages, even if you hold a valid ticket and a valid passport.

Please note that if you are travelling to other countries, you will need additional blank pages

If you are traveling to Zimbabwe via South Africa, please ensure that you have at least 6 blank pages in your passport. South Africa requires two clean, consecutive pages for each transit through South Africa. You will need two pages to transit South Africa in each direction, and two pages to enter Zimbabwe.

For travel to Zimbabwe all domestic transactions should be settled in Zimbabwe dollars, in accordance with the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (Legal Tender) Regulations, Statutory Instrument 142 of 2019. Travelers may have to exchange U.S. dollars for Zimbabwe dollars at exchange bureaus; use of U.S. dollar cash for transactions in Zimbabwe is restricted. Bring cash sufficient for the duration of your trip; the importation of any currency into Zimbabwe by travelers is not restricted. However, all travelers are encouraged to complete a Customs Declaration Form (Form 47) and declare the currency in their possession at the time of entry.

Note that the amount of currency that a person who is about to leave Zimbabwe may possess, without authorization in the departure lounge of an airport or any other port is a total of USD \$2000 in any currency or combination of currencies or in bond notes or coins, unless declared/documentated upon entry.

TRAVELLING WITH CHILDREN TO SOUTH AFRICA

New requirements, introduced by the South African Department of Home Affairs from 1 June 2015, specify that all minors (children under 18 years) are required to produce, in addition to their passport, an Unabridged long form Birth Certificate which shows the details of both parents for all international travel to and from South Africa. All documents must be originals or copies certified as a true copy of the original by a commissioner of oaths.

If only one parent is travelling with the child, he or she must also produce a sworn affidavit (issued no earlier than 3 months prior to travel dates) from the other parent registered on the birth certificate. The affidavit must authorize him or her to enter into or depart from the Republic of South Africa with the child. A copy of the parents photo ID needs to be attached to the affidavit. Other requirements apply to unaccompanied children.

These regulations will be strictly enforced by the South African Department of Home Affairs. Contact the nearest High Commission of South Africa before travelling to verify the latest requirements.

[More about entry regulations when travelling with children](#) - South African Department of Home Affairs

More about travelling with children --- CAD

Further documentation may be required. Travelers will be asked to produce the required documentation at check-in for each flight.

II. **VISAS**

Visa requirements applicable to this quotation are as follows: At the time of this quotation, there is no visa requirement to South Africa for US citizens. Clients are required to have two consecutive blank pages in their passport for South African arrival documents or they will be denied travel. For Zimbabwe a visa can be purchased on arrival.

**applies to US passport holders only. Please make sure that all destinations to be visited or transited verified with the applicable consulate(s) for entry requirements prior to departure, together with requirements for anyone travelling on non-US passports.*

HEALTH INFORMATION:

- I. **COVID:** Your travel arrangements could still be impacted by COVID. It is your responsibility to keep yourself and members of your traveling party (travel companions) informed of, and meet, all requirements in relation to your trip and any COVID based restrictions. We suggest these are constantly monitored prior to, and until your trip is complete, as they can change at any time, even while travelling overseas. The purchase of travel insurance with Covid coverage is highly recommended.
- II. **Travelling with medicines:** Some countries have restrictions on travelling with medicines (prescriptions and/or nonprescription). It is the travelers responsibility to check these requirements.

GENERAL:

I. **CURRENCY AND PRICING FLUCTUATIONS**

This proposal is based on the current exchange rate(s). Should there be considerable currency fluctuations, we reserve the right to apply any necessary surcharges. In the event of any additional fuel surcharges by the Land Suppliers and/or airlines, we reserve the right to add these to the costs of the land package and/or airfare. Any applicable increases will be advised in writing prior to final payment. Prices are guaranteed once final payment has been made.

II. **GROUP DEFINITION**

- a) Land: A minimum of 10 paying adult passengers travelling on the same itinerary/ arrangements.
- b) Air: For most airlines, a minimum of 10 paying adults departing on the same date and travelling to the same destination on the same flights. Return travel on the same date from the same destination, however, approximately 10-25% of the group size may be permitted to vary their return travel date depending on the airline rules. For deviations, the airfare is subject to current airfare levels and airfare guarantees do not apply.
- c) Should the number of passengers fall below the required minimum (10), the booking will be deemed as F.I.T. Travel. Our F.I.T. department will provide a revised quotation based on actual numbers of passengers travelling on the given program. The group quote and rates will no longer apply.

III. **TOUR ESCORT (LEADER) POLICY**

As defined separately in our land-only quotations and our air-only quotations. Costs will either include or exclude FOC (free of charge) land and/or air arrangements for a bonafide tour escort. The Escort must travel with the group in both directions when air is quoted. Any FOC air tickets are offered as per the airline's tour conductor policy. All air taxes must be paid for the FOC Tour Escort Ticket and will be included on the final invoice. Mileage points cannot be accumulated on a FOC ticket.

IV. **AMENDMENT FEES**

Goway Travel reserves the right to charge an amendment fee of USD\$50.00 per proposal, when in excess of 3 proposals, and where extensive amendments are required. Once the group has been booked and confirmed, supplier charges may also apply for any changes made.

V. **FORCE MAJEURE:**

We shall not be liable for any claims, losses, damages, costs, expenses, delays or loss of enjoyment, of any nature or kind whatsoever, resulting from events beyond our or a supplier's reasonable control, including but not limited to acts of God, strikes, lockouts or other labour disputes or disruptions, wars, blockades, insurrections, riots, earthquakes, weather conditions, floods or acts or restraints imposed by government authorities

VI. **RESPONSIBILITIES**

Goway Travel Ltd. and/or its agents act only as agents for the client in all matters pertaining to travel. They assume no responsibility nor liability in connection with the service of any train, vessel, carriage, aircraft, motor or other conveyances which may be used, either wholly or in part, in the performance of its duty to the passenger; neither will it be responsible for any act, error, or omission, or any injury, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned by reason of any defect in any vehicle or through the neglect or default of any company or person engaged in carrying out the purpose for which tickets or coupons are issued. In the event that it becomes necessary or advisable for the comfort or well-being of the passengers, or for any reason whatsoever, to alter the itinerary or arrangements, such alterations may be made without penalty to the operators. Additional expenses, if any, shall be borne by the passengers, conversely refund will be made to the passengers if any saving is effected thereby. The airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or event, during the time passengers are not on board their planes or conveyance. The passage contract in use by the airlines concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the purchaser of these tours and/or passenger. The right is reserved to withdraw any or all tours should conditions warrant, also to decline to accept or retain any passengers as Members of the tours. Goway Travel Ltd or agent can assume no responsibility for lost tickets or coupons.