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Dear Journeywoman,

I've loved hosting our Once-in-a-Lifetime Travel Experiences virtual Q&As with you over the past two months. These have really opened my eyes to the extraordinary travel experiences available to us, as recommended by women, for women. I want to do them all - and two of them - the Canadian Rockies and the Northern Lights - exist right in my own backyard. On Saturday, I'm heading to Banff, Alberta for my first Once-in-a-Lifetime trip -- a backcountry horseback riding adventure in the Canadian Rockies. (We're planning a small JourneyWoman BBQ get-together on July 31 in Calgary - if you'd like to join please let me know!)

Are you finding joy in your own backyard? I would love it if you'd send me a tip on something you've discovered in your own country that you didn't know before. I'd also love your thoughts on the Forum we're creating, which will allow you to connect and meet other women in a safe, secure place. Please take a few minutes to complete this brief survey **here**.

It's hard to believe, but I'm approaching my two year anniversary as the CEO and Publisher of JourneyWoman. Recently, I was invited to talk about my views on women and solo travel on a Midlife Reinvention podcast, and my ambition for JourneyWoman to be the voice of women travellers around the world. You can listen to it **here**.

Please take care, and travel safely,

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"Love is in the air, in the whisper of the tree / Love is in the air, in the thunder of the sea / And I don't know if I'm just dreaming / Don't know if I feel safe / But it's something that I must believe in / And it's there when you call out my name" - John Paul Jones (1978)



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- Friday Community Call: Every Friday at 10 am EDT
- West Coast Community Call: Thursday, August 12, 11 am PDT / 2 pm EDT
- JourneyWoman Book Club: Wednesday, August 18, 8 pm EDT: The Long Way Home: One Woman's True Story of Reclaiming her Life Along the Camino de Santiago
- Recordings of our Once-in-a-Lifetime Travel Experiences are available on our YouTube channel. Please subscribe for updates.

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