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South Africa is one of the most breath-taking countries in the world. Landscapes vary from tropical beaches to rugged mountains and bushveld, offering a unique diversity of experiences. Cape Town has become a coveted destination for its world-class restaurants, iconic wine farms, and majestic mountains. There is so much to see in South Africa that the country warrants a visit of at least two weeks or more. If you only have a limited time, we created a highlighted 'Classical' style itinerary.

We have curated a collection of the most stylish, intimate, and authentic lodges and villas in South Africa to create a bespoke experience normally reserved for locals "in the know."

Day 1

Arrival Cape Town International. A private driver will meet you at the arrival gates to greet you and drive you into the Mother City. You enjoy dinner at one of the city's top restaurants and settle into The Silo Hotel, where you stay for the next three nights.

The Silo Hotel sets a new standard for luxury Cape Town accommodation. A magical, five-star premium hotel towering above the V&A Waterfront surrounded by the natural wonder of South Africa's Mother City.

The Silo Hotel has been built in the grain elevator portion of the historic grain silo complex occupying six floors above Zeitz Museum of Contemporary Art Africa (MOCAA) which houses Africa's largest collection of contemporary African art. The exterior of the building was designed by Heatherwick Studio. From the outside, the greatest visible change to the building's original structure is the addition of the ingenious glass windows inserted into the geometry of the hotel floors. These multi-faceted structures glisten like diamonds during the day while at night the building transforms into a glowing beacon in the Table Bay harbour.



The Silo Hotel is a celebration of art, style, architecture and design. A tribute to timeless glamour and contemporary luxury offering the highest levels of personalised service.

Day 2

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast. A driver will collect you to take you to the bottom of **Table Mountain** where you take the cable car with drinks and snacks enjoyed on the mountain top. Come back down the mountain, and drive to the beach for an al fresco lunch overlooking beautiful Camps Bay. Afternoon city tour or **V&A waterfront with Zeitz MOCCA** museum. Overnight at Silo Hotel.

Day 3

After an early breakfast, a private driver will collect you and take you on a scenic drive to the incredible Kirstenbosch botanical gardens. You then head to Boulders Beach where you swim with penguins or just observe them waddling on the beach. Continue to **Cape Point Nature Reserve** and take a walk all the way to the tip of Cape Point. On the way back, have an easygoing lunch at a seaside café. Evening tour of the craft bars in Cape Town. Overnight at The Silo Hotel.

Day 4

A private driver collects you for a garden tour and tea ceremony at Babylonstoren. After the garden tour, have a picnic lunch at a neighbouring farm. In the afternoon, go shopping in the village and eat supper at the iconic La Cotte restaurant. Overnight at La Cotte Manor House.



One of the eleven original farms granted to the Huguenots, La Cotte Farm is steeped in history and heritage. The Manor house is at its heart and is a lovingly restored Cape Dutch homestead resting under ancient oak trees and surrounded by acres of spectacular gardens.

Book into one of the elegantly proportioned guest bedrooms with their high ceilings, French doors and private terraces, or take the two-bedroom Pool House with its own kitchen, living room and private veranda. The classic bathrooms have black and white marble floors, free-standing baths and generous walk-in showers.

Day 5, 6 & 7

Have an early breakfast in the winelands, and a private driver collects you to take you to Cape Town International where you catch a flight to Sabi Sands, a private reserve along an unfenced border with Kruger National Park. On arrival, a guide from camp takes you on your first game drive, where you are very likely to see Big Cats, plains game, and possibly elephant. Settle into camp and enjoy lunch and another afternoon game drive. Over the next four days, enjoy game drives, walking safaris, and possibly sleeping under the stars.

Stay at a small authentic camp with all the luxuries of a lodge and top-notch guides to take you out on daily drives. Stay at <u>Lion</u> <u>Sands River Lodge</u>.

Lion Sands River Lodge consists of eighteen rooms in total: eight luxury suites, six superior luxury suites and four river suites (with private plunge pools), all with their own private wooden viewing deck looking out over the Sabi River. You may not need to leave the privacy of your room to see wildlife roaming around River Lodge. The Sabi Sands, and especially the surroundings of the Sabi River, is famous for its record number of leopard sightings. Your luxury suite features a king-sized bed and large ensuite bathroom (superior luxury suites and river suites also have outdoor showers). Of course, all suites are air-conditioned. The suite will serve as your tranquil haven during your stay at Lion Sands River Lodge. The communal areas and rooms are connected wooden by boardwalks.



Day 8

Take one final game drive enroute to the local airport and fly to Johannesburg in time for your international flight home.

This is the end of your South African adventure!



VALIDITY DATES:

January 23 – March 31, 2023* (subject to availability) | *Bookings outside of these dates will incur a surcharge

Included:

- All private road transfers
- Private driver/guide in Cape Town and winelands. Game drives with camp guide and vehicle in Sabi Sands.
- Drinks and snacks in the car during Cape Town tours.
- Silo Hotel & La Cotte: Accommodation & breakfast.
- Lion Sands River Lodge: All meals, selected local drinks (soft drinks, beers, spirits, house wines) and snacks, minibar in room, 2 scheduled activities per day with refreshments, snacks and return Skukuza Airport transfers. Lodge activities include: Game drives, guided bush walks. Maximum 6 guests per vehicle
- Flights: Cape Town > Sabi Sand | Sabi Sand > Johannesburg
- All park fees and conservancy fees

Excluded

- Tips
- Souvenirs
- Visa fees
- Meals and drinks not specified
- Flight tickets to South Africa