



KENYA / TANZANIA SAFARI 2007

The Birthing Season

Safari A Itinerary

Fall in love with one of the most provocative tour destinations in the world - East Africa. While on safari, experience an adventure that will guarantee unforgettable memories.

March

17 (Sa) - Depart U.S. for your European gateway to Kenya.

18 (Su) - Depart your European gateway and arrive in Nairobi, Kenya. Transfer to The Stanley Hotel for overnight.

19 (Mo) - There will be a tour briefing at 8am, reviewing the itinerary with suggested 'Do's & Don'ts' to make your trip more pleasurable. Questions will be answered during this time.

Lunch will be at the Carnivore Restaurant. In the afternoon we will tour the Blixen House (*Out of Africa*) followed by a visit with the rare Rothschild Giraffes at the Langatta Giraffe Center. Overnight at The Stanley Hotel. (BL)

20 (Tu) - After breakfast we will go for a game drive in Nairobi National Park (NP). Prior to entering the park we will make a brief visit to the animal orphanage located at the park entrance. Return to The Stanley Hotel for lunch. Your afternoon is free. Third overnight at The Stanley Hotel. (BL)

21 (We) - After breakfast we'll travel south to Amboseli National Park. Once in the park we'll game drive en-route to Amboseli Serena Lodge. There will be an afternoon game drive for you. Overnight at Amboseli Serena. (BLD)

22 (Th) - Full day of game drives at the base of the tallest free standing mountain in the world and Africa's highest point - Mt. Kilimanjaro. Look for the elephants from the IMAX movie *Elephant Kingdom*. Optional visit to a Maasai village in the afternoon. Overnight at Amboseli Serena. (BLD)

23 (Fr) - Morning departure to cross into Tanzania and on into Arusha for lunch. In the afternoon we'll fly to the Serengeti and then game drive en-route to our lodge. Overnight at the Serengeti Serena. (BLD)

24 (Sa) - Optional sunrise balloon safari. Full day of game drives in this fantastic animal kingdom. At 5600 square miles the Serengeti is **EIGHT** times larger than the northern part of this eco-system in Kenya - the famous Masai Mara. Overnight again at the Serengeti Serena Lodge. (BLD)

25 (Su) - Optional sunrise balloon safari. Another full day of game drives in wildlife paradise. This is the traditional time of year that the Great Migration (wildebeest, zebra, gazelle, hartebeest and eland) should be in the southern part of the Serengeti. This is also the birthing season for zebra and wildebeest. Overnight at the Serengeti Serena. (BLD)

26 (Mo) - After breakfast depart for the Eighth Natural Wonder of the World - Ngorongoro Crater (a caldera or collapsed volcano). We will make an en-route stop at the Olduvai Gorge - 'cradle of mankind'. There is a small museum here at Olduvai, seemingly in the middle of nowhere, that is surprisingly good. We'll arrive at the Ngorongoro Serena in the afternoon. Overnight. (BLD)

27 (Tu) - Entire day will be spent 2000 feet down on the floor of this fabulous crater which is teeming with wildlife. This is one of the best places to see black rhinos. The crater elephants also have some of the largest tusks in all of Africa. Picnic lunch at one of the hippo pools. Late afternoon transfer to the Manyara Serena Lodge for overnight. (BLD)

28 (We) - After breakfast depart for Tarangire arriving in the late morning. An afternoon game drive awaits you. Overnight at Tarangire Safari Lodge. (BLD)

29 (Th) - Morning and afternoon game drives in Tarangire - home of the giant Baobab trees. Overnight at Tarangire Safari Lodge. (BLD)

30 (Fr) - After breakfast we'll game drive en-route as we leave the park. Continuing north we make our way back to Arusha and your day room at The Mountain Village Lodge. Evening departure for Kilimanjaro International Airport and your flight to Nairobi. Make your connections here for your flight to Europe. (BL)

31 (Sa) - Once in your European gateway transfer to your flight back to your final destination.

Inclusive meals as indicated:

B = breakfast, L = lunch, D = dinner.



* The Safari Express Company reserves the right to alter the itinerary and/or any of the lodges if circumstances dictate.