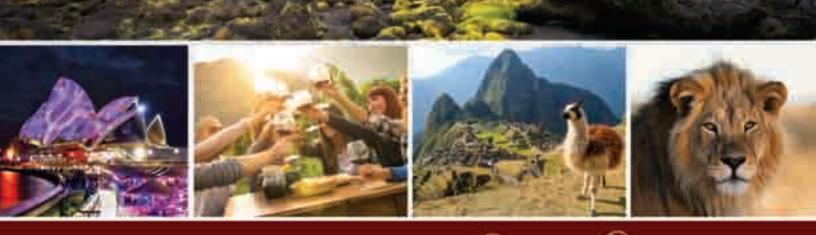




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## Goway's Promise of Something Special HOLIDAYS OF A LIFETIME UNNMOD • AFRICA • ASIA • SOUTH AMERICA



I all the thousands of travel ideas offered by Goway, only 11 carry our "promise of something special".

To maintain the exclusivity of these amazing trips we limit both the size of the group and the number of departures. As well, to differentiate our HOLIDAYS **F**A LIFETIME from regular scheduled escorted tours we focus on you experiencing the destination rather than just seeing the sights. You will see and do things you would not see or do as an independent traveller.

Goway's HOLIDAYS #FA LIFETIME are inclusive vacations where Goway's own professional guide takes care of all the day to day details. All accommodations are First Class or better. Many meals are included as is virtually all touring along the way.

Travelling with our experienced Tour Directors, you visit some of the world's most exciting, exotic and entertaining places as well as meet the locals. You will also enjoy the companionship of fellow travellers, many of whom will become your friends for life.

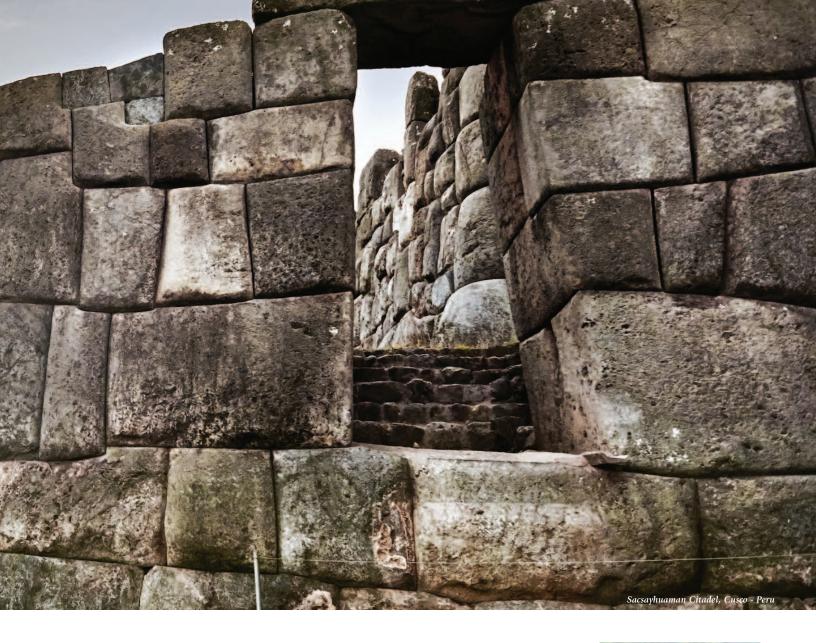
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local culture, cuisine, and lifestyle

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## **UNIQUE FEATURES**

- · Accent on experiencing your destination compared to just touring
- Twin Share Guarantee for single travellers
- Exclusive special interest Fun Themes add more fun and excitement on each departure:
  - Animal and Plant Life
  - Cuisines of the Region
  - Food and Wine

- Geography and History
- Lifestyles and Native Culture
- Pre Holiday Shopping
- · Best value priced inclusive tours available
- · Small group size limitation to ensure a more personalized and intimate experience

## SPECIAL INCLUSIONS

- The services of an experienced Goway Tour Director
- First Class or Deluxe accommodation or Stays of Distinction
- Most meals
- Memorable and unique dining experiences
- All tips (except for tour director)
- Luxury touring coaches and/or luxury safari vehicles where relevant
- Bellboy luggage service on tour
- All sightseeing (with no hidden extras) as described in itineraries
- Hotel taxes where applicable
- Our unique Goway Travel Companion booklet, neck pillow, flight bag, travel wallet, baggage tags and souvenir photos.
- Limited exclusive departures
- Twin share guarantee
- · Wi Fi access with Goway's own hot spot devices



Something Special



#### QUALITY ACCOMMODATIONS

When selecting a hotel for our HOLIDAYS **#**F A LIFETIME<sup>®</sup> tours, we expect a high standard of accommodation, which means the property must be at least First Class, if not Deluxe. In some cases, we include hotels which we designate Stays of Distinction which indicates the hotel is chosen for its quality of service and often stunning location.

#### TWIN SHARE GUARANTEE

If Goway cannot match you up with another single traveller of the same gender, you can then enjoy a single room at no extra cost.

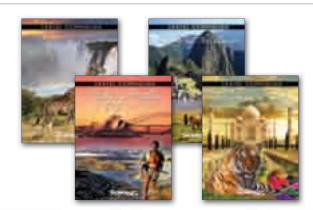
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#### EXPERIENCED TOUR DIRECTORS

Our Tour Directors are professional, personal and experienced. Most of our principal Tour Directors have been escorting most of their adult life and escorting for Goway for a long time. They really know the destinations we offer and are ready to make sure you will too once you return home.



#### UNIQUE COMPANION BOOKS

Your Travel Companion booklet is a collection of general information and a handy day-to-day diary. It will be sent to you on receipt of deposit. The books include arrival guides for each country with practical information required for that destination with general information such as climate, currency, health, customs, shopping, what to wear and other important details such as local history, geography plus what to see and do.

#### Lions in the Savanna

Our tour guide was very experienced and was an excellent information source and a constant help. We never had to lift a finger to arrange tickets, transfer luggage or worry about entrance fees etc. He read people very well and managed us all kindly and efficiently and enhanced the experience greatly with his knowledge of the area and of what would work best depending on the weather etc at that time. We will never forget this trip. We saw things we never even knew we wanted to see and shared many once in a lifetime experiences with a great group of people. Goway provides a busy full experience trip that sends you home tired but happy and full of wonderful memories!!!





A journey I will never forget. The accommodations, food, traveling companions, and food were all great. The guides, hosts, hostesses, and rangers on the trip were professional and very knowledgeable which added a lot to the trip.







#### Carrying our promise of something

**Special,** Goways Magic of Africa captures the essence of South Africa. Marvel at the beauty of Cape Town and explore this cosmopolitan vibrant city. Enjoy world class cuisine and wines, experience fascinating cultures and learn about an amazing history. Come face to face with the wildest of animals. If time permits choose to visit the spectacular Victoria Falls, perhaps a stay in the iconic Chobe National Park or extend in Johannesburg to learn more about South Africa s turbulent History. Or add on all three for the definitive Southern Africa experience.

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# Splendours of

Carrying **our promise of something special**, Goways Splendours of Southern Africa Captures the essence of this remarkable region. Come face to face with the wildest of animals in the Greater Kruger National Park, marvel at the beauty of Cape Town and explore this vibrant cosmopolitan city. Enjoy first class cuisine and wines and learn about amazing history. Visit the spectacular Victoria Falls and the Chobe National Park. You are on a HOLIDAY **F**A LIFETIME.

#### Select Departures • 12 days from AU \$10 849

#### Day I. Johannesburg - Kapama Private

**Game Reserve.** On arrival in Johannesburg, we will be met by our Goway representative and assisted to our domestic flight to Hoedspruit. Upon arrival, we transfer to our lodge for check in, our home for the next 3 nights. We have time to relax after lunch before setting off on our first game drive in open 4x4 vehicles. Tonight we dine under the stars, with a bush dinner at the lodge.

Kapama Southern Camp (D) (3 nights) LD Day 2. Kapama Private Game Reserve. We set off before breakfast in open safari vehicles in search of lion, elephant, buffalo, rhino, leopard, and all manner of wondrous wildlife, including birds and plants. We pay a visit to the Hoedspruit Endangered Species Centre, whose core focus is on the conservation of rare, vulnerable or endangered animals. We embark on our afternoon game drive and enjoy sundowners in the bush before returning to our lodge for a sumptuous dinner. **BLD** 

#### Day 3. Kapama Private Game Reserve.

Today we spend the day in the Kapama Private Reserve taking in the South African wildlife and tracking the animals that may have eluded us. There is also the option to join a bush walk, visit one of the wellness centres, or even take a hot air balloon.

(Optional and for own account) **BLD** Day 4. **Hoedspruit to Cape Town.** We transfer to Hoedspruit Airport for our domestic flight to Cape Town. On arrival we will be met and transferred to our hotel overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. We enjoy a cocktail sundowner on the terrace at sunset prior to proceeding to dinner at the award winning Azure Restaurant.

Twelve Apostles Hotel & Spa (D) (4 nights) BD

Day 5. **Touring Cape Peninsula.** A full day touring the ruggedly beautiful Cape Peninsula winding our way through some of the most spectacular coastal scenery in the world. We stop off to see the lovable penguins at Boulders Beach and drive through the quaint naval village of Simon's Town. Continue to the Cape Point Nature Reserve where we take the Funicular to the Lighthouse. Thereafter a 5 course wine pairing lunch at The Foodbarn Restaurant prior to heading back to Cape Town via the picturesque Chapmans Peak. **BL** 

Day 6. Walk to Freedom Tour. We begin the day with a Private Walk to Freedom Tour including local Townships and District Six. We get to interact with locals, visit a Shebeen and a Sangoma (traditional healer). This afternoon we head to the Victoria and Alfred Waterfront where there is a choice to either join the Robben Island Tour or enjoy leisure time at the Waterfront. We end the day with a unique Cape Town Dinner Experience - Kaapse Stories at the Rockwell Dinner Theatre. **BD** 

#### Day 7. Full Day Winelands Tour. After

breakfast we journey into the tranquil Cape Winelands of Franschhoek and visit some of the world famous wineries, and enjoy tastings at wellknown estates. The quaint village of Franschhoek is known locally as well as internationally as the gourmet capital of South Africa. We make a stop at the Franschhoek Motor Museum which has an astonishing collection of cars in the middle of vineyards. A light lunch will be served at Greenhouse Restaurant before proceeding for a wine tasting and tour at Babylonstoren. Dinner tonight will be at a unique African Restaurant in the heart of Cape Town, GOLD Restaurant. **BLD** 

Southern Africa

Two fighting hippos, South Africa



Giraffes at Chobe National Park, South Africa



Day 8. **Cape Town to Victoria Falls.** Today we are transferred to Cape Town International Airport for our flight to Victoria Falls, one of the original natural wonders of the world, known locally as The Smoke that Thunders'. We transfer to The Victoria Falls Hotel. This evening we will meet the historian Peter Jones and learn the history of Dr Livingstone and Zambia. *Victoria Falls Hotel (D) (2 nights)* **BD** 

Day 9. Victoria Falls. A guided Tour of the mighty Victoria Falls is first on the line up today. We'll walk through the permanent, beautifully misty Rain Forest which flanks the Falls, stopping to marvel at the principal sites as it cascades to the depths below. Lunch will be served at the Look Out Caf This afternoon we embark on a Sunset Cruise on the Zambezi River, before a dinner and drum show at The Boma, an entertainment experience specializing in traditional African food.

#### Day 10. Victoria Falls to Chobe National Park. After a leisurely breakfast, we transfer to Chobe, Botswana. The Chobe River forms the

northern boundary of the Chobe National Park, renowned for its reliable and diverse game viewing. This section of the park is best known for its elephant and hippo populations but the waters attracts all manner of game including large herds of buffalo and the lions that prey on them. This afternoon activity could be either a boat cruise or a game drive in the Chobe National Park.

Chobe Game Lodge (D) (2 nights) **BLD** Day 11. **Chobe National Park.** An early morning wake up with a light snack prior to our early morning activity. We return to the lodge for breakfast and some relaxation. We then set off for our mid-morning activity and return in time for lunch. Later we embark on our afternoon activity followed by dinner.

Day 12. **Departure.** An early morning game drive will begin our last day in Chobe. We transfer from Chobe Game Lodge to Kasane Airport for our regional flight to Johannesburg, for our international flight home. **B** 

#### EXCLUSIVE DELUXE ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCE

#### **Unique Dining**

- Bush Dinner at Kapama Buffalo Camp
- Fynbos Cuisine at the award winning Azure
  - 5 course lunch and wine pairing at the Food Barn
- Traditional South African Fare and Show
- Lunch at Babylonstoren in Franschhoek
- 12 course African dinner at the Gold Restaurant
- Lunch at the Lookout Café in Victoria Falls
- African Feast and entertainment at the Boma

#### **Tour Highlights**

- · Game drives in search of the "Big 5"
- Visit to the Hoedspruit Endangered Species
  Centre
- Spectacular Cape Peninsula Tour
- Visit to the historic District Six and Townships of Cape Town
- Exploring the Franschhoek Valley
- Guided Tour of the Mighty Victoria Falls
- Sunset Cruise on the Zambezi River
- Meet historian Peter Jones to learn the history of David Livingstone

#### **Included Features**

Please see page 8 for a listing of **all the features** that are included in HOLIDAYS **F**A LIFETIME in Africa.

- Meals included are breakfasts, lunches and dinners
- Domestic Airfares and taxes between Johannesburg – Hoedspruit – Cape Town – Victoria Falls and Kasane to Johannesburg
- Goways Deluxe travel bag, wallet, tags and companion books

Also on page 8 you will find information on our **Tour Directors**, Goway s **Twin Share Guarantee**, plus our unique and **Exclusive Fun Themes.** 

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NOT INCLUDED: International airfare, airport taxes and fuel surcharges from North America, optional excursions, items of a personal nature such as laundry, phone calls, certain beverages, excess baggage charges and travel insurance.

INTERNATIONAL AIRFARES: Since you and your fellow travellers will originate from different cities, we do not include international airfare in the above cost. As airfare experts we can arrange the best airfare from your hometown on leading airlines.

NOTE: If there are less than 10 participants the program will be locally escorted.

The tour covered a lot of each country in one shot. The other tours included in the tour were great, many of which we would not have chosen if traveling on our own but completely enjoyed. I would not hesitate to recommend Goway Travel to anyone!!



Great Wall of China



I have to say, without hesitation, this was the best tour I have ever been on and I have done at least 10. There were so many different experiences, it is hard to pick a favourite. The tour director was one of a kind, and a star! Congratulations on putting together a well thought out tour providing a variety of experiences for all!



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On this special HOLIDAY FA LIFETIME, Chinas past, present and future come alive. You will explore Beijings greatest splendours, meet Xian warriors, experience Tibetan culture, visit a Panda sanctuary, cruise the winding Yangtze River and shop in Shanghai. You will stay in deluxe hotels, dine on succulent dishes and visit local markets. Carrying our promise of something special, Goway s Splendours of China & Tibet is officially designated a HOLIDAY FA LIFETIME.

# Splendours of

#### Select Departures • 17 days from AU \$10 722

Day I. Arrive Beijing. On arrival you will be met by your Goway Tour Director (see page 7) who will be with you for the next 17 days. Welcome to Goway's Splendours of China HOLIDAY FA LIFE-TIME. You will transfer to your hotel and be invited to an informal briefing to meet your fellow travellers, otherwise the rest of the day is at leisure. The Regent (D) (3 nights)

Day 2. **Beijing Splendours.** Today we visit the Forbidden City with its imperial treasures, and Tian'anmen Square, the largest plaza in the world. Enjoy lunch near the Forbidden City. After lunch, visit the prestigious Summer Palace, the summer home of the Emperors and Empresses of China and enjoy a boat ride on Kunming Lake. **BLD** 

Day 3. **Beijing Splendours.** You will never forget your visit to the Great Wall. Lunch will be served at the Badaling Foreign Guest Restaurant or similar with magnificent vistas of the Great Wall. Tonight enjoy a traditional Peking Duck Banquet. **BLD** 

Suggestion: Don't forget to stay-up-to-date with your Travel Companion Diary (see page 7).

Day 4. **Beijing to Xian.** First we visit the beautiful Temple of Heaven where you can practice Tai Chi with a Tai Chi Master. This afternoon we take a pedi cab ride through the Hutongs of Beijing before your flight (included in price) to Xian, the ancient capital of China and the starting point of the Silk Road. This old walled city is a veritable treasure trove of Chinese culture and history. *Gran Melia (D) (2 nights)* **BLD** 

Day 5. Xian Splendours. We visit the amazing life-size Terracotta Warriors today. Discovered only in 1974, they are the archaeological find of the 20th Century. Later visit the Huxian Village where we will be greeted by a traditional Lion Dance. See the famous Farmer's Paintings, the best known local rural art community in Huxian County. Tonight enjoy the famous Tang Dynasty Dinner and Show. **BLD** 

Day 6. **Xian to Lhasa.** Today, we fly (included in price) over snow capped mountains to Tibet, "the rooftop of the world". Take the rest of the day to

relax and acclimatize to the altitude or explore on your own. You will marvel at Lhasa's palaces and temples set against a backdrop of towering peaks. St. Regis (D) (3 nights) **BLD** 

Day 7. Lhasa Splendours. This morning we visit the amazing Potala Palace built in the 17th century and the former home to the Dalai Lamas. It is now a museum 13 stories high and consists of 1000 rooms. In the afternoon, we visit Jokhang Temple, the ultimate site for Tibetan Pilgrims. Later, travel to a local home for a truly wonderful experience with a Tibetan family. BLD

Day 8. **Tibetan Splendours.** Start with a visit to Sera Monastery, a training centre for Buddhist monks. We also visit a Tibetan Hospital where you will have an opportunity to see local healthcare at its best. Later you can stroll through Barkhor Street, the oldest street full of markets. It is a place where Tibetan culture, economy, religion and arts come together. Tonight enjoy an authentic Tibetan dinner & entertainment. **BLD** 

Day 9. Lhasa to Chengdu. This morning fly (included) to Chengdu.Visit the old area known as "wide and small lanes".Tonight an authentic Hot Pot Dinner. Sofitel Wanda (D) (2 nights) BLD

Day 10. **Chengdu and Pandas.** First we visit the world's largest Panda Sanctuary which has about 40 giant pandas and panda cubs. The panda has become the national treasure of China. Later, continue to the Sanxingdui Museum, which contains some of the most important ancient remains in the world. In the evening, enjoy a performance of the ancient Sichuan Opera with its folk music and dances. **BLD** 

Day 11. **Chengdu to Chongqing**. Today we transfer to the train station for a relaxing ride to Chongqing. On arrival, visit a market and City Square and later board the Century Paragon cruise ship for overnight. **BLD** 

Day 12. Yangtze River Cruise. This morning we begin our cruise downstream. Relax on deck and observe both Chinese farm and village life. First port

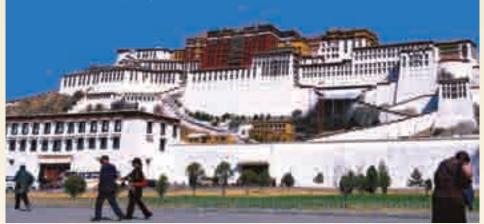
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China & Tibet

Marvel at the Potala Palace, Lhasa, Tibet



of call is Fengdu, known as "City of Ghosts" where a shore excursion visits one of the many temples housing silent ghost devils. **BLD** 

Day 13. Yangtze River Cruise. Travel through the Three Gorges, one of the most spectacular sights in China including the Wu Gorge with its "Twelve Peaks", the Qutang Gorge known for its magnificent scenery and the western section of Xiling Gorge the longest gorge. Also experience a boat trip on the Shennong Stream little gorge. **BLD** 

Day 14. Yangtze River Cruise to Yichang to Shanghai. Visit the world's largest hydroelectric dam project then sail through the eastern section of the Xiling Gorge, with its beautiful scenery. We arrive in Yichang around lunch time and later transfer to Shanghai (via train and plane, included), China's largest city. Okura Garden Hotel (D) (3 nights) BLD Day 15. **Shanghai Splendours.** Today we start with a visit to The Bund followed by the charming Yu Yuan Garden. After an authentic Shanghainese lunch, there is time to visit the Shanghai Museum. Later you can enjoy the amazing Nanjing Road and shop on your own. Tonight enjoy a performance of the world famous Acrobatic show. **BLD** 

Day 16. **Suzhou Canals.** Today visit Suzhou by bus. Suzhou is called the Venice of the East where you will visit the Grand Canal, an ornamental garden and a silk factory. Enjoy a Farewell to China dinner this evening. **BLD** 

Day 17. **Depart Shanghai.** Transfer to the airport for your onward flight.

Extension Idea: It is possible to extend your itinerary to stop over in Hong Kong (or other Asian destinations) at an additional charge.

#### EXCLUSIVE DELUXE ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCE

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#### Unique Dining

- Peking Duck Banquet
  - · Lunch at Mei Wei Zheng Restaurant
  - Tang Dynasty Dinner
  - Authentic Tibetan Dinner
  - Chinese Hot Pot
  - Shanghainese Lunch
  - Farewell Dinner at the Fairmont Peace Hotel

#### Note: All hotels serve Western and Asian cuisine

#### **Tour Highlights**

- Small group (maximum 20)
- Deluxe hotels
- Beijing's Tian'anmen Square, The Forbidden City, the Temple of Heaven, The Great Wall and the prestigious Summer Palace
- Terracotta Warriors
- Potala Palace and Sera Monastery, Lhasa
- Tibetan life up close
- Panda Sanctuary
- Sichuan Opera Chengdu
- Legendary Yangtze River Three Gorges
- World's largest Hydro-electric Dam
- Shanghai city tour including Nanjing Road, the legendary Bund, and Yu Yuan Garden
- World famous Chinese acrobatic show

#### **Included Features**

Please see page 7 for a listing of **all the features** that are included in HOLIDAYS **F**A LIFETIME in Asia.

- 16 Breakfasts, 15 Lunches and 15 Dinners
- All transportation in China including airfares
- Local guides in China under the supervision
  of your Goway Tour Director

Also on page 7 you will find information on our **Tour Directors,** Goways **Twin Share Guarantee,** plus our unique and exclusive **Fun Themes**.

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7 Sep'19	11454	15403	L*
12 Oct'19	11454	15403	G*

Fuel surcharge of \$32 is included in the price.

NOT INCLUDED: International airfares, optional excursions, items of personal nature such as laundry, dry cleaning, phone calls, drinks, excess baggage charges, Chinese visa and insurance.

**INTERNATIONAL AIRFARES:** As you and your fellow travellers will originate from different cities, we do not include international airfares in the above cost. As airfares experts (see page 6) we can arrange the best fares (from your hometown) on the leading airlines flying to China.



f you have never been to India before, this is the travel idea we strongly recommend because it carries Goway's promise of something special. Our professional Tour Director, together with our selected local guides, will ensure you have a HOLIDAY FA LIFETIME. We will take you to historic bazaars and world class designer boutiques, to tranquil temples, rural villages, jungles and some of the world's most unforgettable sights. We will show you the Splendours of India.

# Splendowns Of India

#### Select Departures • 17 days from AU \$10 068

Day I. **Arrive Mumbai.** Arrive in Mumbai, the capital of Maharashtra, you will be transferred to your hotel and met by your Goway tour director. Meet your fellow travellers and receive an informal briefing of the days to come.

The Trident Nariman Point (F) (2 nights) Day 2. Mumbai Splendours. After breakfast, tour Mumbai's most iconic sites passing by the University of Mumbai, the High Court, the exquisitely designed Flora Fountain, Victoria Terminus and the city's best known market, Crawford Market. Catch a glimpse of the Dabbawalas as they scurry about delivering lunches to the office workers of Mumbai. Then drive along the attractive Marine Drive to the affluent Malabar Hill where we will visit the Jain Temple and the Hanging Gardens which offer great views of the city. Next up, a visit to the infamous Dhobi Ghats (an intricate outdoor laundry system) before visiting Mani Bhavan, the house where Mahatma Gandhi used to stay, now a permanent museum and memorial to Gandhi. Then travel on to the Prince of Wales Museum housing interesting displays of jade, ceramics, weapons, and manuscripts. Finally, drive by the Gateway of India for a photo of this iconic monument before heading back to our hotel. There is an optional stop at Colaba Causeway for those interested in souvenir shopping. End the day with a celebratory Welcome to India dinner at a special restaurant close by. BD

Day 3. **Mumbai to Udaipur.** Our day begins with a visit to Banganga, an odd yet charming microcosm of a Hindu community within modern Mumbai. Alleyways filled with colonial and traditional Indian flavour make this a fascinating visit. Then onto Khotachiwadi, another unique community within Mumbai filled with colourful wooden homes influenced by the Portuguese. There will then be time for lunch before heading to the airport for our flight to Udaipur (included). Upon arrival in Udaipur, transfer to our hotel and enjoy an evening meal.

#### Fateh Garh (F) (2 nights) BD

Day 4. **Udaipur Splendours.** We start the day with a visit to the spectacular City Palace, the largest palace complex in Rajasthan built in 1725. Inside the palace, there is a museum filled with an array of royal

artifacts. There will be time for lunch before we then visit the vintage car museum with an impressive collection belonging to the Maharajas. Then we board a boat on Lake Pichola and view the beautiful City of Lakes from a completely different vantage point before heading back to the hotel. Tonight's dinner will take place at a traditional Haveli.

Day 5. **Udaipur to Jodhpur.** This morning we depart overland for Jodhpur visiting the Ranakpur Jain Temple complex en route (approximately a 2 hour drive). The temple has more than 1440 marble pillars carved in exquisite detail. On arrival in Jodhpur (approximately a 4 hour drive), we check into the hotel. The rest of the evening is at leisure before meeting for dinner.

Vivanta by Taj - Hari Mahal (F) (2 nights) **BD** Day 6. **Jodhpur Splendours.** The day begins with a visit to the magnificent Meherangarh Fort, one of the largest in India offering impressive views of the blue city and nearby Jaswant Thada, a white marble memorial built for a distinguished Maharaja. Take a rickshaw ride through the windy streets of the Old City. In the afternoon, visit the Bishnoi villages by vintage jeep and experience the true desert culture and wildlife of Rajasthan firsthand. Dinner will be at the hotel that evening. **BD** 

Day 7. Jodhpur to Jaipur. Travel by train (approximately a 5 hour journey) from the blue city to the pink city of Jaipur. Due to the long travel day, check into your 5 star hotel and relax for the rest of the evening with no activities planned other than a nice dinner. ITC Rajputana (D) (2 nights) **BD** 

Day 8. Jaipur Splendours. We spend the morning visiting the famed Amber Fort located atop a rugged hill overlooking the Rajasthani countryside. After lunch, we enjoy a tour of the city including the Palace of Winds, the City Palace and Museum and Jantar Mantar Observatory. Built in the 18th century, this observatory includes huge masonry instruments used to study the movement of constellations. Complete the day's activities with a unique dinner at a traditional Haveli.

Day 9. Jaipur to Ranthambore. This morning



depart by road (approximately a 4 hour drive) to Ranthambore National Park, known for its fascinating blend of history and nature and home to a diverse range of flora and fauna. If we are lucky, we will catch a glimpse of the elusive Bengal tiger that call this park home. We'll check into our resort, enjoy lunch and then in the afternoon, visit a local women's cooperative. Dinner will be at the hotel.

Nahargarh Fort (F) (2 nights) BLD

Day 10. **Ranthambore Jungle Safari.** An early morning jungle safari starts our day as we hunt the Bengal tiger with camera in an open cantor. A professional naturalist will help us spot wildlife such as leopards, striped hyenas, Sambar deer, sloths, jackals, a multitude of colourful birds and of course lots of mischievous yet playful macaques. At dusk, a second safari trip completes our day. Each safari is approximately 3 hours. Both dinner and lunch will be at the resort. **BLD** 

Day 11. **Ranthambore to Agra.** We board the Shatabdi Express train to Bharatpur (approximately a 2 hour rail journey) where we continue by scenic drive (approximately a 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour drive) to Agra stopping en route at the deserted ghost city of Fatehpur Sikri originally built as the capital of the Mughal empire but eventually abandoned. Enjoy high tea with a local family and then dinner at the hotel.

#### ITC Mughal Luxury Collection (D) (2 nights) BD

Day 12. **Agra and the Taj Mahal.** It is said to have taken 22 years and 20,000 men to build this monument commemorating one of the greatest love stories of all time, the Taj Mahal. We spend the morning visiting the marble masterpiece before heading to the imposing Agra Fort, once the main residence of the emperors of the Mughal Dynasty. In the afternoon, we'll visit a unique and special café called Sheroes Hangout, a testament to the strength of local women who have been victims of abuse but have prevailed despite adversity. Dinner will be at the hotel. **BD** 

Day 13. **Agra to Varanasi.** The day includes a 5 hour drive to the Delhi airport where we catch our

flight (included) to Varanasi, one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. Upon arrival, we check into our hotel and enjoy a special kebab dinner. The Gateway Hotel Ganges (F) (2 nights) **BD** 

Day 14. **Varanasi the Holy City.** We begin the day with an early morning visit to an Akhara (Indian wrestling school) that offers a special insight to Indian culture. We head back to the hotel for breakfast before starting our journey to Sarnath, the place where Buddha preached his first sermon after gaining enlightenment. It was also the centre of religious activity and learning up to the 9th Century AD. Included is a visit to the museum housing antiquities excavated from the site. The afternoon is free to explore and shop the city's backstreets. Later in the evening, our touring will resume with a rickshaw ride to witness the atmospheric Ghats and Aarti ceremony at sunset. Dinner will be at the hotel. **BD** 

Day 15. **Varanasi to Delhi**. We take an early morning boat ride along the sacred River Ganges to view the cremation Ghats and witness the living traditions of one of the world's oldest religions. We head back to the hotel for breakfast viewing Varanasi's Golden Temple en route. Freshen up before heading to the airport for our onward flight back to Delhi (included). Upon arrival, check into our hotel and relax for the rest of the evening. Dinner will be at the hotel.

Shangri La Eros (D) (2 nights) **BD** 

Day 16. **Old Delhi Splendours.** We start with a half day sightseeing tour of Old Delhi. We begin the day with a visit to the Red Fort and Jama Masjid, one of the largest mosques in India, built by the same man who designed the Taj Mahal. Later we explore the windy, narrow and almost impossible streets of Chandni Chowk by rickshaw. We complete the morning with a stop at Raj Ghat, a memorial dedicated to Mahatma Gandhi. The afternoon is free to do some last minute shopping or have an optional visit to New Delhi to see Humayun's Tomb and Qutab Minar. Our final farewell dinner will be at the hotel. **BD** 

Day 17. **Depart Delhi.** The day is free to enjoy before transferring to the airport for your onward flight. **B** Extension Idea: Dubai and Nepal make great extension ideas.

#### HOLIDAYS 🗣 FA LIFETIME®

#### EXCLUSIVE DELUXE ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCE

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#### Unique Dining

- Special welcome dinner in Mumbai
  - 2 Home hosted Haveli dinners (Udaipur & Jaipur)
  - High Tea with a local family in Agra
  - Special Holi and Diwali celebration events where applicable
  - Farewell dinner in Delhi

#### Note: All hotels serve Western and Asian cuisine

#### **Tour Highlights**

- Small group (maximum 20)
- Mumbai's visit to Dhobi Ghats and Mani Bhavan
- Scenic boat ride on Lake Pichola in Udaipur
- Jaipur's Amber Fort and Jantar Mantar Observatory
- Ranthambore Tiger Sanctuary
- The Ghost City of Fatehpur Sikri
- The magnificent and romantic Taj Mahal
- Morning boat ride on the River Ganges, Varanasi
- Ganges Aarti ceremony
- Rickshaw ride through the windy streets of Old Delhi

#### **Included Features**

Please see page 7 for a listing of **all the features** that are included in HOLIDAYS #FA LIFETIME in Asia.

- 16 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches and 15 Dinners
- All transportation in India including airfares
- Local guides in India under the supervision of your Goway Tour Director

Also on page 7 you will find information on our Tour Directors, Goways Twin Share Guarantee, plus our unique and exclusive Fun Themes.

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24 Oct'18 **	10 264	12 683	G*
17 Nov'18	10 068	12 631	L
12 Jan'19	10 316	12 840	G
14 Mar'19 **	10 460	12 893	L*
12 Oct'19 **	10 395	12 749	C*
16 Nov'19	10 316	12 840	G

\*\*Celebrates Holi in March and Diwali in October

NOT INCLUDED: International airfares, optional excursions, items of personal nature such as laundry, dry cleaning, phone calls, drinks, excess baggage charges, Indian visa and insurance.

INTERNATIONAL AIRFARES: As you and your fellow travellers will originate from different cities, we do not include international airfares in the above cost. As airfares experts (see page 6) we can arrange the best fares (from your hometown) on the leading airlines flying to India.



Accommodations. All were first class or best available. Registrations at the many hotels were quick for the group. No waiting around. Flights. All was smooth flying. Lots of good, varied buffets and the specialty places lived up to their reputation. Plenty of breaks for coffee or comfort or both. So glad I chose this option. Would use Goway again. I liked the itinerary planned. Lots to see as efficiently as possible. Many different experiences!





#### Panoramic view of the lost Inca city of Machu Picchu

Our tour with Goway travel was really amazing with a small group of people. We really visited the places that we need to visit. We loved the interaction/conversation with fellow travelers and the dinners were really excellent. We were blessed with great weather all throughout our trip. Our tour Director did an amazing job by making sure everybody enjoyed and had fun on every tour.

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#### EXCLUSIVE DELUXE ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCES

#### Unique Dining 🥌

• Dinner at the Chef's Table at Hotel Cipriani Restaurant

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- Brazilian Dinner and Cultural Show
- Argentine Dinner and Tango Show
- Wine Tour with Pairings in Buenos Aires
- Dinner at Huaca Pucllana Restaurant in Lima
- Dinner at the Larco Museum Lima
- Cusco Sundowner Cocktail
- Lunch at MAP (Art Museum) Restaurant
- Lunch at the Sanctuary Lodge Machu Picchu

#### **Tour Highlights**

- Guaranteed small group (Max. 20 travellers)
- The impressive Iguassu Falls
- Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires
- Estancia visit in Buenos Aires
- Colonial Cusco
- Wayra Ranch Horse Show
- Peruvian Cooking Lesson
- 2 visits to Machu Picchu

#### **Included Features**

See our website for a listing of all the features that are included in our HOLIDAYS **F**A LIFETIME in South America.

- 16 breakfasts, 6 lunches 6 dinners
- · Certified local guides
- 3 Goway designated Stays of Distinction

Visit goway.com to find information on our Tour Directors, Goway's Twin Share Guarantee, plus our unique and Exclusive Fun Themes.

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#### G, L & A are Fun Themes.

**NOT INCLUDED:** International and domestic airfares, optional excursions, items of personal nature, laundry, dry cleaning, phone calls, drinks, excess baggage, insurance, and entrance visas and reciprocity fees.

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Accompanied full time by our well-experienced and profressional Tour Director, this very special tour offers the best of Brazil, Argentina, and Peru.

Day 1. **Arrive Rio de Janiero, Brazil.** Travel from your hometown for your flight to Brazil and your first stop in Rio de Janeiro. On arrival into Rio, you are met and transferred to our hotel. Meet your Goway Tour Director and the rest of the group this evening.

Porto Bay Rio International (3 nights) Day 2. Rio de Janeiro. Explore Rio's famous sites on an encompassing city tour. Ascend Corcovado Mountain through lush tropical forest to take in the up-close view of its famous statue of Christ the Redeemer along with the impressive panorama of the city. Then we take the cable car up Sugar Loaf Mountain for a better appreciation of the city's marvellous view. We continue our experience by exploring the city further and sam-

pling some local Brazilian cuisine in a traditional salon. Tonight we cap off this epic day with dinner at Chef Orini's Hotel Cipriani Restaurant one of the most exclusive fine-dining experiences in Rio. **BLD** 

Day 3. **Day trip to Petropolis.** A short jaunt away is the imperial retreat Petropolis, a well preserved historic city in the cool mountains outside of Rio. Spend the day exploring the imperial palace of Dom Pedro II, take in the gothic architecture of the Cathedral, and the charming town itself. **BL** 

Day 4. **Rio to Iguassu Falls – Brazilian Side.** Travel south to one of the most spectacular natural wonders of the world - Iguassu Falls. Taller and twice as wide as Niagara Falls, with 275 cascades over nearly two miles of the Iguassu River, the falls are actually within view and a stone's throw away from our world-class acommodation at the Belmond Hotel. Embark on a guided walk along the catwalks that run along the Brazilian side of the falls. This evening we take in a colourful South American cultural show.

Belmond Das Cataratas (2 nights) BD

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Day 5. **Iguassu Falls – Argentina Side.** Cross into Argentina and spend time exploring the falls

from a different point of view. The Devil's Throat walkway passes over the massive amount of water just before the water's descent. Upon return to our hotel in Brazil, there is also a chance to take an optional helicopter tour over the falls, or explore the natural wonder close up. **B** 

Day 6. **Tango in Buenos Aires.** We travel onward to the cosmopolitan capital, Buenos Aires. Take some time to stroll in the heart of the city before taking in one of Buenos Aires' most famous experiences – the impressive tango show. From the city waterfronts at the turn of last century to Piazzolla's avant-garde vision, Tango remains Argentina's premier musical art form. Cafe de Los Angelitos' Tango dancers, singers and band have been acclaimed as some of Argentina's best.

Melia Buenos Aires (3 nights) BD

Day 7. Hacienda visit, Gaucho Show, and Buenos Aires Wine tour. Visit a traditonal hacienda (ranch) in the fertile praries outside of the city. Take in folk songs and dances, equestrian activities, unbeatable shows of traditional gaucho skills, and sample typical dishes such as empanadas and the famed Argentine grill. Back in Buenos Aires we embark on an exclusive wine tour. We begin with a cool glass of Torrontés paired with local cheeses, continue to a hidden street art gallery for a Pinot Noir from Patagonia. Make a stop at a typical Palermo restaurant for a Malbec paired with a milanesa, a typical Argentine comfort food, and finish up at one of the best grill houses in the city for a delicious Cabernet Sauvignon paired with a small appetizer.

Day 8. **Buenos Aires Sightseeing.** Take in many of the city's marvels on a full day tour. Visit La Boca, a neighbourhood settled and built by Italian immigrants. Stop at the Casa Rosada, the presidential palace, and nearby Plaza de Mayo, and imagine Evita waving to the crowds from the balcony. Our next stop is Recoleta, a truly European and Iuxurious neighborhood that is packed with elegant restaurants, outdoor cafes, and exquisite shops. We also take some time to enjoy a coffee stop at the famous art-deco Café Tortoni in the heart of the city. **B** 

# South America

Day 9. **Buenos Aires to Lima, Peru.** We transfer to the international airport for our cross-contintenal flight to Peru, and the second half of our journey. Samba, Tango and Waterfall guests leave us today and Cradle of the Incas guest join us. *El Pardo by Double Tree (2 nights)* **B** 

Day 10. **Exploring Lima**. First we visit the modern district of Miraflores and the pre-Inca pyramid of Huaca Huallamarca. See the Historical Center, Plaza Mayor (main square), the Government Palace, the Archbishop's Palace, and streets with colonial mansions and Moorish balconies. Visit the home of a real Limean family in the exclusive district of San Isidro. They will share their collection of amazing art pieces, ranging from Pre-Inca ceramics and textiles to the most complete collection of Nativity scenes in the Americas. Dinner at the Huaca Pucllana Restaurant. **BD** 

Day 11. **Exploring Cusco**. We transfer to the airport for our flight to Cusco. After checking into our Stay of Distinction hotel, enjoy a walking tour of Cusco, the ancient capital of the Inca Empire. The outing begins at the Koricancha Temple, an old Inca palace and main center for the worship of the sun god, Inti. When the Spanish conquered Peru, the Dominican order built a lovely church over top of this temple's foundations: the church of Santo Domingo, which still stands there today. Next up, we visit the Inka Museum, a house built by Spanish Admiral Francisco Alderete Maldonado. The exhibits show Cusco's history intertwined with the Inca past.

Aranwa Cusco Hotel (2 nights) B

Day 12. **Cooking Lesson and Cusco Sundown**er. The MAP (Pre-Colombian Art Museum) Restaurant in the patio of a colonial style home, will give us an in-kitchen cooking demonstration, showcasing some of the best traditional Andean dishes. Enjoy a delicious lunch in a cozy and sophisticated setting. Our day ends with a unique experience - a sundowner overlooking what was once the heart and capital of the mighty Inca Empire. **BL**  Day 13. **The Sacred Valley of the Incas.** Start off early this morning for Ollantaytambo, an Inca mountaintop site that served as a military, religious, and agricultural center. Look out over the town of the same name and see its incredibly narrow streets and canals, features that have not changed since the Inca constructed them. On the way to the town of Pisac, we visit Awanakancha, a store with exquisite Peruvian handicrafts and variety of fauna. A visit to the famous Pisac market will be a highlight of this day, as will a delicious lunch with a horse exhibition at Wayra ranch restaurant.

Aranwa Sacred Valley **BL** Day 14. **Machu Picchu.** Awaiting us today is

one of the world's greatest wonders, Machu Picchu. We board the train that takes us down the scenic Sacred Valley. Situated two thousand feet above the rumbling river, our tour though the ruins includes every nook and cranny of this UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. Lunch is at the nearby Belmond Sanctuary Lodge. Tonight enjoy a complimentary massage. Sumaq Machu Picchu Hotel - Aguas Calientes **BLD** 

Day 15. Machu Picchu to Cusco. Visit the ruins a second time to further explore. Mid-afternoon we return to Aguas Calientes for our train journey back to Cusco. Aranwa Cusco Hotel **B** Day 16. Cusco to Lima. We are transferred to the airport for our afternoon flight to Lima. We visit

the Larco Museum for a once in a lifetime experience. Chronological galleries provide an excellent overview on 3000 years of Peruvian and pre-Columbian history. Witness the finest collection of Ancient Peru's gold and silver, and see the famous

erotic archaeological collection, one of Peru's most visited attractions. After the visit, enjoy the best of Peruvian gastronomy in the museum's cozy, atmospheric restaurant. *El Pardo by Double Tree* **BD** Day 17. **Depart Lima.** Say your farewells to your

new friend and be transferred to the airport for your international flight. Most flights from Lima to North America depart late in the evening so there may be opportunities to further explore Lima. **B** 

#### Short on Time ?

It is possible for you to experience just half of this exclusive HOLIDAY-OF-A-LIFETIME. The first half, which we call **Samba, Tango & Waterfalls** finishes on Day 9 in Buenos Aires and the second half, called **Cradle of the Incas** commences on Day 9 in Lima. See right for prices and dates.



#### Add to your Holiday of a Lifetime Experience



#### **GALAPAGOS** ISLANDS

One of the world's best known wildlife destinations is the Galapagos Islands off the coast of Ecuador. The islands themselves, isolated from the mainland for thousands of years, are home to some of the most unusual species in the world, including giant tortoises, marine iguanas, blue-footed boobies, and even the world's only equatorial penguin. Explore this magical place on one of our luxury cruise or lodge experiences.



#### AQUA AMAZON RIVER CRUISE

This luxury 5\* cruise vessel on the Peruvian Amazon River awaits you. Take in all that the Amazon wilderness offers in grace and comfort aboard this once-in-a-lifetime cruise. *See page 34*.

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6 Jun'18	7349	9249	G
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<u>2019</u>			
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5 Jun'19	7729	9629	G
2 Oct'19	7729	9629	L

#### CRADLE OF THE INCAS

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14 Ju	n'18	4429	5699	G
25 O	ct'18	4429	5699	L
<u>2019</u>				
21 Fe	b′19	4649	5949	А
13 Ju	ın'19	4649	5949	G
10 O	ct'19	4649	5949	L



#### Great Ocean Road, Australia

Our tour director was exceptional. I felt complete trust and had every confidence in her. Every small detail was looked after. Nothing was too great or too small for her to handle. The local guides used were, for the most part, friendly and extremely knowledgeable and more than willing to share their info with us. Many went out of their way to ensure a quality experience in their city. Have used Goway in the past, and would most definitely recommend them and use them again in the future.





This was an excellent tour with great insights. The tour was extremely well organized thanks to our tour director. All accommodations and airline transfers to the various cities we visited were 100 percent looked after. Our director looked after our concerns, kept us informed about what was to happen each day. His organizational skills are excellent. In finishing I would highly recommend Goway and this tour to anyone. I would definitely use Goway again. Thanks for a great experience.





The Waltzing Matilda is the ultimate tour of New Zealand and Australia, incorporating the main sights of both countries, from bubbling mudpools and spouting geysers in New Zealand and the kaleidoscopic colours of the Great Barrier Reef to the unique wildlife of Australia. Travel on Goway s Waltzing Matilda HOLIDAY ♥F A LIFETIME and return with a lifetime of memories.



# Waltzing Matilda

#### Select Departures • 20 days from AU \$11 799

Day I. Arrive Auckland. Haere mai – welcome to New Zealand. On arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel. An afternoon city tour includes the bustling downtown and waterfront areas,  $360^{\circ}$  panoramic views of the city from the summit of Mt Eden and the pretty North Shore via the Harbour Bridge.Tonight a "Welcome to New Zealand" dinner is served at your hotel. The Langham Hotel (F) (1 night) **D** 

Day 2. Auckland to Rotorua. Today we travel south to Waitomo and enjoy a guided underground excursion to the world famous glow worm caves. Afterwards we continue through rich farming country across the Waikato River to Rotorua, along the way stopping at Hobbiton Movie Set and also to enjoy a delicious farm lunch. Tonight a local Maori will transfer us to a Marae where we will enjoy a traditional Maori Hangi feast and concert.

Novotel Rotorua Lakeside (F) (2 nights) **BLD** Day 3. **Rotorua Sightseeing.** Start the day with a leisurely breakfast. Visit Te Puia Thermal Reserve and see the renowned geothermal activity including boiling mud pools, gentle hot springs and magnificent geysers plus a visit to the Agrodome to experience sheep shearing and dog herding demonstrations.

FREE UPGRADE (must be pre-booked): You can choose to be guests of a "Kiwi" family tonight for a farmstay. Your hosts will meet you and take you to their home for a traditional home-cooked meal. After a hearty breakfast the next morning you will rejoin the group. BD

Day 4. **Rotorua to Queenstown.** Farmstay guests rejoin the group and everyone transfers to the airport together. We leave the thermal wonderland and fly south to the exciting alpine resort town of Queenstown (airfare not included). Tonight we'll ride the gondola to Bob's Peak for a breathtaking view of the snow-capped mountains and Lake Wakatipu including a delicious dinner at the Skyline Restaurant. *Millenium Queenstown (F) (3 nights)* **BD** 

Day 5. **Milford Sound.** We begin our trip to Te Anau and Milford Sound by travelling along the shores of New Zealand's prettiest lake, Lake Wakatipu. We arrive into Fiordland National Park, one of the world's largest national parks with spectacular hanging valleys, towering precipices and raging torrents. The road continues through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound which was once described as the "eighth wonder of the world". Our cruise takes us past mile-high Mitre Peak, majestic mountains, ancient rainforests and thundering waterfalls before returning to Queenstown. **BL** 

Day 6. Queenstown at Leisure. A full day to relax or take part in the incredible variety of activities Queenstown has to offer.

Day 7. **Queenstown to Christchurch.** Travelling past Lake Wanaka and over historic Lindis Pass, we cross the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch, renowned as the "most English city outside of England". Enjoy a brief city orientation before checking in to your hotel followed by a 3 course dinner tonight. *Rendezvous Christchurch (F) (1 night)* **BD** 

Day 8. **Christchurch to Melbourne.** This morning we transfer to the airport and fly to Melbourne (airfare not included). Welcome to the island continent of Australia! On arrival enjoy a brief city orientation tour before checking in to the hotel and enjoying some free time. Tonight, enjoy a special Welcome to Australia dinner on the Colonial Tramcar Restaurant.

Crown Promenade (F) (3 nights) **BD** Day 9. **Melbourne Sightseeing.** This morning, we discover the secrets and hidden treasures of Melbourne's lanes and arcades on an easy paced walking tour with light refreshments. Later, head to Phillip Island and the Little Penguin Parade. The sight of the little penguins waddling along the beach is priceless. Enjoy a three course dinner before heading back to Melbourne. **BD** 

Day 10. **Melbourne to Adelaide**. We transfer to the airport to fly to Adelaide (airfare not included) where we travel to the nearby Adelaide Hills to enjoy wine tasting and a two course lunch at Maximilian's, a superb restaurant nestled in the hills. Meet some unique Aussie animals at Cleland Wildlife Park before a visit to the National Wine Centre. The evening is at leisure.

Stamford Plaza (F) (1 night) **BL** Day 11. **Adelaide.** Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and

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time at leisure in Adelaide. **GHAN OPTION** (must be prebooked). You may opt to travel on the legendary Ghan Train from Adelaide to Alice Springs. If you choose this option you will be transferred to the Railway station to join the train in the afternoon. If not travelling on the train, perhaps consider a day tour to Kangaroo Island (addi-

tional cost)

Day 12. Adelaide to Alice Springs. Non Ghan guests will transfer to the airport for the flight to Alice Springs (airfare not included). On arrival, proceed to the railway station collecting the guests who are arriving on the train. Once everyone is together again enjoy an Alice Springs sightseeing tour. Tonight enjoy a special Outback Sunset & Starlight dinner with an Aboriginal Master Bush Chef in a magnificent bush setting. Doubletree by Hilton Alice Springs (F) (1 night) BD

Day 13 **Alice Springs to Ayers Rock.** Enjoy breakfast at our hotel. Following this journey through the semi arid desert that is known as the "Red Centre to the Uluru Kata Tjuta National Park. We explore the fascinating base of Ayers Rock and will hear some of the Aboriginal legends about the sacred land. Tonight enjoy a very special dinner in the desert – the Sounds of Silence – under the stars of the Southern Cross. Desert Gardens Hotel (F) (1 night) **BD** 



Day 14. Avers Rock to Cairns. After breakfast at your hotel the morning is spent visiting the Cultural Centre and Kata Tjuta (the Olgas), followed by an interesting Dot Art Painting workshop. Later we fly to Cairns (airfare not included) where on arrival we are transferred to our accommodation. Enjoy some free time before a seafood dinner served at the hotel. Pullman Cairns International (F) (3 nights) BD

Day 15. Great Barrier Reef. Today cruise to Green Island for a half day of swimming, snorkeling, glass bottom boat coral viewing, island walks and a buffet lunch. Continue on to the Outer Barrier Reef this afternoon to complete your once in a lifetime Great Barrier Reef experience. RI

Day 16. Rainforest & Aboriginal Experience. After breakfast this morning we board the Kuranda Scenic Railway and enjoy "Royale Service" with light refreshments for the spectacular ride to Kuranda. We have a delicious lunch and a day at Rainforestation travel into the rainforest on an amphibious army duck, see an authentic Aboriginal cultural performance, experience a "Dreamtime" walk with an Aboriginal guide, throw a boomerang and see Australian native animals including koalas, wombats and kangaroos. You'll even get the chance to meet Matilda, Walter, or Kiah, Goway's adopted Koalas. Tonight we head to Tjapukai Cultural Park for a special Indigenous experience including din-BLD ner and award winning performances.



Day 17. Cairns to Sydney. After breakfast transfer to the airport for the flight to Sydney (airfare not included). On arrival, the group is met and transferred to the Radisson Blu Plaza hotel. The remainder of the day is free to explore the city.

Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel (F) (3 nights) B

Day 18. Blue Mountains. Today is a full day tour to the Blue Mountains.Visit the Tea Pot Museum for morning tea before a ride on the Skyway, a glass bottomed aerial cable car and the Scenic Cableway. After lunch head to one of the lookout points to experience the full beauty of the Blue Mountains.

Day 19. Sydney. After breakfast, head to Bondi Beach where we enjoy a lifesaving demonstration followed by morning tea. We then visit the iconic Sydney Opera House, home to Australia's renowned opera, ballet and theatre companies for a private guided tour. Enjoy a Tasting Plate lunch before enjoying some free time. Early evening, board our vessel for a Farewell to Australia" Sunset Dinner Cruise on Sydney's splendid BLD harbour.

Day 20. Depart Sydney. Enjoy a leisurely breakfast this morning. This is the end of your Holiday of a Lifetime. If you are flying out of Sydney you will be transferred to the airport. Of course, if you have time, why not stay longer?

It is possible to stop over in your choice of The Cook Islands, Tahiti, or Fiji. İnquire for details.

#### LEGENDARY GHAN TRAIN ADD ON



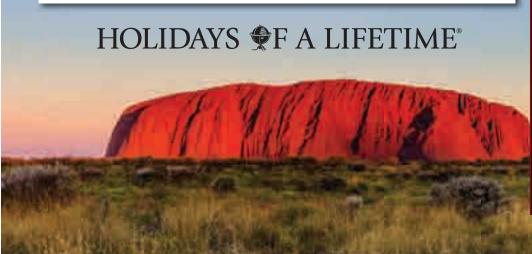
Experience one of the world's greatest train journeys as you travel overland across the vast Australian Outback aboard The Legendary Ghan. (More details on page 117.)

Join The Ghan on Day 11. Settle into your Gold Service Sleeper cabin. This cabin features a 3-seater lounge by day that converts to upper and lower berths at night. Relax and enjoy the comfort of the Lounge Car and savour spectacular cuisine in the Gold Service Restaurant Car.

Arrive in Adelaide on Day 12. You are met on arrival and your Adelaide sightseeing will begin with the rest of your Waltzing Matilda or Best of Australia travellers.

Availability is limited so please request The Ghan Train option at time of booking.

#### from AU \$1455 Twin / AU \$1189 Single



#### EXCLUSIVE FIRST CLASS ESCORTED SMALL **GROUP EXPERIENCES** MAXIMUM OF 30 GUESTS

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#### Unique Dining

- Special Welcome Dinner
- Maori Hangi and Concert
- Dinner and breakfast with a Kiwi Family (see option, Day 3)
- Dinner at Bob's Peak overlooking Queenstown Farewell to New Zealand Dinner
- Unique Arrival to Australia dinner on board a historic tramcar in Melbourne
- Three course dinner on Phillip Island
- Lunch at a vineyard restaurant
- Outback Dinner with Aboriginal Master Bush Chef
- Sounds of Silence Outback Dinner
- Nightfire at Tjapukai Cultural Park
- Lunch Platter at Sydney Opera House
- Farewell to Australia Sydney Sunset Dinner Cruise

#### **Tour Highlights**

- No more than 30 guests on tour
- Waitomo Caves and Glow-worm Grotto
- Farm visit in New Zealand
- Visit Hobbiton Movie Set
- Thermal Reserve
- Agrodome sheep demonstration
- Free overnight Farmstay option
- Queenstown Gondola ride to Bob's Peak
- Spectacular Milford Sound cruise
- Melbourne Lanes and Arcades walking tour
- Wine tasting
- Visit to National Wine Centre
- Optional The Ghan outback train journey Tour of The Town Like Alice
- Ayers Rock and Olgas excursion
- Great Barrier Reef visit
- Kuranda rail and rainforest experience
- Aboriginal Cultural Performance
- Surf Lifesaving Demonstration Tour of the Sydney Opera House

#### Included Features

Please see page 9 for a listing of all the fea-tures that are included in our HOLIDAYS #FA LIFETIME Downunder.

- 19 breakfasts, 7 lunches and 13 dinners
- Local guides under supervision of your Goway Tour Director.

Also on page 9 you will find information on our Tour Directors, Goways Twin Share Guarantee, plus our unique Exclusive Fun Themes.

DEPARTURES 2018 & 2019		PRICES PER PERSON AU \$	
Starts Auckland	Twin	Single	Theme
13 Sep'18	799	15 370	F
18 Oct'18*	11 799	15 370	А
I Nov'I8	11 799	15 370	G
10 Jan'19	11 799	15 370	L
14 Feb'19*	11 799	15 370	F
14 Mar'19	11 799	15 370	А
4 Apr'19	799	15 370	G

F,A,L,G are 'Fun Themes', see page 9 for more details. Itinerary effective Sep '18. Tours prior may vary from brochured itinerary.

**PRICE INCLUDED:** 19 nights accommodation, sightseeing as listed in itinerary, meals as indicated by **BLD**. Please see Page 9 for full features and inclusions.

PRICE EXCLUDED: International and domestic airfares. Waltzing Matilda guests must travel on specified flights whilst on tour. As airfare experts, Goway can arrange the best airfares Downunder.

GUARANTEED DEPARTURE DATES: \* Indicates a ed Departure

#### EXCLUSIVE FIRST CLASS ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCES MAXIMUM OF 30 GUESTS



#### Unique Dining

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- Dinner and breakfast with a Kiwi Family (see option, Day 3)
- Dinner at Bob's Peak overlooking Queenstown
- Farewell to New Zealand Dinner

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- Thermal Reserve
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- Free overnight Farmstay option
- Queenstown Gondola ride to Bob's Peak
- Spectacular Milford Sound cruise

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Auckland	Twin	Single	Theme
13 Sep'18	4969	6259	F
18 Oct'18*	4969	6259	A
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Best of New Zealand



#### Select Departures • 8 days from AU \$4969

Day I. Arrive Auckland. Haere mai – welcome to New Zealand. On arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel. An afternoon city tour includes the bustling downtown and waterfront areas, 360° panoramic views of the city from the summit of Mt Eden and the pretty North Shore via the Harbour Bridge. Tonight a "Welcome to New Zealand" dinner is served at your hotel. The Langham Hotel (F) (1 night) D

Day 2. Auckland to Rotorua. Today we travel south to Waitomo and enjoy a guided underground excursion to the world famous glow worm caves. Afterwards we continue through rich farming country across the Waikato River to Rotorua, along the way stopping at Hobbiton Movie Set and also to enjoy a delicious farm lunch. Tonight a local Maori will transfer us to a Marae where we will enjoy a traditional Maori Hangi feast and concert.

Novotel Rotorua Lakeside (F) (2 nights) **BLD** Day 3. **Rotorua Sightseeing.** Start the day with a leisurely breakfast. Visit Te Puia Thermal Reserve and see the renowned geothermal activity including boiling mud pools, gentle hot springs and magnificent geysers plus a visit to the Agrodome to experience sheep shearing and dog herding demonstrations. **FREE UPGRADE** (must be pre-booked): You can choose to be guests of a "Kiwi" family tonight for a farmstay. Your hosts will meet you and take you to their home for a traditional home-cooked meal. After a hearty breakfast the next morning you will rejoin the group. **BD** 

Day 4. **Rotorua to Queenstown.** Farmstay guests rejoin the group and everyone transfers to the airport together. We leave the thermal wonderland and fly south to the exciting alpine resort town of Queen-

stown (airfare not included). Tonight we'll ride the gondola to Bob's Peak for a breathtaking view of the snow-capped mountains and Lake Wakatipu including a delicious dinner at the Skyline Restaurant. *Millenium Queenstown (F) (3 nights)* **BD** 

Day 5. **Milford Sound.** We begin our trip to Te Anau and Milford Sound by travelling along the shores of New Zealand's prettiest lake, Lake Wakatipu. We arrive into Fiordland National Park, one of the world's largest national parks with spectacular hanging valleys, towering precipices and raging torrents. The road continues through the Homer Tunnel to Milford Sound which was once described as the "eighth wonder of the world". Our cruise takes us past mile-high Mitre Peak, majestic mountains, ancient rainforests and thundering waterfalls before returning to Queenstown. **BL** 

Day 6. Queenstown at leisure. A full day to relax or take part in the incredible variety of activities Queenstown has to offer. **BD** 

Day 7. Queenstown to Christchurch. Travelling past Lake Wanaka and over historic Lindis Pass, we cross the Canterbury Plains to Christchurch, renowned as the "most English city outside of England". Enjoy a brief city orientation before checking in to your hotel before your 3 course dinner tonight.

Rendezvous Christchurch (F) (1 night) **BD** Day 8. **Christchurch to Melbourne.** Enjoy a leisurely breakfast this morning. This is the end of your Zealand HOLIDAY **H** A LIFETIME. If you are flying out of Christchurch you will be transferred to the airport. Of course, if you have time, why not stay longer? **B** You can fly direct or stop in Tahiti, Fiji, or The Cook Islands the way to or from New Zealand. Inquire for details.

## HOLIDAYS **\$F A LIFETIME**

# Best of Australia

#### Select Departures • 13 days from AU \$7859

Day I. Arrive Melbourne. Welcome to the island continent of Australia! On arrival enjoy a brief city orientation tour before checking in to the hotel and enjoying some free time. Tonight, enjoy a special Welcome to Australia dinner on the Colonial Tramcar Restaurant. Crown Promenade (F) (3 nights) D

Day 2. **Melbourne Sightseeing.** This morning, we discover the secrets and hidden treasures of Melbourne's lanes and arcades on an easy paced walking tour with light refreshments. Later, head to Phillip Island and the Little Penguin Parade. The sight of the little penguins waddling along the beach is priceless. Enjoy a three course dinner before heading back to Melbourne. **BD** 

Day 3. **Melbourne to Adelaide.** We transfer to the airport to fly to Adelaide (airfare not included) where we travel to the nearby Adelaide Hills, to enjoy wine tasting and a two course lunch at Maximilian's, a superb restaurant nestled in the hills. Meet some unique Aussie animals at Cleland Wildlife Park before a visit to the National Wine Centre. The evening is at leisure. Stamford Plaza (F) (1 night) BL

Day 4. **Adelaide.** Enjoy breakfast at the hotel and time at leisure in Adelaide.

**GHAN OPTION** (must be prebooked). You may opt to travel on the legendary Ghan Train from Adelaide to Alice Springs. If you choose this option you will be transferred to the Railway station to join the train in the afternoon. If not travelling on the train, perhaps consider a day tour to Kangaroo Island (additional cost).

Day 5. Adelaide to Alice Springs. Non Ghan guests will transfer to the airport for the flight to Alice Springs (airfare not included). On arrival, proceed the railway station collecting the guests who are arriving on the train. Once everyone is together again enjoy an Alice Springs sightseeing tour. Tonight enjoy a special Outback Sunset & Starlight dinner with an Aboriginal Master Bush Chef in a magnificent bush setting.

Doubletree by Hilton Alice Springs (F) (1 night) **BD** Day 6. **Alice Springs to Ayers Rock.** Enjoy breakfast at our hotel. Following this journey through the semi arid desert that is known as the "Red Centre to the Uluru Kata Tjuta National Park. We explore the fascinating base of Ayers Rock and will hear some of the Aboriginal legends about the sacred land. Tonight enjoy a very special dinner in the desert – the Sounds of Silence – under the stars of the Southern Cross. Desert Gardens Hotel (F) (1 night) **BD** 

Day 7. Ayers Rock to Cairns. After breakfast at your hotel the morning is spent visiting the Cultural Centre and Kata Tjuta (the Olgas), followed by an interesting Dot Art Painting workshop. Later we fly to Cairns (airfare not included) where on arrival we are transferred to our accommodation. Enjoy some free time before a seafood dinner served at the hotel. *Pullman Cairns International (F) (3 nights)* **BD** 

Day 8. Great Barrier Reef. Today cruise to Green Island for a half day of swimming, snorkeling, glass bottom boat coral viewing, island walks and a buffet lunch. Continue on to the Outer Barrier Reef this afternoon to complete your once in a lifetime Great Barrier Reef experience. **BL** 

Day 9. Rainforest & Aboriginal Experience. After breakfast this morning we board the Kuranda Scenic Railway and enjoy "Royale Service" with light refreshments for the spectacular ride to Kuranda. We have a delicious lunch and a day at Rainforestation travel into the rainforest on an amphibious army duck, see an authentic Aboriginal cultural performance, experience a "Dreamtime" walk with an Aboriginal guide, throw a boomerang and see Australian native animals including koalas, wombats and kangaroos. You'll even get the chance to meet Matilda, Walter, or Kiah, Goway's adopted Koalas. Tonight we head to Tjapukai Cultural Park for a special Indigenous experience including dinner and award winning performances. **BLD** 

Day 10. **Cairns to Sydney.** After breakfast transfer to the airport for the flight to Sydney (airfare not included). On arrival, the group is met and transferred to the Radisson Blu Plaza hotel. The remainder of the day is free to explore the city.

Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel (F) (3 nights) B

Day 11. **Blue Mountains.** Today is a full day tour to the Blue Mountains.Visit the Tea Pot Museum for morning tea before a ride on the Skyway, a glass bottomed aerial cable car and the Scenic Cableway.After lunch head to one of the lookout points to experience the full beauty of the Blue Mountains. **BL** 

Day 12. **Sydney.** After breakfast, head to Bondi Beach where we enjoy a lifesaving demonstration followed by morning tea. We then visit the iconic Sydney Opera House, home to Australia's renowned opera, ballet and theatre companies for a private guided tour. Enjoy a Tasting Plate lunch before enjoying some free time. Early evening, board our vessel for a Farewell to Australia Sunset Dinner Cruise on Sydney's splendid harbour. **BLD** 

Day 13. **Depart Sydney.** Enjoy a leisurely breakfast this morning. This is the end of your HOLIDAY **F**A LIFETIME. If you are flying out of Sydney you will be transferred to the airport. Of course, if you have time, why not stay longer? **B** 

It is possible to stop over in your choice of The Cook Islands, Tahiti, or Fiji for a small airline supplement. It is also possible to extend your stay Downunder on an independent basis.

#### THE GHAN OPTION

This exciting option allows you to journey overland across the vast outback on The Legendary Ghan train. See page 11.

#### EXCLUSIVE FIRST CLASS ESCORTED SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCES MAXIMUM OF 30 GUESTS



#### Three course dinner on Phillip Island

- Lunch at a vineyard restaurant
- Outback Dinner with Aboriginal Master Bush Chef
- Sounds of Silence Outback Dinner
- Nightfire at Tjapukai Cultural Park
- Lunch Platter at Sydney Opera House
- Farewell to Australia Sydney Sunset Dinner Cruise

#### Tour Highlights

- No more than 30 guests on tour
- · Melbourne Lanes and Arcades walking tour
- Wine tasting
- Visit to National Wine Centre
- Optional The Ghan outback train journey
- Tour of The Town Like Alice
- Ayers Rock and Olgas excursion
- Great Barrier Reef visit
- Kuranda rail and rainforest experience
- Aboriginal Cultural Performance
- Surf Lifesaving Demonstration
- Tour of the Sydney Opera House

#### **Included Features**

Please see page 9 for a listing of all the features that are included in our HOLIDAYS FA LIFETIME Downunder.

- 12 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 8 dinners
- Local guides under supervision of your Goway Tour Director.

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