

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Temptation in Tanzania

## ENJOY THE LUXURY IN THE WILDERNESS

### 9 DAYS

## DESCRIPTION

We **travel** through the great parks of **northern Tanzania** and enter the WILDLAND in search of animal life and unforgettable sunsets, through endless plains, with that feeling of freedom we can only find in Africa.

We will **stay** in luxurious establishments and enjoy peace, tranquility and the purest African atmosphere in places such as **Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury Camp** or the unmistakable **Arusha Coffee Lodge**. This journey is surely to be with us for the rest of our lives.

All this with an **expert English** speaking guide / driver.

## ITINERARY

- 01** Kilimanjaro International Airport – Arusha City
- 02** Arusha City – Tarangire National Park
- 03** Tarangire National Park full day
- 04** Tarangire N. P. – Lake Manyara N.P. – Ngorongoro Conservation Area
- 05** Ngorongoro Crater
- 06** Ngorongoro – Serengeti National Park
- 07** Serengeti and the endless plain
- 08** Serengeti, the endless plain and the optional safari in the sky
- 09** Serengeti National Park – Arusha / Kilimanjaro Airport — Departure

**Departure dates: all year round.**

# DETAILED ROUTE

## **01 KILIMANJARO AIRPORT – ARUSHA CITY:**

You will meet our professional safari guide and driver arrival to Kilimanjaro International Airport. Transfer to your hotel or lodge for overnight. The next morning, you will be briefed on your safari by our representative. This is a good opportunity for any questions or concerns to be brought up.

*Your stay: Your first night in Arusha will offer a half-board stay at the Arusha Coffee Lodge, "an aromatic and sensory experience". The Arusha Coffee Lodge is an oasis in the vibrant northern town of Arusha. Overpowered by the solemn presence of Mount Meru, this lodge will meet all your expectations in quality, service and location. Located in a coffee state, offers relaxation and a first encounter with Tanzanian hospitality before beginning our journey. Half-board package includes accommodation, dinner and 'a la carte' breakfast. There is no better way to start Exploring Tanzania than spending your first night in this fantastic lodge.*

Arusha Coffee Lodge: <https://www.elewanacollection.com/arusha-coffee-lodge/at-a-glance>

## **02 ARUSHA CITY – TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK :**

We will begin our day enjoying the calmness of the lodge and the flora in its magnificent garden. We will meet our English-speaking guide around 9:30 am and soon, we will be on our way to Tarangire National Park, the first stop in our African adventure. There is a lot to be seen before we reach our destination though.

From our safari vehicle 4x4, we will have our first encounter with the beautiful vast landscape, splashed with Maasai huts. While relaxing in the car, we can observe the daily routines, walking long distances or herding their cattle. Our guide will proceed with the entrance at the gate and then, we will be taken to our lodge to settle in Sanctuary Swala Camp. It will be time then to enjoy a hot lunch in the pleasant dining room of this excellent camp, after which, we will dive directly into our first game drive. Our safari guide will direct us while searching the great and famous colony of elephants living there. With no doubt, we will be awed by the image of the baobab trees decorating this spectacular park. This afternoon will be used to fully explore every corner of the park, looking for lions, leopards, giraffes, impalas, buffalos and many more. With the sunset, we will drive back to the lodge for a hot shower and a rest.

*Your stay: Your first night in Tarangire Conservation Area will offer a full-board stay at the Sanctuary Swala Camp. The lodge is located within the National Park, a privilege area indeed within the mystic Maasai Land. Acacia trees and baobab trees will decorate the roads for you and the lodge will offer a high quality service with a pleasant smile for all guests. Full-board package includes all meals, laundry services and all beverages (alcoholic or non-alcoholic with the exception of champagne and premium brands).*

Sanctuary Swala Camp: <https://www.sanctuaryretreats.com/tanzania-camps-swala>

### 03 TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK FULL DAY:

Our first morning safari will take place soon after breakfast. Tarangire is well-known for

large numbers of elephants, but also around 550 species of birds, migratory wildebeests, zebras, buffalos, impalas, gazelles, hartebeests, elands and much more that we will try to find for you. Tarangire rivers and lagoons offer a constant source of water for wild animals, which gives us the opportunity to observe them when drinking and with luck, hunting where the game is secure. The swamps and its emerald green reaching to where your eyes can will definitely move you. At noon, we will drive back to the lodge for hot lunch. It will be up to us to decide between an afternoon game drive and relax and rest at the lodge.

*Your stay: You will continue your stay at the Sanctuary Swala Camp. A second night at the lodge will give you a different experience and you can maximize your stay here. You will definitely have a real first-hand contact with Tanzanian nature while we sip a glass of wine or a cup of coffee and face the infinite wilderness in front of us. Full-board package includes all meals, laundry services and all beverages (alcoholic or non-alcoholic with the exception of champagne and premium brands).*

Sanctuary Swala Camp: <https://www.sanctuaryretreats.com/tanzania-camps-swala>

### 04 TARANGIRE N.P. – LAKE MANYARA N.P. — NGORONGORO CONSERVATION AREA:

We will drive to the Lake Manyara National Park after breakfast at the lodge that we are now leaving behind. Here, we will engage ourselves in the search for sneaky but famous tree-climbing lion. This park is also famous for the large troops of baboons, but also many elephants, zebras and many more wild animals. At noon we will leave the park and head to the massive Ngorongoro crater. We will have our hot lunch at the delightful Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury Camp, followed by a free evening of leisure. This will be an experience like no other.

*Your stay: A different way to enjoy resting in the middle of the most striking wilderness. The Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury Camp is located in a forest on the rim of the crater. This tented camp has all the commodities a lodge may have, including spacious en-suite bathrooms. Sleeping in the wild? Worry not! Your tent will be warmed up in the evening for you. Your Full-Board package includes accommodation, all meals, selected house wines and spirits, local beers, soft drinks, juices and water, laundry.*

Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury Camp: <http://www.lemalacamp.com/ngorongoro-tented-camp>

### 05 NGORONGORO CRATER:

After an excellent and plentiful breakfast and the sun rays ready to come along, we will descend 600m into this magnificent crater for a half-day game drive. The Ngorongoro Crater is one of the most densely crowded African wildlife areas in the world and is home to an estimated 30,000 animals including some of Tanzania's last remaining black rhino. However, its water supply secures life for other animals, such as herds of wildebeest, zebra, buffalo, eland, warthog, hippo, and giant African elephants. The Ngorongoro Crater is also home to many predators such as jackals, leopards, lions,

the terrible hyenas, and the fast cheetahs. As usual, we will drive back to the camp for lunch and an evening of leisure relaxing under the unforgettable African stars.

*Your stay: This will be your second night in this fantastic tented camp by the Ngorongoro Crater. We are convinced that this tented camp is meeting all your expectations on how it would be to spend the night in the African wilderness. Your Full-Board package includes accommodation, all meals, selected house wines and spirits, local beers, soft drinks, juices and water, laundry.*

Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury Camp: <http://www.lemalacamp.com/ngorongoro-tented-camp>

## **06 NGORONGORO – SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK:**

We will be heading towards the grandiose Serengeti National Park after a pleasant breakfast. Leaving the highlands behind, we will descend into the heart of our lovely Africa – the Serengeti National Park. This is the place where your eyes will not reach the end of the plains, this is the land of the wildest animals on heart, this is the land where to photograph the most sticking and unforgettable sunsets. We will visit the area known as the Seronera and the Seronera River, a source of water that keeps animals coming all day long. We will be there waiting for them. At noon, we will drive to our camp in order to enjoy a hot lunch. Afterwards, we will go back to the bush to enjoy an evening game drive until the sunset hours around the Seronera Valley.

*Your stay: You will continue experiencing the real African landscape, this first-hand contact with the soil, the sun, the wind and the candles at night. At the Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp these gratifying sensations are guaranteed, just like the most absolute delight in the middle of the darkness. Your Full-board package includes accommodation, all meals, selected house wines and spirits, local beers, soft drinks, juices and water, laundry.*

Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp: <http://www.lemalacamp.com/ewanjan-tented-camp>

## **07 SERENGETI AND THE ENDLESS PLAIN:**

Serengeti National Park is as large in dimensions as it is in variety and quantity of its fauna. 'Endless' is the best word to describe this wonder. It is here where the Great Migration takes place, savvy, no time to lose. It is here where zebras lead thousands of wildebeest across the crocodile infested waters of the Mara River in order to do what their instincts tell them to do: to migrate. There, crocodiles have been waiting idle, not moving a bit. And they will cross regardless of the many that will perish because nature is nature and it must continue forward. Serengeti is the place where to drive straight forward and never see the end of the road. This can only be comparable to the experience that you will have here.

*Your stay: You will spend another night in this fantastic tented camp, Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp, enjoying the variety of meals and a fantastic breakfast with nature and fauna all around you. Your Full-board package includes accommodation, all meals, selected house wines and spirits, local beers, soft drinks, juices and water, laundry.*

Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp: <http://www.lemalacamp.com/ewanjan-tented-camp>

**08 SERENGETI, THE ENDLESS PLAIN AND THE OPTIONAL SAFARI IN THE SKY:** Today will offer and opportunity like no other. You can fly! You can choose to do a safari from the sky in a hot air balloon and see the amazing Serengeti National Park from above. Can you see the zebras running wild? You can watch them and photograph them from the air...those wonderful and majestic giraffes. We can arrange the time and make it work with our tour. Our tour will offer an after breakfast game drive along the Sogore River Circuit and going back to Seronera River. We will have the opportunity to see many wild animals in Serengeti, such as cheetahs, ostriches, Thomson gazelles and with luck, lions and leopards. We will go back to the camp for lunch and go back to the bush for an afternoon game drive.

*Your stay: This will be your last night at the Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp. You might have already grown attachment to the many sensations travelers receive from spending time in direct contact with nature, under the sun and the beautiful Africa sky. Many remember the sunsets for years to come, dreaming to come back and feel this way again. Your Full-board package includes accommodation, all meals, selected house wines and spirits, local beers, soft drinks, juices and water, laundry.*

Serengeti Ewanjan Luxury Tented Camp: <http://www.lemalacamp.com/ewanjan-tented-camp>

**09 SERENGETI — SERENGETI AIRSTRIP — KILIMANJARO AIRPORT — RETURN:** We will enjoy our breakfast in this fantastic lodge and will pack in order to leave at the agreed upon time. We will continue our safari on the way to the Serengeti Airstrip, as we will be flying back to the City of Arusha in order to connect with our international flight. This flight will take around 2 hours.

Please note: luggage restriction is applicable to this flight: Standard Y Class - 15kg per person, Premium XL Class - 30kg per person for both carry-on and checked luggage. Your checked luggage needs to be soft-sided - no wheels / no spine, a duffel bag is recommended. A small purse/backpack is recommended as a carry-on, to keep your essentials handy (camera, passport, hat, medication, etc.).

Once back in Arusha, we will be driven to the Arusha Coffee Lodge for a hot lunch. We will be transferring to Kilimanjaro Airport for our flight back home. Our safari tour guide will be thanking you for your stay and wishing you a safe flight back home.

**END OF SERVICES**

**\*ASK FOR A FREE QUOTATION.**

<b>ACCOMMODATION:</b>	ARUSHA:	Arusha Coffee Lodge or similar.
	TARANGIRE:	Sanctuary Swala Camp or similar.
	NGORONGORO:	Ngorongoro Lemala Luxury or similar.
	SERENGETI:	Serengeti Ewanja Luxury Tented Camp or similar.

**NOTE** the accommodations offered will be guaranteed once the reservation is confirmed by the client. If the accommodations are not available, they will be exchanged for others with similar characteristics. Such change could increase or decrease the price, so the client will be informed.

**INCLUDED SERVICES:** transfer to Kilimanjaro Airport / Arusha / Kilimanjaro Airport; 4x4 safari vehicle: Land Rover or Land Cruiser; English-speaking guide driver during the safari; park fees to all mentioned parks; unlimited bottled mineral water during the safari; meals as specified in the itinerary; electric fridge in the car to keep drinks cool; sockets for charging cameras and phones in the car; hot lunch at Arusha Coffee Lodge on the last day; flight from Serengeti to Arusha; laundry is offered only by those hotels as specified on the itinerary.

**SERVICES NOT INCLUDED:** international Flight origin / Tanzania /origin; any type of visa (50-100\$ per person); any type of drinks in hotels except where specified; tips and other personal extras; supplements for Christmas, Easter, New Year's Eve and New Year's Day; hot Air Balloon in Serengeti \$600 per person; telephone calls, safari shop purchases, gratuities, and all items of a personal nature, champagne, cognac, fine wines, premium brand spirits and cigars; international travel insurance with full coverage; national / international travel and medical insurance.

