

Extraordinary Journeys Africa for Custom Luxury Safaris

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Extraordinary Journeys Africa, Luxury Safari Specialists



Unforgettable wildlife encounters at Zarafa Camp in Indaba, South Africa, an Extraordinary Journeys Africa hotel.

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Extraordinary Journeys Africa and Where Their Luxury Safaris Go:

Extraordinary Journeys Africa is also known as EJ Africa. The company organizes "bespoke" (custom-tailored) Africa safaris and trips for couples, families, and individual travelers.

Extraordinary Journeys Africa luxury African safaris mix and match various vacation elements to come up with unique custom itineraries. Extraordinary Journeys Africa has planned over 500 private trips to Africa, each one unique. Company staffers get to know you through phone calls and email, and put long hours into planning the details of your unique private luxury safari and making connections for you in Africa.

Where Extraordinary Journeys Africa Tours Go:

Extraordinary Journeys Africa Tours crisscross the continent. Destinations include Botswana, Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, and Zambia. Travel may combine resort stays with safari days and active adventure with gentler pursuits such as wildlife-watching during Africa's [great annual wildlife migration](#).¹ Destination transport may be by private planes, 4x4s, luxury trains, hot-air balloons, elephant, camel, and horse. The traveler decides, based on information and suggestions from Extraordinary Journeys Africa.

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The Mother and Daughter Behind Extraordinary Journeys Africa:

This New York City-based tour company was founded in 2003 by Marcia Gordon and her daughter Elizabeth. Marcia has worked in the African travel industry for over 30 years as director and president of leading luxury tour companies.

Daughter Elizabeth was born in Africa, where Marcia owns a home. After graduating from Stanford University, Elizabeth worked in Namibia, she managing high-end luxury safari camps. Both Gordons know Africa as residents, with insiders' knowledge and personal connections to African properties, guides, and attractions.

What Kind of Tours Are Available from Extraordinary Journeys Africa:

Extraordinary Journeys Africa create custom tours and vacations in Africa, primarily in safari and wildlife destinations. There are no set tours. Itineraries are customized for the travelers. One or more African countries can be visited. Activities can range from rugged (Elephant Back Safaris and Scuba Diving Africa, for example) to indulgent (Balloon Safari or Spa Africa.)

Who Takes Extraordinary Journeys Africa Tours:

Extraordinary Journeys Africa Tours cater to various configurations of luxury travelers: couples (including many honeymoon duos), families, groups of friends intrepid solo travelers.

What Extraordinary Africa travelers share is a desire to see the real Africa and to bypass touristy safaris.

Extraordinary Journeys Africa travelers also share a willingness to splurge on once-in-a-lifetime experiences when the circumstances call for it.

Twenty percent of Extraordinary Journeys Africa clients are repeat guests, a high percentage for the safari industry. One of three new clients is a personal referral from a previous Extraordinary Journeys Africa traveler.

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