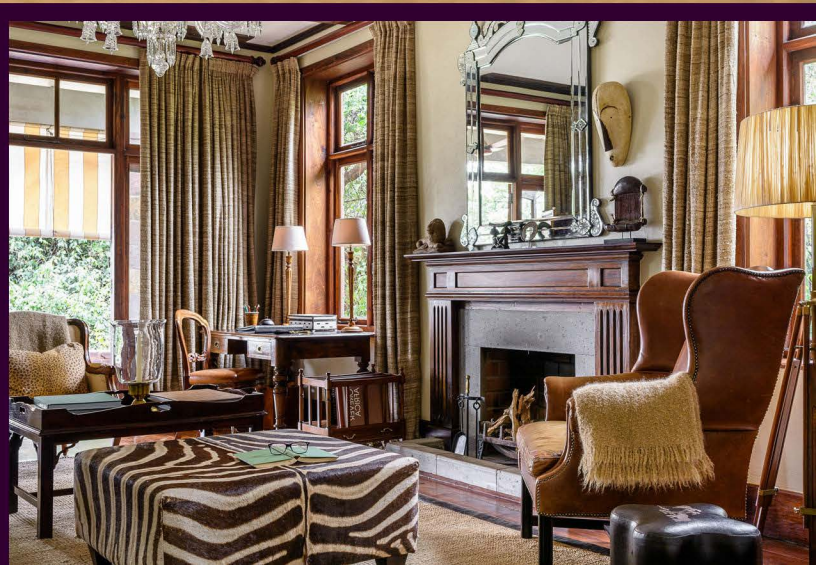


# THE MAGNIFICENCE OF TANZANIA

with Naples Zoo's Director of Conservation Tim L. Tetzlaff  
and National Geographic Explorer Dr. Luke Dollar



A Custom-Crafted Itinerary  
Departing October 2024











# A SAFARI LIKE NO OTHER

If you prefer not to make compromises when traveling and desire to enjoy the luxurious side of Tanzania while still taking in the true spirit of safari, we custom crafted this excursion for you. While retaining the superlatives from our years of sold-out safaris, we created this new itinerary featuring the finest award-winning lodges and retained two truly extraordinary hosts to guide you along the way. And you're making a meaningful impact as 100% of Naples Zoo's proceeds benefit the Naples Zoo Conservation Fund to save species in the wild.

Africa awaits you...



# I WAS FOUR YEARS OLD

when my father phoned me from Ngorongoro Crater. As he showed me these photographs later that summer, I dreamed of seeing it with him. But he passed away before we fulfilled that wish. So when I finally stood on the rim of Crater myself, its magnificence was blurry through my tears.

These days, I spend a month in Africa each year being so grateful to continue my parent's legacy hosting safaris and conserving wildlife. I was even honored to stand in my dad's footsteps in the famed Olduvai Gorge 50 years after that childhood phone call. I look forward to sharing this magical place with you so Tanzania can fill your dreams, too.



*Tim C. Tetzlaff*

Naples Zoo Director of Conservation

Son of Naples Zoo Co-Founders

Lawrence and Nancy Jane Tetzlaff

(Jungle Larry and Safari Jane)



# EXPERT HOSTS

Along with serving as Naples Zoo's Director of Conservation, **Tim Tetzlaff** has hosted our safaris for over a decade building on a lifetime of wildlife experiences as the son of Naples Zoo's founders.

Joining Tetzlaff is **Dr. Luke Dollar**, a renowned National Geographic Explorer who has spent decades studying carnivore ecology. Luke served for years as Program Director of National Geographic Society's Big Cats Initiative. Combining professorial roles and field work, he is creating the next generation of conservationists.

The landscape will come to even greater life as Luke and Tim share their personal animal stories as well as an insider's understanding of the conservation efforts being put forth in these iconic settings.



**Tim L. Tetzlaff**

Director of Conservation, Naples Zoo  
Son of Zoo Founders



**Dr. Luke Dollar**

Professor and Chair, Catawba College  
National Geographic Explorer

**"No road is long with good company."** Turkish Proverb



# COME TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS

From wading through swamps in Florida and hiking forests in Madagascar as well as being in classrooms together, Luke and Tim are longtime friends and will welcome you into that friendship and their fascinating discussions.



**"Wherever it is you may be, it is your friends who make your world."**

Chris Bradford



# October 7 to 18, 2024

How we crafted twelve truly extraordinary days  
to make memories for a lifetime.

## Let's start at the very beginning, A very good place to start...

From *The Sound of Music*'s "Do-Re-Mi" by Oscar Hammerstein II

## Carefully Curated Accommodations

Tom LaRock, the founder of Safari Professionals, and Tim Tetzlaff carefully pored over the top lodges comparing numerous aspects for this itinerary - from amenities and levels of service to proximity for the best wildlife viewing. And with two or three nights at each location, you can nestle in to truly experience why we chose them for you. We're delighted with the results you're about to read.

## Safari Expertise

Along with Tetzlaff and Dollar, you will meet Anglebert Pantaleo, the founder of Africa Nature Photography & Safaris. He will join the first half of your safari to help you get the eye for those perfect wildlife images as well as ensure all the details are attended to throughout our travels!

## Just Room for a Select Few

We have refined this safari for just six couples. While two 8-seat Land Cruisers would suffice, we added a bonus third custom Land Cruiser to provide you the gift of space. So if you have another couple you'd like to travel with, you have a vehicle to yourselves while still enjoying the camaraderie of others along the way!

## Four Flights to Exceptional Locations

To reduce long travel days, we have booked four in-country flights. This both adds prime viewing time to your safari and enables us to explore more secluded wildlife-rich private areas away from the majority of tourist vehicles.

## Upgraded Offerings

The distinct touches are what make any experience, so we've included walking safari options, a night game drive, dining in the bush, stunning locations for evening sundowner drinks, and more. And while boxed lunches are an essential part of safari, we also upgraded with plated meals at scenic locales along the way.







### **Optional Pre-Day Arrival Welcome in Luxury**

Tonight you touch down at Kilimanjaro International Airport and take in your first breath of African air. While the other passengers line up for passport control, we have arranged the VIP service to escort you to a private lounge in a separate building where you will relax and be welcomed into the country while your bags are retrieved and brought to you. From there it's a short drive to the Kilimanjaro Golf & Wildlife Estate.



In the morning you'll enjoy a fresh breakfast of fruits grown in the local volcanic soil. Then it's time to get your shoes into some of that earth with a morning nature walk past giraffe and buffalo, escorted by an armed ranger to a waterfall on the slopes of Mount Meru. You'll enjoy a delightful bush lunch and drive along the soda lakes to see the colorful flamingos and go deep into the montane forest to look for the monochromatic black and white colobus monkeys peering down from the trees. Back at your nearby lodge, it's time to relax and enjoy a sundowner drink by the fire. *(A morning game drive is an option for those who prefer not to walk.)*

**Accommodations:** The Safari House



### **Day 1 Evening Arrival in Africa**

If you arrive tonight, you'll experience the same VIP welcome and then nestle into your bed with dreams of all that's yet to come.

**Accommodations:** The Safari House

**"Reminds me of my safari in Africa. Somebody forgot the corkscrew and for several days we had to live on nothing but food and water."** American Comedian W.C. Fields



# The Dawn of Africa



**"I never knew of a morning in Africa when I woke up  
that I was not happy."** Ernest Hemingway



**"What day is it?" asked Pooh. "It's today," squeaked Piglet.  
"My favorite day," said Pooh.** A.A. Milne







### Days 2, 3, and 4 **A Dry Season Paradise**

Often bypassed by year-round itineraries, our destination is Tarangire National Park. A day's drive for most, it's just a short 30-minute flight for us to this dry season mecca that's home to 85,000 large animals that migrate to the cool waters of the jaw-dropping wonder that is the Silale wetlands.

Settle into the rhythm of safari life during our three nights in the tented delight simply known as Oliver's Camp. You'll forget your notions of traditional camping when you see these spacious tents appointed with comfortable beds, an en suite bathroom, and a choice of both indoor and outdoor shower. Best of all, life under canvas let you hear the roars of lions in the night and be awakened to the cooing of francolin birds.

Breakfast is served on the two-tiered observation deck for you to enjoy the wildlife strolling by. A morning game drive may find a pride of lions among the stunning views of this landscape overflowing with baobab trees. Afternoon is for taking a swim or napping in your tent. In late afternoon, it's time to set off on foot with an expert guide who can highlight the little wonders of the natural world along the way, as well as teach you about the largest mammals. We'll trade one of our traditional sundowner locations around the fire for one framed by a magnificent water vista. After the sun sets, we'll go exploring by vehicle to spot the nocturnal creatures of the bush. Each day brings opportunities to build up an appetite to tuck into another sumptuous dinner.

Accommodations: Oliver's Camp



**Traveling is like flirting with life. It's like saying, "I would stay and love you, but I have to go; this is my station."** Lisa St. Aubin de Teran





## An Insider's Look

During this truly special safari, you'll gain an appreciation for the complexities of protecting these lands during a visit with Naples Zoo's partner **African People and Wildlife**. Naples Zoo has supported their work for over a decade and fully funds the annual salaries of eleven of their staff including their first ever Women's Empowerment Officer, five Queen Bees, and five Warriors for Wildlife.

By respectfully integrating science and traditional knowledge, APW's programs are founded on the ethic that conservation is most successful when driven by the interests of local people, ranging from coexistence with predators to sustainable livelihoods and the empowerment of women.

Led by CEO Dr. Laly Lichtenfeld, APW made history by becoming the first international nonprofit organization in Tanzania to receive land donated by a Maasai community. APW's more than 200 Tanzanian program officers, educators, scientists, and community members positively impact 77 communities in six conservation landscapes.

**"Over the past 20+ years of working in the field, I've also witnessed the power of nature's resilience. Lands that used to be degraded from overgrazing just five years ago are now recovering because of the dedicated efforts of our community partners. In addition to lions, our team is also seeing increased numbers of wildlife like elephants, Maasai giraffes, and (more)."** Dr. Laly Lichtenfeld







## Day 5 Wetlands to Highlands

Today, we game drive north along the Silale wetlands to marvel at the elephant herds and other animals drawn to its life-giving waters. Look down for Nile monitors patrolling the water's edge and then up for African fishing eagles spying their next meal.

Ahead of us lies the western wall of the Gregory Rift - part of the eastern branch of Africa's Great Rift Valley. We will travel up it to a plated lunch at a perfectly situated lodge with a stunning view of Lake Manyara from atop the cliffs. Afterwards, our road continues up into the Ngorongoro highlands and through the town of Karatu. After taking a few photographs of the baboons loitering around the park gate, you'll get an overview of what lies ahead through a topographical model of these lands. Then it's back to the vehicles to scale the outer wall into its primeval forests.

At the top, the jungle gives way to a panorama as you gaze down into Ngorongoro Crater, the planet's largest unflooded and unbroken caldera. This was once a volcanic mountain rivaling Kilimanjaro in height. Then 2.5 million years ago, it collapsed in on itself encircling 102 square miles where more than 25,000 large animals now live year-round in a true lost world.

While most focus only on the view, we pause at the monument dedicated to the rangers who lost their lives protecting rhinos here to remember in gratitude the many sacrifices made that allow this cherished place and its creatures to remain for us to appreciate.

**"Whatever image we have of Africa tends to be formed by whatever film we've seen. All of those romantic notions: I wanna see magnificent landscapes, incredible animals, extraordinary vistas, magnificent people, the Other in all of its diversity and beauty and strangeness, Tanzania's got that. All that stuff you thought you wanted, the most jaw-dropping moments; it's here."**

Anthony Bourdain, Chef and Travel Documentarian  
and guest at the Ngorongoro Crater Lodge





This evening, you will listen to the mesmerizing chant of Maasai warriors as we enjoy sundowner drinks with a front row seat to the 2,000 foot view down into this wonder of nature. Afterwards, you will meet one of Tim Tetzlaff's Ngorongoro naturalist colleagues who has been the Zoo's on-the-ground contact for efforts here for fourteen years. Our lodge is quite simply THE place to be at the Crater. Our hearts are full as we step out of the cool night air to nestle into warm beds tonight.

Accommodations: Ngorongoro Crater Lodge

### **Day 6 Descent into the Crater**

After breakfasting over this breathtaking view from 7,500 feet above sea level, we descend into the paradox of a giant microcosm of African species. The wildebeest and myriad other species have no need to migrate out of this geological wonder. Cheetahs chase after Thomson's gazelles on the open plains while elephants munch on branches among the trees. Hippos soak in the freshwater lakes and flamingos ring the soda lake.

Midday, we pause for a Crater floor banquet where personalized service attends to your desires in a private grove of acacia trees. Tables set with snowy tablecloths and silver cutlery are laden with the most delectable of dishes. We have coordinated a rare meeting with the rangers so you can understand how Naples Zoo helps them protect critically endangered black rhinos.

After exploring the Leraï Forest, we'll ascend and enjoy visiting a Maasai community that does not receive regular visits from safaris. A true highlight of our journey, this cultural opportunity in East Africa has to be experienced to be truly appreciated. We return for an extraordinary evening overlooking this World Heritage Site.

Accommodations: Ngorongoro Crater Lodge



**"No one in the world needs a rhino horn but a rhino."** Paul Oxtan



## The Clarity of Day



**"Do not try to fight a lion if you are not one yourself."** African Proverb







### Day 7 Escape to the Secret Serengeti

While other safari vehicles depart for a long day of dusty travel to the crowded central Serengeti, we take to the skies to soar over the endless plains. Just over an hour later, we'll be rolling through the red oat grasslands of the little-known Lamai Triangle in the far north, where we'll be treated to one of the highest concentrations of wildlife in the Serengeti.

We've chosen this remote spot as it encompasses the banks of the famed Mara River, home to the fabled wildebeest crossings of nature documentaries. This premium location gives us a chance to see the perilous event without the time and inconvenience of crossing the border into Kenya among the many vehicles. We will be in a perfect locale at an ideal time to see the migration, but the herds are legendary for their fickleness, so seeing a crossing still requires some good luck.

To help with that luck, we've selected a permanent tent camp in the superlative care of Singita. Our 6 luxury tents face the riverbank and you can even take a dip in the plunge pool overlooking the waters. Beyond their stunning locations, Singita earns their stellar reputation as evidenced by the long list of annual accolades from the likes of Travel + Leisure and Condé Nast. Speaking of stellar, we have arranged for a bush dinner beneath the magnificence of the African star field.

Accommodations: Singita's Mara River Tented Camp

**"To witness that calm rhythm of life revives our worn souls and recaptures a feeling of belonging to the natural world. No one can return from the Serengeti unchanged, for tawny lions will forever prowl our memory and great herds throng our imagination."** George Schaller, Pioneering Conservationist





**"Look at the sun, painting the sky.  
It's a love affair of atmosphere and light.  
God can make a masterpiece every day.  
Well, is it too much to believe  
That the changing sky's a canvas we can read.  
A picture's worth a thousand words  
For those with eyes to see"**

**"Mona Lisa Said" by Billy Sprague**

### **Day 8 Camp Life**

Rising before dawn, you jostle in your seat as the vehicle slowly rolls out into a world of silhouettes. The expectation for what's ahead is tangible as the glow of sunrise paints color on the treetops. Will it be waving grasslands with giraffe and African buffalo or rocky outcrops to catch sight of elusive leopards? Singita's expert field guides and trackers offer us their in-depth knowledge that makes each of these encounters all the more meaningful and memorable.

Maximize your wildlife viewing with a packed lunch as you head north to the Kenyan border or come back from your sunrise drive for lunch. Take a dip in the plunge pool or relax with a spa treatment before watching wildlife in the rich light of the late afternoon sun and conclude with a spot-lit evening return revealing the elusive magic of Africa in the falling dark.

**Accommodations: Singita's Mara River Tented Camp**







### Day 9 Pure Joy in a Private Reserve

Just like you savor the last bite of a perfect meal, these last days are designed so you can slow down time. Turn glances into gazes to breathe in these extraordinary moments. At those times, remember to pause. Turn to your friend or loved one and lock eyes. In the weeks and years to come, when some story or image reminds you of these days, you'll be able to relive that magic through the simplicity of a shared look and beautiful smile. Our journey may end, but safari stays with you always.

And like any great safari, we save the best for last. A 15-minute flight brings us to Singita Grumeti Reserve. Bordering the Serengeti, this 350,000-acre private reserve provides us the abundant wildlife of this famous ecosystem, but we will share it with few other travelers - all residing in a handful of camps operated by the acclaimed Singita brand, including its flagship property, Sasakwa Lodge, our home for the next three opulent nights.

Accommodations: Singita's Sasakwa Lodge



**On elephants: "There is mystery behind that masked gray visage, and ancient life force, delicate and mighty, awesome and enchanted, commanding the silence ordinarily reserved for mountain peaks, great fires, and the sea."** Peter Matthiessen





### Day 10 Soak in Sasakwa

Set your own schedule here. Wake up early for the miracle of a sunrise game drive and return for a phenomenally fresh breakfast. Tennis, anyone? Indulge in a quick dip in your private plunge pool or stretch out for a full swim in their infinity pool - both allow you to take in a spectacular view. Need to unwind? Book a massage. Then set off for an afternoon game drive to see who else might be relaxing in the trees.



Established by Tanzania in 1994, the Grumeti Reserve protects the annual route of the Great Migration and the indigenous biodiversity of this vast and important ecosystem. Being outside the national park boundaries offers you a much greater freedom to experience this secluded landscape, including being able to go off-road to make the most of important sightings or raise a glass at idyllic sundowner stops.

Back at the lodge, we'll dine on one of Sasakwa's expertly prepared meals served in one of their exquisite indoor dining rooms or manicured open air spaces.

Accommodations: Singita's Sasakwa Lodge



**"No other creatures of the savanna sleep as deeply or as soundly as lions, but after all, lions are the main reason for not sleeping soundly."**

Elizabeth Marshall Thomas, American Author



# The Close of Day



**"There's never one sunrise the same  
or one sunset the same."**

Carlos Santana, Legendary Guitarist







### Day 11 In and Outside the Vehicle

If you haven't set out on a walking safari yet, Sasakwa brings the Serengeti experience up close and personal in a way like no other. Your expert tracker will bring to life the inherent role of every plant, insect, bird, and mammal forming this intricate ecology, especially the hidden world of lesser flora and fauna not typically observed from vehicles.

In the custom vehicles, we take full advantage of Singita's network across the Reserve that allows our guides to share the best of the day with us from prides of lions to grazing elephants. And when the sun starts to dip towards the horizon, we'll find ourselves in some exclusive setting for a dramatic show of the brightly painted sky that perfectly encapsulates the romance of safaris. Accompanied by a cool evening breeze and the beauty of the clear night sky above, the tranquil journey back up to the lodge makes for a fitting finale to these days of wonder.

Accommodations: Singita's Sasakwa Lodge



**"Traveling – it leaves you speechless,  
then turns you into a storyteller."**

Ibn Battuta

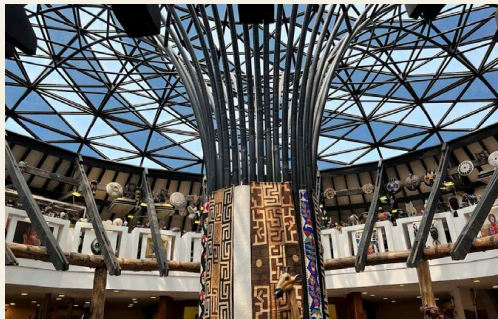




## Day 12 Flight Over Serengeti and Shopping

Arise for another long look at the plains as you select from a wide choice of breakfasts. Absorb the last special sights Africa offers of her wild wonders on the way to the airstrip. From above, we will marvel at the maze of game trails and we may even see the peak of Ol Donyo Lengai or Ngorongoro Crater from the air.

Back in Arusha, it's time to shop. We've picked the perfect place to peruse carvings and decor as well as an extensive selection of Tanzanite, a gemstone 1000 times rarer than diamonds.



Afterwards, you'll dine in a delightful setting on a former coffee estate that takes great pride in their rich brew locally grown in volcanic mountain soils. We've arranged for you to have a private day room so you can refresh yourself with a shower or a nap before we enjoy our final farewell cocktail. Kilimanjaro International Airport is a short 30 minute drive away and gives us an opportunity to see the mountain it is named after. At the airport, we return to our VIP lounge outside the main terminal building while you await your flight.



Before we climb aboard, take that one final chance here in Africa to lock eyes with your traveling companion. Even as you look forward to home while settling in to relax on our overnight flight among the stars, you may already be pondering when you can return.

**Tonight: In Flight**

**"I know nothing with any certainty, but the sight of the stars makes me dream."** Vincent van Gogh



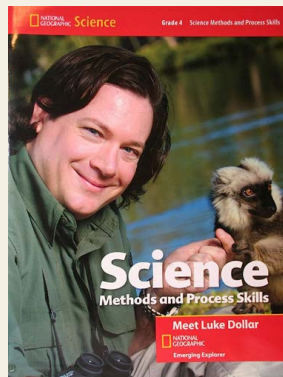
# Your Safari Co-Host Dr. Luke Dollar

Dr. Dollar is a National Geographic Explorer and a wildlife biologist with more than 25 years of experience coordinating conservation, research, educational, and development programs. He served as Program Director of National Geographic's Big Cats Initiative from 2009 to 2017 and now hosts their private jet trips.

Luke is currently Professor and Chair for the Department of Environment and Sustainability at Catawba College and Adjunct Professor for the Nicholas School at Duke University. Dollar's scientific research focuses on carnivores ranging from big cats to Madagascar's largest carnivore, the fosa, and their ecology, habitat, and conservation threats.

The majority of his efforts are concentrated on grassroots education and sustainable employment programs for local people sharing space with Africa's predators. Dollar's efforts have not only yielded a trove of data on carnivore biology and behavior, but his programs have led to the development of scholastic and sustainable business programs benefiting thousands of local subsistence farmers and their children. Luke also serves as President of Friends of Madagascar, a conservation education NGO building and supporting rural schools throughout Madagascar - including one school fully funded by Naples Zoo.

Luke is locally known to thousands of Collier County students as he is featured on the cover of a National Geographic's science textbook. Through annual visits as part of a collaboration with Naples Zoo and public schools, he has personally visited every elementary school in Collier County! For over 25 years, he has also led a Madagascar Study Abroad Summer program for college students.





# Your Safari Co-Host Tim L. Tetzlaff

As Naples Zoo Director of Conservation, Tetzlaff coordinates 20+ field conservation efforts including fully funding the annual salaries of twenty-seven field staff in seven countries. He has served as Chair of the Madagascar Fauna and Flora Group since 2018 and Naples Zoo serves as the international headquarters of this global consortium. He is on the Board of Directors for Giraffe Conservation Foundation and is President of the Florida Association of Zoos and Aquariums. Tetzlaff previously served on various conservation-oriented committees for the international Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) including the delegation to the Conference of the Parties for the Convention for International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES).

As the son of Naples Zoo founders Jungle Larry and Safari Jane, Tetzlaff has cared for creatures from anteaters to zebras and educated guests at their Naples site along with over one million visitors a summer at their attraction at the Cedar Point theme park in Ohio. He took breaks from Zoo life to earn his degrees from The Ohio State University – and to meet his wife who holds a degree in fine arts. Their daughter has a degree from his alma mater in Mandarin. While his resume ranges from public relations to general curator, his passion is rooted in saving nature and he is honored to collaborate with some of the world's leading conservationists and to share those experiences with you.



Horseback in Brazilian Pantanal; Radiographing deer inside Burmese python in Big Cypress National Preserve; 1990s with ring-tailed lemurs; Dr. Charles Foley, founder of Tanzania Conservation Research Program elephant research; circa 1970 newspaper ad.



Dr. Luke Hunter, Exec Dir Wildlife Conservation Society's Big Cats Program; Dr. Arnaud Desbiez and Giant Armadillo Conservation Program Team; Mutual of Omaha's Wild Kingdom's Jim Fowler; Ngorongoro Conservation Area Authority Chief Conservator Dr. F. Manongi.



Removing deadly wire snare from critically endangered Nubian giraffe; Dr. Julian Fennessy, Co-Founder of Giraffe Conservation Foundation; Madagascar Fauna and Flora Group supporter and comic legend John Cleese; Deogratus Maige and black rhino.



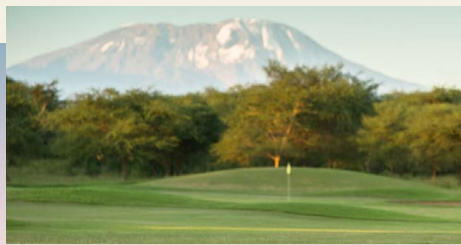
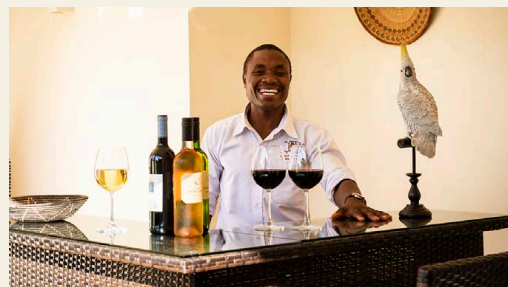
# Exquisite Accommodations

## The Safari House on the Kilimanjaro Golf & Wildlife Estate Pre-Nights and Night 1

The Safari House is a grand boutique hotel nestled within a private golf and wildlife estate to ease you into safari life. Each room has an en suite bathroom and provides its guests with the perfect degree of comfort, blending modern luxury with touches of old-African coastal style featuring historic hundred-year-old dhow wood. WiFi and laundry service are provided.

A central courtyard with a swimming pool and bar offers an area of relaxation, whilst a fire pit at the front of the house provides a cozy, atmosphere as the sun sets over the distant Pare, Usambara and Blue Mountains.

To fully enjoy this location, arrive a couple days early as it's just a short buggy ride to the Kilimanjaro Golf Club - Tanzania's number one 18-hole championship golf course. If equestrian pursuits appeal to you, the stables of Kaskazi Horse Safaris are nearby and offer a 2-hour ride to see wildebeest and antelope.







## Oliver's Camp

Night 2, 3 and 4

Condé Nast Traveler's #1 Resort in East Africa 2022

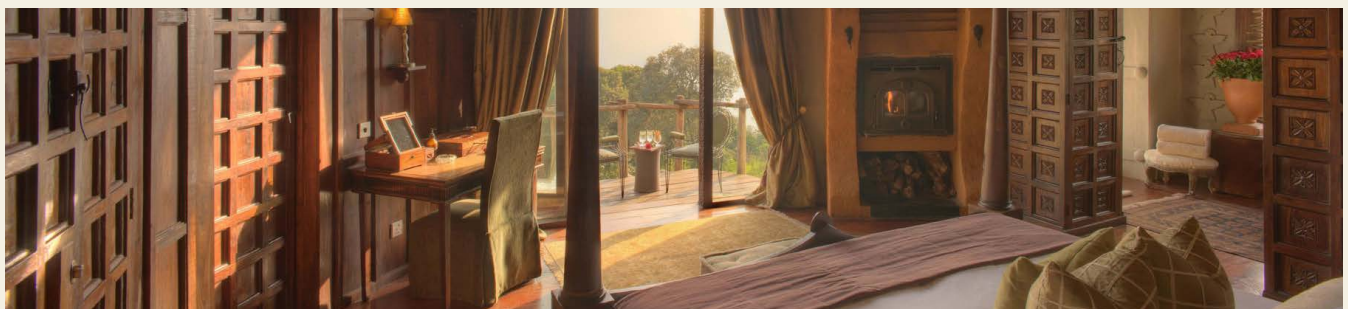
Flying to the remote southern reaches of Tarangire National Park, we will base our explorations of the park's diverse habitats out of Oliver's Camp, enjoying spaces away from the areas frequented by most safaris. Oliver's safari tents epitomize bush elegance in a spectacular setting with leather chairs and hand-carved headboards, plus electric outlets, WiFi, and laundry service.

All suites come complete with flushing toilets and indoor shower, although the personal outdoor shower is a unique experience not to be missed. A two-tiered breakfast veranda provides a panoramic view of the bush. After a day of safari activities, have a swim, relax on your private deck, or enjoy a drink around the fire.

Oliver's long-time team exudes a friendly, warm, at-home-in-the-bush ambience. Owned and operated by Asilia Africa, one of the leading safari companies in East Africa, Oliver's Camp was the first African accommodation to be certified through Sustainable Travel International's Sustainable Travel Eco-certification Program, and it's clear why. The owners are committed to both an earthy, authentic, high quality approach to safari and a very strong conservation ethos.







## Ngorongoro Crater Lodge

### Night 5 and 6

Condé Nast Traveler's #4 Resort in East Africa 2022  
Travel +Leisure #4 Safari Lodge in Africa 2022

Maasai meets Versailles at this extravagant &Beyond property. Perched above swirling mists on the edge of Ngorongoro's ancient caldera with its panorama views, this lodge features lavish suites where personal butlers discretely cater to each guest's every need, bringing tea in bed, stoking fireplaces, and drawing bubble baths.

Each stilted, handcrafted banana thatch roofed suite is adorned with graceful antiques and unforgettable opulence. En suite bathrooms, with a centerpiece of fresh roses, feature huge showers and chandelier-lit bathtubs. The bedroom, sitting room, and en suite bathroom boast magnificent overlooks of the Crater below. Rooms also offer electricity, WiFi, and laundry service.

&Beyond's sustainability initiatives focus on care of the land, people, and wildlife including auditing of each lodge. Along with significant water conservation measures at Ngorongoro, they source at least 50% of their fresh food from farmers situated just outside of the conservation area and 95% of their kitchen waste is recycled and given to farmers for compost and livestock.





## Singita's Mara River Tented Camp

### Night 7 & 8

Located on a dramatic bend of the famed Mara River in the remote Lamai triangle in the northernmost Serengeti, this permanent tented camp is a modern take on the classic East African safari. Mindfully designed and decorated to cater for every modern need and whim, each tented suite is a sanctuary that is luxurious, functional, fresh – and fits seamlessly into its natural surrounds.

A custom-built solar system means no compromising any creature comforts, including electricity, WiFi, and laundry service. Camp life encourages continuous engagements with nature from gazing at the river from the plunge pool in the main camp to spa treatments in your tent as you listen to the sounds of the grasslands. Each classic tent is river facing complete with a game-viewing deck, inside and outside shower, and an outside bath overlooking the famed river. An elegant yet relaxed feet-up style perfectly defines the Singita brand.

Singita is recognized as one of Africa's most influential collectors of wine, including some of the continent's most sought-after private reserves, featuring Exclusive Release and Rare Auction Wines. Wine is a key ingredient of the unique Singita experience and that selection extends even to the banks of Mara River.







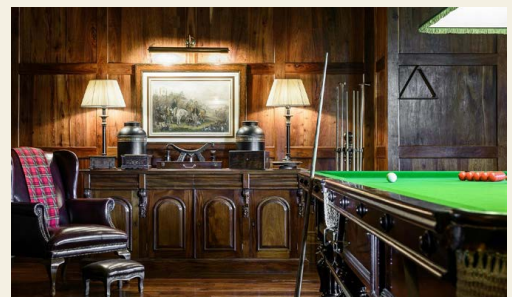
## Singita's Sasakwa Lodge

Night 9, 10, & 11

World's Leading Safari Lodge by the World Travel Awards 2020-2022

Among the most extraordinary accommodations ever built in East Africa, Sasakwa Lodge redefines African luxury. The manor house offers wide sweeping verandas leading to long elegant hallways and inviting sitting rooms faithful to the architecture and furnishings of the most splendid Edwardian-era homes exquisitely blended with an East African influence. Your individual cottage reflects this old-world charm, complete with four-poster beds and a cozy fireplace, but with modern touches like a Swarovski spotting scope, international phone, and your own heated plunge pool to look out on an ever-changing tapestry of grasslands and wildlife. Outdoor dining is pure delight, but, not to be outdone, world-class meals with perfect wine pairings are served in a spacious dining room with high ceilings, gold Edwardian wallpaper, dark wooden floors, Persian rugs, and a vast marble fireplace.

Singita's sustainable conservation model helps to balance tourism in all of the regions in which they operate. Their non-profit Funds & Trusts restores, enhances and protects the biodiversity of the ecosystems under their care.







## Along the Way...

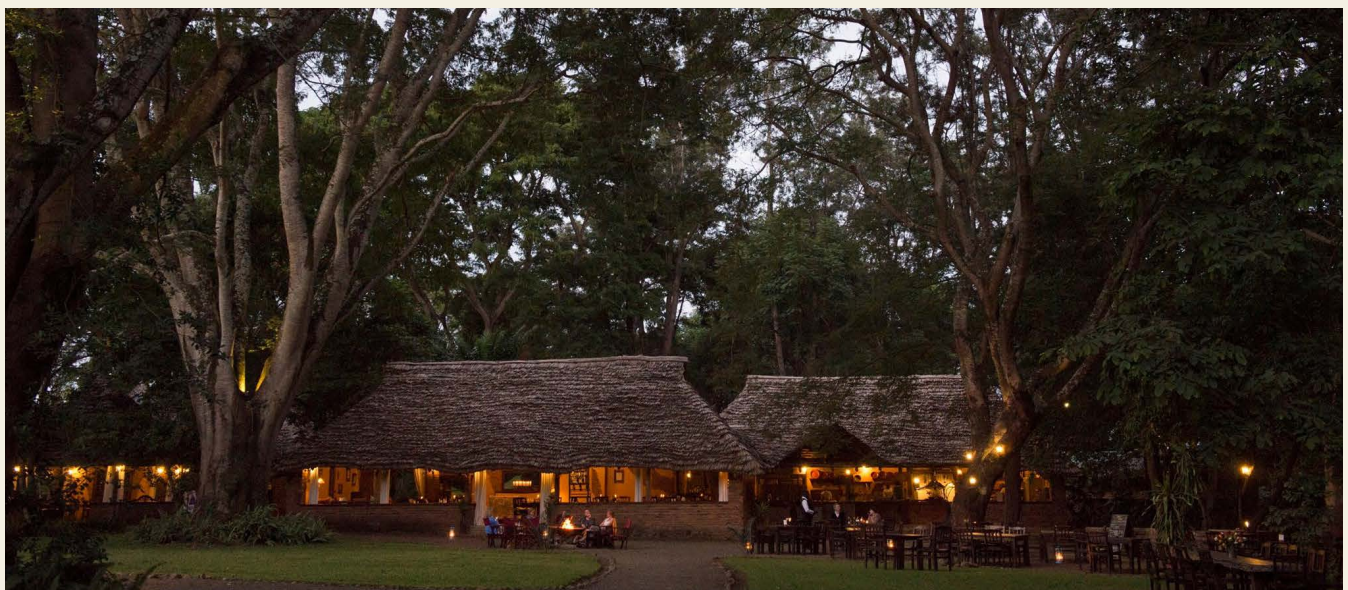
### Lunch at the Escarpment Luxury Lodge

Another stunning view awaits from atop the western wall of the eastern branch of Great Rift Valley looking out over Lake Manyara.



### Day Room at Rivertrees Country Inn

Following the flight back from Serengeti, we'll have the afternoon for lunching and resting at this former coffee estate on the banks of the Usa River. Outside your private room is a small veranda to enjoy the calm of this lush setting. Or stroll the grounds listening to the sounds of running water, birdsong, and the monkeys playing in the trees before having one last farewell sundowner and light supper.





## Expertise Before, During, & After

Beyond your host and senior guides, each member of our team brings decades of knowledge to make your safari extraordinary.



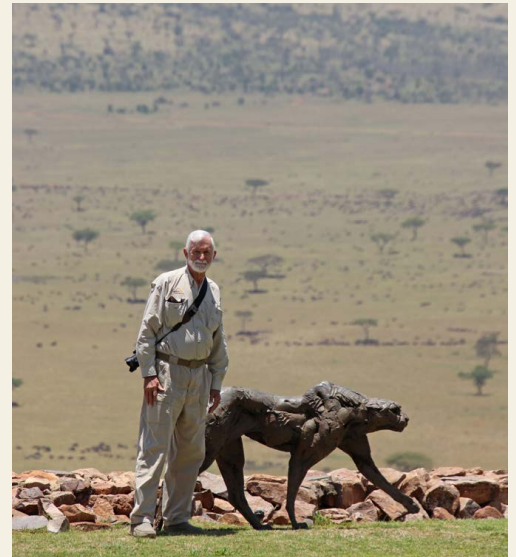
### Local Care with Luxe Travel Consultants

You'll be meeting locally in Naples with our friend Theresa Perez at Luxe Travel Consultants. We greatly enjoy working with Theresa and have partnered with her for all our safaris over the years. She will guide you through the process including arranging for optional early arrival days to enjoy golfing, horseback riding, or relaxing at The Safari House, as well as your walking safari in Arusha National Park.

### Decades of Experience with Safari Professionals

We've had the true pleasure of tailor-making our itinerary with Tom LaRock, the founder of Safari Professionals - or as his official title reads, Chief Exploration Officer. Tom created his first safari in 1983 and hasn't looked back since. His worldwide conservation travel experience allows him to make the difficult things easy.

Once you sign on to the safari, we will gather a few months prior to departure to talk through everything you'll want to know about traveling on safari. Afterwards, we'll relive memories at a reunion party!



### African Nature Photography and Safaris

A perfect 100% five-star rating on Tripadvisor says it all. Owned by safari expert Anglebert Pantaleo, this Tanzanian outfitter earns superlative after superlative with travelers and photographers alike. Anglebert will personally join us for a few days and will be in constant contact to ensure every element is attended to.





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## AT-A-GLANCE ITINERARY

DATE	DAY DESCRIPTION	ACCOMMODATION	DINING
6 October	Pre-Day Arrival	The Safari House	D
7 October	Pre-Day at Arusha National Park Safari Officially Starts This Evening	The Safari House	B - L - D
8 October	Fly to Tarangire National Park	Oliver's Camp	B - L - D
9 October	African Giants: Elephants & Baobabs	Oliver's Camp	B - L - D
10 October	<i>Africa People &amp; Wildlife</i> Project Visit	Oliver's Camp	B - L - D
11 October	Drive into the Ngorongoro Highlands	Ngorongoro Crater Lodge	B - L - D
12 October	Descent into the Crater: Rhinos!	Ngorongoro Crater Lodge	B - L - D
13 October	Flight to the Serengeti	Singita Mara River Camp	B - L - D
14 October	On the Banks of the Mara River	Singita Mara River Camp	B - L - D
15 October	The Private Serengeti	Singita's Sasawka Lodge	B - L - D
16 October	Game Drives and Walking Safari	Singita's Sasawka Lodge	B - L - D
17 October	Exploration and Luxury Choices	Singita's Sasawka Lodge	B - L - D
18 October	Morning Flight and Tanzanite Shopping Departure to Kilimanjaro Int'l Airport	Day Room: Rivertrees	B - L - D





# Experience it Yourself in October 2024

This unforgettable 12 days  
is available for six couples at  
\$33,995 per person.

If you're interested in joining  
this premier safari, call Theresa Perez  
at 239-777-0253 or email her at  
[theresa.perez@cruiseplanners.com](mailto:theresa.perez@cruiseplanners.com).



## Parks Summary

Arusha National Park (Pre-Day) | Tarangire National Park | Ngorongoro Crater and  
Conservation Area | Lamai Triangle, Serengeti National Park | Singita Grumeti Reserve

## Inclusions

- ✧ Four internal flights.
- ✧ One custom Safari Professionals 70-liter duffel bag per traveler.  
Transport for 1 soft sided luggage bag no more than 15 kg (33 lbs) and a backpack. Additional bags are not permitted on safari.
- ✧ VIP Welcome Service and VIP Departure Service at Kilimanjaro International Airport.
- ✧ Base tips & gratuities to the properties and driver guides.
- ✧ Full-board table d'hôte meals with some picnic lunches.
- ✧ All drinks, including alcohol, are included, apart from certain premium spirits and wines. Singita properties include all premium wines, spirits and liqueurs, and only exclude French Champagne.
- ✧ Unlimited soft drinks and beer is included in the safari vehicles. Drinking water throughout your safari.
- ✧ Laundry included at all properties.
- ✧ Pre-Trip Meet & Greet Plus Travel Tips and Post-Safari Reunion evening gathering at the Zoo.
- ✧ Park entrance fees. Government taxes and levies.
- ✧ Airport transfers with Driver/Guide. Flying Doctors – AMREF ( In-Country Evacuation Service )

**For best service from your airline, we encourage you to book directly with the airline.**

**Please note that international airfare, Tanzanian visa, and trip insurance are not included.**

**An early arrival day or two at The Safari House is highly recommended.**

Fares are per person, double occupancy, including taxes and are in U.S. Dollars. No single supplements are available. Reservations require a \$10,300 non-refundable deposit per person. Please note that final credit card payments require a surcharge. Fares and availability are subject to change. International airfare, taxes & fees are additional. Tour, itinerary and exclusive amenities are capacity-controlled, based on a minimum of 12 passengers traveling together and may be modified, withdrawn or canceled without prior notice. Other restrictions apply. Not responsible for errors or omissions in the printing of this document. Thanks for reading all this. Now let's go on safari!



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