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Maximum of  
28 Travelers

**LAND  
JOURNEY**

# Journey to Southern Africa

Luxury Safaris, Rovos Rail & Cape Town

## Inspiring Moments

- ▶ Stalk big game in their native habitat while on **safari in South Africa, Botswana and Zimbabwe.**
- ▶ Delight in the awe-inspiring power of **Victoria Falls.**
- ▶ Surround yourself in classic luxury aboard **Rovos Rail.**
- ▶ Walk in the footsteps of Nelson Mandela on **Robben Island.**
- ▶ Meet the young people involved in projects at a **Soweto youth center.**
- ▶ Immerse yourself in the easygoing lifestyle of **Cape Town**, South Africa's oldest city.
- ▶ Experience three **UNESCO World Heritage sites.**

## INCLUDED FEATURES

### Accommodations

(with baggage handling)

- **3 nights** in Cape Town, South Africa, at the Belmond Mount Nelson Hotel.
- **2 nights** in Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe, at The Victoria Falls Hotel.
- **3 nights** aboard the Rovos Rail.
- **1 night** in Johannesburg at 54 on Bath.
- **3 nights** in Thornybush Nature Reserve at the Waterside Lodge.

### Transfers

- All transfers in the Land Program: flights, train and deluxe motor coaches, plus baggage handling.

### Extensive Meal Program

- 12 breakfasts, 8 lunches and 7 dinners, including a Farewell Dinner; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner. All beverages are complimentary aboard Rovos Rail.

### Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

- Visit **3 countries** during this program.
- **Discovery excursions** highlight the local culture, heritage and history.
- Expert-led **Enrichment programs** enhance your insight into the region.
- **AHI Connects:** Local immersion.
- Free time to pursue your own interests.
- Welcome Reception to mingle with fellow travelers.
- Tipping of Cape Town and Soweto guides and drivers.

### Itinerary

- Day 1** Depart gateway city✈
- Day 2** In transit
- Day 3** Arrive in Cape Town
- Day 4** Cape Peninsula
- Day 5** Robben Island | Cape Town
- Day 6** Fly to Victoria Falls
- Day 7** Chobe Game Reserve
- Day 8** Victoria Falls | Board Rovos Rail
- Day 9** Hwange National Park | Rovos Rail
- Day 10** Rovos Rail
- Day 11** Disembark Rovos Rail | Pretoria | Johannesburg
- Day 12** Johannesburg | Fly to Hoedspruit | Thornybush Nature Reserve
- Day 13** Thornybush
- Day 14** Thornybush
- Day 15** Thornybush | Transfer to Hoedspruit | Depart for gateway city✈
- Day 16** Arrive in gateway city

✈ Transfers and flights included for AHI FlexAir participants.

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**Hwange National Park.** Go for a game drive at The Hide, a private concession in the park. More than 100 mammal and 400 bird species live here. Visit one of the most popular watering holes to see some of the local residents!

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**Chobe National Park.** Known for its elephant population, Chobe is ideal for spotting tusker herds. The Chobe River gives life to hundreds of animal, bird and reptile species that call the floodplains home. Explore the park during a full-day excursion, including a safari cruise.



Mandela House, Soweto

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**Rovos Rail**

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