



## Cruise Details

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| Name:                | Golden Trails of East Africa |
| Reference:           | AMAZQ250928ZG                |
| Operator:            | Ama Waterways                |
| Cruise Type:         | River                        |
| Cruise Rating:       | Luxury                       |
| Ship:                | Zambezi Queen                |
| Regions:             | Chobe                        |
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| Departs On:          | 28 Sep 25                    |
| Departs From:        | Johannesburg                 |
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| Arrives On:          | 14 Oct 25                    |
| Arrives At:          | Serengeti National Park      |
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| Cruise Nights:       | 16                           |
| Total Vacation Days: | 17                           |

## Itinerary

### Day 1: Johannesburg (South Africa)

ARRIVE IN JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA. After being greeted at the airport by an AmaWaterways Representative, transfer to Fairlawns Hotel.

Arrives On: 28 Sep 25

### Day 2: Johannesburg (South Africa)

JOHANNESBURG – KASANE, BOTSWANA – ZAMBEZI QUEEN – EMBARKATION. Fly to Kasane, Botswana where you'll be transferred to the Chobe River. Tender boats will take you to the Zambezi Queen moored on the Namibia side of the river. Settle into your stateroom and in the evening, enjoy a Welcome Cocktail Reception and Dinner. (B,D)

Arrives On: 29 Sep 25

#### Day 2: Kasane (Botswana)

Arrives On: 29 Sep 25

#### Day 3: Port information not found

ZAMBEZI QUEEN. Embark on an exhilarating morning boat safari. Return to the Zambezi Queen for lunch. Later in the day, enjoy another thrilling boat safari. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 30 Sep 25

#### Day 4: Chobe National Park (Botswana)

ZAMBEZI QUEEN. Join a full-day safari of Chobe National Park in open-top 4x4 vehicles. For lunch, take a seat under the trees and savor a delicious picnic. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 01 Oct 25

#### Day 5: Port information not found

ZAMBEZI QUEEN. Visit a typical African village spending time with the village children as well as its elders followed by lunch on board. During the afternoon, you can go on a boat safari, bird watch or fish, and then cap the day off with a festive African-themed dinner. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 02 Oct 25

#### Day 6: Kasane (Botswana)

ZAMBEZI QUEEN – DISEMBARKATION. Disembark your cruise in Kasane. (B)

Arrives On: 03 Oct 25

#### Day 6: Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe)

Arrives On: 03 Oct 25

#### Day 7: Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe)

VICTORIA FALLS. A local guide will take you on a tour of the awe-inspiring Victoria Falls. You'll learn about its history, and the flora and fauna that make this area so unique. In the evening, embark on a private sunset cruise along the Zambezi River. Relax on board as you observe a variety of game while enjoying a delicious mix of tapas with drinks, followed by a special dinner with live local entertainment at the hotel. (B,D)

Arrives On: 04 Oct 25

#### Day 8: Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe)

VICTORIA FALLS – JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA. After breakfast, you'll be taken to the airport for your flight to Johannesburg. Transfer to the Fairlawns Boutique Hotel with its parklike setting and wonderful Spa. (B)

Arrives On: 05 Oct 25

#### Day 9: Johannesburg (South Africa)

JOHANNESBURG. Take a fascinating tour of Johannesburg and Soweto. Walk in the footsteps of Nelson Mandela, visiting the Mandela House, followed by a township lunch. In the evening, enjoy a multi-course dinner. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 06 Oct 25

#### Day 10: Johannesburg (South Africa)

JOHANNESBURG – KILIMANJARO, TANZANIA – ARUSHA, TANZANIA. Fly to Kilimanjaro where you will be met by an AmaWaterways Representative and transferred to the Arusha Coffee Lodge. (B,D)

Arrives On: 07 Oct 25

#### Day 11: Arusha (Tanzania)

ARUSHA – TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK. Journey to Tarangire National Park, where you'll go on an adventurous safari before checking into Treetops Lodge. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 08 Oct 25

#### Day 11: Tarangire National Park (Tanzania)

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#### Day 12: Tarangire National Park (Tanzania)

TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA. Experience the wonders of Tarangire with a full day of activities, including a morning bushwalk, an afternoon safari and a sunset drive. This is home to the highest number of breeding bird species in the world along with thousands of elephants, huge herds of buffalo, stately fringe-eared oryx and the towering kudu. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 09 Oct 25

#### Day 13: Tarangire National Park (Tanzania)

TARANGIRE - NGORONGORO, TANZANIA. Visit a local village before enjoying a game drive through Manyara National Park, home to tree-climbing lions, giraffes, cheetahs, monkeys, impalas and baboons. Be treated to a picnic en route to The Manor at Ngorongoro. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 10 Oct 25

#### Day 13: Lake Manyara (Tanzania)

Arrives On: 10 Oct 25

#### Day 13: Ngorongoro Conservation Area (Tanzania)

Arrives On: 10 Oct 25

#### Day 14: Ngorongoro Conservation Area (Tanzania)

NGORONGORO CRATER, TANZANIA. Go on a full-day exploration to the awe-inspiring Ngorongoro Crater. Once a gigantic volcano, it's the world's largest intact caldera offering a unique environment virtually unchanged since the dawn of time. The nearly three million years old caldera shelters one of the most beautiful wildlife havens on earth. Deep within the crater, some 25,000 large mammals wander the plains, lakes and forests. A picnic will be served on the crater floor, followed by further exploration before heading back to The Manor. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 11 Oct 25

#### Day 15: Ngorongoro Conservation Area (Tanzania)

NGORONGORO - SERENGETI, TANZANIA. Fly to the Serengeti and in the afternoon, go on a game drive to see the "Big Five." (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 12 Oct 25

#### Day 15: Serengeti National Park (Tanzania)

Arrives On: 12 Oct 25

#### Day 16: Serengeti National Park (Tanzania)

SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK, TANZANIA. Explore the vast Serengeti via an open safari cruiser during the morning and after lunch. It is not possible to say with any accuracy where the Great Migration of the Wildebeest will be located at any one time. There are several determining factors; however, one can be assured that if there is a good chance of seeing it, then this can be accomplished from the Pioneer Camp or Migration Camp. (B,L,D)

Arrives On: 13 Oct 25

Day 17: Serengeti National Park (Tanzania)

SERENGETI - ARUSHA, TANZANIA. Take your final safari drive in the morning, and then transfer to the airstrip for your flight back to Arusha. Lunch will be served in the gardens of the lodge before your final transfer to Kilimanjaro International Airport or extend your journey with four nights in magical Rwanda. (B,L)  
**Note:** Please do not schedule your onward flight until after 6:00 p.m.

Arrives On: 14 Oct 25

Day 17: Arusha (Tanzania)

Arrives On: 14 Oct 25

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