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Day(s)	Place(s)	Activity(ies)	Hotel/Accommodation
Day 1	Arrival day at Dar es Salaam Int. Airport	Pick up from airport to Dar city for overnight	Kunduchi beach hotel (BB)
Day 2	Domestic flight from Dar to Kigoma (about 3 hours)	Reception at Kigoma, Familiarization and lunch in Kigoma town thereafter boat ride to Mahale Mountains National Park (about 150kms)	Park Rest House (FB)
Day 3	Mahale Mountains National Park	Chimpanzee trekking (go direct to search and watch human closest relatives in their natural habitats)	Park Rest House (FB)
Day 4	Mahale Mountains National Park	Full day safari; chimpanzee trekking, forest walks and water sports, boat rides, sport fishing, swimming and/or snorkeling (optional)	Park Rest House at Mahale N.P (FB)
Day 5	Flight from Mahale to Katavi National Park (about 1 hour)	This is your transfer day to Katavi, In the morning after breakfast, we will leave the chimpanzee trekking zone taking a boat cruise to the airstrip (some 30kms boat ride enjoying scenery and watching hippos or crocodiles or birds en route)	Park bandas at Katavi Park Hq (FB)
Day 6	Katavi National Park	Game drive safari to the hidden treasures of the wild Katavi (the legendary lake Katavi, the Katabi spirits, Wamwelu hills, water falls, explore abundance of different wildlife in their un disturbed natural habitats)	Park bandas at Katavi Park Hq (FB & packed lunch)
Day 7	Katavi National Park	Full day game drive to the most beautiful places in Katavi, to explore large number of game, avian species, reptiles; herbivore – carnivore interactions , hippo schools, crocodile hidings and much more expeditions including short walk and picnicking inside the park!	Park bandas at Katavi Park Hq (FB & packed lunch)

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Day 8	Flight from Katavi to Zanzibar	This day is your transfer to Zanzibar leaving Katavi around 11:00HRS travelling across the mainland Tanzania towards the coast with magnificent scenery viewing en route	Bububu Private Lodge (Southern sector near the Prison island)
Day 9	Zanzibar Island	Arrangements will be made for activities in Zanzibar including spice tour, stone town tour, and prison island tour, also beach safaris at your convenience!	Bububu Private Lodge (Southern sector near the Prison island)
Day 10	Zanzibar Island	Arrangements will be made for activities in Zanzibar including spice tour, stone town tour, prison island tour and beach safaris at your convenience	Bububu Private Lodge (Southern sector near the Prison island)
Day 11	International flight	This is your travel day, in this day we leave Zanzibar early in the morning by boat to catch up your international flight back home	Dar es Salaam International Airport

TOTAL PRICE

USD 5,346\$ per person

Includes:

- Shared charter flight Mahale – Katavi – Zanzibar plus airport transfers
- Domestic flight from Dar es Salaam to Kigoma
- Accommodations in Mahale, Katavi and Zanzibar with meals mentioned
- Private speed boat and knowledgeable chimpanzee trekking guide
- Private 4x4 custom built open roof safari car
- Entrance fees to Mahale and Katavi National Parks
- Game driving safari and chimp treks mentioned in the plan
- Boat fares Zanzibar to Dar

Excludes:

- International flights, visa for Tanzania
- Insurances
- Beverages
- Tips and personal expenses such as laundry and communication
- Excursion costs for the trips in Zanzibar

LIST OF POTENTIAL PARKS THAT WE WILL TAKE OUR CUSTOMERS IN WESTERN TANZANIA

1. KATAVI NATIONAL PARK- EAST OF LAKE TANGANYIKA

Katavi is the third largest park in Tanzania. Katavi National Park remains one of the greatest wildlife experiences of Africa. Miles from anywhere, it has an almost mythical status and, it's thought, a greater density of mammals than any other Tanzanian reserve. Massed on the plains are the last great herds of buffalo in East Africa, up to 1000 head. Rivers groan with hippopotamus, and crocodile. Almost everywhere you look there's something grazing, bellowing, fighting, mating, hunting. Days on the hoof in Katavi can be wild beyond belief

This is the place for the wildlife connoisseur, and the traveler who thinks the African bush can offer up no more surprises. Happily indulged, watching the elephants head out to water as dusk falls, you feel like one of the last great pioneers; binoculars in your hand, Africa filling your head. If you have time and resources Katavi is the ultimate off the beaten track safari destination

Activities:

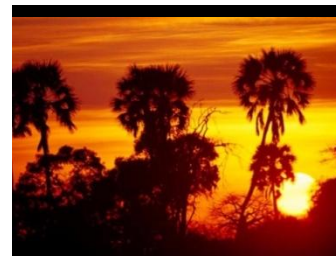
Walking safaris, game drives and camping safaris, (wilderness fly camping)



Safari car @ Katavi N.P



Big male Lion pix recently taken by the M.D



Sunset at Katavi N.P



Group of buffaloes at katavi plains



Group of Elephants (Loxodonta africana) @ Katavi N.P



Park bandas at Katavi N.P

2. MAHALE MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK - ON THE SHORES OF LAKE TANGANYIKA SOUTH OF KIGOMA TOWN

Famous for containing some of the last remaining wild chimpanzees in Africa, accessible only by boat or by air, Mahale Mountains National Park is known to be among the most remote and beautiful parks on the African continent. With dots of isolated, golden sandy beaches framed by jungle-covered peaks, Mahale covers 1613 square kilometres of rugged terrain along the eastern shores of Lake Tanganyika.

Mahale is home to a population of approximately 800 chimpanzees. Successive teams of Japanese researchers have quietly conducted some of the most important scientific work on these primates from as early as 1961, habituating what is known as the 'M' group, thus allowing for excellent encounters with this group of about 60 individuals.

Although the chimpanzees are the main attraction, and among some of the most studied primates in Africa, the rest of the region's natural environment has remained relatively hidden from the outside world. The park protects at least 50 other mammalian species, many of which are primates but also leopard and different types of antelope.

The warm, clear blue waters of Lake Tanganyika, the world's longest and second-deepest lake, contains over 250 cichlid species found nowhere else on earth, as well as numerous fish species, many of which can be viewed by snorkeling in the shallow waters.

Activities:

Chimps trekking, Hiking, Fly camping safaris, cultural tours, glass bottomed boat rides, snorkeling, scuba diving and sport fishing



Snorkeling @ Lake Tanganyika waters



Speed boat @ Mahale N.P



Mr. Nicholas, director/tour leader

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Chimps trekking in Mahale mts. N.P



Tourists @ Lake shore after chimp trek in the mts.



Tourists disembarking @ Mahale Mts. N.P