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WELCOME

A letter before you begin

Africa is not one trip. It is a leopard draped in a sausage tree at dusk, a mokoro gliding through lily beds, red dunes going gold at first light, and the sound of a camp waking before the sun. For nearly twenty years we have built these journeys one guest at a time, from our desk in Cape Town.

This collection is a starting point, not a catalogue. Every page here can be shortened, lengthened, softened or pushed further. We work only in private, tailor-made trips — your dates, your pace, your people — with honest pricing and a real team a message away while you travel.

Read on, mark the pages that move you, and send them to us. The rest is our job.

Remondy & the Beyond Africa Safaris team

CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

HOW WE TRAVEL

Four things we hold to

Private by default

No fixed groups and no shared vehicles. You travel with your own guide and set the rhythm of each day.

Built around you

We design from a blank page against your dates, budget and interests — not from a fixed departure sheet.

Lodges we know

We have slept in the camps we book. We match the room, the guiding and the mood to who is travelling.

One point of contact

The person who plans your trip is the person who answers while you are away. Door to door, start to finish.

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ORIENTATION

The continent at a glance

A short map of where our guests go, and what each corner does best. None of it is fixed — most trips stitch two or three together.

Southern Africa

South Africa, Botswana, Namibia, Zimbabwe, Zambia and Mozambique. The Big Five, the Okavango, red dunes, the Zambezi and a warm coast to finish on. Strong road and flight links make combinations easy.

East Africa

Kenya and Tanzania for the open plains and the migration; the Ngorongoro Crater for density; the islands of Zanzibar for after. Big skies and bigger herds.

The primates

Rwanda and Uganda for mountain gorillas and chimpanzees, on permits we arrange well ahead. Short treks or long ones, matched to your fitness.

Islands & the unusual

Madagascar's lemurs and baobabs, the reefs of Bazaruto, and quiet beach days wherever a safari needs a soft landing.

TIMING

When to travel

There is no single best time — only the best time for what you want to see. A rough guide across the regions we cover:

Jan – Mar	Green season; southern Serengeti calving; fewer guests, lower rates; good for birds and newborns.
Apr – May	Shoulder months; Victoria Falls in full flow; landscapes lush and light clean after the rains.
Jun – Aug	Dry and cool; prime game across the south and the Delta at high water; book early.
Sep – Oct	Driest months; concentrated game at waterholes; Mara river crossings; peak conditions.
Nov – Dec	First rains arrive; dramatic skies; green returns; festive-season camps fill quickly.



SOUTH AFRICA

Cape Town, Kruger & the Winelands

One country, three different holidays stitched into a single trip. Start in Cape Town under Table Mountain, drive out to the Stellenbosch and Franschhoek wine estates for long lunches, then fly north to the Kruger and the private Sabi Sand reserves for morning and evening game drives. Big Five country, malaria-conscious options, and lodges that run from honest family camps to suites with a private plunge pool.

- Best months: May to October for game viewing
- Fly Cape Town to the bush in under three hours
- Signature trip: 8 days from $3,200 per person



BOTSWANA

The Okavango Delta

A river that never reaches the sea, spilling across the Kalahari into channels, islands and floodplains. You track elephant and lion by 4x4, then slip into a mokoro and let a poler push you past reed frogs and lily beds at eye level. Botswana keeps guest numbers low and camps small, so the sightings feel like your own. Pair the Delta with the Chobe elephant herds or the salt pans of Makgadikgadi.

- Peak water: June to September
- Small camps, often six to twelve tents
- Delta & Victoria Falls: 7 days from $6,000 per person



KENYA

The Masai Mara

Rolling grassland that holds big cats all year and fills with wildebeest from roughly July to October, when the herds cross the Mara River. Dawn balloon flights drift over the plains before a bush breakfast on the grass. Spend time with Maasai guides who grew up here, and add a night or two in Amboseli with Kilimanjaro behind the elephants.

- River crossings: July to October
- Resident lion, cheetah and leopard year-round
- Great Migration Explorer: 9 days from $7,500 per person



TANZANIA

The Serengeti & Ngorongoro

Nearly 15,000 square kilometres of plains, kopjes and acacia woodland that carry the migration through its full year — calving on the southern short-grass from January to March, then the long push north. Drop into the Ngorongoro Crater for a dense day of big game, and combine with Tarangire's baobabs and elephant breeding herds.

- Calving season: January to March in the south
- Ngorongoro Crater holds Big Five in one caldera
- Lodges from classic tented camps to private villas



NAMIBIA

Sossusvlei & Etosha

Space, silence and some of the oldest dunes on earth. Climb the red sand at Sossusvlei before the heat, walk the cracked white floor of Deadvlei among 900-year-old camel-thorn trees, then head north to Etosha, where game gathers at floodlit waterholes through the dry months. A self-drive here is genuinely rewarding, or we guide you the whole way.

- Dry-season game: June to October at Etosha
- Dunes best at first light for colour and shade
- Sossusvlei & Etosha: 10 days from $3,300 per person

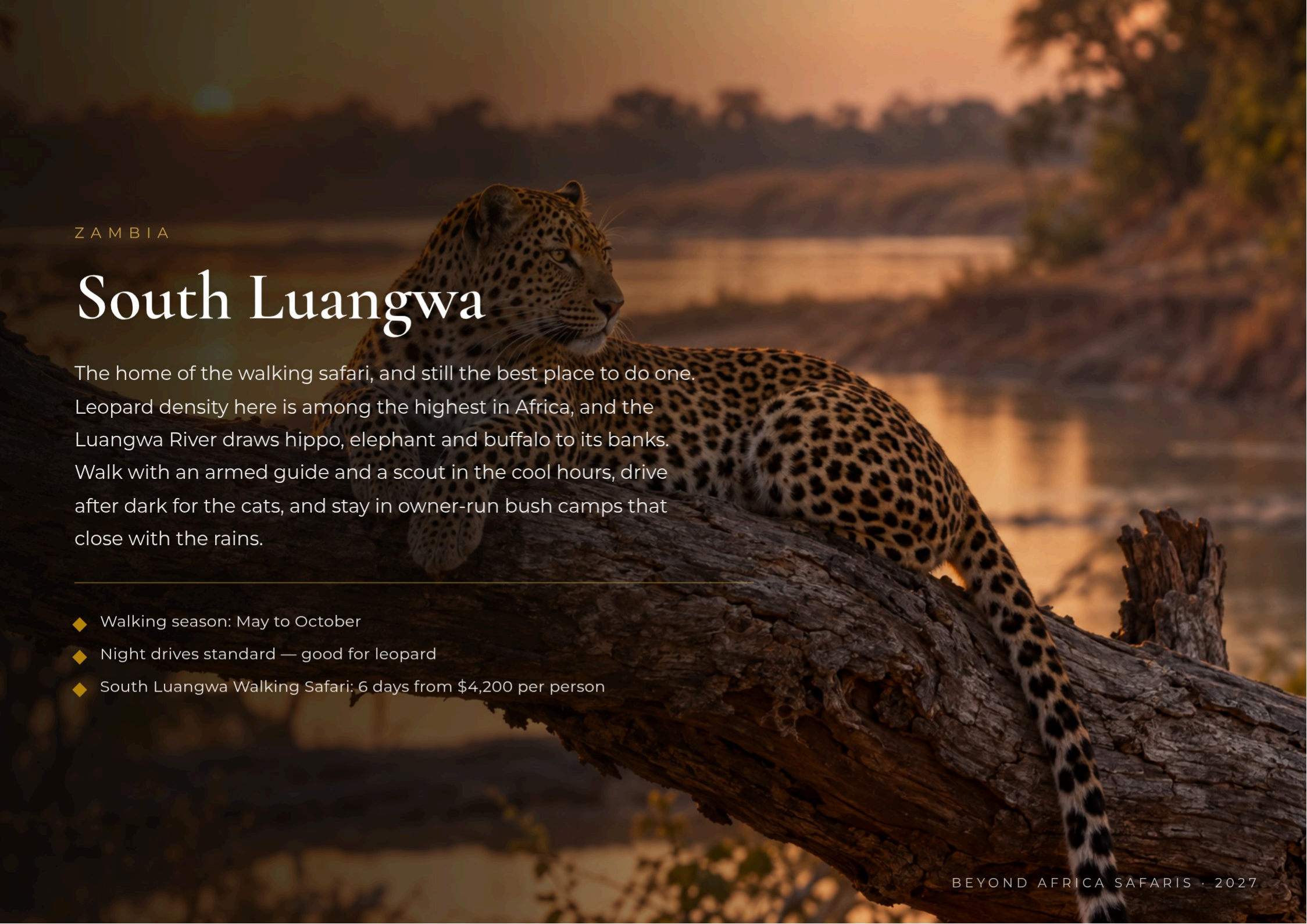


ZIMBABWE & ZAMBIA

Victoria Falls

The Zambezi drops more than 100 metres along a 1.7-kilometre front, and in full flow the spray rises high enough to see from the air. Walk the rainforest paths on the Zimbabwe side, sundowner-cruise above the falls, and for the brave, swim to the lip at Devil's Pool from the Zambian bank in the low-water months. An easy, high-impact add-on to any Botswana or Zambia trip.

- Fullest flow: February to May
- Devil's Pool: roughly August to December
- Two nights is enough; three if you want the activities



ZAMBIA

South Luangwa

The home of the walking safari, and still the best place to do one. Leopard density here is among the highest in Africa, and the Luangwa River draws hippo, elephant and buffalo to its banks. Walk with an armed guide and a scout in the cool hours, drive after dark for the cats, and stay in owner-run bush camps that close with the rains.

- Walking season: May to October
- Night drives standard — good for leopard
- South Luangwa Walking Safari: 6 days from $4,200 per person



MOZAMBIQUE

Bazaruto & the Indian Ocean

Where the safari ends and the sea begins. The Bazaruto Archipelago sits off the Mozambique coast with warm water, dhow sails and reefs that still hold dugong. Fly in from Johannesburg or Kruger, swap the 4x4 for a snorkel, and let the last few days of a trip slow right down. Bush and beach is the pairing most guests remember most fondly.

- Best weather: April to October
- Diving, snorkelling, fly-fishing and sailing
- Bush & Beach Ultimate: 10 days from $8,000 per person



RWANDA & UGANDA

Mountain Gorillas

An hour with a gorilla family, arranged in advance and strictly limited, is as close as wildlife travel gets to the primates themselves. Rwanda's Volcanoes National Park is the smooth, short-transfer option; Uganda's Bwindi costs less and adds chimpanzees and Queen Elizabeth's tree-climbing lions. We handle permits, fitness advice and the right lodge for the trek ahead.

- Trekking year-round; drier June to September
- Permits limited — book early
- Gorillas & Golden Monkeys: 6 days from $6,500 per person



MADAGASCAR

Madagascar

An island that went its own way. Nine in ten of its plants and animals live nowhere else — lemurs, chameleons and the baobabs that line the famous avenue near Morondava at sunset. Travel is slower here and the reward is rarity. Good paired with a few beach days on Nosy Be once the parks are behind you.

- Best overall: April to November
- Lemurs across Andasibe, Ranomafana and Kirindy
- Tailor-made itineraries on request

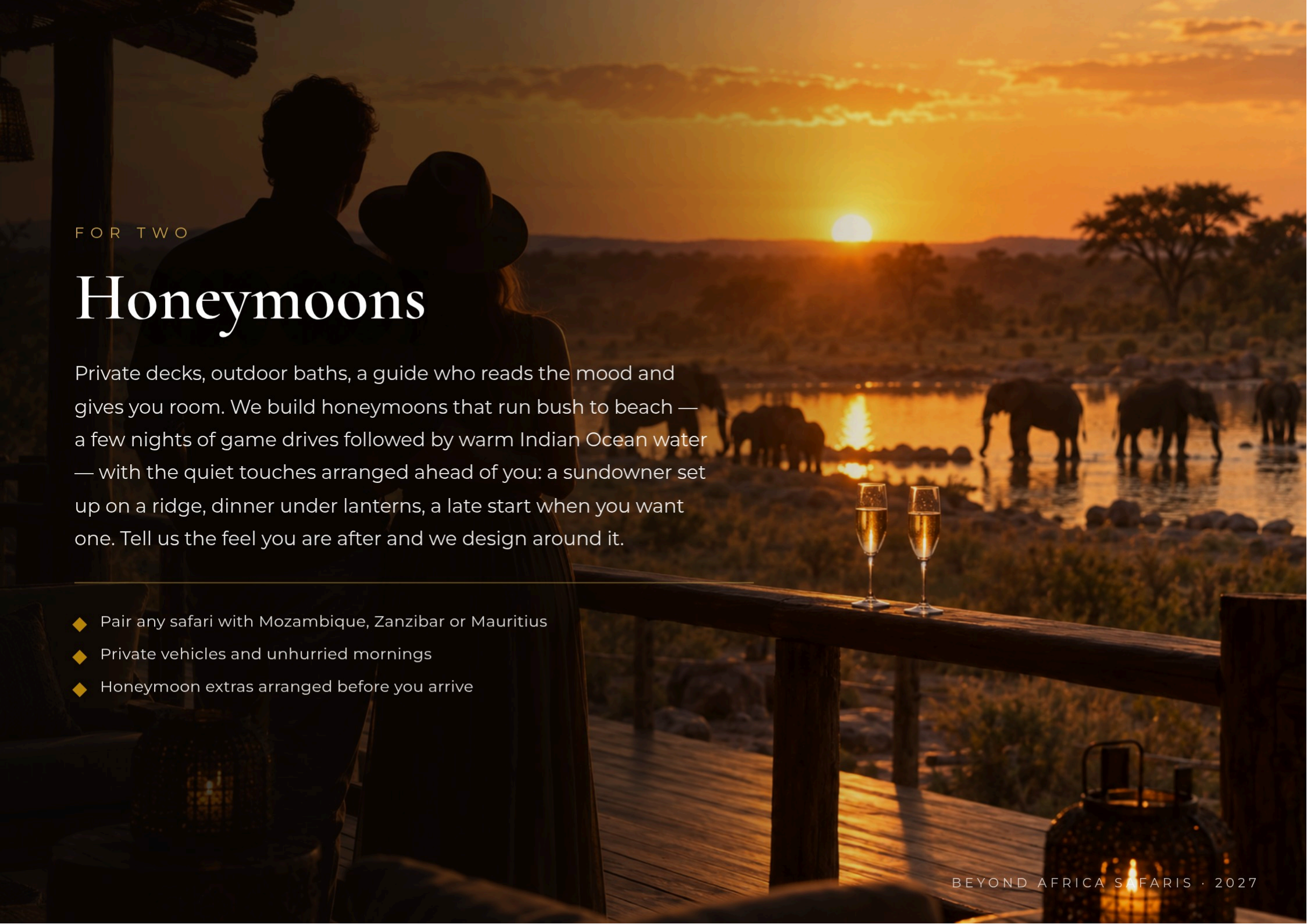


KENYA & TANZANIA

The Great Migration

Close to two million wildebeest and zebra moving in a slow clockwise loop through the Serengeti and Mara, following the rain and the grass. There is something worth seeing every month — calving in the south early in the year, dramatic river crossings in the north from July — and we position you where the herds actually are, not where the brochure printed last season.

- Calving: January to March, southern Serengeti
- River crossings: July to October, northern Serengeti & Mara
- We time camps to the herds' real position

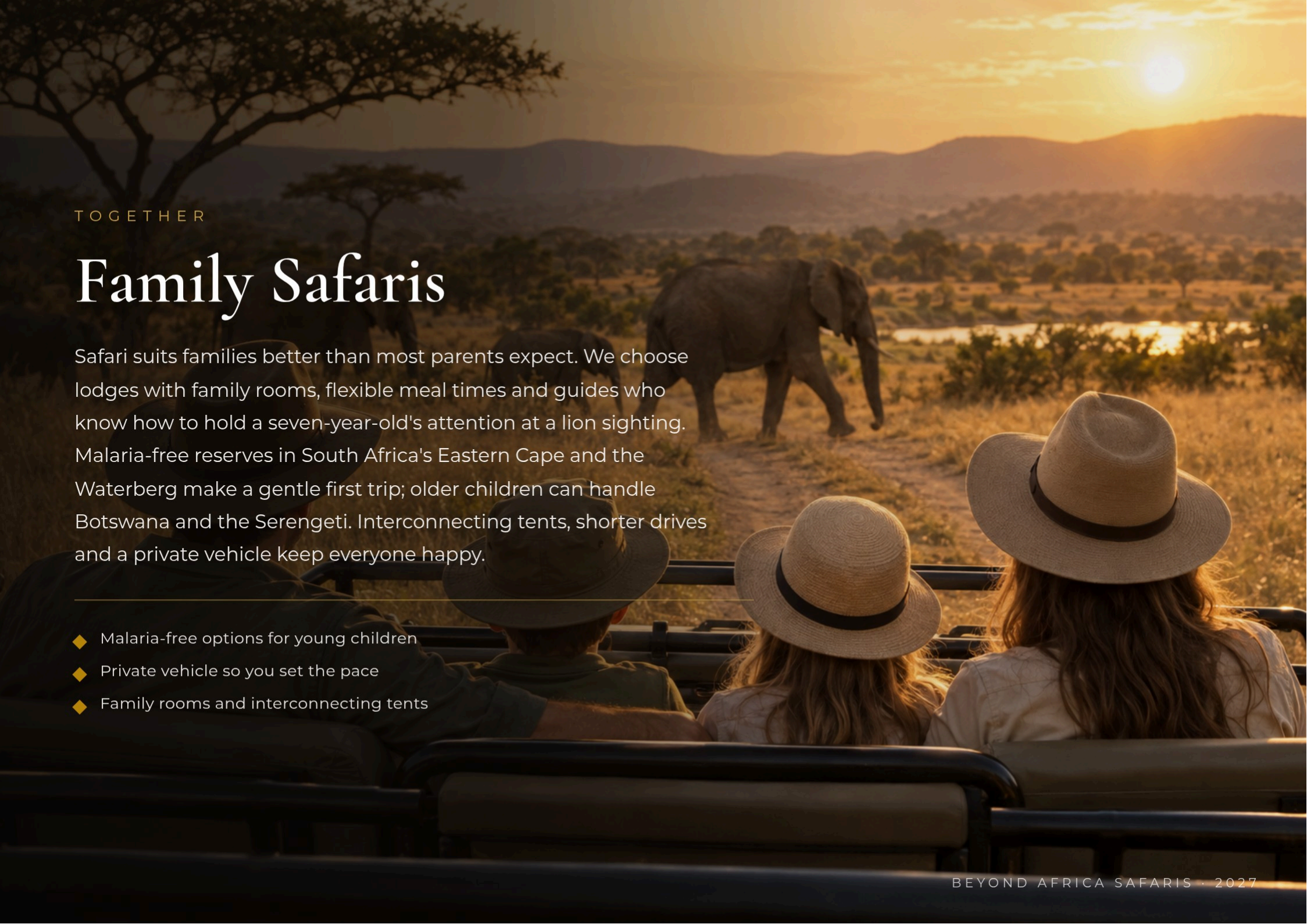


FOR TWO

Honeymoons

Private decks, outdoor baths, a guide who reads the mood and gives you room. We build honeymoons that run bush to beach — a few nights of game drives followed by warm Indian Ocean water — with the quiet touches arranged ahead of you: a sundowner set up on a ridge, dinner under lanterns, a late start when you want one. Tell us the feel you are after and we design around it.

- Pair any safari with Mozambique, Zanzibar or Mauritius
- Private vehicles and unhurried mornings
- Honeymoon extras arranged before you arrive



TOGETHER

Family Safaris

Safari suits families better than most parents expect. We choose lodges with family rooms, flexible meal times and guides who know how to hold a seven-year-old's attention at a lion sighting. Malaria-free reserves in South Africa's Eastern Cape and the Waterberg make a gentle first trip; older children can handle Botswana and the Serengeti. Interconnecting tents, shorter drives and a private vehicle keep everyone happy.

- Malaria-free options for young children
- Private vehicle so you set the pace
- Family rooms and interconnecting tents

RHYTHM

A day on safari

Camps differ, but the shape of a safari day holds across the continent. Yours bends to you — a later start, a packed lunch, a full day out if the sighting is worth it.

05:30	A soft knock, coffee and rusks by the fire while the camp wakes in the dark.
06:00	Out on the morning drive as the light comes up and the cats are still moving.
09:30	Breakfast in the bush, or back at camp on the deck above a waterhole.
Midday	The warm, slow hours — a long lunch, a swim, a sleep, or time with a book.
16:00	High tea, then the afternoon drive into the best light of the day.
18:30	Sundowners on a ridge, then a night drive back for the after-dark hunters.
20:00	Dinner under the stars, the day retold around the fire before an early bed.

THE COLLECTION

Signature journeys & price guide

Eight starting points, each one a real trip we run. Prices are per person sharing, a guide to the standard we plan to; the final figure follows your dates, lodges and group size.

Cape, Kruger & the Winelands	8 days · South Africa	from $3,200 pp
Sossusvlei & Etosha Self-Drive	10 days · Namibia	from $3,300 pp
South Luangwa Walking Safari	6 days · Zambia	from $4,200 pp
Uganda Primate Adventure	7 days · Uganda	from $5,400 pp
Okavango Delta & Victoria Falls	7 days · Botswana & Zimbabwe	from $6,000 pp
Gorillas & Golden Monkeys	6 days · Rwanda	from $6,500 pp
Great Migration Explorer	9 days · Kenya & Tanzania	from $7,500 pp
Bush & Beach Ultimate	10 days · Kruger & Mozambique	from $8,000 pp

All figures in US dollars, per person sharing, as a planning guide for 2027. Final pricing is confirmed in writing once lodges and flights are held.

THE PROCESS

How a private journey works

01 · Listen

We start with a conversation — your dates, your pace, who is travelling and what would make the trip yours.

02 · Design

We build a tailor-made itinerary with hand-picked lodges, sensible routing and honest pricing, and refine it until it fits.

03 · Confirm

We hold every lodge, flight and transfer, then send a clear day-by-day plan with all your documents in one place.

04 · Travel

You travel with private guides and a team one message away, from the first pickup to the last farewell.

INCLUDED

What every journey includes

What sits inside a Beyond Africa journey as standard. Anything else — a private chef, a photographic guide, a helicopter transfer — we add on request.

- Private guiding and vehicles throughout
- All park fees, transfers and internal flights as planned
- Door-to-door planning with one point of contact
- Hand-picked lodges and camps, matched to you
- Round-the-clock support from our Cape Town team while you travel
- No fixed groups and no rushed schedules

WHERE YOU STAY

Lodges & camps we know

We book across three broad tiers and mix them within a single trip — a classic bush camp one night, a private villa the next. Rates are indicative per person sharing, full board.

Classic

from $350 pp / night

Honest, well-run camps and family-owned lodges. Great guiding, comfortable rooms, strong value.

Premium

from $650 pp / night

Design-led lodges with pools, larger suites and a wider table. The sweet spot for most guests.

Exclusive

$1,200+ pp / night

Private villas, private guides and sole-use camps where the only schedule is yours.

WHY US

Why Beyond Africa Safaris

We are a small Cape Town team that plans the whole continent and answers the phone ourselves. No call centre, no fixed departures, no middle layer between you and the person who knows your trip.

2008	10+	100%	24/7
Planning African journeys since	Safari countries across the continent	Private, tailor-made itineraries	Support from Cape Town while you travel

PEACE OF MIND

Book with confidence

Clear, written pricing

You see what each part costs before you commit. No hidden extras bolted on later.

Held, then confirmed

We secure lodges and flights, then send one clear plan with every document in it.

A real person on call

The planner who built your trip answers while you travel — by phone or WhatsApp.

Flexible to change

Plans shift. We adjust routing, lodges and timing with you as things move.

NEXT STEP

How to begin

Tell us roughly when you want to go, how long you have and what you hope to see. A rough idea is plenty — we take it from there and come back with a plan and a price.

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