



ITINERARY 8

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9 DAYS and 8 NIGHTS

DAY	SCHEDULE Arusha - Tarangire - Manyara - Serengeti - Ngorongoro - Natron	STANDARD LODGES		LUXURY LODGES	
		Option 1	Option 2	Option 1	Option 2
1 Arrival	You'll be welcomed at the airport by our driver and guide, who will both be with you for the entire holiday. Transfer to the lodge in Arusha, just one hour away from the airport by car. An excursion may be scheduled in the afternoon only if arrival is in the morning, otherwise no activities are on schedule in the afternoon / evening, in view of the following, busy days.	Ilboru safari lodge	Arusha planet lodge Oppure Gold crest	Mount Meru Hotel	
2 Arusha	After breakfast, departure for the Arusha National Park. As well as the traditional photo safari in a 4-wheel-drive, a walking photo safari is highly recommended. Several paths lead to the foot of Mount Meru, and one of these reaches the brim of the Ngurdoto crater, which offers absolutely breathtaking views. A packed lunch will be available at noon. Once the photo safari is over, back to the lodge where dinner will be served. No other activities are scheduled for the day.	Ilboru safari lodge	Arusha planet lodge Oppure Gold crest	Mount Meru Hotel	
3 Tarangire	After breakfast, departure for the Tarangire National Park which, despite being close to other more popular parks, has a concentration of animals second only to that of the Serengeti, as well as the highest density of elephants in the world. In the park, there are many different species of birds and the typical savannah environment with acacia trees, baobabs and the deadliest hunters on earth, the top predators, among which about 700 lions. A packed lunch will be available at noon. Once the photo safari is over, you'll return to the lodge where dinner will be served. No other activities are scheduled for the day.	Burudika lodge	Lake Manyara Wildlife camp	Manyara Serena lodge	Kilimamoja lodge
4 Manyara	After breakfast, departure for Lake Manyara National Park, in a thin strip of land 50 km long and 8 km wide, where it is easy to spot elephants, colonies of baboons, wilderbeests, giraffes, hyppos, lions, cheetas and the climbing lions, so called because they are adept at climbing up tree branches. Birdwatching is a very common practice in the park, thanks to the presence of so many types of birds, among which many pink flamingoes, herons and pelicans along the lake shore. A lunch box will be available at noon. Dinner will be served back at the lodge. No other activities are scheduled for the day.	Kudu lodge oppure Elieen's tree	Boungavillea safari lodge oppure Marera lodge	Kitela lodge	Tloma lodge
5-6 Serengeti	After breakfast, departure for the photo safari in the Serengeti National Park. Through the lens of a camera, you'll go on a shooting spree, beyond your imagination:	Osupuko tentend camp	Serengeti Heritage tentend camp	Katikati Tentend camp	Kubukubu tentend camp Oppure Serengeti

	wilderbeests, zebras, lions, bisons, leopards, hypos and elephants in the endless expanses in one of the most spectacular places on earth. A packed lunch will be available at noon, whereas dinner will be served once back at the lodge, at sunset. No other activities are scheduled for the day.				Serena Lodge
7 Ngorongoro	After breakfast, early in the morning, departure for the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. From the caldera of the dormant volcano, you'll go down the crater to enjoy the beauty of its unique flora and fauna, almost coming into contact with the animals. A packed lunch will be available at noon. In the afternoon, before the park closes, you'll return to the lodge where dinner will be served in the evening. No other activities are scheduled for the day.	Kudu lodge oppure Elieen's tree	Bougavillea safari lodge oppure Marera lodge	Kitela lodge	Tloma lodge
8 Natron	After breakfast, departure for lake Natron, a secluded place where, during the mating period, more than 3 million flamingoes gather. What you can see is an extraordinary natural spectacle, a pink ocean amazing to the point that you will hardly believe your eyes. A packed lunch will be available at noon, whereas dinner will be served once back at the lodge. No other activities are scheduled for the day.	Burudika Manyara lodge	Manyara wildlife camp	Manyara Serena Hotel	Kilimammoja hotel
9 Departure	After breakfast, transfer to the airport if your flight is scheduled for the morning or the early afternoon. If your flight is scheduled late in the afternoon or in the evening, you'll have the whole morning available for a visit to the city and the transfer to the airport will be in the afternoon, after lunch.				

This package includes:

- Exclusive use of a 4-wheel-drive off-road vehicle equipped for the photo safari tours. Snacks, water, coffee and wi-fi are available;
- Full board, drinks excluded. Lunch boxes will be available when lunch is not at the lodge;
- Entrance fees to the parks and protected areas;
- All the aforementioned excursions and activities;
- Guide speaking Italian and/or English;
- Transfer to and from the Kilimanjaro and the Arusha airports;
- Insurance policy with air transport in case of injury. See relevant section for further information.

This package DOES NOT include:

- Local and international flights, but we will provide assistance in finding the best flights;
- Entrance visa (UE citizens will have to pay an additional sum of \$50 upon arrival at the airport);
- Gratuities (tipping is customary);
- Everything not included under "This package includes".