

# ACACIA HOLIDAYS



Safari Excellence - Great Value



Kenya   Tanzania   Botswana   Egypt   Ethiopia   Rwanda  
Namibia   South Africa   Uganda   Zambia   ...and more.



# Welcome to Africa, Our Home!

When we say 'welcome to Africa', we are welcoming you to our home. Founded in Kenya at the dawn of the millennium, Acacia Holidays was born of a commitment to offering travelers fresh and affordable experiences of the Africa we know and love and making trip planning a breeze with quick response and great service. Well known to an international clientele for years, we now also have become a major presence among American and Canadian travelers.

Through the years we've amassed a wealth of knowledge that has allowed us to expand our East Africa operation into other compelling destinations throughout the continent. Acacia Holidays is a one-stop source for excellence in group and independent travel to Kenya, Tanzania, Botswana, Egypt, Ethiopia, Rwanda, Namibia, South Africa, Uganda, Zambia and more. We also depart the mainland to Madagascar, Zanzibar and other exotic Indian Ocean isles.

Our range of options reflects the diversity of Africa itself. View the great wildlife spectacles of such iconic places as the Masai Mara, Serengeti and Ngorongoro Crater, or savor the more subtle nature of Botswana's Okavango Delta. Cruise the Nile in Egypt, climb the towering dunes of Namibia, spoil yourself at a private wildlife reserve at Kruger Park in South Africa, or escape for brief adventures ranging from gorilla trekking to paddling the Zambezi River.

Let us help you create your own truly unique African adventure. With Acacia Holidays, your safari will be a reality.

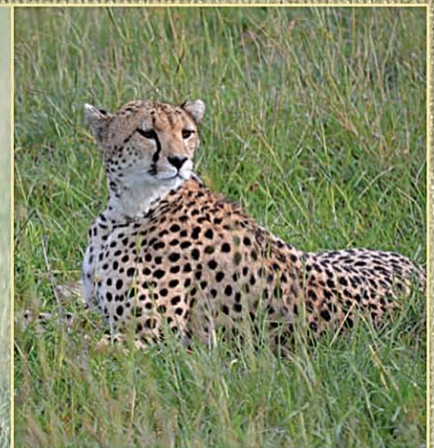
Joshua Nyiera, President  
Acacia Holidays



*"Our trip was everything I had ever dreamed of and so much more! It was perfect in every way possible and each day was somehow better than the one before. We were more intimate with nature and wildlife than I could ever have imagined and the places and people we met were amazing. It was hard to come home. Thank you for truly a trip of a lifetime."*

K. C., Chicago, Illinois

Traveler on our Kenya safari with Rwanda gorilla-trekking.





# African Travel Made Easy

What do you imagine doing on your next vacation? Visit our website at [www.acaciaaholidays.com](http://www.acaciaaholidays.com) for ideas and great itineraries. Have your travel professional call our US Headquarters to make your planning carefree.

With decades of experience, we know how to connect travelers with what they are looking for.



**Private Vacations** Custom-designed, individual travel is our specialty. In fifteen African countries we make it easy to tailor a vacation to your interests.

**Nile Cruises** We understand the differences in the many types of ships offered on Nile cruises and can arrange for private guided touring of Giza, Memphis and Sakkara.

**Honeymoons** We offer decidedly different options for newlyweds to experience something memorable. From a Zanzibar island retreat to a gourmet Cape Winelands tour or a wilderness hideaway in Botswana, we'll design your ideal romantic retreat.

## Set your plan in motion

Have your travel agent call our US headquarters to set up everything you need, from air and land transport to hotels, meals, guides and planning assistance. We'll need to know:

- 1) How many are traveling and when would you like to get away?
- 2) What do you want to see? Is this a first visit or return trip to Africa? Would you like game-drives or bush walks? Classic or less-known game parks?
- 3) What is your preferred budget and travel style? Do you seek premium hotels or simply the best value in more classic lodgings? Would you like any nights under canvas at a traditional safari camp?



**Family Vacations** We are experts at creating safe, flexible family vacations from kid-friendly East African safaris to city adventures in South Africa.

**Adventure Travel** Climb Kilimanjaro, explore the 'Mountains of the Moon', see the 'Galapagos of Africa', or let us incorporate rafting, kayaking, or even shark dives into your plans!

**Group Tours** With friends, club members or business associates, we work with all types of special interest groups to provide flawless travel arrangements.

## SAFARI TIPS

Don't buy a new wardrobe for the trip, bring outdoor summer wear in neutral colors.

Do bring versatile clothing separates...shorts, pants, t-shirts for layering.

Do bring a sweater or fleece for higher elevations and hot air ballooning.

Don't bring good walking shoes without breaking them in first.

Do expect to have access to the internet; cell phone coverage is not as strong.

Do bring an extra camera battery and memory card as it is not always possible to recharge.





# Experience the Best of Africa



## A FEW OF THE MANY ITINERARIES WE OFFER:

**12-14 day Great Migration** Travel from the shadows of Kilimanjaro through Ngorongoro Crater and then join the migration across the Serengeti into the Masai Mara with the millions of zebra, wildebeest, buffalo and the predators they attract on to the Rift Valley Lakes and Mt Kenya.

**8 day Kenya On Safari** Kilimanjaro/Amboseli, Samburu, Mt Kenya, Masai Mara and Lakes of Rift Valley, extension to Lamu.

**8 day Tanzania Explorer** Serengeti, Ngorongoro Crater, Tarangire, Leakey Center at Olduvai Gorge, extension to Zanzibar.

**3-6 day Gorilla Trekking** Uganda or Rwanda.

**12 day Southern Africa** Okavango Delta, Botswana - Victoria Falls, Devils Pool, Zambia - Cape Town, S.A.



# The Acacia Holidays Difference in Africa Private Travel More Attractive Than Ever



## Your Direct Link to Africa

Africa is our home and our safaris are planned by specialists who know and love the areas featured in our trips. Our Kenya-born founder is a safari expert and industry leader who, as President of the ASTA Kenya Chapter and Board Member of the Kenya Association of Tour Operators and Kenya Tourism Federation, set exacting standards for integrity in travel. He has decades of experience in exceeding travelers' expectations and takes a hands-on role in assuring the quality of our product by securing the best vehicles, guides, hotels and cruise vessels of their type.



## At Your Service in the USA and Across Africa

Our distinguished operations network provides all who travel with us the security of our presence on location in Africa. At each destination, our local staff ensure your well being and satisfaction. Acacia Holidays' representatives will welcome you on arrival and show you your destination in our well-maintained private vehicles. You'll travel at your own pace with your own professional guide, born and raised in Africa and proud to share the nature areas they love.

## A Low-Profile, Low-Impact Style of Travel

We are committed to responsible travel that protects Africa's wildlife environments and cultural heritage, while sustaining the well-being of local people. Our experience-oriented trips bring small parties of guests close to nature and foster awareness of tourism's capacity for improving conditions in the world. We choose accommodations for their environmental sensitivity as well as their value, service, location and activities. We are proud to work with suppliers who take an active role in ensuring that the areas visited by tourists will remain for future generations to appreciate.



## A DAY ON SAFARI

At first light, we enjoy a quick continental breakfast before heading out on an early game drive while the predators are about. Our guide spots a shadow on the horizon and we turn off the road straight into an ocean of wildebeest and zebra, which part gently before us wherever we turn. We take our time in the quiet, then suddenly race off across the plain and in a minute are watching a pride of lion with their young. We return to camp for a hearty brunch and swim or rest in the afternoon as the animals do.

Light snacks and drinks are served just before the afternoon game drive. Search for leopard in the branches of an acacia and lion stalking a gazelle.

Back at camp we sip sundowners as the African sky turns orange. Darkness falls swiftly and the heat drops as we dine on European, African or Asian cuisine, then gather around the campfire for drinks, knowing that out there, the animals will soon start moving again across the vast plain.



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