

Join us on our quest as we seek to experience
ICELAND & ITS NORTHERN LIGHTS
October 23-29, 2019

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Iceland!

A select group of intrepid travelers intentionally limited in numbers so as to assure only the highest levels of personal service and attention to details will be experiencing one of the most unusual and rewarding countries to visit in the World as part of our select 2019 FEATURE personally escorted tour experiences. As a travel bonus, we have selected the best time of year when we can add an adventure experienced only by a few as we engage in a quest as together we search for the famous and sometimes hard-to-find Northern Lights!

What are the Northern Lights?

The bright dancing lights of the aurora are actually collisions between electrically charged particles from the sun that enter the earth's atmosphere. The lights are seen above the magnetic poles of the northern and southern hemispheres. They are known as 'Aurora borealis' in the north and 'Aurora australis' in the south. Auroral displays appear in many colours although pale green and pink are the most common. Shades of red, yellow, green, blue, and violet have been reported. The lights appear in many forms from patches or scattered clouds of light to streamers, arcs, rippling curtains or shooting rays that light up the sky with an eerie glow.

Why is this a “quest?”

Known as the “land of fire and ice,” Iceland is truly a place of many wonders. This experience will take you on a search for the once-in-a-lifetime experience of viewing the spectacular Northern Lights on a nighttime cruise; and in numerous other ways, as well. Statistically, we are going at the best time of year for this. You will travel to the “Golden Circle,” home to many of Iceland's most renowned natural wonders. You will spend time at Thingvellir National Park, the nation's most historic area. You will gaze at the spectacular Gullfoss Waterfall - one of the world's most incredible cascades. At Eyjafjallajökull Volcano Visitor Center you will learn about the dramatic 2010 volcanic explosion. You will see traditional turf-built house, walk on a black volcanic sand beach, see Jokulsarlon glacial lagoon filled with floating icebergs, and relax in the warm and mineral-rich water of the natural geothermal pool, the Blue Lagoon.

IMPORTANT!

A truly wonderful benefit on this tour is our exclusive **100% RESERVATION DEPOSIT REFUND GUARANTEE** (see reverse for details and reserve today to secure spaces)!

Your Daily Itinerary

DAY 1 - Travel from your homes and board overnight flight Discover Iceland, a land and culture forged by fire and ice. Steaming lava fields and massive glaciers sculpt mountains and valleys, leaving thundering waterfalls and plunging fjords. In this land of many natural wonders, enjoy the rare opportunity to see the aurora borealis - one of nature's most dazzling light displays, also known as the northern lights. **MEALS AS SERVED ON FLIGHTS**

DAY 2 - Reykjavik, Iceland - Tour Begins Your tour opens in Reykjavik. Get acquainted with old town Reykjavik on a walking tour featuring Hallgrímskirkja church, City Hall, the harbor and Reykjavik's oldest building, now home to the Kraum Icelandic design center. Tonight, gather with your fellow travelers at a popular restaurant for dinner featuring Icelandic cuisine. Then, take an exhilarating northern lights cruise. Leave behind the bright city lights and sail out into the darkness of Faxaflói Bay in search of the aurora borealis – or northern lights – one of nature's wonders. When revealed, you will be dazzled by the flickering display of light bursting with color that unfolds before your eyes. **DINNER**

Vik Day 3 - Reykjavik - Golden Circle - Vik

Travel the incredible Golden Circle, a route that encompasses many of Iceland's most renowned natural wonders. Journey to Thingvellir National Park, the nation's most historic area, where Icelanders gathered in A.D. 930 and established what is considered one of the world's first parliaments. Find yourself standing upon one of the globe's most geologically significant landscapes, Thingvellir's rugged rift valley. This UNESCO World Heritage site marks the point where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. Experience the eruptive energy of the Icelandic landscape with a stop at the geothermal fields of Geysir and Strokkur. Then, marvel at the beauty of the Gullfoss (Golden Falls) waterfall, a stunning 100-foot double cascade. Continue southeast to Vik, the southernmost village in Iceland, surrounded by beautiful valleys, beaches, cliffs and mountains. After dinner amidst the peace and stillness of rural Iceland, search for the aurora borealis – the elusive northern lights. **BREAKFAST, DINNER**

DAY 4 - Vik - Seljalandsfoss - Skogar Museum - Vik

Journey to the mesmerizing Seljalandsfoss, one of Iceland's most famous and picturesque waterfalls with a walkway behind it. Visit Skogar Folk Museum with its turf-built homes and outstanding collection of artifacts covering all aspects of Icelandic life. Nearby, view the impressive Skógafoss waterfall, one of the largest in Iceland. Later, see Reynisfjara, a black volcanic sand beach surrounded by basalt formations, cliffs scattered with caves, and rich bird life including the Fulmar, Black Guillemot, Razorbill, Gannet and various types of seagulls. See the unique natural rock formations at Dyrhólaey. After dinner, gaze at the sky in search of the northern lights, a truly spectacular sight.

BREAKFAST, DINNER

DAY 5 - Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon - Skaftafell

National Park - Vik Travel to Jökulsárlón glacial lagoon, filled with floating icebergs. Explore this extraordinary landscape and perhaps see seals swimming in Arctic waters. Travel to Skaftafell, gateway to Vatnajökull National Park, the largest national park in Europe. Vatnajökull is known for having Iceland's highest mountains, an Alpine environment, and the Vatnajökull glacier, Europe's largest. After dinner, continue searching for the shimmering northern lights dancing across the night sky. **SPECIAL PLEASE GO AWAY™ VACATIONS BONUS:** This evening join your Please Go Away™ Vacations hostess for a private **BRENNIVIN BASH PARTY** and learn about one of Iceland's most-popular alcoholic beverages. If you prefer a non-alcoholic beverage, you may want to enjoy a "Coca Cola" based drink. Iceland has one of the highest consumption levels of "Coke" in the World. **BREAKFAST, DINNER**

DAY 6 - Vik - Lava Exhibition Center - Blue Lagoon - Reykjavik

Drive along the south shore towards the Reykjanes Peninsula, stopping at the Lava Exhibition Center to learn about Iceland's historic eruptions and current lava flows that make the island a showcase of volcanism. Known for its rugged landscape, lava fields, and numerous hot springs, the peninsula is home of the Blue Lagoon. Take a dip in the pleasantly warm, mineral-rich waters of the geothermal pool, located in the middle of a dramatic lava field. Return to Reykjavik for your farewell dinner and overnight stay. **BREAKFAST, DINNER**

DAY 7 - Reykjavik - Tour Ends - Transfer to Airport

Depart on our flights for home with many incredible memories. **BREAKFAST**



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fellow travelers, answer all questions, provide information and actual examples of what to wear and buy.

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