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Throughout this brochure you'll enjoy reading about some of our guests' favorite experiences around the world, alongside a selection of best-selling tours. For all itineraries and to learn more about the Trafalgar Difference, visit **trafalgar.com**.

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New England, USA Shared by Louise Glass on Autumn Colors.

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Blue Lagoon, Iceland Shared by Ronnie Knueven on Iceland including the Blue Lagoon.

#### Europe & Britain

With more itineraries, deep local connections and seven decades of travels in Europe & Britain, a vacation with us will be simply the best. *Learn more and get inspired, pages 40–43.* 

#### USA & Canada

ALASKA

Embrace adventure closer to home. Enjoy a range of tours including family fun vacations, all in the best possible hands.

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Tarangire, Tanzania Shared by Marianthy Kotsores on *African Safari Adventure.* 

#### Latin America

Feel Latin America's powerful allure through local encounters and mindblowing landscapes, all with our team by your side.

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Cusco, Peru Shared by Tracy Laubscher on *The Highlights of Peru (p.32).* 

#### Meet Trafalgar

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Kyoto, Japan Shared by Nicelemonn on *Classic* Japan (p.28).

#### Asia

IAPAN

Get a true understanding of these countries that seamlessly juxtapose old and new as you fall in love with them in ways you never thought possible. *Learn more, get inspired and discover four of our bestsellers, pages 26–29.* 

#### Africa

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NAMIBIA

Through our company's South African roots, we'll connect you to remarkable wildlife and give you access to the not-to-miss places you couldn't experience on your own.

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INDIA

South Island, New Zealand Shared by Robert Johnson on *New Zealand Panorama*.

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#### Australia & New Zealand

Alongside our sister brand AAT Kings, Down Under specialists, there's no better way to unlock the very best of both countries, packed with adventure. *Learn more and get inspired, pages 36–39.*  NEW ZEALAND

# The Trafalgar Difference Your best tour starts here

You'll see top destinations, iconic sites, and get treated to exclusive local experiences – all with our team taking care of every detail. You'll also discover the ways WE **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER**<sup>®</sup>, and how your journey leaves a positive impact. Do good, feel good, and make memories that last a lifetime.

Every tour is crafted so you experience every place you visit, differently. You'll soon understand why we're the world's most loved and awarded tour company with 90+ awards and counting. Since 1947 more than five million happy past guests have discovered our difference. As you read through these pages, you'll see and hear from past travelers just like you what they loved about their trips. You'll hear from the locals and why they can't wait to meet you, and learn about the unbeatable passion and detail that goes into each experience, from your team both on tour and behind the scenes.

They all share their passion for travel with you – showing why Trafalgar is 'simply the best'. Get ready for a trip like no other.

"We've found that traveling and meeting people from many countries is good for the heart and soul. We had a wonderful time and great experiences that will last us a lifetime." Shared by Roxanne Foster Beebe on The Best of Italy.

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We're proud of our independently rated Feefo Platinum Trusted Service Award, and our 4.6<sup>/5</sup> past guest transparent rating.





"I look at this pic and am filled with elation... because I found a place where my heart longs to be." Shared by Kellierose on Treasures of Thailand.



"I saved for a year to travel Australia. The itinerary was complete with a highlight being a tour of the Sydney Opera House." Shared by Candace on Australian Highlights (p.38).



*"Dreams do come true - definitely well worth the wait."* Shared by Rivashni and Arvind on *Highlights of Peru (p.32).* 

# Enjoy a seamless vacation We take care of everything

Guests like you tell us time and time again that it's our Travel Directors and Drivers that make our tours simply the best. With you from the start, and until it's time to go, they'll take care of every little detail. Not having to worry about your day-to-day logistics means you get the most out of each day – tickets, driving and parking, restaurant bookings, additional optional experiences, the list goes on. Most importantly, they love what they do, and their storytelling and knowledge about every destination will bring each place to life for you.

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# Unlock your best self.

#### What's included

#### Your travel essentials

- Travel Director and Driver team
- Nightly accommodations and Stays with Stories experiences\*
- Daily breakfast\*\*
- Many lunches and dinners
- Luxury coach transportation, with onboard Wi-Fi, charging stations and bathrooms and other fun ways to travel like boats, 4x4s and more\*\*\*

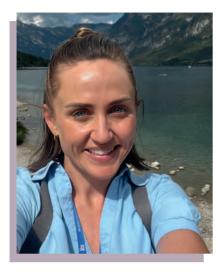
#### Your experiences

- Entry to many must-see sights
- Be My Guest experiences
- MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences
- Locally Guided tours in many destinations
- Optional Experiences (additional cost) planned and booked for you

\*stays with stories are available on selected tours.
\*\*On select days on our tours, we leave those days free so you can follow your nose to suit your tastes, preferences and budg
\*\*\*In some destinations, coaches with differing facilities and configurations may be used.

## Your Travel Director

Your Travel Director goes the extra mile to ensure you and your fellow traveling companions are happy and taken care of.



Meet Kassie One of our many exceptional Travel Directors

**G** As a travel all-rounder, I ensure that my guests experience the best of their destinations. From introducing them to new cuisines to deepening their cultural understanding, I love to enrich their journeys. I particularly enjoy taking my guests on outdoor adventures, like exploring the Amalfi coast in Italy or hiking Montserrat in Spain.

Trafalgar delivers the magic...differently. All the planning is done for you, we have one of the most comfortable coach fleets in the industry, the best priority access to museums and attractions, and the best Local Specialists who bring places to life and reveal the special things that you couldn't discover yourself. The beauty lies in the details. I had one guest who knew that her family came from Croatia's Island of Hvar. On the trip she asked the Local Specialist if she knew her surname. The Specialist knew exactly where her family was from and connected her with a great aunt. She was even able to see the old family home!

A fantastic day is when the group comes back from an experience and guests are literally in awe. Whether it's the first time they set their eyes upon the Eiffel Tower, take in the striking Sagrada Familia in Barcelona, or view the ancient city walls of Dubrovnik, I am humbled to be a part of the vacations that people dream about, experience, and then remember forever."

## Your Local Specialists

You'll feel the passion of your Local Specialists. With a deep love for their hometowns, they'll show you what the guidebooks can't, a true insider's perspective of the must-sees and local secrets across the world. Here are a few you might meet on our tours.

#### **Meet Dedan** your Kenyan Safari Guide



"Tm here to show you all the intricacies of National Parks and Reserves. I know the best spots for wildlife – down to the time of year and even the time of day. Some people call me a walking encyclopedia. I call it fun!" Experience on Wonders of Kenya (p.25).

**Meet Brenda** your Mahikan Trails Indigenous Guide



"I love teaching others about the importance of buffalo to the First Nations people. I'll share stories about the powerful beasts, the interconnected relationship we have and the sacred contract we hold with them." Experience on Canada's Rockies.

**Meet Cecil** your Memphis Guide



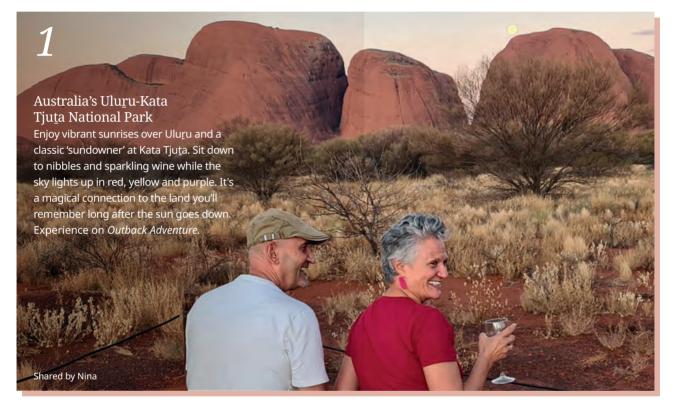
"Home of blues, soul and rock'n'roll, Memphis is a place unlike any other. I love sharing the secrets of the city on a musical tour that takes you through Beale Street in the heart of downtown." Experience on Tastes and Sounds of the South. Meet Luis your Machu Picchu Guide



"I love sharing this deeply sacred place, UNESCO World Heritage site and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. On our hike of this once-great civilization, we'll get up close to 15<sup>th</sup> century stone ruins." Experience on Highlights of Peru (p.32).

# The bucket-list moments Top 10 guest must-sees

You'll tick off not-to-miss iconic sights, local culture and unmissable natural wonders – all handpicked, planned and vetted by our Travel Experts who carefully craft your tour behind the scenes. Get ready to unlock the best of every place you visit and learn secrets from our local friends along the way. Here are just a few of the hundreds of must-sees that are waiting for you. Read more real guest stories at **trafalgar.com/gueststories**.





#### Italy's Colosseum

After seeing it in so many pictures, stand beside the ancient Roman Colosseum and snap your own pic of this icon. Your Local Specialist will tell you stories of courageous gladiators who fought there so long ago. Experience on *Best of Italy.* 



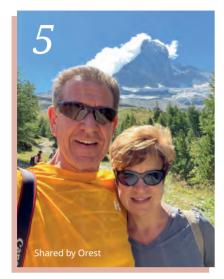
Tanzania's Safari Game Reserves

Tarangire National Park's landscape is different from anything else in Tanzania. Known as one of the best places to view elephants, your Driver Guide scouts for herds and gets you up close to admire these gentle giants. Experience on *African Safari Adventure*.



Australia's Great Barrier Reef

You'll find the world's largest reef, a true underwater kaleidoscope. Arrive by boat and snorkel to see the spectacular coral and tropical fish up close. It's a rare peek into this wild environment. Experience on *Contrasts of Australia (p.38).* 



#### Switzerland's Matterhorn Mountain

Take a train past lakes and glaciers to the resort town of Zermatt at the foothills of the Matterhorn. And don't miss your chance to ride Europe's highest cable car to see the snowcapped mountain. Experience on *Contrasts of Switzerland.* 



#### Greece's Santorini

The clifftop towns are just as striking as you've seen in pictures and the vibrant, blue-domed, whitewashed façades really set the stage for exquisite sunsets. Each corner of Santorini whispers stories of ancient myths and timeless charm. Experience on *Greek Island Hopper* and five other tours.



#### USA's Grand Canyon

One of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World and UNESCO world heritage site, the Grand Canyon is one epic vista after the next. You'll take your experience to the next level during a private tour with Local Specialist and Geologist 'Canyon Tim'. Experience on *Best of the Canyonlands*.



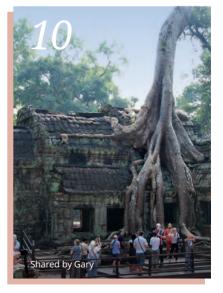
#### Brazil's Christ the Redeemer

Take the Corcovado Railway into the clouds and you'll see the amazing Christ the Redeemer statue, one of the Seven Wonders of the World. Stand at the base gazing almost 100 feet up to the top and down to views of Rio de Janeiro below. Experience on *Impressions of South America* and one other tour.

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Alaska's Northern Lights Go in search of The Northern Lights with a Local Specialist and get tips on photographing at night from professional photographer, Aurora Dora. These dancing waves of light are one of the most beautiful sights on Earth. Experience on *Alaska Northern Lights.* 





#### Cambodia's Ta Prohm

Featured as the location for the film 'Tomb Raider', the moss-covered ruins of the Buddhist temple of Ta Prohm will inspire you. Feel like archaeologists exploring its towers, courtyards and corridors covered by foliage. Experience on *Vietnam and the Temples of Angkor* and two other tours. Travel like an insider

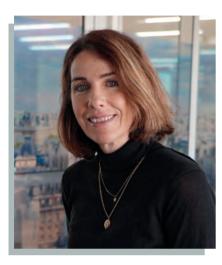
# The world from a local's viewpoint

Your trafalgar journey is where the places you visit are not just postcard-perfect but also filled with local encounters that feel like you're catching up with an old friend. You'll learn firsthand what the guidebooks can't show you – a true insider's perspective of each destination.

Nothing can prepare you for the geological drama of sheer cliffs, massive waterfalls, glaciers and rainforest of Milford Sound. Keep a look out for seals basking on the rocks, or the company of a pod of dolphins. Experience on *Contrasts of New Zealand* (p.39).

# Your vacation – crafted by the best in the business

Our locally-based teams craft your tour behind the scenes, ensuring you get closer to people and places than you could do on your own.



Meet Ange Travel Experiences Manager for New Zealand

**G** With Trafalgar, it's all about people. Getting fully immersed with the locals gives you so much more from your trip. For instance, on our signature Be My Guest experiences you'll meet real locals, like the Bamford family on our Contrasts of New Zealand tour (p.39). They've been on their Hurunui Hills Farm since 1884, with six generations focused on producing premium Merino sheep – Scotty and his parents love introducing our guests to their little piece of paradise.

Close to my heart personally are our MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences. (p.18-19). We make real tangible improvements for locals and businesses by visiting these experiences. For instance, I love the biodiversity talk from the founder of Kaikōura Wildlife Center Trust, Sabrina, whose goal is to implement a world-class wildlife hospital in the region. Wildlife rescue and rehabilitation is a critical conservation tool to ensure at-risk native species have a chance at recovery and return to the wild.

We give our guests unique experiences to make their travel dreams come true. Some of my favorites are the journey from Queenstown to UNESCO-listed Milford Sound and the nature cruise with lunch (p.39). The views along the way are spectacular, and it's a must to stop for photos at the many scenic viewpoints and areas where Lord of the Rings was filmed. Plus, on very lucky days there are dolphins joining in to be part of the show."

#### Some of Ange's top experiences

Throughout our tours, local encounters are threaded through each day. Here are just a few that are waiting for you in New Zealand.

An evening of Māori culture Rotorua, New Zealand



At Te Puia, your Te Po experience includes delicious hangi inspired cuisine, authentic cultural performance and spectacular geothermal activity. This evening will connect you to the local culture in a really fun and entertaining way. Experience on *Contrasts of New Zealand (p.39).* 





Since 1876, Speight's Brewery has been making their famous ales from the same site in Rattray Street. You'll see and smell the ingredients, then taste the final product. Don't miss the chance to try "The Pride of the South" for yourself! Experience on *Southern Spectacular (p.39).*  Visit Walter Peak High Country Farm Queenstown, New Zealand



The food is delicious, the gardens are beautiful and the trip across Lake Wakatipu on the TSS Earnslaw is surely one of the most scenic transfers anywhere in the world. Walter Peak High Country Farm will blow you away! Experience on *Australia and New Zealand Panorama*.

# The original local travel experience, exclusive to Trafalgar Be My Guest

Step into the lives of your hosts who open their homes, wineries, farms and more to share stories about their families' history and their communities, over good food and great hospitality. With one on every itinerary, Be My Guest ensures your journey is truly one-of-a-kind, wherever it takes you. Here are just a few of our hosts you might meet.

Meet Matricia from *Warrior Women* Jasper, Canada

"I love showing guests how we view the environment from a different perspective."

Matricia will show you what plants can be foraged for food and medicine. You'll also hear her share legends of the Cree people and sing melodies to traditional drumming. Experience on *Iconic Rockies and Western Canada*. Meet Alberto from Hacienda Pozo Azul



*"I love sharing stories of life here on my organic farm."* 

You'll join Alberto for a lunch of family recipes from the exotic crops he grows. You'll learn about life on the farm and their connection to the region, and see spectacular views of the Sarapiqui River from the terrace of Alberto's hacienda (home). Experience on *Costa Rica Eco Adventure tour (p.32).*  **Meet Laura** from Real Country Farm



"This is your real, rural New Zealand experience!"

Under Laura's guidance you'll have a go at whipcracking and learn how to talk to the horses and working dogs who 'muster' Laura's sheep. You'll love to get close to the deer, alpaca, sheep and horses, and delight at stories of farm life in rural New Zealand. After all the 'mustering', give them a pat and sit down for lunch. Experience on *New Zealand Panorama.* 

Meet Alexandra from Chateau de Villandry



The Loire Valley, France

"Travel back to 17<sup>th</sup> century France at my home."

Your host Alexandra welcomes you to her home, near the 17<sup>th</sup> century Chateau de Villandry. Drink a glass of pink bubbly before you're shown around the property. Stroll through the garden and meet the resident goats and chickens, then take a seat and enjoy a traditional lunch paired with local wines. Experience on *Best of France.* 

Meet the Falzon Brothers from Earth Sanctuary



*"Join us for an ecofriendly Outback adventure."* 

You'll join brothers Tom and Danny Falzon and learn how their self-sufficient property helps fight against climate change. All while enjoying a home-cooked Aussie barbecue – under the southern sky. Finish the night with star gazing and a singalong. Experience on *Outback Adventure.* 

You'll enjoy a Be My Guest experience on every itinerary. See the trip pages, and visit trafalgar.com for more.

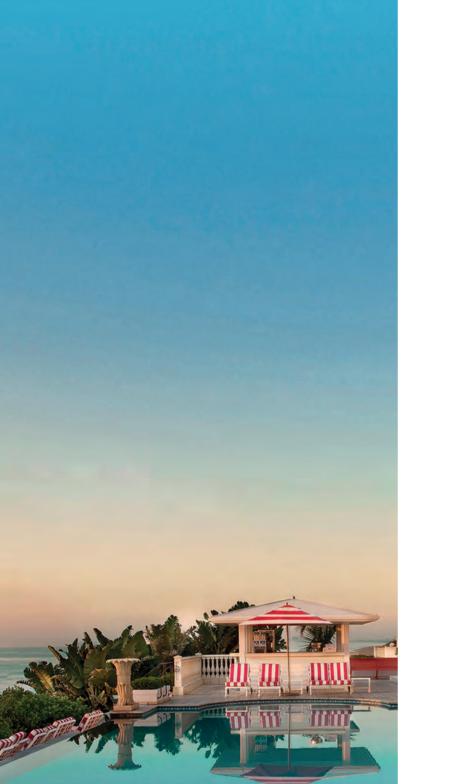
# Take your overnights to a deeper level Stays with Stories

A highlight of the Trafalgar Difference is our Stays with Stories experiences. In addition to the extensive trusted accommodations partners, on many tours, you'll find yourself overnighting in places with stories as rich as the destinations you're exploring. Here are just a few of the Stays with Stories overnights that are waiting for you.

As well as Stays with Stories on select tours, on all other nights you'll experience a mix of independent properties and trusted accommodations partners such as Novotel, Mercure, Hilton and Crowne Plaza.

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#### Oyster Box Hotel, South Africa

Your travels will reach a whole new level of luxury at The Oyster Box Hotel. One of South Africa's best accommodations, this multi-award winning five-star hotel transports you to an elegant, old world with historic details, a lush garden terrace and ocean views of Umhlanga Beach and Lighthouse. Experience on *Best* of South Africa (p.24).

Photo courtesy of RCH hotels



#### Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel, Canada

Your stay at the world-famous 'Castle in the Rockies' in UNESCO-listed Banff National Park will be one to remember. Welcoming guests for more than 130 years, you'll learn how dignitaries and celebrities like Marilyn Monroe have graced the halls of this iconic property. Stay here on *Secrets of the Rockies and Glacier National Park.* 



#### Abbeyglen Castle, Ireland

You'll find yourself within a captivating piece of Ireland's history. Dating back to 1832, you'll discover its story from a castle to an orphanage and now a top-rated, four-star hotel. Each room has its own charm and is surrounded by manicured lawns, gardens and pathways. In the evening, why not enjoy a drink and live music at the piano bar? Stay here on *Castles and Manors*.



#### Penaga Hotel, Malaysia

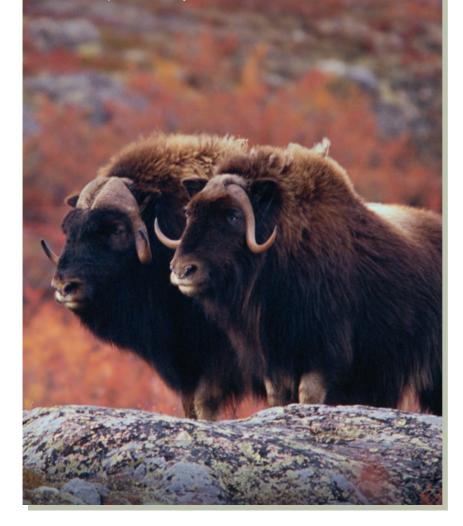
You'll lap up the rich history of Georgetown at Penaga Hotel. With almost a century of stories embedded in its walls, this former 1920s shop house showcases architectural influences from various cultures. You'll get close to Malaysia's diverse heritage through this cultural gem and leave illuminated. Stay here on *Highlights of Singapore and Malaysia (p.29)*.

# Travel as a force for good MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences

Picture your dream vacation where you're not just a tourist, but part of something bigger. On every tour you'll experience at least one MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience, each exclusively created so you can give back to people, places or wildlife. These experiences directly support 11 of the 17 United Nations Global Sustainable Development Goals, ensuring your journey leaves a lasting, positive impact. Here are just a few you could experience.

#### Learn about the ancient Musk Ox of Alaska

Get ready for an unforgettable guided tour of Musk Ox Farm. You'll be shown around the pastoral grounds to see the Arctic Musk Oxen, animals that once roamed the earth alongside saber-toothed tigers and woolly mammoths. You'll learn about the farm's efforts to promote and educate the public on sustainable agriculture, care for the musk oxen and produce qiviut (wool). Your visit also directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goals 11 & 15 - Sustainable Cities and Communities & Life on Land. Experience on *Majestic Alaska*.





#### Visit the Laboratorio Guiditta Brozetti Museum in Perugia, Italy

Meet Marta, a fourth-generation Renaissance weaver and owner of one of Italy's last remaining wooden frame hand-weaving workshops. They have been teaching weavers for four generations using a 500-year-old traditional loom and techniques that have survived since medieval times. You'll hear Marta's passion for her craft as you learn how she creates beautifully hand-woven pieces including bed linens, tablecloths and cushion covers. Your visit also directly supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable cities and Communities. Experience on *Italy Bellissimo*.



WE SUPPORT THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

# See responsible farming at TMK Creamery in Oregon, USA

You'll meet the Koch family and explore where they produce their responsibly crafted farmstead cheese, ice cream, and spirits. For over 30 years, they've remained dedicated to responsible production, using only on-site grown ingredients. You'll also have the chance to meet the family's 'Cowlebrities' and learn how the creamery upcycles waste into new products. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production. Experience on Scenic Seattle, Portland and Oregon Coast, and Best of the Pacific Northwest.





## Meet Peruvian Weavers in Cusco, Peru

Meet Nilda Callanaupa Alvarez, a master Quechua weaver and ambassador for Andean traditions. Nilda has been practicing ancient, pre-Colombian weaving techniques since she was a young girl in the 1960s. She'll share how her weaving practices use natural dyeing techniques and why they're important to her identity and culture. Your visit also directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 5 & 10: Gender Equality & Reduced Inequalities. Experience on *Highlights of Peru (p.32)*.

#### Visit Iraq Al Amir, near Amman, Jordan

At Iraq al-Amir Women's Center, see how local women make crafts including soap from olive oil, greeting cards and notebooks from recycled paper. Try your hand at making your own creations before joining the women for a homemade lunch. Your visit also directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 5: Gender Equality. Experience on Jordan Experience.



# WE MAKE TRAVEL MATTER

# OVER A DECADE OF POSITIVE IMPACT.

We know you have a lot of choices when it comes to your travels. Know that when you choose Trafalgar, not only are you choosing a trusted travel provider that takes care of every detail, you're choosing a company that makes a tangible, positive and lasting impact.

Guests beekeeping at Moka Honey in Delphi, Greece. You'll taste special thyme honey and see bees thriving in their natural habitat. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land. Experience on *Best of Greece*.

# Our five-year sustainability strategy A blueprint to change

Alongside our The Travel Corporation (TTC) sister brands, we're proud of more than a decade of championing travel to make a positive difference on the destinations and people we visit, and the wildlife we encounter along the way.



#### Meet Shannon

Chief Sustainablity Officer

Among many things that make up her day-to-day, Shannon, spearheads our five-year sustainability strategy, How We Tread Right (HWTR). It's our compass, guiding how we run our business and how you travel. Based on 11 goals tied to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, it tackles climate change, sustainable food, waste reduction, travel experiences, wildlife, diversity, and inclusion.

**C** Something which has really stood out to me throughout the years is the incredible energy and commitment that all of our team members have. Whether it is searching for a new MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience or doing their part in ensuring we achieve our sustainability targets – everyone here is on the same mission".

#### Tell us about Trafalgar's sustainability journey so far?

We have been committed to MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® for well over a decade. We do this in two key ways, as a business we pledge to be conscious at all levels of our organization – from the offices we work, to the trips we deliver, thanks to our fiveyear How We Tread Right sustainability strategy. Alongside this, our not-for-profit TreadRight Foundation invests in naturebased solutions to tackle climate change.

## What is the role of the TreadRight Foundation, and what projects do they support?

TreadRight was founded in 2008 and has supported some 60-plus sustainable tourism projects worldwide that align with our three pillars of Planet, People and Wildlife. And, to support TTC's Climate Action Plan and journey to net zero, in 2022 we shifted TreadRight's focus to prioritize support for nature-based solutions that protect biodiversity and restore the planet.

## What ways does Trafalgar demonstrate its commitment to sustainable travel to guests?

When you travel with us, know that our four-point Climate Action Plan is leading us towards near-zero emissions by 2050. As the only tour company with an internal carbon fund, working towards low carbon goals, you'll be pleased to know that we're committed to shrinking our carbon footprint and helping nature fight the climate crisis. Additionally, every tour includes a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, where you directly support United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

## What's Trafalgar's approach to diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI)?

We don't travel to see the same old things – we explore to meet different people, hear fresh ideas, and see new places. For us, DEI is more than sustainability; it's integral to our business operations. From championing diversity in our teams to partnering with underrepresented communities, DEI is woven into the fabric of everything we do.



Discover enriching cultures and traditions

# Unlock the best of Africa

8 Itineraries | 9–18 Days

Journey to the birthplace of civilization, where nature has stood unchanged for millions of years, and where our earliest tales were etched onto stones. Africa holds an extraordinary blend of ancient history and local customs, spread across breathtaking landscapes.

Each trip is carefully crafted to connect you with local heritage, sharing our deep affection for each country. From meeting a Maasai tribe in Kenya to visiting a Shangaan village in South Africa, you'll experience authentic stories of Africa.

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**Guest Review Rating** 

**CC** Amazing trip of a lifetime. Our Driver and Guides were well informed and knowledgeable. Their goal was to ensure we saw everything we could and appreciate the beauty and diversity of the land, wildlife and people. Once again, Trafalgar did not disappoint with their accommodations and cultural experiences. Every day was full of new places and things to see and explore." Our guest Leonie R. African Safari Adventure



#### What's included

- Travel Director and Driver team
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- Stays with Stories experiences on many tours
- Daily breakfast and many meals
- Luxury coach transportation, with onboard Wi-Fi, charging stations and bathrooms\*
- On many tours there are other fun ways to travel: scenic boats, trains and 4x4s
- Entry to many must-see sights
- Be My Guest experiences
- MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experiences
- Locally Guided tours in many destinations
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\*In some destinations, coaches with differing facilities and configurations may be used.

#### The Trafalgar Difference

#### One-of-a-kind experiences

On all our tours you'll be invited to the homes and businesses of locals for an exclusive Be My Guest experience. And on many itineraries, you'll also enjoy a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience and Stays with Stories accommodations experience.

#### The perfect group size

Each trip is crafted with no more than 29 guests, so you connect to all the best that Africa has to offer.

#### Safari included

Ticking off your bucket list with a safari included on every trip.

#### Local know-how

You'll navigate Africa with safety and ease thanks to your on-road local team.

#### Must-see sights

As well as discovering hidden gems, you'll see the not-to-miss sights like Egypt's Great Pyramids, Zimbabwe's Victoria Falls, or South Africa's Kruger National Park.

#### Visit trafalgar.com/africa

to discover our trips and to learn more about our unmissable experiences that await across our itineraries. 4.1<sup>/5</sup> feefo ••

# Essence of South Africa

10 Days | 1 Country | 19 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

Bush, beach and two vibrant cities – capture the essence of South Africa on this culmination of a Cape Town to Kruger experience, including Johannesburg, the 'City of Gold'.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists** Cape Town and Johannesburg

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Table Mountain, Bo-Kaap, Cape of Good Hope, Franschhoek, Hermanus, the Karongwe Private Game Reserve, Hector Pieterson Museum in Soweto and the Apartheid Museum in Johannesburg

#### View Must-see Landmarks

Boulders Beach Penguin Colony and Mandela House in Soweto

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Savor a traditional braai (barbecue) in Hermanus with a local business owner Stays with Stories: Overnight in Karongwe Private Game Reserve

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Support an Eco Academy at a Shangaan village in Hoedspruit

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: AFES

Best of South Africa

15 Days | 3 Countries | 26 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

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As rated by Past Guests

Connect with the culture travel from north to south to encounter South Africa's legacy of Mandela and the cosmopolitan spirit of Cape Town. KRUGER NATIONAL Kruger National Park IOHANNESBURG MRABANE 0 **ESWATIN** HLUHLUWI SOUTH **LESOTHO** AFRICA DURBAN (UMHLANGA ROCKS) SANI PASS OPTIONAL EXPERIENCE Available on Day 8 The Garden GQEBERHA Route EASTERN CAPE BEACHES CAPE KNYSNA Key: • Start • End • Overnight • Optional • Sightseeing

#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Bourke's Luck Potholes, Kruger National Park, Eswatini (formerly Swaziland), Gqeberha (formerly Port Elizabeth), Tsitsikamma National Park, Knysna and Table Mountain by Cable Car

#### **View Must-see Landmarks**

Blyde River Canyon, God's Window, the Drakensberg mountains and Storms River Mouth, South Africa's wildlife and birds on safari

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet your host Ella for a traditional Knysna meal and learn about Xhosa culture Stays with Stories: Overnight at Durban's five-star Oyster Box Hotel

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience: Visit Emzini in Knysna to support local access to education, food and safety

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: AFSA

See more guest stories #TTBestofSouthAfrica

See more guest stories #TTSouthAfrica



#### 9 Days | 1 Country | 23 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Year-round

Embark on a journey to the enchanting home of the African safari, fiery savannah sunsets and the colorfully clad Maasai – an epic adventure through Kenya's iconic wilderness.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Aberdare National Park, Samburu National Reserve, Ol Pejeta Conservancy, Sweetwaters Sanctuary to see the resident orphaned or rescued chimpanzees, Lake Nakuru National Park, a local Maasai Tribe Village and the Maasai Mara National Game Reserve

#### **View Must-see Landmarks**

Thomsons Falls in Nyahururu

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Visit a coffee and tea estate at Kiburi Plantation Stays with Stories: Overnight at Ark Lodge in Aberdare National Park

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Learn about antipoaching efforts and conservation work at OI Pejeta

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: AFKS

See more guest stories #TTWondersofKenya

# Namibia Adventure

#### 13 Days | 1 Country | 23 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

Peer into the depths of Africa's largest canyon, admire the stark beauty of Sossusvlei's ancient backdrops and see the shimmering expanse of the Etosha Pan.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Kalahari Desert, Keetmanshoop, Quivertree Forest, Fish River Canyon, Duwisib Castle, Sossusvlei, Dune 45 & Deadvlei, Namib-Naukluft National Park, Twyfelfontein Ancient Rock Art, the Petrified Forest and Etosha National Park

#### **View Must-see Landmarks**

Naute Dam, Sesriem Canyon and the Moon Landscape valley near Swakopmund

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet the Seifart family for lunch on their farm in Uhlenhorst Stays with Stories: Overnight at Windhoek's Weinberg Hotel

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience: Learn about the Otjikandero Himba Orphan Village Project

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Trip code: AFNA

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Discover local secrets and traditions

# Unlock the best of Asia

19 Itineraries | 4–20 Days

Asia has always been loved for its centuries-old traditions, pristine landscapes and exotic cuisines that overtake your senses. Most importantly, it's the warm, welcoming locals who truly make traveling here so spectacular. Our ongoing support of locals and communities on every itinerary is something we're most proud of – some of the experiences that guests tell us they love most.

Traveling with us means you won't simply travel to Asia, you'll leave with a true understanding of these countries that juxtapose old and new seamlessly as you fall in love with it in ways you never thought possible.



**C** Japan is an already magnificent country to visit – but Trafalgar made it an unforgettable experience. We noticed all those extra steps to deliver an experience, and the tour was designed to be respectful of the local culture and made us want to explore more." Our guest Johanne B. Splendors of Japan



#### What's included

- Travel Director and Driver team
- Nightly accommodations
- Stays with Stories experiences on many tours
- Daily breakfast and many meals
- Luxury coach transportation, with onboard Wi-Fi, charging stations and bathrooms\*
- On many tours there are other fun ways to travel: scenic boats and trains
- Entry to many must-see sights
- Be My Guest experiences
- MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experiences
- Locally Guided tours in many destinations
- Optional Experiences (additional cost) planned and booked for you
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#### The Trafalgar Difference

#### One-of-a-kind experiences

On all our tours you'll be invited to the homes and businesses of locals for an exclusive Be My Guest experience. And on many itineraries, you'll also enjoy a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience and Stays with Stories accommodations experience.

#### The perfect group size

Each trip is crafted with no more than 29 guests, so you connect to all the best that Asia has to offer.

#### Included internal flights

So you enjoy more for longer, we swap long drive times with included internal flights as needed to ensure you get where you're going faster.

#### Travel with a local

New to the country's language and culture? No worries! Our experienced team is here to support you on your deep dive and discovery.

#### Visit trafalgar.com/asia

to discover our trips and to learn more about our unmissable experiences that await across our itineraries.

#### 4.5<sup>/5</sup> feefo As rated by Past Guests Splendors of Japan with Hiroshima

13 Days | 1 Country | 22 Meals | Dynamic Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

Embrace the timeless tradition and modern spirit of Japan's iconic sites, from the neon skyline of Tokyo to the foodie hotspots of Osaka. Relax in the soothing hot springs of Kotohira, and stay in a traditional Ryokan.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### Explore with Local Specialists Tokyo, Kyoto and Hiroshima

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Sensoji Temple, the Tokyo Skytree, the Edo-Tokyo Museum, Mt. Fuji 5<sup>th</sup> Station, the Kinkakuji Temple, Fushimi Inari Shrine and Sanjusangendo Hall in Kyoto, the Water Temple on Awaji Island, Zentsuji Temple, the Itsukushima Shrine on Miyajima Island, the Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park and Museum and Osaka Castle

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Learn about local Kyoto customs over a kaiseki lunch Stays with Stories: Overnight at Kotohira Grand Sakuranosho Ryokan

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience: Visit a Gokayama Washi Paper workshop

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: JPHO

See more guest stories #TTSplendoursofJapan

# Classic Japan

#### 11 Days | 1 Country | 15 Meals | Dynamic Activity Departure months: Year-round

**4.4**<sup>/5</sup> **feefo** e



#### Included highlights and must-sees

**Explore with Local Specialists** Explore Tokyo, Kyoto, Hiroshima and Osaka

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Visit Sensoji Temple in Tokyo, Mt. Fuji 5<sup>th</sup> Station, Gion District and Kinkakuji Temple in Kyoto, the bamboo groves in Arashiyama, Nara Park and Todaiji Temple in Nara, Peace Memorial Park and Museum in Hiroshima, Itsukushima Shrine on Miyajima Island and Tsuyunoten Shrine and Umeda Sky Building in Osaka

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Visit a local family on their tea plantation for lunch in Nara

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Support Kiyomizu pottery craftspersons during a workshop visit

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: JPCL

### **4.7<sup>/5</sup> feefo** Constant States State

# **Classic China**

#### 10 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

Follow in the footsteps of the ancients – up the ornate steps of the Forbidden City and to the ramparts of the Great Wall and through the winding ancient alleys of Beijing's hutongs to learn about Chinese traditions.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### Explore with Local Specialists

Beijing, Xi'an and Shanghai

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Tiananmen Square, Forbidden City, Temple of Heaven, the Great Wall of China at Juyongguan, the Sacred Way in Beijing, Hutong residences, Great Mosque, the Terracotta Warriors in Xi'an, the 'Bund' waterfront and Jin Mao Tower in Shanghai

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet a local family for lunch in one of Beijing's hutongs Stays with Stories: Overnight at the Kunlun Jing An Shanghai Hotel

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Trip code: CLC

See more guest stories #TTClassicChina

#### 4.3<sup>/5</sup> feefo As rated by Past Guests Highlights of Singapore and Malaysia

12 Days | 2 Countries | 16 Meals | Balanced Activity Departure months: Feb - Aug + Oct

A melting pot of religion and cultures, delve into the vibrant heritage of the region. Explore the bustling streets of Chinatown and Little India in Singapore and Malacca's Dutch Square in Malaysia.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

**Explore with Local Specialists** Singapore, Malacca, Kuala Lumpur

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Botanic Gardens in Singapore, Dutch Square in Malacca, the Petronas Twin Tower and the Batu Caves in Kuala Lumpur, the Cameron Highlands, the Perak Cave Temple in Ipoh, the Ubudiah Mosque in Kuala Kangsar

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet a local family for lunch in Malacca Stays with Stories: Overnight at the heritage Areca Hotel Penang in Georgetown

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences: Visit a traditional Orang Asil Village in Kuala Lumpur and support local artisans to learn about the ancient craft of making Keris

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: HSMY

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See hidden gems and vibrant traditions
Unlock the best of
Latin America

8 Itineraries | 8–16 Days (+ add-on experiences)

The spirit of Latin America is irresistible. You'll feel its energy flowing through you as you learn all about and dance to musica negra. Discover the Spirit of the Trees with the Guarani, a walk through the interior of the jungle guided by Indigenous experts. Hear the rhythm of the jungle surround you in the Peruvian Amazon, or feel your breath catch at the magnificence of Patagonia's otherworldly landscapes.

Most importantly, we're proud of our ongoing support of locals and communities, a thread woven throughout each vibrant society. Choosing us means more than just visiting Latin America – you'll feel its powerful allure through captivating encounters with people and mindblowing landscapes, all with our team by your side at every step.



*Guest Review Rating C* A lifetime is not enough to experience the rich diversity and historical significance of Peru, Ecuador, and the Galapagos Islands. The itinerary was mentally stimulating, historically fascinating, and simply wondrous.

This itinerary should appear on any serious traveler's bucket list."

Our guest John P. Highlights of Peru with Galapagos Islands

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#### Maximize your time

Skip long road journeys traversing this massive part of the world with included flights where needed to maximize your time in sought-after destinations.

#### Travel with a local expert

Experience the full range of Latin America's languages and cultures with your local team who navigate destinations with safety and ease.

#### Included internal flights

So you enjoy more for longer, we swap long drive times with included internal flights as needed to ensure you get where you're going faster.

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# Costa Rica Eco Adventure

8 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Dynamic Activity **Departure months:** Jan - Jul + Sep - Dec

Glide through tree-lined waterways, relax in thermal pools, sample chocolate made from the world's best cacao and journey back in time with a native Quaker in Old Town Monteverde.



4.7<sup>/5</sup> feefo es As rated by Past Guests



#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists**

Cocoa farm with Master Chocolatier, Monteverde with Quaker Pioneer descendants, and hike through Monteverde Cloud Forest

View Must-see Landmarks

Arenal Volcano

#### **Travel by Scenic Journeys**

Cruise the Canals of Tortuguero National Park

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet the Quintana family at their eco-friendly hacienda Stays with Stories: Overnight at Laguna Lodge Tortuguero

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences: Meet a Tico family at the Heart of Palm Plantation and learn about sustainability efforts at Tortuguero Village

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: LCRE

Highlights of Peru

4.7<sup>/5</sup> feefo e

#### 8 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round



#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists**

Lima, ruins at Ollantaytambo, Machu Picchu, historic Sacsayhuaman and Larco Museum in Lima

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Cusco and two visits to the 15th century fortress of Machu Picchu

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Meet Chef Ignacio Barrios for a market tour and lunch at his cooking school in Lima Stays with Stories: Overnight at Sacred Valley Sonesta Posadas del Inca Yucay

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences: Enjoy a traditional 'lindaje' with Manos de la Comunidad and meet Nilda Callañaupa Alvarez, a master Quechua weaver

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: LHPA

See more guest stories #TTPeru

See more guest stories #TTCostaRica

**4.5**<sup>/5</sup> **feefo** •• As rated by Past Guests

# Impressions of South America

9 Days | 2 Countries | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

From the vibrant shores of Copacabana to the thundering Iguassu Falls, South America awaits! Immerse yourself in the mesmerizing tango in Buenos Aires and the electrifying rhythms of Rio.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists**

Rio de Janeiro, Buenos Aires and the Brazilian and Argentinean side of Iguassu Falls

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Christ the Redeemer statue, Sugarloaf Mountain, Corcovado Mountain, Iguassu Falls and San Antonio de Areco

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Visit a family-run gaucho ranch for a traditional asado lunch with music

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experiences: Visit the Guarani community to learn about their ancestral culture, and visit a workshop where people with special abilities manufacture artisanal crafts

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: LISA

See more guest stories #TTImpressionsofSouthAmerica

# Wonders of Patagonia

11 Days | 2 Countries | 17 Meals | Dynamic Activity **Departure months:** Jan - Apr + Oct - Nov

Travel to the ends of the earth, from the flamboyant capital of Buenos Aires to the land of giants, roaming solitary steppes, the rugged Andes, and glacial lakes.



4.5<sup>/5</sup> feefo e



#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists**

Tierra del Fuego National Park, Los Glaciares National Park, Torres del Paine National Park and learn about the Patagonian culture from local vaqueros

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Museo Maritimo y del Presidio

#### Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise to the Balmaceda Glacier and Serrano Glacier

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Dine with a local family in the bohemian neighbourhood of Palermo Soho Stays with Stories: Overnight at the Remota Patagonia Lodge of Puerto Natales

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: LPAT

# Explore the diversity of both destinations Unlock the best of USA & Canada

40 Itineraries | 7–15 Days

So many adventures close to home, all organized by us, make your next vacation easy and unforgettable.

On all our itineraries we're proud to be your champions of local encounters with our friends throughout each state and territory we visit as they open their doors to welcome you.

With itineraries for every type of explorer to destinations you've dreamed of or maybe never heard of, your best USA & Canada vacation starts with Trafalgar.

#### What's included

- Travel Director and Driver team
- Nightly accommodations
- Stays with Stories experiences on many tours
- Many meals
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#### Best in specialist vacations

Our product range includes specialist vacations highlighting Family Fun adventures, Culture and Heritage and Year-Round Itineraries.

#### National Parks made easy

Guided access to noteworthy national parks thanks to our extensive partnership network. You'll enjoy the very best in park stays with access and permits arranged and included with no hidden costs.

#### The best in Hawaii

As the biggest and best tour company operating in Hawaii, we'll take you beyond the tourist trail, introduce you to locals and unlock the islands' secrets for you.

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feefo<sup>ee</sup> \*\*\*\*\* Guest Review Rating

**66** Epic trip of five epic parks. The trip was perfect, well organized and guided by a wonderful Travel Director. We saw so many beautiful natural wonders. The trip was truly epic."

Our guest Pasquale P. Five Epic National Parks

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# Discover the sights "Down Under" Unlock the best of Australia & New Zealand

19 Itineraries | 4–22 Days

Wild and urban, familiar yet unique, Australia & New Zealand will surprise and delight, offering journeys that will ignite your curiosity and inspire your spirit. Whether you're looking for sand and sunshine or an outback adventure, look no further for your vacation than "Down Under".



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#### Explore with the best

Alongside our sister brand, AAT Kings, the leaders of travel in this part of the world, we've got your adventures covered, whenever the time is right.

#### Internal flights included

We include flights and transfers within and in-between Australia and New Zealand as part of your seamless, worry-free adventure.

#### Love it local

Your trip has been carefully crafted by seasoned experts who know where to go and when, creating itineraries that make the most of every precious day across both incredible countries.

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**Guest Review Rating** 

**C** We absolutely loved it. So wonderfully planned and executed. It was exactly what we were looking for. Isolating specific items and places to visit, and timing it all so it was enjoyable. Great trip."

Our guest John G. Highlights of Australia & New Zealand

**4.7**<sup>/5</sup> **feefo** •• As rated by Past Guests

# Contrasts of Australia

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Leisurely Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

Explore dazzling cities, sundrenched shores, and stunning scenery. Cruise to the Great Barrier Reef, and experience the similarities and differences between Sydney and Melbourne.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists The Sydney Opera House and Hartley's Crocodile Adventures

#### **Discover on City Orientations** Melbourne, Cairns and Sydney

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks Melbourne's eclectic Laneways

View Must-see Landmarks Sydney Harbor Bridge and Opera House from the water

**Travel by Scenic Journeys** Cruise on the Great Barrier Reef in Queensland and Sydney Harbor

> Travel Responsibly MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Visit the Koorie Heritage Trust Gallery

See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: ACANA

See more guest stories #TTContrastsofAus

# Australian Highlights

13 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

You'll get your city fix through the eyes of locals and experience Ulu<u>r</u>u at dawn and dusk. Spend the day snorkeling the Great Barrier Reef and seeing Sydney sparkle in just two incredible weeks.

4.7/5 feefo es As rated by Past Guests



#### Included highlights and must-sees

**Explore with Local Specialists** The Sydney Opera House and the Great Barrier Reef

> **Discover on City Orientations** Melbourne, Cairns and Sydney

Visit Must-see Landmarks Maruku Arts in Ulu<u>r</u>u, and Bondi Beach in Sydney

View Must-see Landmarks Outback sunsets at Uluru and Kata Tjuta

**One-of-a-kind Experiences** Stays with Stories: Overnight at Ayers Rock Resort

Travel Responsibly MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Visit Ulu<u>r</u>u First Nations People

> See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: IMSE

See more guest stories #TTAusHighlights

4.6<sup>/5</sup> feefo

# Contrasts of New Zealand

10 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Year-round

Ticking off cities, country life, Māori culture, and dramatic landscapes that have put the country on the map. Experience a dose of Kiwi hospitality as you explore mustsee spots and feast on must-try tastes across both islands.





#### Included highlights and must-sees

#### **Explore with Local Specialists**

All Blacks Experience in Auckland, Hobbiton Movie Set in Matamata, National Kiwi Hatchery in Rotorua, and Aoraki Mackenzie International Dark Sky Reserve in Tekapo

Discover on City Orientations Auckland, Queenstown, Arrowtown and Christchurch

#### Visit Must-see Landmarks

Te Pō Māori Experience in Rotorua and a Merino Sheep Farm in North Canterbury

#### One-of-a-kind Experiences

Be My Guest experience: Step onto a working hill-country sheep farm Stays with Stories: Overnight at Peppers Bluewater Resort

#### Travel Responsibly

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER<sup>®</sup> Experience: Visit The National Kiwi Hatchery Aotearoa

See **Trafalgar.com** or your Travel Advisor for dates and prices



Trip code: IZANB

See more guest stories #TTContrastsofNZ

# Southern Spectacular

10 Days | 1 Country | 18 Meals | Balanced Activity **Departure months:** Sep - Jul

Discover this spectacular island in-depth. Explore South Island's cities, glide across Milford Sound, see the beauty of the wild West Coast, topped off with the TranzAlpine train.



4.5/5 feefo



#### Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Lake Manapouri around Pomona Island, Milford Sound Nature Cruise

**Discover on City Orientations** Christchurch, Dunedin and Queenstown

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Franz Josef/Waiau, historic Arrowtown, and the Pancake Rocks and Blowholes at Punakaiki

#### **One-of-a-kind Experiences**

Be My Guest experience: Join your hosts, Angie and Stan Taylor, for afternoon tea in their home on the shores of Lake Tekapo Stays with Stories: Overnight at the Scenic Hotel Punakaiki

#### **Travel Responsibly**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience: Contribute to the restoration and conservation of Pomona and Rona Islands

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# Explore history, culture and timeless charm Unlock the best of Europe & Britain

108 Itineraries | 6–29 Days

We know the places that everyone should experience at least once in their lifetime. With us by your side, you'll visit the unmissable sights and spend time with local communities across the continent.

Our connections and understanding of how the locals live and the importance of making a positive impact on the places we visit will bring the best of Europe & Britain to life for you.

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#### Exclusive, unparalleled access

Long-standing industry partnerships unlock the very best of each place that you visit, like stays along the Amalfi Coast, Island of Capri and the French Riviera.

#### Revel in the journey

From cruising Greece to riding the rails through Switzerland, we've chosen the ideal transportation through each country to ensure your journey is as good as the destination.

#### Cross borders with ease

We've taken the hassle out of traveling across multiple countries. With on-theground support and pre-planned transit your team has got you covered.

#### Visit trafalgar.com/europe

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#### **Guest Review Rating**

**CONCE** in a lifetime trip. The Travel Director and Guides were the best I have ever experienced. There was not a question they could not answer. They made each day seamless. It was a great once in a lifetime trip, the islands visited and time spent at each location was just right."

Our guest Michael G. Greek Island Hopper

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#### Dive into local culture

# Europe & Britain *experiences*

You'll learn how your Trafalgar tour is so much more than sightseeing – it's about tasting, smelling, and feeling the pulse of the destination you're visiting. You'll leave feeling like you've been a part of it for a moment in time. Here are just a few of the local experiences in Europe & Britian you'll never forget. To discover more about our Europe & Britian tours and see many more local experiences, visit trafalgar.com/Europe.



#### Ride Europe's highest cable car to Matterhorn Mountain, Switzerland

You'll zip through the Alps with your included seats on the world-famous Glacier Express. Enjoy lunch on board as you journey past lakes and glaciers to the resort town of Zermatt, at the foothills of Matterhorn Mountain. To top it off, we'll make sure you don't miss your chance to ride Europe's highest cable car and see the snow-capped mountains. You'll experience breathtaking views and unforgettable moments at every turn. **Optional Experience on** *Contrasts of Switzerland.* 



# Watch a Flamenco show in Seville, Spain

You can't help but feel the passion and magic of an Andalusian flamenco show. Over dinner and drinks, let the emotion wash over you as the dancers tell stories through dance and singing, expressing joy and celebration to sorrow and "duende". This Spanish tradition will leave you mesmerized. Optional Experience on Best of Spain, and Highlights of Spain and Portugal.



#### Explore The Vatican, Vatican City

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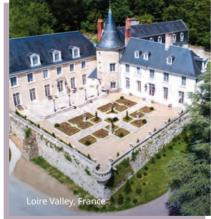
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