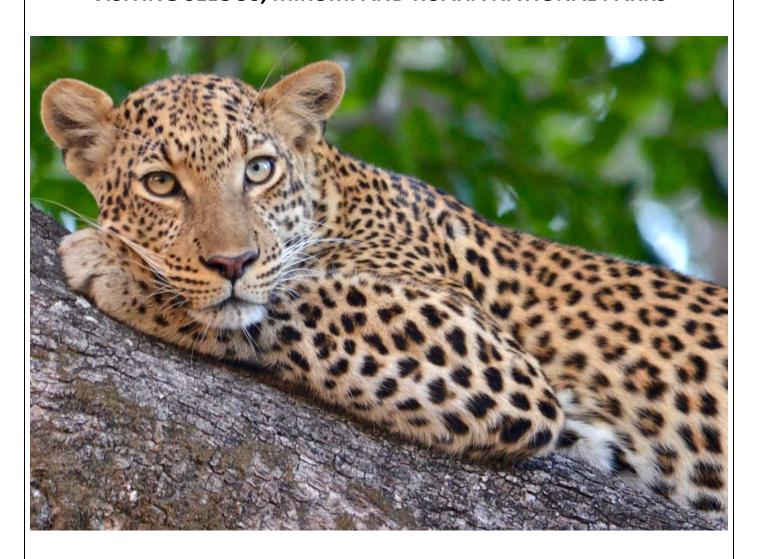


JUST SOUTHERN TANZANIA A 12 DAY/11 NIGHT DRIVE IN SAFARI VISITING SELOUS, MIKUMI AND RUAHA NATIONAL PARKS



Day One - Dar es Salaam

On arrival at into Dar es Salaam International Airport please make your way to passport control to purchase entrance visas, pick up your luggage and proceed to the arrivals hall where you will be met and transferred to The Serena Hotel for one night on a bed and breakfast basis.

Day Two - Dar es Salaam - Rufiji River Camp, Selous Game Reserve

At 0700 you will be met by your guide at the hotel to begin your drive with a private 4x4 to the Selous Game Reserve, arriving at approximately 1330

Enjoy a late lunch at the Rufiji River Camp and afternoon game drive in the Reserve

Dinner and overnight at Rufiji River Camp

Rufiji River Camp enjoys an enviable location high up on the banks of the Great Rufiji River where spectacular sunsets are chorused by hippos grunting and glorious of bird song. The tents are all pitched underneath thatched roofs with massive verandas giving views up and down the river. Each tent has an en suite bathroom, with solar heated water for showering. There are 11 individual classic individual tents well spaced along the riverbank.



Day Three - On safari at Rufiji River Camp Enjoy a full day game viewing in the reserve Meals and overnight at Rufiji River Camp

Day Four – On safari at Rufiji River Camp

Early morning depart for a shared waking safari in the reserve accompanied with an armed ranger. In the afternoon, enjoy a boat safari where you will explore the different channels and lakes of the Rufiji River System

Meals and overnight at Rufiji River Camp

Day Five - On safari at Sable Mountain Lodge

After breakfast, drive from Rufiji river Camp with packed lunches to sable Mountain Lodge En-route a full day game drive in Selous game reserve

Dinner and overnight at Sable Mountain Lodge

Day Six – On safari at Sable Mountain Lodge

Morning and afternoon game drives in Selous game reserve.

All meals and overnight at Sable Mountain Lodge

Day Seven - Sable Mountain to Stanley's Kopje

Early Breakfast and then around 0700 drive to Mikumi National Park arriving at Stanley's Kopje for lunch. After lunch a game drive in Mikumi National Park

Dinner and overnight at Stanley's kopje

Stanley's Kopje is the only camp in Mikumi National park set up on a rocky kopje on the Mkata flood plain; it presides over the best game viewing area of the park, the Mwanamboga waterhole.

The 12 spacious and airy Meru-style tents spaced on the kopje are each themed around the history of an Explorer or Slave Trader. The tents are pitched on high wooden platforms with traditionally built thatched roofs, which provide shade from the sun. Each luxurious tent has it's own bathroom with solar heated running water for showering. In front, there are large verandas with chairs and table from which to fully appreciate the views.



Day Eight - Stanley's Kopje

Morning and afternoon game drives in Mikumi National Park

All meals and overnight at Stanley's kopje

Day Nine - Stanley's kopje to Ruaha River Lodge

An early Breakfast and then at around 0800h collect lunch boxes and drive to Ruaha National Park which is famous for its rare sable antelope, roan antelope, and big herds of elephants. The park represents a transition zone where eastern and southern African flora and fauna overlap.

Dinner and overnight at Ruaha River Lodge

Set on one of the most stunning stretches of the Great Ruaha River, you can see game throughout the day from the comfort of your veranda. Built out of local stone and thatch, the lodge is built around natural kopjes on a bend in the river. Each chalet has stunning views from a large veranda out the front,

while the huge interiors feature a sitting area, writing desk and either twin or double beds. At the rear of each chalet is a large bathroom decorated with found timber, a shower and double basins.



Day Ten - On safari at Ruaha River Lodge

Enjoy a full day game drive in the park. Nearly 500 bird species have been sighted within the park. The river area features large numbers of hippo and crocodile and attracts lion, leopard, hunting dog, waterbuck, impala, giraffe, warthog and eland. Grants gazelle, ostrich and cheetah may be seen on the plains.

Meals and overnight at Ruaha River Lodge

Day Eleven - On safari at Ruaha River Lodge

Morning and afternoon game drives in Ruaha National Park

Meals and overnight at Ruaha River Lodge

Day Twelve - Fly back to Dar es Salaam

After breakfast transfer to the airstrip for your flight to Dar es Salaam departing at 1430 and arriving at 1610. On arrival you will be met and transferred to Dar es Salaam International Airport for your international flight back home.



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