

KENYA UNDER CANVAS



JUNE 1-13, 2012

\$4,795 per person* (land package only)

\$1,495, single supplement

WHY WE PICKED IT The Serengeti, Maasai Mara game reserves, the Great Rift Valley and an elephant orphanage are all part of this classic, twelve-day luxury tour in Kenya's wildlife country. Expert local guides and naturalists will accompany us in safari vehicles, minibuses and small aircraft to enhance our experience and appreciation of wildlife and their habitats. Prepare to be captivated as we encounter some of the planet's most fascinating and exotic creatures! Optional extensions available to Amboseli National Park, Mount Kilimanjaro and Travo West National Park.

CLASSIC ESCAPES Classic Escapes is a family-owned, boutique travel company specializing in nature and cultural travel around the globe. Our team represents decades of experience in travel and our programs are based on first-hand knowledge of our destinations. Every one of our programs combines stunning scenery, close wildlife encounters, key historic attractions and unique cultural excursions. Our mission is to provide exciting, educational and fun-filled travel experiences that nurture and directly support the wildlife and cultures we visit around the world. We believe travel is the best tool for building the mutual respect, awareness, and understanding that are vital to preserving the planet for future generations.

WHY WE PICKED IT NWF believes conservation knows no boundaries. Wildlife and their habitats worldwide face the threats of habitat loss and destruction, human interference and a rapidly changing climate. The diversity of life and extraordinary beauty of Africa are a reminder of the importance of our commitment to protecting wildlife and wild places for future generations.

Ask about our post-trip extension to Amboseli & Tsavo!

***Air Package; \$1,800 per person**

***Estimated taxes and fuel surcharge; \$340**

PLEASE SEE THE REVERSE SIDE FOR A COMPLETE DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY.
TO ASK QUESTIONS OR TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE ON THIS TOUR,
PLEASE CALL 800-606-9563 OR EMAIL expeditions@nwf.org.

JUNE 1 Your journey begins as you board your American Airlines overnight flight to London. (*Meals Afloat*)

JUNE 2 Arrive in London, where you connect with your flight to Nairobi. Arrive in the evening, where you will be welcomed by your Classic Escapes expert driver/guides and naturalist and escorted to your hotel. *Overnight; Nairobi Safari Park Hotel (Meals Afloat)*

JUNE 3 After a briefing about the wonderful events ahead, get set for an exciting adventure as you visit Daphne Sheldrick's Elephant Orphanage at the edge of Nairobi National Park, which is a nursery and rehab center for infant elephants that have lost their families, as well as rhino and occasionally zebras and other wildlife. Continue to the AFEW Nature Center near Giraffe Manor where you may hand-feed the Rothschild giraffe that live here. *Overnight; Nairobi Safari Park Hotel (B, L)*

JUNE 4-5 Your drive now takes you to Samburu Reserve, which lies 200 miles north of Nairobi on the hot and arid fringes of the vast northern region of Kenya. The reserve is within the lands of the colorful Samburu people, close relatives of the Maasai, and home to a number of wildlife species rarely found elsewhere in Kenya: Grevy's zebra, reticulated giraffe, and Beisa oryx, all found only north of the equator. You'll truly understand the name of your luxury camp when you see the abundance of magnificent elephants in this location. *Overnights; Elephant Bedroom Camp (B, L, D)*

JUNE 6 We drive north to Sweetwaters Tented Camp, enjoying magnificent views across the bush to the snow-capped peaks of Mt. Kenya. Overlooking a floodlit waterhole, the camp offers visitors an unforgettable opportunity to

watch and photograph wildlife in its natural habitat. At an optional cost, you can enjoy camel safaris, and horse-back riding. *Overnight; Sweetwaters Tented Camp (B, L, D)*

JUNE 7-8 You now explore the Great Rift Valley, a huge geological fault-line that stretches one-sixth of the earth's circumference and is visible from far out in space. The park boasts a huge variety of animals, including leopard, lion, buffalo, hippo, waterbuck, warthog, baboon, the endangered Rothschild's giraffe only found in this park in Kenya, white rhino and the rare black rhino which are protected and guarded here. *Overnights; Mbweha Camp (B, L, D)*

JUNE 9-11 Get ready to discover the sweeping landscapes, incredible wildlife and amazing people of Kenya as you board your comfortable minibus for your drive to the Maasai Mara, Kenya's most famous wildlife reserve and the setting for the film *Out of Africa*. (An optional flight is available at a cost of \$300 per person). It is classic savannah – grasslands, where animals are plentiful and the vistas spectacular. In this dreamlike land, animals live in freedom, and the Maasai tend their cattle, all sharing the same land with minimal conflict. The reserve is inhabited by many of Africa's most popular wild animals, including lion, cheetah, elephant, leopard, black rhino and hippo. *Overnights; Mara Tipilikwani Camp (B, L, D)*

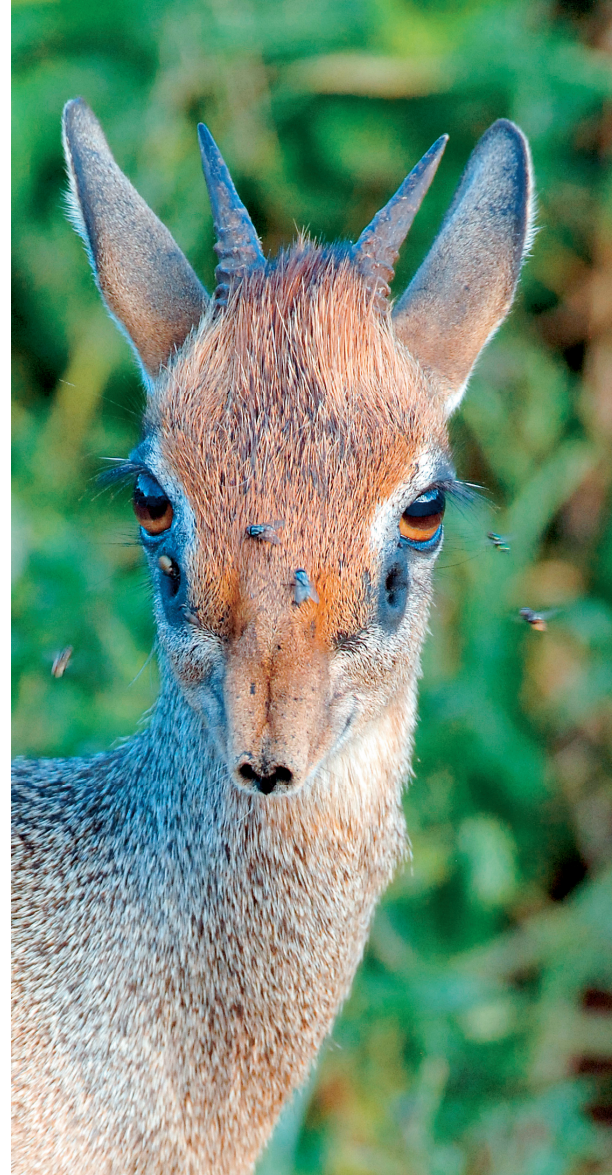
JUNE 12 A last chance to photograph that awesome sunrise before driving back to Nairobi. This afternoon, you may opt to shop in town, or at the African marketplace, or just relax at your hotel. Soon you are escorted to the airport for your flight to London. (*B*)

JUNE 13 This morning your jet lands in London where you connect with your flights home (*Meals Afloat*)

And so much more... we can't fit it all on this page! Ask us for a detailed daily itinerary!

TOUR PRICE INCLUDES: All accommodations, all transportation, all meals as listed in the itinerary (b=breakfast, l=lunch, d=dinner), all sites and excursions as specified, entrance fees to all sites, professional tour management throughout the entire program, gratuities for staff at hotels and restaurants included in the itinerary, taxes and service charges throughout, complete pre-departure materials to help you prepare for your tour.

NOT INCLUDED: Airfare to and from departure city (optional), optional guide and tour manager gratuities, alcoholic beverages, personal expenses such as laundry, souvenirs, and film.



\$500 DEPOSIT PER PERSON

CANCELLATION POLICY

Full refund minus \$250 per person prior to March 18, 2012

Full refund minus deposit per person from March 19-April 2, 2012

50% of the entire tour cost from April 3-April 17, 2012

No refunds after September 24, 2012

QUESTIONS AND RESERVATIONS

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