

ITINERARY DETAILS FOR COMBO TOUR, MARANGU ROUTE + SAFARI 11 DAYS.

DESTINATION: Kilimanjaro via Marangu Route, Serengeti and Ngorongoro

Major Attractions: Kilimanjaro Mountain, Great Migration, Ngorongoro Crater

Tour Guide's Language: English

Starting Point: Moshi

Ending Point: Arusha/Moshi

Arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport.

Pick up from the airport upon arrival by a professional guide. Transfer to the booked hotel in Moshi Town for check in. Get a short Mountain Trekking briefing from the Tour Guide for the mountain overview and later safari briefing.

Day1: Marangu Gate (1800m) to Mandara Hut (2720m).

Transfer from your accommodations in Arusha/Moshi to arrive at Marangu gate for registration. Start ascending the mountain with guides, porters and cooks through the tropical rainforest of coffee and maize plantations. Continue with the trail to reach Mandara Hut which provides accommodations like dining halls and toilets. Dinner and overnight stay at the hut.

Distance: 8 Kilometers

Time: 4 Hours walking

Zone: Rain forest

Day2: Mandara Hut (2720m) To Horombo Hut (3720m).

Hike through the rainforest for first stunning views of Kibo and Mawenzi. Proceed into the moorland zone which will lead you to Horombo Hut to arrive in the afternoon. Dinner and overnight stay at the camp.

Distance: 11 Kilometers

Time: 6 Hours walking

Zone: Moorland

Day3: Horombo Hut (3720m) To Kibo Hut (4720m).

Climb through the alpine desert into the saddle between Kibo and Mawenzi peaks. The trail leads to Kibo Hut to arrive in the mid-day. Take the rest of the day off resting and gaining energy for the final summit. It's advised to sleep as early as 19:00.

Distance: 9 Kilometers

Time: 6 Hours walking

Zone: Alpine desert

Day4:Kibo Hut (4720m) To Uhuru Peak (5895m) To Horombo Hut (3720m).

Wake up around 23:00 for adding more warm clothes and headlamps. Leave the camp and start summiting by midnight into the glacial zone. The path leads to Gilman's point (5681 m) after a 6 hour walk to arrive at sunrise. Take another 1:30 hrs. to Uhuru Peak (5895m) the roof of Africa. Have time for photographs and a little rest while at the summit. After resting for a while, start the descending to finally arrive Horombo hut. Dinner and overnight stay at the camp.

Distance: 6 Kilometers

Time: 6-7 Hours walking

Zone: Glacial zone

Day5: Horombo Hut (3720m) To Marangu Gate (1800m).

Leave from the moorland environment, heading towards Mandara Hut for some rest. Proceed with the trail to reach the final destination at Marangu gate. Upon arrival, show appreciation to the team by tipping guides, porters and cooks. Get awarded with certificates whereby golden certificates are given to hikers who reached Uhuru peak and green certificates for Gilman's point hikers. Drive back to Moshi for hot shower and much celebration.

Distance: 19 Kilometers

Time: 5 Hours walking

Zone: Rain forest

PRICE INCLUDES

- Private transport to & from Kilimanjaro International Airport to your accommodation in Moshi
- 2 nights of accommodation in Moshi
- Transportation to & from the Kilimanjaro gate
- Park entry fees, camping fees
- Team Kilimanjaro Rescue fees
- 18% VAT on tour fees & services
- 4 Season mountain tents
- Double layered sleeping mats
- Friendly and professional mountain guides, cook and porters
- 3 hot meals daily while on the mountain
- enough treated & filtered drinking water throughout the trek
- Hot water for washing
- Fair wages for the mountain crew as approved by the Kilimanjaro National Park Authority (KINAPA), Kilimanjaro Association of Tour Operators (KIATO)
- Government taxes
- Portable oxygen tanks & oximeter
- Emergency first-aid kit

PRICE EXCLUDES

- Lunches, dinners and drinks at your hotel before and after climb
- Travel insurance
- Portable flush toilet with a toilet tent is available for an extra charge of \$ 70 for the entire trek
- Flights
- Laundry (available at hotel)
- Personal items and toiletries
- Tips for guides, porters and cooks

Tips on Mountain Kilimanjaro are recommended for group sharing as follows:

• Guide \$20/guide/day / Cook \$15/day / Porters \$10/porter/day

Note: Tipping is not included in the quoted price.

Trekking Price \$1650

Day6: Transfer to Serengeti National Park.

Leave at 8:00 and drive to Serengeti for about 5-6 hours. Have lunch upon your arrival and go for an afternoon game drive while exploring the vast plains of Serengeti. In the evening, transfer to the designed campsite for an overnight stay.

Day7: Full Day Game Drive In Serengeti.

Leave for a day's game drive in the Serengeti plains. Game viewing to spot Big Five, hippos, elands, zebras, antelopes and others. Break for a picnic lunch and proceed with game viewing till late evening. Transfer to the designed campsite for overnight stay.

Day8: Full Day Game Drive in Ndutu Plains.

Leave for a full day game drive to witness "The Great Migration" where thousands of wildebeests, zebras and Thomson's gazelles migrate to Maasai Mara in search for fresh pasture and water. Explore the plains while tracking the migration with predators like lions waiting. Break for a picnic

lunch and proceed with game drive till late afternoon. Drive back to the designed campsite for dinner and overnight stay.

Day9: Transfer to Ngorongoro Crater Via Olduvai Gorge.

Leave for Oldupai Gorge, an anthropological site holding remains for the first human. Have lunch enrooted and proceed with the drive to Ngorongoro. Arrive in the late afternoon and transfer to the designed campsite. Dinner and overnight stay at the designed campsite.

Day 10: Full Day Game Drive In Ngorongoro Crater.

Start descending down the Ngorongoro Crater, the largest unbroken caldera which is a home to a variety of animals and bird species. Game drive in the crater to spot Big Five, elands, buffalos, jackals and thousands of flamingos. Break for lunch at a picnic site and proceed with game drive till late afternoon. Ascend out of the crater and transfer back to the designed campsite. Dinner and overnight stay.

Day11: Transfer to Arusha/Moshi via Nainokanoka Village.

Checkout of the hotel and drive to Nainokanoka village. Take a short walk to the maasai bomas. Get a chance to learn and see their cultural practices and tradition including local dances and making of handicrafts. Break for a picnic lunch and drive back to Arusha/Moshi.

PRICE INCLUDES

- National Park entrance fees
- Full board accommodation on tour
- Service of an English speaking driver guide
- Transport based on an excellent 4*4 Vehicle rebuilt for Safari
- Game drives as per the Itinerary
- Complimentary bottle of water the first and second day
- Government taxes

PRICE EXCLUDES

- International flights
- Transport outside the itinerary schedule
- Departure taxes
- Tips to drivers (highly recommended)
- Visa, Travel Insurance (we can help arrange of them)
- Expenditures of personal nature like drinks, telephone, laundry, Internet etc.

Safari Price \$1750

Guide \$20/guide/day / Cook \$15/day.

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