

A Mini Escape to the Land of Teranga Senegal

7 Days, 6 Nights Land Package February 9 –16, 2023

Depart USA

DEPART...THURSDAY 9TH FEBRUARY 2023

You will depart from your respective cites. Flights are booked separately! The group will depart on a direct 7hrs: 35min flight overnight flight via **Air Senegal** from JFK(NYC). **Flight #HC408** departs JFK **@ 11:55pm (EST) and arrives at 12:10pm (GMT) on Friday Feb. 10th**. However, you're welcome to book separately, and fly from any city, province or country suffice you arrive on February 10th. Visit www.flyairsenegal.com to book your flight.



DAY 1: FRIDAY 10TH FEBRUARY 2023

AKSILEN! to SENEGAL! Land of Teranga!

WELCOME DAY: WELCOME DINNER/CELEBRATION/NIGHTLIFE

You will arrive at **Dakar International Airport** (**Aeroport International Blaise**) and transferred via air conditioned modern vehicle to your **5 star accommodation at Pullman Teranga**(**Black Owned**) **www.accor.com**. You will check in and enjoy the numerous amenities of the hotel before freshing up and departing for an enchanting evening! You will be whisked off to the **over water Restaurant Le Lagon I** for a sumptous **welcome dinner**. Upon completion of dinner you will have the option of embarking on a fabulous night life. You will be taken up into the **hills** of Dakar over looking the city to the famous **Mamelles Lighthouse** (**Phare des Mamelles**) where you will enjoy a **live band** and **local entertainment**. Take in the **breathtaking rooftop views** as you sample locals drinks and enjoy the show. Later you will return to your hotel to rest for the remainder of the night.

Meals: Welcome Dinner Included















DAY 2: SATURDAY 11TH FEBRUARY 2023

CULTURAL IMMERSION DAY: HISTORY/CULTURE/ART/DAKAR NIGHT LIFE Dakar City Tour & Goree Island

After breakfast you will depart for Goree Island.

Gorée is a tiny, car-free island off the coast of Dakar, in Senegal. It's known for its role in the 15thto 19th-century Trans-Atlantic slave trade. On the narrow streets, colonial buildings include the House of Slaves, now a museum. The 19th-century Fort d'Estrées houses, the IFAN Historical Museum, with exhibits on Senegal's past. The Henriette Bathily Women's Museum considers the role of women in West African society. This unique island is a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1978. Beyond that, you will explore Dakar, the former colonial capital of French West Africa. You will visit Presidential House, Independence Square, African Renaissance Monument. You will enjoy a local lunch on Goree island before commencing the Dakar City tour. After a long day of touring, you will return to the hotel for much needed relaxation. Dinner is at your leisure tonight. However, you can choose an optional nightlife for dancing and clubbing at Black Pearl or Le Thiossane night club. Mbalax, the fusion of jazz, would and rock with traditional drumming and dancing is the musical life force of Senegal. There is no better place to enjoy it than Le Thiossane, owned by the Youssou N'Dour, one of Senegal most beloved musicians. If you can still hang you will head to Black Pearl afterwards which is one of the hottest night clubs in Senegal playing the latest in Afro beats, Reggae and all genre of contemporary music. Later you will return to your hotel for some much needed rest.

Night life: (Optional): Black Pearl or Le Thiossane owned by the famous Senegalese Singer Youssou N'Dour.

Nightlife Pick up will be around 10pm!

Meals: Breakfast & Lunch Included

Dinner (Own Expense)



DAY 3: SUNDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2023

SELF CARE SUNDAY: SPA/SUNDAY BRUNCH/HIGH TEA

Today is all about self-care and pampering! Enjoy your breakfast at leisure. Chill by the Teranga beach club or choose an optional **Spa** treatment before indulging in a sumptuous **Sunday brunch at Pullman**, Teranga. Later this evening you will enjoy **Sunset High tea at the over water restaurant Lagoon** I. Upon completion you will return to your hotel to spend the rest of the evening at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast & Sunday Brunch Included High Tea & Dinner (Own Expense)









DAY 4: MONDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2023

ADVENTURE DAY: PINK LAKE/BANDIA/SAFARI/LION WALK

Today you will embark on an adventurous journey!

After breakfast you will depart for Bandia Safari Game Reserve. One of the major attractions for the only Safari experience in Senegal. See native animals such as lions, giraffes, rhinos, buffalos, monkeys and more in their natural habitat. Upon completion of your Safari, you will enjoy a local lunch before a guided tour of the famous Pink Lake aka Lac Rose. Lac Rose lies north of the Cap Vert peninsula of Senegal, some 30 km north-east of the capital, Dakar, in northwest Africa. It is named for its pink waters caused by Dunaliella salina algae and is known for its high salt content, up to 40% in some areas. Our expert guide will give you a tour of the lake and explanations of the salt harvest. The tour guide will complete the tour with a boat ride on the lake, Camel and ATV rides around the lake. You can also stop and take a dip in the Atlantic Ocean. Upon completion of day tour, you will return to your hotel to spend the rest of the evening at leisure and enjoy the amenities.

Meals: Breakfast & Lunch Dinner (Own Expense)













DAY 5: TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY 2023

VALENTINES DAY: GS CULTURAL IMMERSION VALENTINES EXTRAVAGANZA!

Today you will enjoy a leisurely day after breakfast before you convene for our Valentines extravaganza in the evening. You will embark upon an experience that will titillate your senses, tap into your femineity, and make you feel like the African Queen and King you are. You will enjoy Sabar music and dance lessons; being adorned in traditional Senegalese Boubou's by Meya Boutique and Senegalese Jewelry by Stalita. You also have the chance to enjoy Makeup By Beauty by Coumba and sit in for a Head Wrap Tutorial by Full'ART Moussor. Upon being adorn in your fabulous ensemble you can choose an optional photo shoot by a renowned Senegalese photographer. Don't forget to stop by the seduction corner to learn about the art of Senegalese femininity and sensuality. You will also enjoy a Queens and Kings edition Senegalese dinner to mark Valentine's Day. After a fabulous night you will return to your room for some much needed rest.

Meals: Breakfast & Valentines Dinner Included

Lunch@ Leisure (Own Expense)



DAY 6: WEDNESDAY 15TH FEBRUARY 2023

ART/CULTURE/SHOPPING SPREE

After breakfast embark on a leisurely day enjoying the amenities of the hotel or join us as we explore black art and history before splurging on a Shopping Spree at the local markets.

You will visit the famous Museum of Black Civilization. Learn about our vast history and contribution in Art, Medicine, Physics, Mathematics and so much more that expand the globe. You can choose to explore the exhibits with a Curator or independently. Upon leaving the Museum you will stop to enjoy lunch in a local restaurant before embarking on a shopping spree of the local markets. Grab a souvenir, fabrics, and so much more for yourself or loved ones. Upon arrival at the hotel the rest of the evening is yours to spend at leisure before checking out at 10:45pm to catch your return flight back to the US at 2:20am on the 16th.

Meals - Breakfast & Lunch Included

Dinner @ leisure (Own Expense)







DAY 8: THURSDAY 16TH FEBRUARY 2023

Until next time we bid Senegal AU REVOIR!

Our local guide will escort persons departing for their international flight 2-3hrs prior to departure time. Persons departing from Dakar (DSS) to JFK (NYC) via Air Senegal will board Flight #HC 407 @ 2:05am (GMT) and arrive in NYC(JFK) @ 6:20am (EST) on the same day (16th)! Visit www.flyairsenegal.com to book your international flight.

Please keep in mind that seats fill up quickly because it is the ONLY available flight per week on Air Senegal at a fraction of the price as opposed to Delta. In order to lock in the feasible rate we suggest booking your flight as soon as possible. Please feel free to reach out for assistance.

Note: If you wish to extend your time in Senegal or in West Africa, we can assist you with curating an optional land package. Other neighboring countries include Cabo Verde, Ivory Coast, Ghana, Gambia, and Mauritania.

Questions?

If you have any questions or concerns, please send us an email at:

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