



# JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD

## *A Journey of a Lifetime*

Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, to Monday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019  
(70 days)

### Countries Visited:

USA ♦ Canada ♦ Greenland ♦ Iceland ♦ Ireland ♦ France ♦ Italy ♦ Malta  
Greece ♦ Egypt ♦ Saudi Arabia ♦ Dubai ♦ India ♦ Thailand ♦ Laos  
Cambodia ♦ Singapore ♦ Indonesia ♦ Malaysia ♦ Vietnam  
Macau/Hong Kong ♦ Taiwan ♦ Japan ♦ Russia



**Total Distance: 19,880 nautical miles**

**Cost: \$99,895 per person (based on double occupancy)**

**Plane Registration: \$26,950**

*Single supplement available upon request*



## Highlights

<b>Reykjavik</b>	Gulfoss and Geysir	<b>Siem Reap</b>	Angkor Wat
<b>Adare</b>	Adare Manor	<b>Singapore</b>	Orchard Road
<b>Paris</b>	River Seine cruise	<b>Borobudur</b>	Temple of Borobudur
<b>Catania</b>	Mount Etna	<b>Bali</b>	Rice paddies
<b>Malta</b>	St. Johns Co-Cathedral	<b>Cam Ranh</b>	Nui Chua National Park
<b>Porto Heli</b>	Archaeological sites	<b>Hanoi</b>	Cruise on Halong Bay
<b>Aqaba</b>	Rose red city of Petra	<b>Hong Kong</b>	Victoria Peak
<b>Dubai</b>	Unique Burj al Arab	<b>Taipei</b>	Chiang-Kai Shek Memorial Hall
<b>Agra</b>	Taj Mahal	<b>Kyoto</b>	Geisha dinner
<b>Chiang Mai</b>	Bamboo raft ride	<b>Nagoya</b>	Sumo wrestling
<b>Luang Prabang</b>	Cruise on the Mekong River	<b>Seattle</b>	Boeing factory and winery tour



# Preliminary Itinerary

## Day 1 – Wednesday, May 15: Quebec City, Canada

Welcome to Quebec! Air Journey staff will greet you at the Chateau Frontenac.

All participants will meet for introductions and attend an extensive briefing covering the general procedures of our journey as well as details for tomorrow's departure.

Afterwards, we'll meet for a welcome cocktail before dinner.

Hotel: Chateau Frontenac  
*Welcome cocktail and Dinner included*



## Day 2 – Thursday, May 16: Quebec City (CYQB) → Kuujuaq, Canada (CYVP) → Kangerlussuaq, Greenland (BGSF) 690 + 725 NM

We'll fly over the immense forests and numerous lakes of Labrador on our way to Kuujuaq for a technical stop. Then continue over southern Greenland's beautiful scenery before landing at Kangerlussuaq. Because we will be approaching the Arctic Circle and the "land of the midnight sun", we will have an astonishing 20 hours of daylight!

Hotel: Hotel Kangerlussuaq  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

## Day 3 – Friday, May 17: Kangerlussuaq (CYR) → Reykjavik, Iceland (BIRK) 730 NM

Fly over ice-covered Greenland and then do our second water crossing.

Upon arrival, we'll transfer to the Hotel Borg where we will enjoy luxury accommodations in the very center of Reykjavik. The Hotel Borg overlooks the beautiful square of Austurvöllur, and is situated across from Althingi, the Icelandic parliament and the cathedral. After dinner at the hotel, you may want to venture on your own to experience the local nightlife.

Hotel: Hotel Borg  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

## Day 4 – Saturday, May 18: Reykjavik

Enjoy a full day of sightseeing with a visit to the famous Geysir hot spring area with numerous hot springs and

geysers - one of them erupts every few minutes; take a look at the magnificent waterfall Gullfoss; visit the volcanic crater Kerid and the greenhouse village Hveragerdi; drive across Gjabakkavegur Pass to the Thingvellir National Park, a unique place of beauty, with its interesting geology and history; then cross Mosfellsheidi Heath to Reykjavik; visit the Blue Lagoon.

We will see volcanic craters, geysers, waterfalls and the national park Thingvellir, which is Iceland's national treasure and one of its most beautiful spots.

It is certainly a great experience that's not to be missed.

Hotel: Hotel Borg  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*



**Day 5 – Sunday, May 19: Reykjavik (BIRK) → Shannon, Ireland (EINN)**

**800 NM**

Fly to Shannon where we will transfer to the picturesque village of Adare. Situated in the lush heartlands of County Limerick, Adare Manor and Golf Resort is one of Ireland's most evocative and spellbinding hotels. Steeped in exotic history and surrounded by medieval ruins, its 840-acre demesne is home to beautiful parklands, superb trout fishing on the river Maigue, and a renowned 18-hole championship golf course.

Hotel: Adare Manor  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 6 – Monday, May 20: Shannon**

With our local guide we'll explore the mighty Cliffs of Moher - one of Ireland's most famous natural wonders. Hike along the 700' high cliffs and admire spectacular views over the Atlantic Coast, Galway Bay and the Aran Islands.

There will be a stop in Doolin, a lovely village where we'll enjoy a traditional Irish pub lunch.

In the afternoon we'll visit Bunratty Castle and Folk Park. The park is a living history museum depicting 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> century rural Irish life through a series of cottages and street scenes.

Hotel: Adare Manor  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 7 – Tuesday, May 21: Shannon**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own. Visit Adare village – considered Ireland's prettiest village. An architectural wealth of scenic beauty, Adare's main street is punctuated with beautiful stone buildings, medieval monasteries, ruins and a picturesque village park.

Hotel: Adare Manor  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 8 – Wednesday, May 22: Shannon (EINN) → Paris (LFPB)**

**485 NM**

Our flight then continues to Pontoise, a small airport 30mn from downtown Paris. This selected airport is out of the heavy air traffic with inexpensive landing fees. Upon arrival, transfer to our deluxe hotel located in the 8<sup>th</sup> District near the Eiffel Tower and the Champs Elysees.

Hotel: Plaza Athenee  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 9 – Thursday, May 23: Paris**

An introduction to Paris for first time visitors with a half-day city tour of the Eiffel Tower, Trocadero, St. Germain des pres, Notre Dame, Le Marais is on schedule in the morning. In addition, outside the hotel you have the prestigious Avenue Montaigne as well as the Champs Elysees for great shopping.

Tonight we'll enjoy a dinner river cruise and discover Paris by night.

Hotel: Plaza Athenee  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 10 – Friday, May 24: Paris

Today is at leisure to enjoy the city. Optional tours as Louvre Museum, Orsay Museum, Cooking Class, Wine tasting can be some optional activities we can arrange for you in advance.

Hotel: Plaza Athenee  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 11 – Saturday, May 25: Paris (LFPB) → Catania, Italy (LICC)

**885 NM**

Fly to Catania on the island of Sicily. Upon arrival, we'll transfer to Taormina's seaside district on the Mediterranean Sea. Set on its own exclusive beach, beside one of the most beautiful coastlines in all of Italy, Villa Sant'Andrea overlooks the tranquil aquamarine sea. Built by an aristocratic family in 1830 among lush, subtropical gardens, this secluded retreat retains all the charm of a private residence. Relax in a sun-dappled seat or enjoy a short cable car ride to the center of Taormina with its many cultural attractions and sophisticated shopping scene.



Hotel: Villa Sant' Andrea  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 12 – Sunday, May 26: Catania

We'll journey along Sicily's eastern coast, past varied landscapes, gardens and traditional villages including Fiumefreddo di Sicilia before heading inland for a visit to a local winery. Rising in elevation, enjoy views of Mt Etna, the largest active volcano in Europe and a UNESCO World Heritage site that dominates the Sicilian landscape.

Hotel: Villa Sant' Andrea  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

### Day 13 – Monday, May 27: Catania

Today is at leisure to relax at the resort or explore on your own.

Hotel: Villa Sant' Andrea  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 14 – Tuesday, May 28: Catania (LICC) → Malta (LMML)

**100 NM**



Fly to Malta, part of the European Union since May 2004. This peaceful island is an ideal location to relax.

Hotel: Domus Zamitello  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 15 – Wednesday, May 29: Malta

Our half-day city tour includes a visit to Valletta, the capital city, built in 1565 by the Knights of St. John. Our tour starts with a visit to the Upper Barakka Gardens where you can admire views overlooking the stunning fortified Grand Harbour. It also features the magnificent St. John's Co. Cathedral where you can view Caravaggio's 'Beheading of St. John'.

The final stop in Valletta is the Grand Masters Palace, the old seat of the order of St. John and today used as home to the parliament. We will also enjoy a tour of a private palace: Casa Rocca Picolla.

The afternoon is free to enjoy on your own the city or just relax at the hotel.

You may be interested to tour the Aviation Museum or the delightful fortified city Mdina located 20 minutes from the hotel.

Hotel: Domus Zamitello  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 16 – Thursday, May 30: Malta (LMML) → Athens, Greece (LGAV)**

**475 NM**

Fly to Athens where we will transfer to the Amanzoe in Porto Heli.

The scenic town of Porto Heli is situated on the east coast of the Peloponnese and across from the cosmopolitan islands of Spetses and Hydra. Encircled by a dazzling blue sea, this area is the birthplace of legends and civilization, blessed by a history that embraces the Spartans and Romans, the Byzantines and Venetians, all drawn here over the millennia because of the region's beauty, wealth and strategic location.

The Amanzoe is situated on a hilltop close to the town of Porto Heli and offers panoramic views of the Peloponnese countryside and coastline.

Hotel: Amanzoe  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 17 – Friday, May 31: Porto Heli**

With a wealth of archaeological sites to explore, we'll set out today to discover some of the area's ancient history.

Hotel: Amanzoe  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

### Day 18 – Saturday, June 1: Porto Heli

Today we'll cruise along the Peloponnese peninsula surrounded by Greek islands and uninhabited islets as we sail and swim in secluded coves and visit the cosmopolitan island of Spetse - known for its seafaring traditions and Venetian and neoclassical architecture.

Hotel: Amanzoe  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 19 – Sunday, June 2: Athens (LGAV) → Aqaba, Jordan

745 NM

Fly to Aqaba, Jordan.

Gracefully situated on the sandy beaches and azure waters of the Red Sea, the Kempinski offers vibrant coral reefs, majestic mountains and incredible historic sites. With unforgettable scenery, abundant seaside activities and beautiful weather, you'll enjoy breathtaking beauty in a breathtaking setting. Enjoy this unique city embedded with a fusion of history, nature, and city life surrounded by picturesque mountains and blue sea.

Hotel: Kempinski  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



### Day 20 – Monday, June 3: Aqaba

Our full day tour today takes us to the rose red city in Petra (travel time approx. 1.5 hrs). We'll begin at the Visitor's Center for a walk through the Siq for a breathtaking experience when you first step foot in Petra. We'll continue to the beautiful Treasury, along the Street of Facades, the Royal Tombs and Qasr Al Bent. Considered one of the wonders of the world, Petra is an archaeological, anthropological and geological phenomenon. We'll learn legends, myths and truths about this incredible city. We will explore all the major sites and ruins along the route.

Hotel: Kempinski  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 21 – Tuesday, June 4: Aqaba (OJAQ) → Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (OERK) → Dubai, UAE (OMDB) 685 + 460 NM**

Fly to Dubai. There will be a technical stop in Riyadh to refuel and have lunch.

***The Hotel:***

Designed to resemble a billowing sail, the hotel soars to a height of 321 meters, dominating the Dubai coastline. At night, it offers an unforgettable sight, surrounded by choreographed color sculptures of water and fire. This all-suite hotel reflects the finest that the world has to offer.

Originally a small fishing village, Dubai created the busiest souks on the Persian Gulf coast. Explore its magnificent mosque and old wind-tower houses, then choose from an array of options: glimpse daily Arab life as a guest in a Dubai home; learn to cook classic Arabian delicacies; visit a wharf to see traditional dhow construction; or visit a race track for a hands-on experience with magnificent Arabian horses.

Hotel: Burj al Arab  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 22 – Wednesday, June 5: Dubai**

Relax at the hotel or enjoy the fabulous shopping.

***4x4 Dune Bashing Drive***

Later this afternoon we will board our 4-wheel drive vehicles and drive the mysterious desert. We'll roll dunes through the Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve.



After exploring the desert in our 4X4s we'll make a stop to visit a desert safari camp to see the camels. There'll be time to experience a short camel ride before enjoying cocktails as we watch a spectacular desert sunset.

Note: You have the alternate option of experiencing the Aston Martin Driving Experience at the Yas Marina Circuit.

Hotel: Burj al Arab  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 23 – Thursday, June 6: Dubai**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Burj al Arab  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 24 – Friday, June 7: Dubai (OMDB) → Karachi, Pakistan (OPKC) → Agra, India (VIAG) 955 + 380 NM**

Fly to Agra where we will transfer to our hotel, the Oberoi Amarvilas. Sixty-four fountains, filigreed stone bridges, and pillars greet guests as they cross the torch-lit courtyard of the grand entrance pavilion of the hotel. Once situated in your room, enjoy the opulence of your own private view of the greatest monument to love, the Taj Mahal.

Hotel: Oberoi Amarvilas  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 25 – Saturday, June 8: Agra

Wake up to the magnificent sight of the Taj Mahal, bathed by the first rays of dawn. Located just five minutes from the hotel, we will visit the Taj Mahal - probably the most extravagant monument ever built for love. Constructed by Emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his second wife, Mumtaz Mahal, this striking mausoleum has become the de facto tourist emblem of India.

Hotel: Oberoi Amarvilas  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 26 – Sunday, June 9: Agra

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own. The majestic Amarvilas pool is both under cover and in the open air with lounge chairs equally placed for guests to soak up the sun or take some shade under a parasol.

Optional activities include a visit to the Oberoi Spa featuring therapy rooms with view of the Taj Mahal.

Hotel: Oberoi Amarvilas  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



### Day 27 – Monday, June 10: Agra (VIAG) → Kolkata, India → Chiang Mai, Thailand (VTCC) 630 + 635 NM

Fly to Chiang Mai. Chiang Mai is a great city to visit but it doesn't mean we have to stay in the heart of it - especially when the Four Seasons sits on 20 breathtaking acres of tropical gardens and rice paddies in the Mae Rim Valley. It can be hard to drag yourself away from your polished teak floors, double vanity, oversized bathtub and spacious veranda for a visit to the fully equipped fitness club and tennis courts or the ultimate spa for indulging every one of your senses.

The rest of the day is free to relax and enjoy this beautiful setting.

Hotel: Four Seasons  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



### Day 28 – Tuesday, June 11: Chiang Mai

Today is at leisure. You may be interested by an optional cooking class, orchids plantation, shopping or experience your first Thai Massage.

Hotel: Four Seasons  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 29 – Wednesday, June 12: Chiang Mai

Depart your hotel for a trek through Chiang Mai's lush forest. Encounter elephants taking their morning bath in the running stream as we discover the flourishing landscape surrounding us. A relaxing bamboo raft ride on the Mae Ping River will allow us to discover the scenery in a relaxing atmosphere before returning to the hotel.

Hotel: Four Seasons  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 30 – Thursday, June 13: Chiang Mai**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Four Seasons  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 31 – Friday, June 14: Chiang Mai (VTCC) → Luang Prabang, Laos (VLLB)**

**195 NM**

Fly to Luang Prabang, the formal royal capital of Laos and an enchanting city that is small enough to explore on foot. Declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1995, the town is surrounded by extraordinary natural beauty including spectacular waterfalls, sheer amber-colored cliffs and ancient cave complexes. According to legend, the Buddha smiled when he rested here for a day during his travels, prophesying that it would one day be the site of a rich and powerful capital city.

Hotel: Amantaka  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 32 – Saturday, June 15: Luang Prabang**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own. You will be provided with a menu of activities to select from today.

In addition, complimentary bicycles are available at the hotel to explore the local area.

Hotel: Amantaka  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 33 – Sunday, June 16: Luang Prabang**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own. An additional activity is included today.

Hotel: Amantaka  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 34 – Monday, June 17: Luang Prabang → Hanoi, Vietnam (VVNB)**

**585 NM**

We will fly today to Hanoi and enjoy the Sofitel located in the city. Although it is the modern-day capital of Vietnam, Hanoi still retains the mystery and charm of past centuries.



Hotel: Sofitel Metropole  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 35 – Tuesday, June 18: Hanoi to Halong Bay**

Our morning departure to Halong Bay will take you on a journey through the rich farmlands of the Red River Delta. You will have the opportunity to observe everyday life of Vietnam's villages as you see villagers work the local rice fields. We'll arrive in Haiphong and board the Orchid Cruise - luxurious ships boasting 18 spacious private cabins with fully equipped bathrooms and panoramic balconies.

A truly memorable experience awaits you as you cruise this delightful Bay, reveling in its tranquility as you escape the bustling tourist sights.

The first day of our cruise provides an introduction to the amazing scenery of Halong Bay and Cat Ba Island. We'll end the day watching a magnificent sunset over the Gulf of Tonkin.

Overnight onboard.

Hotel: Orchid Cruise (cruise)

*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 36 – Wednesday, June 19:  
Halong Bay cruise**

After breakfast on board, visit Viet Hai Village. You will take a bicycle trip along the village path and go through rain forests and dark tunnel.



In the afternoon we'll view the beautiful islands of Lan Ha Bay before enjoying a traditional cooking class onboard.

After dinner, try your hand at squid fishing!

Overnight onboard.

Hotel: Orchid Cruise (cruise)

*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 37 – Thursday, June 20: Halong Bay to Hanoi**

After breakfast our journey continues as we head out to explore the bay in the area where Ao Ech is situated. Explore on your own as you kayak at the Ao Ech area to discover the hidden charm of Lan Ha Bay. Enjoy a delightful brunch before disembarking. Transfer back to Hanoi and the Sofitel Metropole hotel.

Hotel: Sofitel Metropole

*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 38 – Friday, June 21: Hanoi (VVNB) → Siem Reap, Cambodia (VDSR)**

**480 NM**

Fly to Siem Reap – gateway to Angkor (the UNESCO World Heritage Site containing the magnificent remains of the Khmer civilization). There will be a technical stop in Pontianak to refuel.



Hotel: Amansara

*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 39 – Saturday, June 22: Siem Reap**

Board Tuk Tuks as we begin our visit to the Hindu temple complex, Angkor Wat, to explore its spectacular monuments. It is the best-preserved temple at the site and it is the only one to have remained a significant religious center since its foundation –first Hindu, dedicated to the god Vishnu, then Buddhist. Visit Angkor Thom and Ta Phrom, a charming temple embedded in a forest and partly overgrown by huge jungle trees.

Return to the hotel for lunch with time to relax. We will then proceed to a delightful sunset cruise outside of town and discover the life on the floating villages along Tonle Sap Lake.

An optional quad adventure is also offered today to discover the countryside.

Hotel: Amansara  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 40 – Sunday, June 23: Siem Reap (VDSR) → Singapore (WSSL) 715 NM**



Fly to Singapore, a tiny island nation, for our stay at the Ritz Carlton hotel.

A dynamic city rich in contrast, color and culture, Singapore sits at one of the crossroads of the world, embodying the finest of both the East and West. Be mesmerized by the unbridled energy, world-class cuisine, spectacular architecture and impressive arts scene.

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 41 – Monday, June 24: Singapore**

There will be a half-day city tour and free time to discover Orchard Road Street - a shopping paradise!

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 42 – Tuesday, June 25: Singapore**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 43 – Wednesday, June 26: Singapore (WSSL) → Borobudur, Indonesia (WARJ) 675 NM**

Fly to Borobudur where we'll transfer to the perfect romantic setting of the Amanjiwo hotel - a volcano-surrounded wonder in the heart of Java.

The Amanjiwo faces the 9th century Borobudur, the world's largest Buddhist sanctuary, as well as the mystical Tidar Hill which is believed to house the spiritual and geographical center of Java.

Behold the beautifully decorated grounds and views of the surrounding mountain ranges. The resort provides an insight of the Javanese culture of this rural heartland.

Hotel: Amanjiwo  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 44 – Thursday, June 27: Borobudur**



We'll explore the spectacular Borobudur Temple Compounds. Both a shrine to Lord Buddha and a place for Buddhist pilgrimage, it is the largest Buddhist sanctuary in the world. Now a UNESCO World Heritage Site, the complex was built in the 8th and 9th centuries, abandoned around the 14th century, and was rediscovered in 1814. The monument occupies a modest plateau and from the top level, beautiful views of an emerald green landscape of Central Java can be seen.

There will be free time today to experience an optional Jamu Massage (an ancient healing art form) in the privacy of your room.

Hotel: Amanjiwo  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 45 – Friday, June 28: Borobudur**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Amanjiwo  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 46 – Saturday, June 29: Borobudur (WARJ) → Bali, Indonesia (WADD)**

**290 NM**

Fly to Bali where we will transfer to the Amankila. Mount Agung provides a dramatic backdrop for Amankila (peaceful hill), a secluded seaside resort overlooking the Lombok Strait. Enjoy exceptional views from their hillside locations amongst frangipani and bougainvillea, Amankila offers easy access to untouched rural countryside, local crafts and the region's royal past.

The Amankila offers complimentary non-motorized water sports including wind surfing, boogie boarding, hobie cat and stand up paddle boards.

Hotel: Amankila  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 47 – Sunday, June 30: Bali**

Today is at leisure to enjoy this beautiful island.

You will be provided with a menu of activities to select from today.

Hotel: Amankila  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 48 – Monday, July 1: Bali**

Today is at leisure to enjoy this beautiful island.

Hotel: Amankila  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 49 – Tuesday, July 2: Bali (WADD) → Kota Kinabalu (WBKK)**

**845 NM**

Fly to Kota Kinabalu. Transfer to the Shangri La's Rasa Ria Resort – situated in a lush, 400-acre tropical setting beside exquisite Pantai Dalit Beach and including a unique nature reserve.

Hotel: Shangri La's Rasa Ria Resort  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 50 – Wednesday, July 3: Kota Kinabalu (WBKK) → Cam Ranh, Vietnam (VCRR)**

**545 NM**

Fly to Cam Ranh, Vietnam. Upon arrival, we will transfer to Amanoi, located among the 29,000 hectares of Nui Chua National Park.

Hotel: Amanoi  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 51 – Thursday, July 4: Cam Ranh**

Today is free to relax and enjoy the property on your own.

Complimentary water sport activities available during your stay include wind surfing, snorkel equipment, paddle boarding, kayaking, catamaran and hobie cat – all located at the beach club.

Hotel: Amanoi  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 52 – Friday, July 5: Cam Ranh**

Today is free to relax and enjoy the property on your own.

Hotel: Amanoi  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



### Day 53 – Saturday, July 6: Cam Ranh

Today is free to relax and enjoy the property on your own.

Hotel: Amanoï  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 54 – Sunday, July 7: Hanoi (VNVB) → Macau (VMC) 440 NM



Fly to Macau where we will transfer to Hong Kong by ferry. We'll celebrate our landing with a Rolls Royce transfer to the Peninsula Hotel!

The hotel is perfectly situated overlooking Victoria Harbor in Kowloon on Nathan Road, the shopping mecca in the heart of the business and entertainment district.

Our stay allows you to experience the glamour of travel of a by-gone era and explore the many antiques and historical artifacts on display around the hotel. The Peninsula is a beautiful way to discover this fascinating city.

Hotel: Peninsula Hotel  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 55 – Monday, July 8: Hong Kong

A half-day tour is planned to discover the heritage highlights of Hong Kong. Visit the busy Sheung Wan Market and then take a funicular tram ride to Victoria Peak for magnificent views of the city skyline.

The afternoon is free for you to relax or shop on your own.

Hotel: Peninsula Hotel  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*



**Day 56 – Tuesday, July 9: Hong Kong**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Enjoy optional activities such as a cooking class at the Peninsula or go to Macau by ferry or helicopter.

Hotel: Peninsula Hotel  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 57 – Wednesday, July 10: Macau (VMMC) → Taipei, Taiwan (RCTP)**

**470 NM**

We'll transfer back to the Macau airport by private helicopter! Fly to Taipei in the "Republic of China". Taiwan is one of the most culturally diverse countries and we'll experience a traveler's bird's eye view of modern Taiwanese life.

Hotel: Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 58 – Thursday, July 11: Taipei**

This morning we'll visit the National Palace Museum, Chiang-Kai Shek Memorial Hall for the changing of the guards, Long Shan Temple, and a ride in the world's fastest elevator to the top of the world's former tallest building for a spectacular view of Taipei.

The rest of the day will be at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 59 – Friday, July 12: Taipei**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 60 – Saturday, July 13: Taipei (RCTP) → Osaka, Japan (RJBB) to Kyoto**

**920 NM**



Fly to Osaka, Japan, where we will transfer to our hotel in Kyoto. The Ritz-Carlton Kyoto sits serenely on the banks of the Kamogawa River offering expansive views of the famous Higashiyama Sanju-Roppo (36 mountain range).

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 61 – Sunday, July 14: Kyoto**

A full-day sightseeing tour is on the schedule offering the major highlights of the city. We will select the most "must see" sights for our tour.

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 62 – Monday, July 15: Kyoto**

Take the bullet train back to Nagoya. This afternoon we will attend a sumo wrestling tournament. Sumo is Japan's national sport and the game boasts of a legacy that extends up to 1,000 years.

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 63 – Tuesday, July 16: Kyoto**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Hotel: Ritz Carlton  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 64 – Wednesday, July 17: Nagoya (RJNA) → Sapporo, Japan (RJCC) 505 NM**

Fly to Sapporo as we begin our return back to the US.

Hotel: Air Terminal Hotel  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 65 – Thursday, July 18: Sapporo (RJCC) → Petropavlovsk, Russia (UHPP) 915 NM**

Fly to Petropavlovsk. Situated on high hills and surrounded by volcanoes, the surrounding terrain of Petropavlovsk is mountainous enough that the horizon can't be clearly seen from any point in town.



Hotel: Nachalnik Kamchatki  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 66 – Friday, July 19: Petropavlovsk (UHPP) → Anadyr, Russia (UHMA) → Anchorage, AK (PANC) 910 + 900 NM**

Fly to Anchorage, Alaska. There will be a technical stop in Anadyr, Russia. You will cross the International Date Line today.

Hotel: Lakefront Anchorage  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 67 – Friday, July 19: Anchorage**

Today is at leisure to relax.

Hotel: Lakefront Anchorage  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 68 – Saturday, July 20: Anchorage (PANC) → Ketchikan, AK (PAKT) → Seattle, WA (KBFI) 675 + 585 NM**

Fly to Seattle. There will be a technical stop in Ketchikan to refuel and have lunch.

Hotel: Four Seasons  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 69 – Sunday, July 21: Seattle**

Our visit to Seattle includes a tour of the Boeing factory and Chateau Ste. Michelle - Washington State's oldest winery.

Tonight we'll celebrate with a Farewell Dinner.

Hotel: Four Seasons

*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

**Day 70 – Monday, July 22: Seattle (KBFI) → Home**

We will go our separate ways as we head home today.

*Breakfast included*



**NOTE:**

***Because of the numerous climate zones we will be crossing and the complex logistics required for this journey, all participants should be ready for some last minute changes.***

***There is no tour on the schedule of each day of arrival so you can relax at your beautiful hotels. Our half-day city tours are normally scheduled for the morning after our arrival at a destination.***

***All dinners while on this tour are "a la carte".***

***A Pilots Meeting will be scheduled the evening prior to the next day's flight for each destination.***

***Hotels may change within same category until two weeks before departure or during the tour if a delay makes the hotels no longer available.***

# TERMS & CONDITIONS

## Our land program includes:

- All accommodations in hotels listed or similar categories based on double occupancy
- Lodging: for 70 days, 69 nights
- All meals as specified in itinerary
- Wine selected by Air Journey is included with dinner. All other beverages are not included.
- All sightseeing, hotel taxes, gratuities and guide services as in indicated in itinerary
- All entrance fees in museum and other activities listed in the itinerary
- Round trip transfers between airport and hotel
- A full time Air Journey escort

## Our land program does not include:

- Travel Insurance (Travel insurance is highly recommended. Call Air Journey at 561-841-1551 for details.)
- Airport departure taxes
- Beverages (except as noted above)
- Cost of obtaining passport or visas and or inoculations
- Personal expenses such as laundry, room service, communication charges and other incidentals

## Passports are mandatory for the Journey.

Please note that hotel accommodations and sightseeing are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances. Air Journey reserves the right to amend the order of sightseeing as necessary. Every effort will be made to operate tours as planned, but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued.

Our quoted prices include planning, handling and operational charges; they are based on current rates of exchange, tariffs and taxes as of October 2018. Air Journey reserves the right to increase tour prices to cover increased costs, tariffs and taxes, and to reflect fluctuations in foreign exchange markets.

**Survival equipment** is available for rental on a daily basis and will be waiting for you at our departure point. Life vests, life raft and dry suits are mandatory. Contact us for more details.

Air Journey has quoted this itinerary with a minimum participation of 5 airplanes

## The Registration fee includes:

- Extensive Navigation log (airports, route, frequencies, information of airspace, nav-aids, reporting points, international flight plan) tailored for each aircraft;
- Flight plans and eAPIS manifest (departure and arrival) filed on your behalf;
- Pilot briefing prior to each day's flight;
- Weather website with constant updates showing TAF, METAR, Wind Aloft, prognostic forecast and review;
- Fuel availability confirmed along the route of flight;
- Flight bag, a fleece lined jacket, and a collared, cotton shirt for the pilot with his name and aircraft tail number embroidered on the upper front. Additional jackets and shirts are included for each passenger.

## Cancellation / Refunds:

- a) **Cancellation by the client:** Is always required in writing and is subject to the following schedule of dates, whereby some or all moneys paid will be retained:
  - i) Given outside of 120 days of departure: AJ retains \$500 per person and plane registration fee
  - ii) Between 120 and 90 days of departure: AJ retains 50% of tour cost and plane registration fee
  - iii) Between 89 and 60 days of departure: AJ retains 75% of tour cost and plane registration fee
  - iv) Less than 60 days or no show of departure: AJ retains 100% of tour cost and plane registration fee
- b) **Cancellation by AJ:** Should AJ cancel the tour after deposits have been received due to fewer than the minimum participants required, the full deposit will be refunded. Should AJ cancel the tour at any time due to factors beyond their control (including war, flood, force of nature, riot, civil action), they will refund the client whatever portion of moneys are reimbursed by ground operators and accommodation suppliers.

## Travel and Cancellation Insurance

Travel and Cancellation Insurance is strongly recommended and not included in the package but it can be purchased from Air Journey for approximately 6% of the cost of the Journey. The actual cost is based on a person's state of residency, birth date and amount covered. Contact Anais (561 841-1551 ext. 3) at Air Journey for more details.