



FOCUS ON LEOPARDS

17 -30 May 2008

Zambia, Southern Africa's best kept secret, features a great diversity of habitat, scenery and wildlife. We can expect a wildlife experience that is difficult to duplicate elsewhere in the world. With its large elephant, hippo, lion and leopard population, we will experience the magic and sheer visual splendor of the heart of Africa.

Of all the animals on the African continent, the leopard can be one of the most elusive and magnificent creatures to capture on film. Their solitary ways, unpredictable habits and superb camouflage, make it a challenge to spot this beautiful cat. The Focus on Leopards safari takes you to the "hot spot" of leopard sightings, the remote Luangwa Valley in Zambia.

This area is also a good part of Africa to see the endangered Wild Dog.

Accommodation will be a deluxe lodge and with two nights in a bushcamp.

Maximum Participants: 8 with 4 photographers per Land Rover

Professional Guide: [Freya Reder](#)

OUR ITINERARY

Saturday, 17 May 2008

JOHANNESBURG

Upon arrival today, we transfer to our hotel. ***Africa Centre Guest Lodge (B)***

Sunday – Tuesday, 18 – 20 May 2008

JOHANNESBURG – LUSAKA - SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

We fly from Johannesburg to Lusaka today, the capital city of Zambia. Upon arrival, we transfer to our charter flight to the South Luangwa Valley. Here the opportunity exists to take night drives in search of nocturnal creatures, especially the elusive leopard which is often found. The Luangwa Valley has been called the "Last Kingdom of the Elephants" and indeed one of the most memorable sights is of elephants venturing across the river, sometimes in groups of over 100 strong. ***Mfuwe Lodge (BLD)***

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Wednesday – Thursday, 21 - 22 May 2008

SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

We depart after breakfast on a morning game drive ending at a bush camp where we spend two nights. The focus on this part of our safari will be flora and the smaller animals on nature walks. Walking safaris from the Kapamba are exceptional with numerous trails following the course of the river. [*Kapamba Bushcamp \(BLD\)*](#)

Friday - Thursday, 23 – 29 May 2008

SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK

We return to our Mfuwe Lodge today where we enjoy 8 more days of morning, afternoon, and evening game drives. [*Mfuwe Lodge \(BLD\)*](#)

Friday, 30 May 2008

SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK – LUSAKA - JOHANNESBURG

We fly to Lusaka this morning in time to connect with our SAA flight to Johannesburg and our flight home.

PHOTO EXPEDITION PRICE

(Per Person, Double Occupancy)

Retail Price: \$6,750 per person

Photographer's Price: \$3,995 per person

Flights: Lusaka-Mfuwe-Lusaka: \$550 per person

Single Room Supplement: \$900

Deposit to Secure Participation: \$4,545 per person

CARBON OFFSETS - Focus on Planet Earth understands that air travel contributes to increased green house gases and global warming. Therefore, we encourage our expedition participants to assist us in making each Focus on Planet Earth expedition carbon neutral. You can offset your air transportation carbon impact by purchasing carbon off-sets. As an incentive for you to do this, we will deduct 50% of the amount of your purchase from your final invoice. To offset the emissions from your flights go to [Carbon Off-Set Calculator](#). Use LUN (Lusaka) as your destination via JNB (Johannesburg.)

Your Safari Arrangements Include:

- All accommodations in hotels, lodges and tented camps
- Three meals daily on safari, breakfast only in Johannesburg
- Day game drives and safari walks
- Services of English speaking guide and staff
- Park entrance fees
- Airport transfers and arrival/departure assistance in Africa
- Comprehensive safari preparation

Not included are international and domestic airfare and, personal expenses such as personal insurance, excess baggage fees, phone calls, gratuities to guides, airport departure taxes, passport and visa fees, and extra nights in Africa not included in itinerary.

A WORD ABOUT YOUR INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORTATION:

You are responsible for booking your own international air transportation. To assist you, we have provided you with the airport codes and the dates you need to arrive or depart. South African Airways will probably have the best fare because you can include the flights to and from Lusaka.

Arrive in Johannesburg (JNB) by Saturday, 17 May 2008

Note: Lusaka (LUN) is also served by British Airways and Kenya Airways. Therefore, you have the option to fly to Lusaka and arrive on Sunday, 18 May 2008 by noon.

Depart Lusaka (LUN) on Friday, 30 June for home.

If you fly British Airways, you would fly to London from Johannesburg or Lusaka.

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