

## 3-Day Safari: Explore the Wonders of Arusha National Park, Tarangire, & Lake Manyara

### Overview:

Immerse yourself in the heart of Tanzania's Northern Circuit with this captivating 3-day safari. Begin in Arusha National Park, where diverse landscapes meet rare wildlife like black-and-white colobus monkeys and flamingos. Continue to Tarangire National Park, famed for its vast elephant herds and striking baobab trees. Conclude your journey at Lake Manyara National Park, home to tree-climbing lions, colorful birdlife, and breathtaking lake views. This short yet unforgettable adventure offers a perfect blend of nature, wildlife, and scenic beauty, creating memories to last a lifetime.

### SKELETON ITINERARY:

Date	Destination	Activities	Accommodation	Meal Plan
	Arusha National Park	Arrival & Game Drive	Arusha Planet Lodge	HB
	Arusha - Tarangire NP	Game Drive	Marera Valley Lodge	FB
	Lake Manyara NP - JRO/ARK	Game Drive & Departure	-	HB

DAY TO DAY SECTION:

Day 1:

**Location:** Arusha National Park.

*Program of the day:*

Upon your arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport or Arusha Airport, you'll be warmly welcomed by your guide who will drive you through the stunning landscapes of northern Tanzania to **Arusha National Park**—a short, scenic journey that promises a perfect introduction to Tanzania's natural beauty.

In the park, experience a thrilling **game drive** through its diverse ecosystems, including lush forests, serene lakes, and open savannahs. Spot vibrant birdlife, majestic giraffes, and even the elusive black-and-white colobus monkeys. The park's landscape is a photographer's dream, with magnificent views of Mount Meru towering in the distance.

After your exhilarating day, unwind and relax at **Arusha Planet Lodge**, nestled in the heart of nature. Here, enjoy a delicious dinner and take in the tranquil surroundings, preparing for the next day's adventure.

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<b>Main Destination</b>	Arusha National Park
<b>Distance / Time</b>	<b>Airport - Arusha National Park</b> (Approx. 1 hr.,)
<b>Activities</b>	Arrival & Game Drive
<b>Accommodation</b>	<u><a href="#">Arusha Planet Lodge</a></u> (1 Double/Twin Room)
<b>Meal Plan</b>	Lunch, Dinner, Water & Soft Drinks

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**Day 2:**

**Location:** Arusha – Tarangire National Park.

***Program of the day:***

After a delicious breakfast at your lodge, embark on a **scenic drive** through Tanzania's stunning landscapes to **Tarangire National Park**—a renowned gem in the Northern Safari Circuit, famous for its awe-inspiring herds of elephants and iconic baobab trees.

Upon arrival, enjoy an exciting **game drive** through the park's diverse habitats, where the vast savannahs are dotted with majestic baobabs and teeming with wildlife. From the world's largest herds of elephants to the graceful giraffes and elusive predators like lions and cheetahs, every moment offers an unforgettable encounter with nature. With over 500 species of birds, Tarangire is a paradise for birdwatching enthusiasts as well.

Pause for a **picnic lunch** in the heart of the park, surrounded by the beauty of the wilderness, before continuing your exploration. As the sun sets, you'll head to **Farm of Dreams Lodge** for a relaxing overnight stay. Nestled in the serenity of nature, this charming lodge offers you a peaceful retreat to rest and reflect on your adventures.

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**Main Destination**

Tarangire National Park.

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**Distance / Time**

**Arusha - Tarangire National  
Park**

(Approx. 2 hrs.)

**Activities**

Game Drive

**Accommodation**

Marera Valley Lodge, Karatu.  
(1 Double/Twin Room)

**Meal Plan**

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner,  
Water & Soft Drinks

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**Day 3:**

**Location:** Lake Manyara National Park – JRO/ARK.

***Program of the day:***

After a delightful breakfast at your lodge, enjoy a scenic drive to **Lake Manyara National Park**, one of Tanzania's most breathtaking safari destinations. Renowned for its diverse wildlife and stunning landscapes, the park is a true hidden gem in the Northern Circuit.

On your **game drive** through the park, you'll encounter the park's famous **tree-climbing lions**, as well as large herds of elephants, vibrant flamingos, and an array of other wildlife. The park's unique blend of ecosystems, from its dense forests to the shimmering soda lake, offers an unforgettable safari experience. Your expert guide will share fascinating insights into the park's rich biodiversity, ensuring every moment is filled with discovery.

After an exciting morning of exploration, enjoy a **leisurely picnic lunch** in the park, surrounded by the sights and sounds of nature. Following your lunch, you'll begin your journey back to **Arusha**, where you will be transferred to **Kilimanjaro or Arusha Airport** for your departure flight, taking with you memories of a truly unforgettable safari adventure.

*Optional: We can also arrange an additional night's accommodation upon request for guests who prefer to rest before departure.*

<b>Main Destination</b>	Lake Manyara National Park.
<b>Distance / Time</b>	<b>Karatu to Lake Manyara.</b> (Approx. 45min - 1 hr.,) Lake Manyara to the Airport. (Approx. 3 hours,)
<b>Activities</b>	Game Drive & Departure
<b>Accommodation</b>	N/A Departure.
<b>Meal Plan</b>	Breakfast, Lunch, & Water.

End of Tour

**OFFERED PRICE.**

No. of Pax Per Group	1	2	3	4	5	6
Cost of Safari Per Person (PP)	\$ 1,180	\$ 880	\$ 845	\$ 770	\$ 720	\$ 680

### Additional Activities:

#### **Arusha National Park:**

- **Walking Safari:** Embark on a guided walking safari in Arusha National Park, where you can safely explore the park's flora and fauna up close, led by an experienced guide. This is a great way to learn about the ecosystem while being surrounded by the beauty of the park. (Approx. \$60 per person)

#### **Tarangire National Park:**

- **Balloon Safari:** For an unforgettable experience, enjoy a hot air balloon ride over Tarangire National Park. Drift above the park's vast landscapes and watch elephants, lions, and other wildlife from the sky. It's a unique perspective that will make your safari truly special. (Approx. \$550 per person)

#### **Lake Manyara National Park:**

- **Treetops Walk:** Explore the canopy of Lake Manyara's ancient forest on the treetop walk, where you can observe the park's wildlife from a bird's-eye view. This is a thrilling adventure that offers a unique perspective of the lush landscape and wildlife below. (Approx. \$40 per person).

#### INCLUSIONS:

- ✓ Transfers to and from Kilimanjaro Airport (JRO) and Arusha Airport (ARK)
- ✓ All Park entrance fees
- ✓ All game drives and activities as per the itinerary
- ✓ All accommodations as stated in the itinerary
- ✓ A professional driver/guide throughout the safari
- ✓ All transportation in a 4x4 safari vehicle with a pop-up roof for optimal viewing
- ✓ Drinking water throughout the day on safari
- ✓ All taxes/VAT
- ✓ Meals (Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner as outlined in the itinerary)

#### EXCLUSIONS:

- ❖ International Airfares (flights to and from Tanzania).
- ❖ Premium drinks (alcoholic and soft drinks outside of meals)
- ❖ Entry Visas.
- ❖ Personal items (souvenirs, laundry, etc.)
- ❖ Additional accommodation before and after the safari.  
Accommodation can be **booked on request and is subject to availability.**
- ❖ Government-imposed increase of taxes or park fees during the tour.

- ❖ Services not mentioned in the itinerary (e.g., optional activities or excursions)
- ❖ Travel insurance and medical repatriation
- ❖ **Tips** for guides, drivers, and other service staff (gratuities are optional but appreciated):
  - **Safari Guide:** \$15-\$20 per day, per person
  - **Hotel Staff/Other Service Personnel:** \$2-\$5 per person, per day (based on service received)

#### Comments

- Our itineraries are designed to be flexible and can be modified to suit your preferences.
- Accommodation and domestic flights are subject to availability at the time of reservation.
- All prices quoted are current but may change due to external cost adjustments, such as increases in park entry fees or hotel/airline rates. Therefore, we reserve the right to re-quote if confirmation is not received within 10 working days from the date of quotation

## **TRAVELER'S IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

### **Visa Information**

**Starting November 30, 2024**, Tanzania visas will no longer be available at entry points (borders and ports). All visa applications must be completed **online** through the official Tanzania Immigration website.

- **Cost:** \$50 per person for non-American citizens; \$100 per person for American citizens.
- **Validity:** The visa allows for a stay of up to 3 months in Tanzania Mainland and Zanzibar.
- **How to Apply:** The online process allows visitors to apply, pay, and receive their visas remotely. For more details and to apply, please visit [Tanzania Immigration website.](#)

### **Travel Requirements**

- **Identification:** Passports should be kept in carry-on luggage as they may be required when boarding all flights, including domestic and charter flights.
- **Yellow Fever Certificate:** Travelers arriving from countries affected by Yellow Fever must carry a valid vaccination certificate.

- **Plastic Bag Ban:** As of June 1, 2019, Tanzania has banned the import and use of plastic carrier bags. Exceptions include plastic packaging for medical, industrial, agricultural, food, sanitary, and waste management purposes. Small "Ziploc" bags used for toiletries are permitted if kept for personal use.
- **Luggage Restrictions:** For safari, please bring only soft-sided bags. Domestic flights have a check-in baggage allowance of 20 kg.
- **Currency:** When carrying US dollars, ensure bills are dated 2006 or later, as earlier bills may not be accepted in East Africa.

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**Karibu Tanzania!**

(Welcome to Tanzania)