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Patagonia: Edge of the World

March 5 – 18, 2023



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14 Days • 24 Meals: 12 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 8 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Buenos Aires, Perito Moreno Glacier, Patagonian *Estancia*, Torres del Paine National Park, 4-Night Fjord Cruise, Ainsworth Bay, Tucker Islets, Pia Glacier, Glacier Alley, Cape Horn, Wulaia Bay, Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego National Park, Tango Show

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

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| Day 1 | Overnight Flight |
| Days 2, 3 | Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta , Buenos Aires |
| Days 4, 5 | Esplendor El Calafate Hotel by Wyndham, El Calafate |
| Days 6, 7 | Remota Patagonia Lodge , Puerto Natales |
| Days 8 – 11 | Ventus Australis, Ushuaia |
| Day 12 | Los Acebos, Ushuaia |
| Day 13 | Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta , Buenos Aires |

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Sunday, March 5, 2023 Overnight Flight Snowcapped mountains towering in the distance. Vibrant teal waters lapping against the shore. Glaciers carving their way through the valleys. This is Patagonia – a rugged wonderland of nature nestled along Argentina and Chile.

Day 2: Monday, March 6, 2023 Buenos Aires, Argentina - Tour Begins Your journey starts in Buenos Aires. The city radiates a Latin-infused rhythm interwoven with its European heritage. Meet your fellow travelers for a cocktail reception at your hotel, located in the heart of the chic and stylish Recoleta neighborhood. Head to a local restaurant with your new friends and indulge in savory Argentine flavors. (D)

Day 3: Tuesday, March 7, 2023 Buenos Aires Embark on a panoramic city tour and coast down the famous Avenida 9 de Julio, where Parisian architecture and verdant trees line the world's widest avenue. Discover the city's most well-known sites and stop at the famous Recoleta Cemetery, the final resting place of Eva Peron. Enjoy free time to explore San Telmo, where street performers tango on the sidewalks and vibrant street murals dance along the walls. Return to Recoleta for an evening at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Wednesday, March 8, 2023 Buenos Aires - El Calafate Fly to El Calafate, gateway to Patagonia's natural splendor and known as the "National Capital of the Glaciers." Get acquainted with the city on a brief walking tour before enjoying free time to explore on your own. Gather in the evening for dinner with your fellow travelers. (B, D)

Day 5: Thursday, March 9, 2023 El Calafate - Perito Moreno Glacier - El Calafate In Los Glaciares National Park, allow the wonder of Perito Moreno Glacier to take hold of your senses. This gigantic tower of vibrant ice rests against blue-green waters – an awe-inspiring blanket to the natural world. Gaze off the shoreline in search of floating icebergs, listening to the resounding crack of ice sheets breaking free. (B)

Day 6: Friday, March 10, 2023 El Calafate - Puerto Natales, Chile Make your way into Chile at Puerto Natales. En route, stop to spend

time with some local *gauchos* at a typical Patagonian *estancia*. Enjoy a traditional lamb roast lunch as you chat and learn about the culture. Venture through the edge of the Patagonian countryside before settling into your hotel, featuring unparalleled views of lakes and mountains. (B, L)

Day 7: Saturday, March 11, 2023 Puerto Natales - Torres del Paine - Puerto Natales Venture into Torres Del Paine National Park, a UNESCO biosphere reserve. Among the jagged mountains, ethereal teal waters, and expansive grasslands, you may spot soaring condors, inquisitive *guanacos* (llamas), and independent felines. Marvel at the cascading waterfalls as you make your way through what is considered to be one of South America's most incredible national parks. (B, D)

Day 8: Sunday, March 12, 2023 Puerto Natales - Punta Arenas - Board Ship - Chilean Waters Discover this coastal metropolis city of Punta Arenas with an expert guide, where brightly colored houses meet modern skyscrapers. As the day draws to a close, leave the mainland on the *Ventus Australis*, your home for the next four nights. Head for one of the most remote corners of the world as you sail through Chilean waters. (B, D)

Day 9: Monday, March 13, 2023 Ainsworth Bay - Tucker Islets Dock in Ainsworth Bay. As you take your Zodiac to shore, keep an eye out for the area's extensive birdlife or perhaps a colony of elephant seals. Spend your day with a choice of two guided excursions: you may explore a peat bog and beaver habitat or embark on an active hike along a glacial moraine. Back on the ship, sail to the Tucker Islets where you'll head to shore for a close-up view of the Magellan penguins.* (B, L, D)

Day 10: Tuesday, March 14, 2023 Pia Glacier - Glacier Alley Take a Zodiac to shore and stand in awe before the Pia Glacier, a colossal mass of ice slowly crawling down the mountains, followed by a choice between two hikes.** Back onboard the ship, continue through the Beagle Channel and into Glacier Alley. These impressive masses of ice are so large that most of them are named after countries – including Holland, Italy, Germany, and France. (B, L, D)

Day 11: Wednesday, March 15, 2023 Cape Horn - Wulaia Bay Disembark*** at Cape Horn National Park, home to an archipelago of islands considered to be the "End of the Earth." This afternoon, anchor at fabled Wulaia Bay and visit the historic radio station, formerly used by the Chilean Navy. Choose how you explore the area with an expert guide, selecting between three different hikes of varying difficulty.** Each choice will offer sprawling vistas of the gentle bay. (B, L, D)

Day 12: Thursday, March 16, 2023 Disembark Boat - Tierra del Fuego National Park - Ushuaia Embark on your final sail through Patagonia as you enter Argentine waters, docking at Ushuaia. End your Patagonian adventure at Tierra del Fuego National Park. With the wind in your hair and fresh air in your lungs, breathe in the peace and serenity around you, intensified by the dramatic landscape of waterfalls, glaciers, and forests. (B)

Day 13: Friday, March 17, 2023 Ushuaia - Buenos Aires Fly to Buenos Aires and make the most of some time at leisure. Gather for a farewell dinner at La Ventana Tango House, where you'll savor Argentine cuisine before viewing an authentic tango performance. (B, D)

Day 14: Saturday, March 18, 2023 Buenos Aires - Tour Ends Say adios to Argentina as your tour draws to a close this morning. (B)



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* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package, **BOOK NOW SAVINGS VALID UNTIL SEP 6, 2022**

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)

Book Now rates valid until Sep 06, 2022, valid on air inclusive packages only.

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Port taxes and fees starting from \$85 USD (subject to change without advance notice), quoted at time of printing, per guest are not included in the land only tour cost.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Cruise ships have a limited quantity of cabins available in each category. Every effort will be made to accommodate your cabin choice at time of booking. If the preferred cabin category is not available at time of booking, the next closest category will be offered and a surcharge may apply.

Cabin category choices are: Cabin B (second deck), Cabin A (second deck), Cabin AA (third deck), Cabin AAA (fourth deck), or Cabin AAA Superior (fourth deck with larger room). Cabin availability is first come, first served and upgrade pricing will apply.

Due to flight schedules, a pre/post night may be required in some gateway cities (at an additional cost). Please inquire at time of reservation.

Travel with just 16-24 guests on this tour where a smaller group setting means a more personal travel experience.

*In September and April - when the penguins dwell elsewhere - this excursion is replaced by a short walk to a glacier at nearby stunning Brookes Bay.

**Hikes of varying difficulty will be offered during each of the landings. Details of the length, terrain and difficulty will be provided by the ship's crew.

***Cape Horn landing is strongly dependent on weather and sea conditions.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Triple rooms are not available.

All shore landings are dependent on weather and sea conditions, and at the discretion of the cruise line. Due to unpredictable sailing conditions or National Park directives, all of the timing and landing details featured in the cruise portion of your itinerary are subject to change. Wildlife sightings are not guaranteed.

Effective immediately and through December 31, 2022 tour departures, **we require all guests to be fully vaccinated in order to participate in this tour.** Although destination entry requirements may differ, if you are unvaccinated, you will not be able to join us on this tour. All guests are required to bring proof of vaccination (official vaccination certificate in paper) on tour.

Destination-specific information may change frequently and without prior notice. It is very important that you **frequently check the entry/exit requirements for destination(s) visited on this tour**, to ensure that you are aware of any changes that may be applicable to your travel plans, including right up to your departure.

Please refer to our Online Travel Requirements Resource page www.gocollette.com/en/landing-pages/2021/online-travel-requirements-resource for detailed information.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (1-2 hours) isn't a big deal. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, Zodiac, etc.), and could possibly

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anticipate changes in elevation. You can expect some longer days balanced with free-time to recharge or set out on your own adventure.

All shore landings excursions to/from the ship are by small boats called "Zodiacs," which requires a level of fitness to board and disembark these inflatable crafts. At all times you are accompanied by expedition staff. In some cases, the terrain can be a little strenuous. Passengers should consult their physician should they have any concerns regarding their physical condition. It is recommended that you bring hiking boots for specific excursions.

Onboard gratuities are not included in the price of your tour. Suggested tipping on board the cruise is 15 US Dollars per person, per day for the staff and crew, handed in at the reception desk on the last day of the cruise. Accepted currencies for tipping include: US Dollars, Euro, Argentinian or Chilean pesos.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Each guest is responsible for proper documentation and inoculations that may be required and/or recommended to participate on this tour. Please contact your local travel clinic or personal physician for specific details on the destinations you are traveling to and from.

Upon entry into and exit from Argentina, all passengers, regardless of their citizenship, are submitted to biometrics checks, such as digital fingerprints and a digital photograph, at the immigration counter.

The internal flights on this program are not included in the land price of your tour. All air, including internal flights, can be purchased through us.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

**A non-refundable deposit of \$800 per person is due upon reservation.
Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Final payment due by November 05, 2022.**

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For important reservation information visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1124627>.

You can also find this information on your tour documents.



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BOOKING NUMBER: 1124627

TOUR: Patagonia: Edge of the World *featuring Argentina, Chile, and a 4-Night Patagonia Cruise*

DEPARTURE DATE: March 5, 2023

GROUP NAME: Carson City Chamber of Commerce

Name of Passenger:

Salutation: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____ Suffix: _____
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1900 S Carson St
CARSON CITY, NV 89701-5261

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TRAVEL DATE: 3/05/2023 TERRITORY: W2
RES#: 1124627

Patagonia: Edge of the World featuring Argentina, Chile, and a 4-Night Patagonia Cruise

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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

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Air Seat Request: () Aisle () Window () Next To Traveling Companion

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If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

CABIN PREFERENCE:

Please Number Your Choices from 1 to 5. (1 being your top choice)

() A Cabin () AA Cabin () B Cabin () AAA Cabin () AAA Superior Cabin

We will make every effort to accommodate your cabin category preference at the time of booking. It is suggested that you indicate your first, second and third choice of cabin categories. If requested cabin category is not available, the next available category will be offered and the supplemental amount will be added or deducted.

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