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March 3 – 22, 2027



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Join Van & Becky Harden

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Van grew up in Adel, Iowa, just outside Des Moines. He grew up as an only child, and his parents reported he was extremely creative and inventive. Van discovered his passion for radio early on, spending a lot of time tuning and listening as a youngster. As an adult, he attended Drake University in Des Moines where he received a B.A. in Radio TV journalism in 1973.

In 1971 Van got his first radio job at KDLS FM in Perry, Iowa, and after graduating from Drake, was named Program Director at the station.

In 1974 he became the morning air personality at KWEN in Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he stayed for a year before returning to Iowa.

In 1975 Van became an air personality at KRNT Radio in Des Moines, where he spent a total of 10 years, with a two year break in between when he worked for the American Lung Association of Iowa as the Development and Public Relations Director.

In 1986 Van moved across town to host the morning show on 50 thousand watt WHO Radio, which quickly became the most listened to radio program in the state of Iowa after he joined the station. He was also named Program Director in 1987.

In 1991 Van began hosting a daily television program on WHO TV, a local variety show that aired for four years.

While continuing to work at WHO, in late 1991, Van and a business partner bought KLSN FM Radio in Jefferson, Iowa, which they owned for two years, then sold.

In 2004, Van invented the DayTeller® timepiece, and the Van Harden Cheese Crust Pizza.

In 2013, Van published his first book, Life in the Purple Wedge, a book about living in two worlds at the same time.

Under Van's leadership WHO Radio has won thirteen national Marconi awards from the National Association of Broadcasters, five of which were awarded to him personally as medium market personality. Van recently retired from his position as Program Director and morning show host after 35 years of getting up at 2:45 AM to inform and entertain listeners.

In early 2025 Van released his book, "Jesus: The Prequel," which was an instant success. He was concerned that, while we may have done a fairly good job of teaching about Jesus' 33 years on earth, we HAVE NOT done a good job of teaching about Jesus before Bethlehem. To know the true Jesus, Van feels we ought to know about ALL of Him, not part. That's why this has been such a groundbreaking work.

Van is married to Becky and has three grown children and nine grandchildren. He lives in the house where he was raised after his parents brought him home as a newborn from Iowa Methodist Hospital. He has the odd distinction of living in the same house three different times.

As you may know by listening to him on the radio, hearing him speak or reading his books, he is a true people lover, and is driven by serving God and people.

20 Days • 29 Meals: 17 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 9 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Sydney, Sydney Opera House, Cairns, Great Barrier Reef, Daintree Rainforest, Uluru, Melbourne, Queenstown, Milford Sound, Mt. Cook National Park, Christchurch

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

- Days 1, 2 Overnight Flight
- Days 3 – 5 Sofitel Sydney Wentworth, Sydney
- Days 6 – 9 Bailey Hotel by Crystalbrook, Cairns
- Day 10, 11 Desert Gardens, Ayers Rock
- Days 12, 13 Crown Promenade Melbourne, Melbourne
- Days 14 – 16 Novotel Queenstown Lakeside, Queenstown
- Day 17 The Hermitage, Mount Cook Natl. Park
- Days 18, 19 Distinction Christchurch Hotel, Christchurch

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1 – 2: March 3 – 4, 2027 Depart from Home Cross the International Dateline (skipping a day ahead) for an adventure discovering the treasures of Australia and New Zealand, including their unparalleled beauty and captivating culture.

Day 3: Friday, March 5, 2027 Sydney, Australia Arrive today in Sydney, perhaps one of the friendliest metropolises in the world. Tonight join your fellow travelers and toast to the start of your adventure down under during dinner in lively Darling Harbour. (D)

Day 4: Saturday, March 6, 2027 Sydney See where English colonists first settled during a city tour of Sydney, starting with a guided walking tour of The Rocks district. Then, head to Circular Quay, famed for two of Sydney's most recognizable landmarks - the Sydney Harbour Bridge and the Sydney Opera House. Take an expert-led tour of the Sydney Opera House, poised majestically on Sydney Harbour, to discover its remarkable architecture and history. Continue your discovery of the city with a visit to the Botanic Gardens and its historic surroundings. Then, have the chance to join a special presentation at the National Opal Collection. (B)

Day 5: Sunday, March 7, 2027 Sydney Deepen your exploration of Sydney's many wonders with a day at leisure. Tonight, enjoy scenic vistas of Sydney during a delightful dinner cruise of Sydney Harbour. Marvel at the magnificent skyline and iconic attractions: the Sydney Opera House and the Harbour Bridge. (B, D)

Day 6: Monday, March 8, 2027 Sydney - Cairns Fly to Cairns, the tropical gateway to one of the world's most spectacular natural attractions – the Great Barrier Reef (UNESCO). Established as a marine park in 1975, the reef is a haven for thousands of species of sea life, as well as turtles and birds. (B)

Day 7: Tuesday, March 9, 2027 Cairns Board a high-speed catamaran for an exciting excursion to the Great Barrier Reef. Explore the reef from your base on Green Island. Enjoy a glass-bottom boat ride, stroll the island's walking trails, relax on the beach, snorkel or just watch the fish and sea turtles swim past from the pier. For a more adventurous encounter with the reef, an optional outer reef tour is also available. (B, L)

Day 8: Wednesday, March 10, 2027 Cairns Soak up the tropical atmosphere – the day is yours. Perhaps you will take an optional tour on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway, taking you above the rainforest canopy for a bird's-eye view of unspoiled nature. You might like to wander through Rusty's Markets in search of the perfect souvenir, or enjoy the unique sea life at the Cairns Aquarium. (B, D)

Day 9: Thursday, March 11, 2027 Cairns This morning, head to Mossman Gorge for an Indigenous-led walk through the ancient Daintree Rainforest, the world's oldest and Australia's largest. Learn the unique connection that the local Indigenous population have with the forest. Then, visit Hartley's Crocodile



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IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. **(See registration form for consent.)**

Adventures to see crocodiles on a nature cruise. Enjoy lunch before exploring to see Australian animals like kangaroos, wombats, wild birds, reptiles, and wallabies. Visit with a koala and chat with a wildlife naturalist to learn more about these furry creatures. (B, L)

Day 10: Friday, March 12, 2027 Cairns - Uluru Your flight takes you to Australia's Outback to begin exploring this unique region and its famous rock formations. Explore Uluru (the Aboriginal name for Ayers Rock) in the heart of the Australian Outback. This huge monolith and the sandstone domes known as Kata Tjuta were created through upheaval and erosion. Tour the base of "the Rock," learning about its geology and significance to Aboriginal culture. Experience the vast landscapes and tranquility before enjoying a buffet dinner featuring local flavors and Indigenous seasonings. (B, D)

Day 11: Saturday, March 13, 2027 Uluru This morning, set out to explore Kata Tjuta, Uluru's awe-inspiring neighbor. These towering, domed rock formations stretch across the desert for miles, offering a dramatic contrast to the surrounding landscape. Wander through the soaring red peaks and be rewarded with sweeping views that capture the raw beauty of the Outback. Return to the resort, where the rest of the day is yours — unwind, recharge, or take advantage of the resort's activities. Tonight, witness the changing colors of Uluru at sunset accompanied by a champagne toast. (B)

Day 12: Sunday, March 14, 2027 Uluru - Melbourne Fly to the beautiful Victorian city of Melbourne. Set upon the shores of Port

Phillip Bay and the Yarra River, the city exudes a lively and cosmopolitan atmosphere. (B, D)

Day 13: Monday, March 15, 2027 Melbourne Set out on a city tour and see Fitzroy Gardens and Melbourne's bustling "laneways." Visit the Melbourne Botanical Gardens and Shrine of Remembrance. Then, **it's your choice!** Enjoy panoramic views from above at Melbourne Skydeck, the Southern Hemisphere's highest public vantage point **-OR-** unwind on a scenic cruise along the Yarra River, taking in Melbourne's sights from the water. With an afternoon to yourself, perhaps you will ride a free city tram, try the amazing array of cuisines on offer in this multicultural city, or enjoy the Victorian-era architecture. (B)

Day 14: Tuesday, March 16, 2027 Melbourne - Queenstown, New Zealand Leave Australia behind and fly to Queenstown, New Zealand. One of New Zealand's most popular towns, Queenstown is nestled against a picturesque bay and snowcapped mountains. Home to ski resorts, hiking trails, and an abundance of natural beauty, the city is known as the "Adventure Capital of the World." Settle into your new home for the next three nights. (B, D)

Day 15: Wednesday, March 17, 2027 Queenstown - Milford Sound - Queenstown Soak in the rugged grandeur of Hollyford Valley as you travel through an ancient beech forest via the Homer Tunnel. Cruise the Milford Sound and see why this fjord is one of the most visited sights on South Island. Following the cruise, consider returning to Queenstown via a short optional flight (weather permitting) for spectacular views of New Zealand's Southern Alps. (B, L)

For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1422361>

Day 16: Thursday, March 18, 2027 Queenstown Your day is free to experience Queenstown your way. Shop or people-watch in the village, find a unique eatery for lunch, sample some New Zealand wine – the day is yours to enjoy this stunning city. (B)

Day 17: Friday, March 19, 2027 Queenstown - Mt. Cook National Park Set off for the 19th-century settlement of Arrowtown, founded during the gold fever. Follow the Kawarau River and cross Lindis Pass before arriving in New Zealand's most famous national park – Mt. Cook. Savor some free time in this Alpine paradise. You may choose to take a nature walk or simply meditate on the beauty of the Southern Alps. (B, D)

Day 18: Saturday, March 20, 2027 Mt. Cook National Park - Christchurch Depart for Christchurch this morning and pay a visit to Willowbank Wildlife Reserve. A leader in the conservation of New Zealand species, Willowbank offers the chance to view New Zealand's "Big 5" up close and personal. Learn about the local Indigenous culture of the Maori, with a paddle on the Avon River in a traditional canoe or *waka*. Later, join some locals for a home-hosted dinner. (B, D)

Day 19: Sunday, March 21, 2027 Christchurch Devastated by an earthquake in early 2011, see firsthand how the "Garden City" is recreating itself during a sightseeing tour that highlights the city's magnificent gardens and elegant park district. As the day draws to a close, toast to your adventure down under at a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers. (B, D)

Day 20: Monday, March 22, 2027 Christchurch - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close, leaving you with unforgettable memories of the South Pacific. (B)

Important Tour Information:

Book Now rates valid until Sep 05, 2026, valid on air inclusive packages only.

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 (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal. A moderately paced two-and-a-half-hour walking tour, covering several miles, hills, and uneven surfaces, is no problem for you. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing into and out of various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.). You can climb three flights of stairs easily and handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. Expect some longer days with early mornings or late nights balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. This level is not a fit for travelers who require mobility assistance devices.

Travel with an average of 37 people (maximum of 44).

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Due to changes in air schedules while on tour, the order of days in the itinerary may change.

There is one long transfer day with 8 hours or more of driving, including stops.

Wildlife sightings cannot be guaranteed with the exception of visits to wildlife parks.

Due to early arrival times into some cities, rooms may not always be available for immediate check-in.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

To complete your tour, we include round-trip 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.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

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.

Internal flights are required in order to participate on this tour and are included in the final price, quoted at time of booking.

Prepaid tipping is not available on our tours therefore payment of customary end-of-trip gratuities for your Tour Manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, and cruise ship waitstaff should be handled individually when applicable during the course of your tour.

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

Travel Requirements:

Passports and visas 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 travelers 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.

US and Canadian citizens: ETA's (Electronic Travel Authority) are required for this tour.

For travel to Australia: Your ETA must be processed in advance of travel through the Australian Immigration website by visiting <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/electronic-travel-authority-601#HowTo> or by downloading the Australian ETA app on a smartphone. The approximate cost of the ETA application is \$20 Australian Dollars. Please allow for up to 72 hours for processing. In most cases, you will be notified of the result of your ETA application immediately.

For travel to New Zealand, your NZeTA must be processed in advance through the New Zealand Immigration online system by visiting <https://nzeta.immigration.govt.nz/> (approximate cost of \$23 NZD) or through their mobile app NZeTA (approximate cost of \$17 NZD) in addition to Tourism Levy of \$100 NZD. Please allow for up to 72 hours for processing. Many requests are processed in a timely manner. Rates are approximate and can be changed at any time based on governing authority.

Collette will provide all necessary information, updates, and supporting documents for your travel requirements, including visa and Electronic Travel Authorizations (ETAs), if required, approximately 60-90 days prior to your departure.

Please be aware that if your flight schedule is via Dubai or if you are stopping over in Dubai and are carrying narcotic drugs, controlled or semi-controlled drugs, then you will be required to complete an electronic form prior to entering the country, to obtain approval to carry medication. Please use the link <https://mohap.gov.ae/en/w/approve-emergency-drugs-and-psychoactive-materials> to view the guidelines. A user's guide is available to explain the application and the supporting documents required. For regular prescription or over-the-counter medication, no prior approval is necessary.

A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the seat reduction date of August 29, 2026 are based upon availability. Final payment due by December 03, 2026. Deposits are refundable up until September 05, 2026.

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You can also find this information on your tour documents.**

BOOKING NUMBER: 1422361

TOUR: Australia's Outback to New Zealand's South
Island

DEPARTURE DATE: March 3, 2027

GROUP NAME: Allied Travel

Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Alice Springs

Outback Ballooning

\$279 USD

Drift over the Outback on the gentle winds in the welcome cool of the early morning. The landscape erupts into color as the sun's rays strike the rugged MacDonnell Ranges. Watch as balloons slowly inflate and gracefully rise into the sky. Float aloft and enjoy the spectacular Australian scenery below you. Kangaroos and wallabies love the early mornings, so keep your eyes open for them as you glide over the bush. Return to the ground and enjoy a light breakfast as you toast your airborne experience! Actual balloon flight time is 30 minutes. This option operates on a weather-permitting basis only. Time is seasonal and will begin approximately one hour before sunrise. *Duration: Approximately 3 hours.* Please note a minimum of 1 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Queenstown



Take a Steamship to Dinner

\$149 USD

Step back in time when you board the TSS Earnslaw, the beloved steamship that has been transporting goods and people on Lake Wakatipu since 1912. Nicknamed "The Lady of the Lake," she is the only coal-fired steamship still in operation in the southern hemisphere. Embark on a leisurely cruise across the pristine waters to Walter Peak High Country Farm. Enjoy the hospitality of the Colonel's Homestead at an impressive buffet where you can indulge in the best of New Zealand meats and seafood, fresh vegetables and garden salads. You are sure to find the house dessert specialties hard to resist! An after-dinner visit to the farm provides an entertaining glimpse into farming life in the high country. Cruise back to Queenstown, relaxing or joining in the revelry of the lively sing-along. Due to planned maintenance, some departures in May to June will not have the coal-fired steamship for the cruise across Lake Wakatipu. It will be replaced with a motorized vessel. *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 1 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Cairns



Over and Through the Rainforest Canopy

\$119 USD

Glide over and through the lush rainforests of Cairns on the Skyrail Rainforest Cableway, the world's longest gondola cableway. The comfortable gondola carries you 4½ miles through the rugged beauty of Barron Gorge National Park, part of the Wet Tropics, a UNESCO World Heritage area. The gondola dips through the layers of the canopy to bring you deep into the rainforest, stopping at two viewing platforms along the way. Experience the sights, sounds, and scents of this vibrant ecosystem up close and see the dramatic Barron Gorge and waterfalls. *Duration: Approximately 2 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



The Outer Reef Experience

\$169 USD

Jump in and explore a vibrant, colorful world teeming with life at the Moore Reef at the very center of the Great Barrier Reef. This massive reef system, the largest in the world, can actually be seen from space. Cruise across the water by catamaran to the Great Adventures pontoon where a diverse, bountiful ecosystem is yours to discover. Snorkel straight off the pontoon into crystal-clear waters, surrounded by coral gardens and tropical marine life or enjoy watching the fish feeding from the unique underwater platform. Explore the vibrant reef from the comfort of the air-conditioned semi-submersible coral viewing tour with informative commentary. You're sure to have a once-in-a-lifetime experience exploring one of the seven natural wonders of the world. *Duration: Approximately 9 hours.* Please note a minimum of 1 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Queenstown

Scenic Flight from Milford Sound to Queenstown

\$329 USD

Soar over the plunging cliffs, snowfields, and alpine lakes of the pristine Southern Alps on a flightseeing plane that carries you back from Milford Sound to Queenstown. Seeing Milford Sound and Fiordland National Park from the air will give you a whole new perspective on the overwhelming beauty of this region. You'll be captivated by 9,000-foot peaks and frozen lakes that can only be seen from above. Enjoy amazing views and skip the lengthy return coach ride to Queenstown. A truly spectacular trip! Availability for flightseeing is limited. This optional tour is available to book both pre-departure and on-site. This option operates on a weather-permitting basis only. This option does have a weight restriction of 286lb/130kg. *Duration: Approximately 1 hour.* Please note a minimum of 2 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



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GROUP NAME: Allied Travel

DEPARTURE DATE: Mar 03, 2027
BOOKING NUMBER: 1422361

AVAILABLE PREPAID OPTIONS

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first served basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change. Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)

Salutation: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____ Nickname: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print **EXACTLY** as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

✓	Option	Price Per Person (USD)
	Outback Ballooning <i>Actual balloon flight time is 30 minutes. This option operates on a weather-permitting basis only. Time is seasonal and will begin approximately one hour before sunrise.</i>	279.00
	Take a Steamship to Dinner <i>Due to planned maintenance, some departures in May to June will not have the coal-fired steamship for the cruise across Lake Wakatipu. It will be replaced with a motorized vessel.</i>	149.00
	Over and Through the Rainforest Canopy	119.00
	The Outer Reef Experience	169.00
	Scenic Flight from Milford Sound to Queenstown <i>Availability for flightseeing is limited. This optional tour is available to book both pre-departure and on-site. This option operates on a weather-permitting basis only. This option does have a weight restriction of 286lb/130kg.</i>	329.00

Extend your vacation with

Optional 8 Days 5-Night Tasmania Pre Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$3,399.00 USD double, \$3,799.00 USD single, land & air inclusive
9 Meals: 5 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 3 Dinners

Day 1 – Day 2: Overnight Flight

Cross the International Dateline (skipping a day ahead) for an adventure discovering the unparalleled beauty of Tasmania.

Day 3: Launceston

Arrive in the riverside city of Launceston. Known for stunning natural beauty and a charming old-time atmosphere. Tonight, meet your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. *Today dinner will be included.*

Day 4: Launceston

This morning, see the sights of Launceston and visit Cataract Gorge — a natural reserve where dramatic cliffs meet lush bushland, complete with a suspension bridge that spans the river below. After, indulge in a lunch and wine tasting at Josef Chromy, a renowned Tasmanian winery known for its exceptional cool-climate wines and beautiful estate. In the afternoon, explore Launceston independently, taking time to discover its rich history, charming architecture, and vibrant local culture. *Today breakfast and lunch will be included.*

Day 5: Launceston - Cradle Mountain

Depart Launceston for Cradle Mountain. En route, pause for lunch in Sheffield — a charming town celebrated for its vibrant murals that depict local history, culture, and landscapes. Tonight, join a night-spotting tour to observe the region's unique wildlife during their nocturnal routines. Keep your eyes peeled for Tasmanian devils, wallabies, wombats, and other creatures that thrive under the stars. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 6: Cradle Mountain - Hobart

Kick off your day with a guided tour of Cradle Mountain, visiting the historic Waldheim Chalet nestled in the lush alpine landscape. Continue to Dove Lake, surrounded by tranquil natural beauty and the dramatic backdrop of Cradle Mountain. Then, leave the wilderness behind as you travel to Hobart, Tasmania's capital city. On the way, stop for lunch in the picturesque town of Ross, known for its quaint village atmosphere. Later, enjoy a free evening in Hobart. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 7: Hobart

Get a taste of Hobart's vibrant culinary scene during a walking food tour. Sample local delicacies, from artisanal cheeses to fresh seafood, and discover the stories behind Tasmania's high-quality produce. Spend the afternoon in Hobart and explore the city at your own pace during free time. Perhaps you'll visit MONA (Museum of Old & New Art), stroll along the waterfront, or browse the unique shops and galleries. This evening, toast to the end of your time in Tasmania over dinner. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 8: Hobart - Extension Ends

Fly from Hobart to Sydney to begin your main tour. The adventure is just beginning. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Important Tour Extension Information:

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 3. This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable as is climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some longer days balanced with free time. This level is not a fit for travelers that require mobility assistance devices.

Fully-guided extensions are a great way to explore a new destination. Enjoy sightseeing and local experiences led by a Tour Manager or local expert.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 travelers is not met to operate.

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

Air inclusive rate is valid for travelers who have purchased our air package for the full tour, depending on the air schedule selected. Rate may vary for those who have purchased their own air.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Prepaid tipping is not available on our tours therefore payment of customary end-of-trip gratuities for your Tour Manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, and cruise ship waitstaff should be handled individually when applicable during the course of your tour.

Tour Extension Travel Requirements:

Collette will provide all necessary information, updates, and supporting documents for your travel requirements, including visa and Electronic Travel Authorizations (ETAs), if required, approximately 60-90 days prior to your departure.

Extend your vacation with

Optional 4 Days 3-Night Fiji Post Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$1,799.00 USD double, \$2,499.00 USD single, land & air inclusive
4 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 1 Dinner

Day 16: Christchurch - Nadi, Fiji

Today, you will arrive in the beautiful tropical paradise of Fiji. Fijians are warm and friendly, with a welcoming, vibrant South Pacific culture. The expansive sandy beaches and clear ocean waters draw travelers from around the world.

Day 17: Fiji

Your day is free to explore everything that your resort has to offer. Relax by the beach and pool, or choose one of the many fun, adventurous activities available to you from the hotel activities desk. Tonight, enjoy a lovely dinner. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 18: Fiji

Enjoy another day of rest and relaxation. The friendly concierge and activities staff will help you get the most out of your time. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 19: Fiji - Extension Ends

Your time in Fiji comes to an end today. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Important Tour Extension Information:

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 1. This means you can handle at least one flight of stairs, board a coach, and walk unassisted at a relaxed pace for up to 60 minutes without difficulty, covering up to one mile. You can easily handle altitudes up to 5,000 feet.

Independently explore this destination! While this extension is not hosted or guided, it is intended to give you freedom and flexibility to explore a destination – or return to a favorite one.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 6 travelers is not met to operate.

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Departures traveling from June to September have a limited number of day rooms available per departure. These will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

A local representative will accompany you from the airport to the hotel and be available at designated times.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Air inclusive rate is valid for travelers who have purchased our air package for the full tour, depending on the air schedule selected. Rate may vary for those who have purchased their own air.

Due to flight schedules, on some departures the optional Fiji extension is 2 nights and is slightly lower priced.

Prepaid tipping is not available on our tours therefore payment of customary end-of-trip gratuities for your Tour Manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, and cruise ship waitstaff should be handled individually when applicable during the course of your tour.

Tour Extension Travel Requirements:

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Special Needs Form

Please complete this form, sign and return it to us within 14 days of receipt.

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Pawtucket, RI 02860

TRAVELERS NEEDING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE

You must report any disability requiring special attention to Collette at the time the reservation is made. *Collette will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of our participants. Such participants, however, should be aware that the Americans with Disabilities Act is inapplicable outside of the United States and facilities outside the United States for disabled individuals are limited. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance. Neither Collette nor its personnel, nor its suppliers, may physically lift or assist clients into transportation vehicles. If a traveler thinks he or she might need assistance during a trip, he or she should call Collette to determine what assistance might reasonably be given. Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining, or other routine activities. Internationally, a great deal of walking may be necessary to fully enjoy the destination. Travelers should be in good health and must be able to walk reasonable distances. In some areas, travelers may be required to walk on uneven ground, cobblestone streets or raised thresholds.

****To request a wheelchair accessible room on a cruise, the traveler or person sharing the room must have a recognized disability that alters a major life function and requires the use of a mobility device and the use of the accessible features provided in the wheelchair accessible stateroom. The cruise company may take appropriate action against someone who has reserved or purchased such a stateroom fraudulently. Action may include but is not limited to removal from the stateroom to a non-accessible accommodation up to denial of boarding.***

Reservation # _____

Name: _____ Male or Female (circle one)

Are you traveling with a wheelchair? Yes No

If you answer "YES"

- Does your wheelchair collapse? Yes No
- Can you stand and climb steps to board the coach without it? Yes No
- Are you capable of lifting your own wheelchair? Yes No

If you are not capable of lifting your own wheelchair who will provide assistance?

This form cannot be processed without the dimensions of your wheelchair:

Height _____ Length _____ Width _____

Are you traveling with a walker? Yes No

If you answer "YES"

- Does your walker collapse? Yes No

This form cannot be processed without the dimensions of your walker:

Height _____ Length _____
Width _____

Tour Managers and drivers do not provide assistance lifting, pushing or carrying wheelchairs or walkers. Motorized scooters are not permitted on tour.

Are you requesting any hotel room accommodations? Yes No

If "YES" Please indicate if one or more of the following is required in the washroom.

- Walk-in shower Yes No
- Grab bars Yes No
- Raised toilet seat Yes No

Please provide any details in reference to the nature of your request.

Most hotel rooms that can accommodate the request will be equipped with only 1 bed.

Do you understand and accept? Yes No

Collette cannot guarantee the availability of such rooms as many hotels have a limited number of rooms that are equipped with the above accommodations.

Are you traveling with an oxygen tank? Yes No

If you answer "YES"

- You must contact the airline directly to arrange transportation of the oxygen on the plane. Oxygen requests vary by airline and location and can take up to 2 weeks to request.
- You are responsible for supplying your own electrical cords, and converters as needed.

This form must be remitted within 14 days of receipt for any special needs accommodation request.

Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining, or other routine activities and motorized scooters are not permitted on tour.

The Americans with Disabilities Act only applies in the United States. Many international destinations cannot accommodate passengers' requests. Collette will make all reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants, but we cannot guarantee that all requests will be honored on international destinations.

Collette also regrets that it cannot provide individual assistance to a tour member with special needs for walking, dining, or other special personal needs. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable and totally responsible for the assistance.

I have read and understand the above:

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

Internal Use Only

Reason: _____

Tour: _____ Reservation # _____

TS/Group: _____

Tour Date: _____