# THORN TREE SAFARI + MOMBASA

4-night driving safari in Kenya, with beach extension ABERDARES • GREAT RIFT VALLEY • MASAI MARA



This is one of our most popular short safaris because it offers a wonderful combination of mountain scenery, lake birds and plains dotted with game. En route you will see thorn trees: flat-topped, umbrella trees, traditionally where travellers would post messages for each other.

Start in Aberdares National Park, an area of exceptional natural beauty. Your stay here is at Treetops, one of the most famous game viewing lodges in the world. On to Lake Naivasha where over 450 species of birds have been recorded in and around this freshwater lake.

Finally the safari ends in the world-famous Masai Mara, home to the big five. You will stay at Mara Simba Lodge, which overlooks a dramatic bend on the bank of the Talek, a tributary of the Mara River gently blending into the surrounding wilderness. The Thorn Tree Safari offers great value and can be combined easily with a few days on the beach.

## Day 1: Heathrow-Nairobi

Fly from Heathrow overnight to Nairobi.

## Day 2: Aberdares

Transfer to the Safari Lounge, where you can freshen up before departing for lunch at the Outspan Hotel (180 km). Transfer to Treetops. (Limit your luggage to an overnight bag, the rest can be stored at Outspan. Bathroom facilities are shared). Overnight: Treetops (lunch and dinner included).



## Day 3: Lake Nakuru-Lake Naivasha

Drive to Lake Nakuru (180 km), collecting luggage en route. Enjoy a game drive in the Lake Nakuru National Park, sanctuary to one of the largest populations of rhinos in Kenya, plus Rothschild's giraffes, leopards and lions. Drive to Lake Naivasha (80 km). Overnight: Lake Naivasha Simba Lodge (breakfast, lunch and dinner included).



Drive to the Masai Mara (250 km). Afternoon game drive. Overnight: Mara Simba Lodge (breakfast, lunch and dinner included).



Enjoy an early morning balloon flight over the Mara, followed by a bubbly bush breakfast (optional extra £275), or an early morning game drive followed by breakfast at the lodge. A second game drive will take place in the late afternoon. Overnight: Mara Simba Lodge (breakfast, lunch and dinner included).



Return to Nairobi (300 km), then proceed with your chosen beach Extension or return to Heathrow (breakfast included).







The above details are correct to the best of our knowledge, however, they are provided for guidance purposes only.

Please check the details of any features that are important to you at the time of booking.

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## MOMBASA BEACH EXTENSIONS



#### TRAVELLERS CLUB

A fun-filled resort that has established itself as one of Mombasa's most popular all inclusive properties.

Location: On Bamburi Beach on the north coast of Mombasa.

Facilities: Offers a restaurant, two bars, an outdoor disco, regular

traditional African shows, live music & local cabarets. Leisure facilities include two outdoor pools, kids' pool, kids' club (ages 3-12), jacuzzi, tennis, table tennis, squash, darts, volleyball, gym, beauty centre, sauna & steam room. Water sports include scuba diving, deep sea fishing, glass-bottom boat, banana boat, water skiing, jet-skiing, pedaloes, windsurfing & snorkelling. Various charges payable locally.



Rooms:

158 air-conditioned rooms with private bath/shower. Each room has one double & one single bed, satellite TV, hairdryer & balcony or terrace. Standard rooms (3 adults) which have views of the gardens, pool or ocean.

### **TURTLE BAY BEACH CLUB**

A well-established popular hotel, set within ten acres of tropical gardens.

Location: Situated on spectacular Watamu beach, on the edge of

Watamu National Marine Park.

Facilities: Offers a choice of 3 restaurants and 3 bars - 1 with

regular evening entertainment. Leisure facilities include 2 pools (1 for over 18s only), jacuzzi, children's pool & kids' club (aged 4-12 years), tennis and volleyball. Water sports include windsurfing, deep-sea fishing, diving and snorkelling. Various charges payable locally.



Rooms:

145 air-conditioned rooms with bath/shower, ceiling fan, tea/coffee making facilities and balcony or patio. Super club rooms (2 adults and 2 children using fold-away beds) have partial ocean view.

### OFFER DETAILS - THORN TREE SAFARI + MOMBASA

23 August - fly from Heathrow to Nairobi, overnight

4 night Thorn Tree Safari (Full Board including game drives and National Park fees)

28 August - continue to Mombasa for 6 nights at your chosen beach hotel

03 September - fly from Mombasa to Heathow (via Nairobi), overnight

Thorn Tree Safari plus Travellers Club (All Inclusive) - £1775 per adult, Child price £1265 (min age 7) Thorn Tree Safari plus Turtle Bay Club (All Inclusive) - £1929 per adult, Child price £1265 (min age 7)





### **HOT AIR BALLOONING - A MUST!**

Optional Hot Air Ballooning can be arranged on this itinerary, while on the Masai Mara. This exhilarating experience starts at dawn, with around an hour in the air, followed by a Bush breakfast complete with sparkling wine.

£275 per person

All special offers are subject to availability, which is very limited at these prices. Special offers may be withdrawn at any time, and prices are subject to change without prior notice. Selected offers are subject to special terms & conditions, which may include full payment at the time of booking - ask for details at the time of booking. Last update 09/06/2011.

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