

THE FALLS EXPLORER

Zimbabwe



3 day luxury travel package (Victoria Falls Hotel)

This three day package appeals if you wish to view the Falls while enjoying the flexibility of some free time to explore the region. Airport transfers, breakfast daily, a Zambezi River sundowner cruise and a guided tour of the Falls, along with national park fees are included. Relive British colonial history at the iconic, five-star Victoria Falls Hotel.





Victoria Falls Hotel

Price includes:

- meet and greet transfer at Victoria Falls airport and transfer to accommodation
- departure transfer from accommodation to Victoria Falls airport
- 2 nights' accommodation at Victoria Falls Hotel with breakfast daily
- sunset cruise with snacks and standard drinks on the Zambezi River
- guided tour of Victoria Falls (Zimbabwe)
- national park fee and river usage fee in Victoria Falls.

Price excludes:

- visas and flights
- meals and drinks not listed
- medical and travel insurance
- dining room tips and portage
- telephone calls and laundry
- purchases of a personal nature.

B - breakfast

L - lunch

D - dinner

Victoria Falls to Victoria Falls

Accommodation: luxury

Product code: FE2NT4

Departs: daily

Itinerary overview:

Day 1: Zimbabwe, Victoria Falls - Victoria Falls Hotel

Day 2: Zimbabwe, Victoria Falls - Victoria Falls Hotel

Day 3: Victoria Falls - ends

Add on a Chobe National Park safari stay

Located around two hours from Victoria Falls is Botswana's most popular park, Chobe National Park. Enjoy wildlife sightings in abundance on 4WD game drives and boat safaris on the Chobe River. Known for its large elephant population, Chobe National Park is worthy of its great reputation as a premier safari location. See our 'The Falls and Chobe' packages for details.

Cruise the Chobe River

Explore the waterways of Chobe National Park further by adding on a two or three-night river cruise on the Zambezi Queen or Chobe Princess houseboat. Relax on board as you view Botswana's wildlife from the water for a unique perspective.

The Falls Explorer - Victoria Falls Hotel

Day 1: Victoria Falls

On arrival at Victoria Falls airport you are met and transferred by shuttle service to your lodge, which is located within easy walking distance of Victoria National Park and town centre.

In the late afternoon you transfer to the Zambezi River where you board a sunset cruise. Enjoy snacks and drinks while you watch out for hippo, Nile crocodile and elephant. As you drift down the river, watching the incredible orange sunset, you really do feel that you are in Africa. The sunsets here are stunning, with the red soil of nearby Namibia providing deep orange skies. **Victoria Falls Hotel - standard room.**

Victoria Falls Hotel

A historic icon built in 1904 to accommodate the first tourists to the Falls, the Victoria Falls Hotel is well renowned for its colonial charm and character, along with its exceptional service. Former guests include the Queen of England, many royal family members, famous actors and several billionaires.

The property's 161 rooms, which were refurbished in 2012, retain its colonial elegance and style, with a club wing, built in the old stables, including a cachet of special treats. The hotel's Edwardian architecture and manicured, tropical grounds depict its grandeur. Enormous portraits of former guests, colonial generals and early explorers, adorn the walls of numerous lounge rooms, bars, sports room and entrance halls. The immense terrace and pool area offers the perfect vantage point for gazing across towards the spray from the falls and it is here that nightly barbeque buffets and cultural evenings are held. Traditional high tea at the hotel is a must, with guests and visitors transported back to an era when travellers arrived with a dozen travel trunks and a range of servants.

As a member of the Leading Hotels of the World, this hotel deserves its reputation as one of Africa's most treasured hotels. A stay at The Victoria Falls Hotel should not be missed.

Day 2: Victoria Falls

After breakfast you join an informative guided tour of Victoria Falls on the Zimbabwe side. Accompanied through the rainforest by a qualified guide you hear a brief history of the falls as well as information on the flora and fauna and other points of interest.

Victoria Falls represents one of the most spectacular natural wonders of the world. The local people call it 'Mosi-oa-Tunya' - the smoke that thunders. There is a magic about the Falls manifested in the towering column of spray when the river is high. Victoria Falls is 1,708 metres wide, making it the largest curtain of water in the world. It drops between 90m and 107m into the Zambezi Gorge and an average of 550,000 cubic metres of water plummet over the edge every minute. Remarkably preserved in its natural state, Victoria Falls inspires visitors as much today as it did David Livingstone in the 1860s. The Falls and the surrounding area has been declared a national park and a World Heritage Site.

After the tour you return to your lodge for an afternoon at leisure. Relax by the pool, head into town for some souvenir shopping, or join an optional excursion (additional cost). Options include scenic helicopter flights over the Falls, game drives in nearby national parks and village visits. **Victoria Falls Hotel - standard room (B).**

Day 3: Victoria Falls airport

After breakfast and check-out you are transferred to Victoria Falls airport for your onward arrangements. **(B).**



Victoria Falls Hotel



Sunset cruise



Passenger information:

- This pre-prepared travel itinerary is a private travel package. It is not a fully guided, group tour. There are shared service transfers and shared service day tours and game drives included within the itinerary.
- The ground operator may have to re-route the itinerary or change the accommodation in rare cases of non-availability.
- Prices may vary when booking seasons overlap. Bookings over Christmas, New Year and Easter incur holiday supplements.
- As prices are calculated in foreign currencies it may become necessary to add a currency surcharge.
- Prices for park fees and government taxes may be changed without prior notice. This is beyond our control and any increase levied will be passed on.
- Please request our full cancellation policy if required.