



JACK'S CAMP • SAN CAMP • SAFARIS & EXPEDITIONS
PLANET BAOBAB • CAMP KALAHARI

BOTSWANA SAFARI ITINERARY



3 NIGHTS NXAI PAN



STYLES & STANDARDS...

ON **SAFARI** WITH UNCHARTED AFRICA SAFARI CO.

OUR LUXURIOUS MOBILE-TENTED CAMPS ON EXCLUSIVE SITES, PLACE YOU IN THE HEART OF NATURE IN THE GREATEST COMFORT. SAFETY, SECURITY AND SERENITY ARE OUR CORE VALUES...



FLUSH LOOS, **DOWN PILLOWS**, PURE COTTON SHEETS, PERSIAN RUGS, **BONE-HANDLED SILVER** CUTLERY, **DAMASK** TABLE LINEN, TEAK AND BRASS COMBINE **COMFORT WITH STYLE...**



We deploy only the most experienced and qualified of the company's Guides on our mobile expeditions. Carefully trained by Ralph Bousfield, each qualified Biologist Guide must have a minimum of at least two years guiding experience in the Kalahari allowing us to give our Guests a holistic understanding of this magical and pristine wilderness environment.

Uncharted Africa Safari co's vehicles are top-of-the-range, extremely comfortable Toyota Landcruisers. The multiple thoughtful details including roof top seats, leather beanbags for photography and ponchos, to keep one warm during sunrise drives, make them perfect for game viewing.

Camp will be comprised of large tents equipped in a luxurious fashion unequalled on any other mobile safari.

Real beds, flush loos, down pillows, pure cotton sheets, Persian rugs, bone-handled silver cutlery, damask table linen, teak and brass classically styled campaign kit combine comfort with style. The only concessions to roughing it are the bucket showers, which are private and en suite.

Uncharted Africa Safari co. is renowned throughout the industry for menus that emphasise fresh tastes and originality.

Three course meals under the stars include such treats as fresh tomato and basil soup, ostrich piccata, roast Botswana beef, delectable orange tarts and impossibly rich, but light, chocolate puddings.

Teas are indulgent affairs with treats like triple layer, banana caramel cake, tangy lemon curd biscuits and the best brownies in the bush!

All bread is baked daily, and delicious full cooked English breakfasts are on offer every morning.



GAME & ANCIENT BAOBABS...

3 NIGHTS EXPLORING **NXAI PAN**

Nxai Pan is a fossil pan, a relic of what was once a long-forgotten but, very important, river system in the Eastern Kalahari. The short, nutritious grasses support a surprisingly large number and variety of desert wildlife throughout the dry season. With the advent of the summer rains, the area transforms, becoming a veritable oasis crowded with vast herds of migratory zebra, wildebeest, springbuck and attendant predators.





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**ECOLOGICAL
RICHES** ATTRACTS
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DAY 1

On arrival, you will be met by your Zoologist/Biologist Guide and private vehicle and transferred by road to your shady desert camp on the edge of Nxai Pan.

Sit down to refreshing lunch and grab a quick siesta.

After tea, spend the afternoon exploring the crater-like Nxai Pan. Reclaimed by the rich and productive savanna grasses and nitrogen-fixing acacia.

This natural larder of ecological riches attracts an extraordinary variety of desert species that you will not have seen in the Delta such as springbuck, gemsbuck, bat-eared and Cape fox.

Drive back to camp through a vermillion sunset to enjoy dinner.

Retreat to your cosy tent for an early night perhaps awoken by the distant roaring of a black-maned Kalahari lion.





THE SHORT, RICH GRASSLANDS ARE ONE OF THE BEST AREAS TO SPOT THE ELUSIVE **KALAHARI LEOPARD**. EXPECT TO SEE DESERT **ELEPHANT** AND HERDS OF **GIRAFFE**.

DAY 2

Head out before dawn to catch the nocturnal predators returning home from their nightly hunt. The short, rich grasslands are one of the best areas to spot the elusive Kalahari leopard.

Expect to see desert elephant and herds of giraffe.

Spend the afternoon enjoying a picnic lunch under a shady acacia tree while you stake out the quintessential desert waterhole watching the ever-changing parade of passing animals and predators in ambush.

Head back to camp after enjoying an awe-inspiring Kalahari sunset.

Follow hot showers with a delicious dinner and amusing dreams of springhares and aardvarks!





HISTORICAL BAOBABS, SALT PANS & 24 HOUR PREDATOR-PREY INTERACTION.

DAY 3

Leave camp early to explore Kudiakam Pan and the famous Baines (“Sleeping”) baobabs painted by Sir Thomas Baines in 1852 and virtually unchanged over more than 160 years.

Kudiakam is also home to huge herds of gemsbuck, springbuck and cheetah lurking with serious intent!

Retreat to the deep shade of the branches of the baobabs for a picnic lunch.

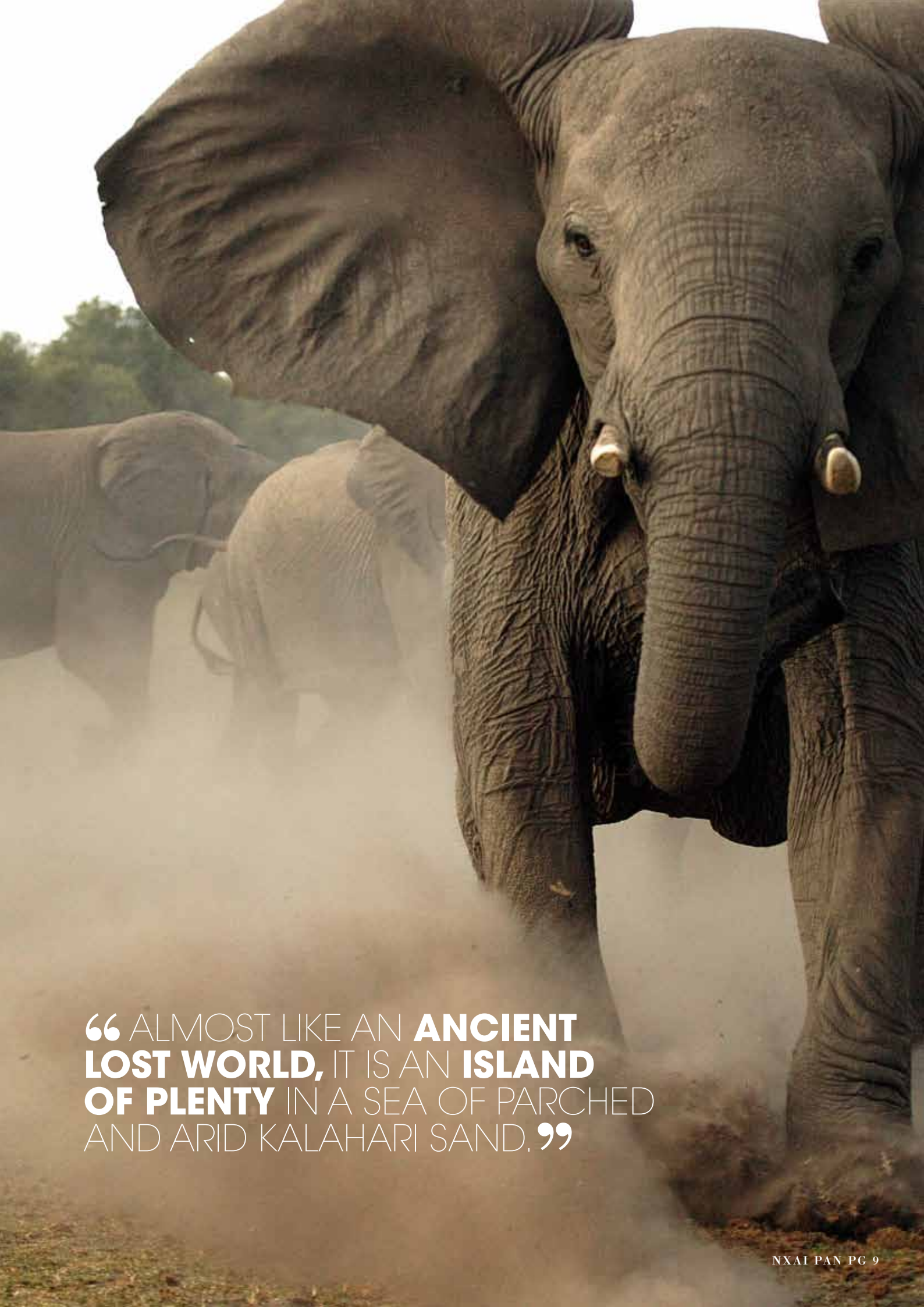
After a short nap, explore the surrounding locale to learn more about the fascinating archaeology and history of the area.

Head back to camp for a final star-lit dinner around the fire.

DAY 4

After an early morning game drive and an al fresco bush-brunch, depart for your next adventure.





“ALMOST LIKE AN **ANCIENT
LOST WORLD**, IT IS AN **ISLAND
OF PLENTY** IN A SEA OF PARCHED
AND ARID KALAHARI SAND.”