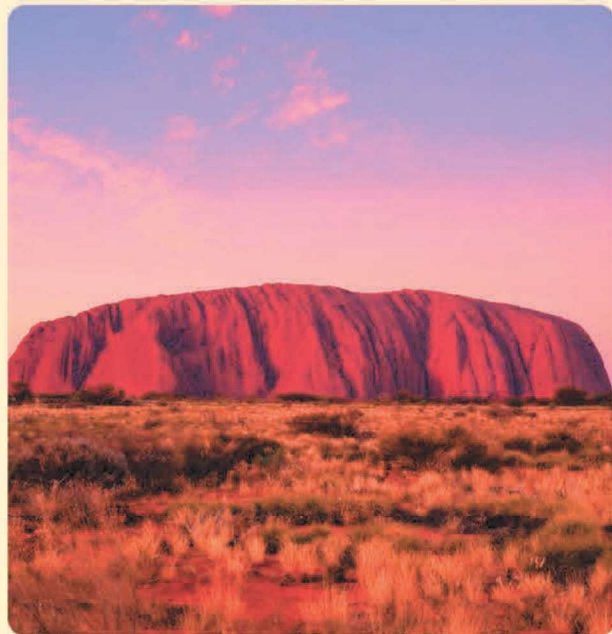


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## INCLUSIONS:

- Full Day Blue Mountain Tour with Featherdale Wildlife Park & lunch.
- Sydney Half Day City Sightseeing Tour and Sydney Opera House a Private Tour.
- 2-Course lunch Sydney Harbour cruise.
- Great Barrier reef Michaelmas Cay Cruise with lunch.
- Full Day Kuranda and rainforest touring with lunch.
- Ayers Rock - Sounds of Silence Dinner.
- Uluru Sunrise & Base Tour & Kata Tjuta/ Sunset tour.
- Ayers Rock - A Night at Field of Light Dinner.
- Melbourne City Sightseeing + Philip Island Tour.
- Full Day Great Ocean Road Tour.
- Akaroa Harbour Nature Cruise.
- Skyline Queenstown - Gondola and Dinner
- Milford Sound Cruise - Sovereign with Hot Buffet Lunch.
- Rotorua - Agrodome - Farm Tour and a Kiwi BBQ Lunch Buffet .
- Rotorua - Te Po guided experience + Indigenous Evening.
- Waitomo Glowworm Caves
- Waiheke Island - The Essence of Wine Tour with lunch
- 19 nights hotel accommodation.
- All transport and touring are private to our group.
- Tours are with a local English-speaking guide.
- 19 breakfasts 8 lunches and 7 dinners.
- Local taxes on accommodation and sightseeing tours.

## EXCLUSIONS:

- International and Domestic flights are not included
- Optional tours not mentioned.
- Meals not specified.
- Items of a personal nature.
- Gratuities.
- Travel Insurance.
- Visa/passport handling fees.

## LAND ONLY PACKAGE RATES:

\$12,495

CAD, Cost per person, based on double/twin sharing

\$3,500

Single Room Supplement Extra

**DEPOSIT** \$100.00 P.P. AT THE TIME OF BOOKING.  
(NON-REFUNDABLE)

TRAVEL PROTECTION IS ADVISED AND AVAILABLE  
AT AN ADDITIONAL COST.

AIRFARE WILL BE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST  
ONCE THE FLIGHT SCHEDULE IS AVAILABLE.

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**28 FEB**      **DEPART HOME**

**01 MAR**      **LOSE A DAY CROSSING THE INTERNATIONAL DATELINE**

**02 MAR**  
**DAY 1**      **ARRIVE SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA** (D)

G'Day and welcome to Australia! On arrival in Sydney this morning, you will be met by our local representative and transferred to your hotel. Later this evening enjoy a *welcome dinner*.

**03 MAR**  
**DAY 2**      **FULL DAY BLUE MOUNTAIN TOUR** (B/L)

Travel to the Blue Mountains. on route stop at the Featherdale wildlife park. View Koalas, kangaroos and wallabies, wombats, fairy penguins and Australian reptiles. The Blue Mountains are a natural wonderland of untamed bush, spectacular rock formations and native wildlife. Enjoy 2 course lunch at the Blue Mountain local restaurant. Experience nature and epic views like never before with an Unlimited Discovery Pass.

**04 MAR**  
**DAY 3**      **SYDNEY CITY SIGHTSEEING TOUR** (B/L)

Drive through the historic 'Rocks' area where Australia was first founded. Drive under the famous 'coat hanger', the Sydney Harbour Bridge and view Sydney's famous architectural masterpiece, the Sydney Opera House. Enjoy a one-hour exclusive Private Tour inside the Sydney Opera House. Later enjoy a 2-Course lunch on a Sydney Harbour cruise.

**05 MAR**  
**DAY 4**      **SYDNEY TO CAIRNS** (B)

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for the flight to Cairns.

**06 MAR**  
**DAY 5**      **FULL DAY GREAT BARRIER REEF CRUISE** (B/L)

Set sail to Michaelmas Cay on the Great Barrier Reef aboard the beautiful sailing catamaran Ocean Spirit. Snorkel or dive in the fringing reef, filled with vibrant marine life, or spend some time observing the seabirds that call this protected sanctuary home.

**07 MAR**  
**DAY 6**      **FULL DAY KURANDA TOUR** (B/L)

Kuranda is the aboriginal for 'village in the rainforest', and over the years Kuranda has taken on a distinctive character as a popular visitor destination in its own right. Experience the original Kuranda Scenic Railway, Pamagirri Aboriginal, army Duck Rainforest Tour, Koala & Wildlife Park and return to Cairns by Skyrail Rainforest Cableway.

**08 MAR**  
**DAY 7**      **CAIRNS TO AYERS ROCK** (B/D)

After breakfast, you will be collected from your hotel for private coach transfer to the airport. Fly Cairns to Ayers Rock. In the evening experience the Sounds of Silence Dinner.

**09 MAR**

**DAY 8**

**AYERS ROCK**

**(B/D)**

Travel to the sunrise viewing area of Uluru (Ayers Rock) and watch the first sunlight of the day creep across the desert plains. take a walking tour of Mutitjulu Waterhole, where you can view Aboriginal rock art. We travel to the Olgas also known in the Aboriginal language as "Kata Tjuta" translated as "many heads". Return to the sunset viewing strip to see the Rock at its most dramatic. Later enjoy the Night at Field of Light Dinner.

**10 MAR**

**DAY 9**

**AYERS ROCK TO MELBOURNE**

**(B)**

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to Melbourne.

**11 MAR**

**DAY 10**

**MELBOURNE SIGHTSEEING AND PHILLIP ISLAND TOUR**

**(B)**

View Captain Cook's Cottage in the beautiful Fitzroy Gardens. Pass by the Botanical Gardens and observe the famous Queen Victorian Markets. Continue along taking in views of the Shrine of Remembrance and St Patrick's Cathedral. depart to Phillip Island. Visit to Moonlit Sanctuary Conservation Park and head to the island (Phillip Island)

And finally, the Penguin Parade. You will sit on the protective platform to see possibly hundreds of little penguins waddling onto the beach.

**12 MAR**

**DAY 11**

**GREAT OCEAN ROAD**

**(B)**

Travel through Lorne and make a stop at Kennett River. Continue on to the seaside resort of Apollo Bay and a leisurely stroll along the beach.

See the Twelve Apostles - huge stone pillars rising from the surf, remnants of London Bridge, a rocky promontory arch carved out by the continual force of the sea, Lock Ard Gorge - site of the dramatic shipwreck the "Loch Ard" over 100 years ago.

**13 MAR**

**DAY 12**

**DEPART MELBOURNE TO CHRISTCHURCH**

**(B)**

After breakfast, check out of your hotel and transfer to the airport for your flight to Christchurch, New Zealand.

**14 MAR**

**DAY 13**

**AKAROA**

**(B/D)**

Experience majestic scenery and stunning wildlife. You'll see the rare, native dolphin – the Hector's or New Zealand Dolphin. There's also the chance to spot the world's smallest penguin, the White Flipped Little Blue Penguin, Fur Seals and other sea birds.



**15 MAR**  
**DAY 14**      **CHRISTCHURCH – TEKAPO - QUEENSTOWN**      **(B/D)**

Depart to Queenstown via Lake Tekapo, Mackenzie Country, Lindis Pass, and Cromwell. In the evening enjoy Skyline Queenstown - Gondola and Dinner.

**16 MAR**  
**DAY 15**      **QUEENSTOWN – MILFORD SOUND - QUEENSTOWN**      **(B/L)**

The cruise takes in the length of Milford Sound, and offers excellent viewing of waterfalls, rainforest, mountains and wildlife.

**17 MAR**  
**DAY 16**      **QUEENSTOWN - ROTORUA**      **(B)**

After breakfast, meet with your driver at hotel lobby and transfer to airport for your domestic flight to Rotorua.

**18 MAR**  
**DAY 17**      **ROTORUA FULL DAY TOUR**      **(B/L/D)**

Explore Rotorua city and its surrounding areas. Highlights include Lake Rotorua, Redwood Forest and Government Gardens.

Experience the Agrodome- Farm Tour and later visit Te Puia with a combo of Guided experience + Indigenous Evening

**19 MAR**  
**DAY 18**      **ROTORUA – WAITOMO - AUCKLAND**      **(B/L/D)**

See the amazing underground Glow Worm Grotto by boat and walk through the limestone caverns. 250 metres of stunning underground scenery commencing with the impressive Cathedral.

**20 MAR**  
**DAY 19**      **AUCKLAND – WAIHEKE ISLAND - AUCKLAND**      **(B/L)**

Enjoy a 40-minute ferry ride across the Waitemata Harbour to Waiheke Island, a haven of beaches, eateries and boutique vineyards. Upon arrival you'll be picked up by luxury coach and whisked away on a guided tour and visiting local wineries.

**21 MAR**  
**DAY 20**      **DEPART AUCKLAND**      **(B/Inflight meals)**

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and transfer to the airport for your flight back to Canada.

**End of Arrangements by GOWAY Travel**

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