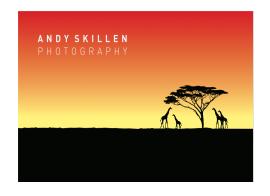
The Jewel of Zambia

D1: 12-20/9/27. D2: 19-27/9/27

Group size: 4

Cost: GBP 8,795



TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

- EXCLUSIVE GROUP SIZE OF JUST 4 GUESTS
- REMOTE LOCATION ON AN EXCLUSIVE RIVER BEND IN SOUTH LUANGWA NATIONAL PARK
- PRIME TIME FOR LEOPARD, BIG CAT ACTIVITY, BUFFALO AND ELEPHANTS
- WATERHOLE HIDE FOR OUR EXCLUSIVE USE
- FULLY EQUIPPED PHOTOGRAPHIC VEHICLE WITH BEANBAGS AND CAMERA ARMS
- FULLY EQUIPPED PHOTO EDITING AREA AT THE CAMP
- FULL DAY DRIVES TO THE NSEFU SECTOR INCLUDED THE HOME OF BBC TELEVISION'S "KINGDOM" SERIES

COSTS AND LOGISTICS

- Group size: 4 guests only
- GBP 8,795 for 8 nights
- Start point: Lusaka International Airport, Zambia
- End point: Lusaka International Airport, Zambia

WHAT'S INCLUDED...

- 8 nights' accommodation (full board except in Lusaka)
- Return flight from Lusaka to Mfuwe
- Private photo-equipped vehicle
- Assistance with visa applications with letters of invitation if required

WHAT'S NOT...

- International and/or any domestic flight to/from the itinerary start/end points
- Items of a personal nature
- Visa fees as appropriate (with your own local consulate/embassy)
- Any departure taxes not covered in your international flight
- Gratuities

YOUR ITINERARY....

South Luangwa National Park is one of the icons of Africa, and it's great to be able to fix up an itinerary there again for 2027. This is a park I know well having photographed there for nearly 20 years, and as such the itinerary and locations we choose ensure you maximise both sightings and experience. For the trips in '27, I've once again secured an outstanding location in the park for seven nights – slap-bang in the middle of a highly densely populated leopard area. Your vehicle will be fully photo-equipped with camera mounts (beanbags also available) and you will make use of a purpose-built hides for up-close encounters as well. With a group size of just four people on each departure, you will have plenty of room in which to work. What is more the capacity to edit on site at the camp, you will have a quick response to your photographic efforts each outing. We will also include a couple of full day trips to the Nsefu Sector, the home of the recent BBC Wildlife series – THE KINGDOM. It doesn't mean you will be part of a documentary of course, but it's a great chance to experience one of many special places South Luangwa has to offer.

The camp is beautiful – superbly located in what is known as one of the most scenic parts of the park, and away from the busier areas, giving us a much higher chance of personal sightings. We will also plan full day outings to the likes of the ebony forest within the park too – a truly legendary location.

DAY BY DAY:

Day 1: Arrive in Lusaka (1 night)

Land from your international flight in the bustling capital of Zambia and transfer to your hotel for the night (dinner not included) so you can rest and be readied for the adventure starting the next morning.

Day 2-8: South Luangwa National Park (7 nights)

An early transfer to Lusaka airport for your scheduled flight to Mfuwe, where you will be collected and transported into the heart of the National Park, game-driving on the way. Depending on game movements, we will shift our attention on a daily basis to ensure we maximise the sightings that are possible at this time of year. The dry season is our friend (forget all the stuff about "emerald" and "shoulder" seasons: we will be there in the peak of wildlife activity where diminished water resources ensure we can focus our attention on specific areas. As always we hope for some great leopard activity as well as other big cats and wild dog (packs roam the valley), but will focus on some of the other specialities of the Luangwa valley too and organize full day drives to the likes of the Ebony Forest.

Day 9: Depart for Lusaka

Sadly, all good things must come to an end and today you will make our way back to Lusaka courtesy of a scheduled flight from Mfuwe.

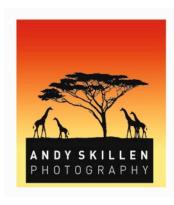
CUSTOMISE YOUR TRIP:

Looking for longer on site? Wanting to take in other locations too? Then simply let me know and we can work you out a private itinerary.

WHAT DO I DO NEXT?

To reserve your space on this very special adventure, simply send an email to

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