



**STATE EXPRESS
GLOBAL VOYAGES**

SOUTH AFRICA GROUP TOUR

5th June – 15th June 2023

11 Days / 10 Nights

Johannesburg, Sun City, Garden Route, Cape town, Addis Ababa



~~₹2,54,999~~ ₹2,34,999 per person

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

1. Have the best time of your life at Sun City – water park, casinos, golf and more
2. Enjoy a thrilling game ride at Pilanesberg National Park in search of the Big 5
3. See the fabulous sights of the world’s most scenic place – Garden Route
4. Feed Ostriches by your hand at Oudtshoorn – Ostrich capital of the world
5. Try the famous South African wine at a beautiful Vineyard
6. Take a cable car to the top of Table Mountains and enjoy the wonderful views
7. Watch Penguins at play at the Boulder’s beach in Cape Peninsula

ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Day 01	Arrive in Johannesburg
Day 02	Transfer to Sun City
Day 03	Pilanesberg Game Drive
Day 04	Catch flight to Garden Route and transfer to Knysna
Day 05	Tsitsikama National Park Tour and transfer to Mossel Bay
Day 06	Oudtshoorn Tour - Cango Caves, Wildlife Ranch and Ostrich Farm
Day 07	Scenic drive to Cape Town
Day 08	Table Mountain and Cape Town city tour with Wine Tasting
Day 09	Full day Cape Peninsula Tour
Day 10	Catch flight to Addis Ababa
Day 11	Fly back to India

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DAY 01: ARRIVE IN JOHANNESBURG

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

On arrival at O.R. Tambo International Airport, you will be met by our local representative from South Africa for a brief meet and greet. You will then be transferred to your hotel in Johannesburg for Check-in.



With humble beginnings as a shanty town, **Johannesburg** took a complete turn almost overnight with the discovery of gold in the region by prospector George Harrison. Harnessing of the large-scale deposits of gold and diamond has made it the second largest city in South Africa and one of the wealthiest. Also known as Joburg or Jozi, the young city has an incredible history and legacy.

Overnight stay at the hotel in Johannesburg.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Arrival at Johannesburg and check-in at hotel.

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DAY 02: TRANSFER TO SUN CITY

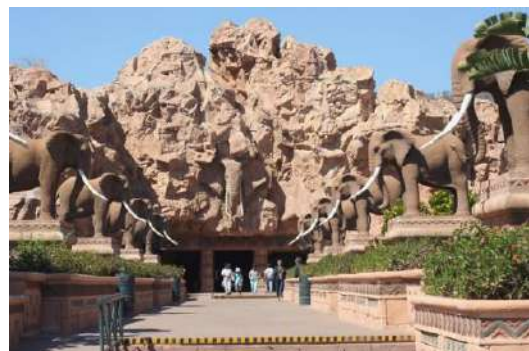
Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and proceed to Sun City by drive. Upon arrival, we will check-in at our hotel there.

Sun City is a family friendly resort destination which offers entertainment for everyone. At sun city, you can enjoy the thrilling water slides and jet skis at its two water parks, place your bets at the posh Sun City casinos, feed rescued birds at the petting zoo, try your hands at shooting clay pigeons, and enjoy non-stop entertainment from Cabaret to Golf.



After freshening up at the hotel, head out for fantastic activities at the “mini Las Vegas“ at your own leisure – **casino, golf, zip line, bowling, crocodile farm, cultural village**, etc. There is also **Valley of Waves** waterpark which is a thrilling and exhilarating water park located in the heart of Sun City.



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Overnight stay at the hotel in Sun City.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Catch flight to Johannesburg and drive to Sun City
- Engage in numerous activities at Sun City – casino, games and cultural village

DAY 03 : PILANESBERG GAME DRIVE

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast at the hotel, proceed to Pilanesberg National Park for a game drive in Pilanesberg to see the big 5 in the wild - lion, leopard, elephant, rhino and buffalo.

Pilanesberg National Park is located in the environmentally rich transition zone between the Kalahari and the Lowveld. The cooler hours of the day see activity in the wildlife. Especially predators tend to hunt at dusk or dawn. The game drives are conducted by experienced rangers and game trackers in an open safari vehicle. The rangers are always eager to share their knowledge of the environment and also happily assist you with your wildlife photography. Open safari vehicles allow for great views while still guaranteeing your safety at all times.



After the game drive, return to Sun City in the afternoon

Overnight stay at the hotel in Sun City.

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a game drive at Pilanesberg National Park and catch the Big 5 in the wild

DAY 04: CATCH FLIGHT TO GARDEN ROUTE AND TRANSFER TO KNYSNA

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and transfer to Johannesburg airport to take a flight to George - a city in South Africa's Western Cape, the Garden Route.

Upon arrival in George, enjoy a beautiful drive to **Knysna** and check-in at your hotel there. Knysna is a quaint town located in the world-famous **Garden Route National Park**. The National Park is home to a wide variety of vegetation, wildlife and topography including beaches, mountains, forests, lakes and lagoons. Knysna is itself located on the Knysna Lagoon, a warm water estuary and is home to some of the best golf courses in the world.



Overnight stay at hotel in Knysna.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Catch a flight to George and check in to the hotel in Knysna

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DAY 05: TSITSIKAMA NATIONAL PARK TOUR & TRANSFER TO MOSEL BAY

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and proceed to **Tsitsikamma National Park**.

The National Park is home to a variety of beautiful landscapes, including rugged coastline, ancient forests, and spectacular waterfalls. Take a leisurely walk along the suspension bridge at **Storms River Mouth**, which provides a stunning view of the river and the ocean. You can also go on a boat tour or kayak adventure to explore the beautiful coastline.



After the tour, enjoy a beautiful drive to Mossel Bay and Check-in at the hotel there. **Mossel Bay** is a beach town located in Garden Route with a vibrant atmosphere and lots of activities. Mossel Bay is known for the wide Santos Beach and the 19th-century Cape St. Blaize Lighthouse, which offers bay views.

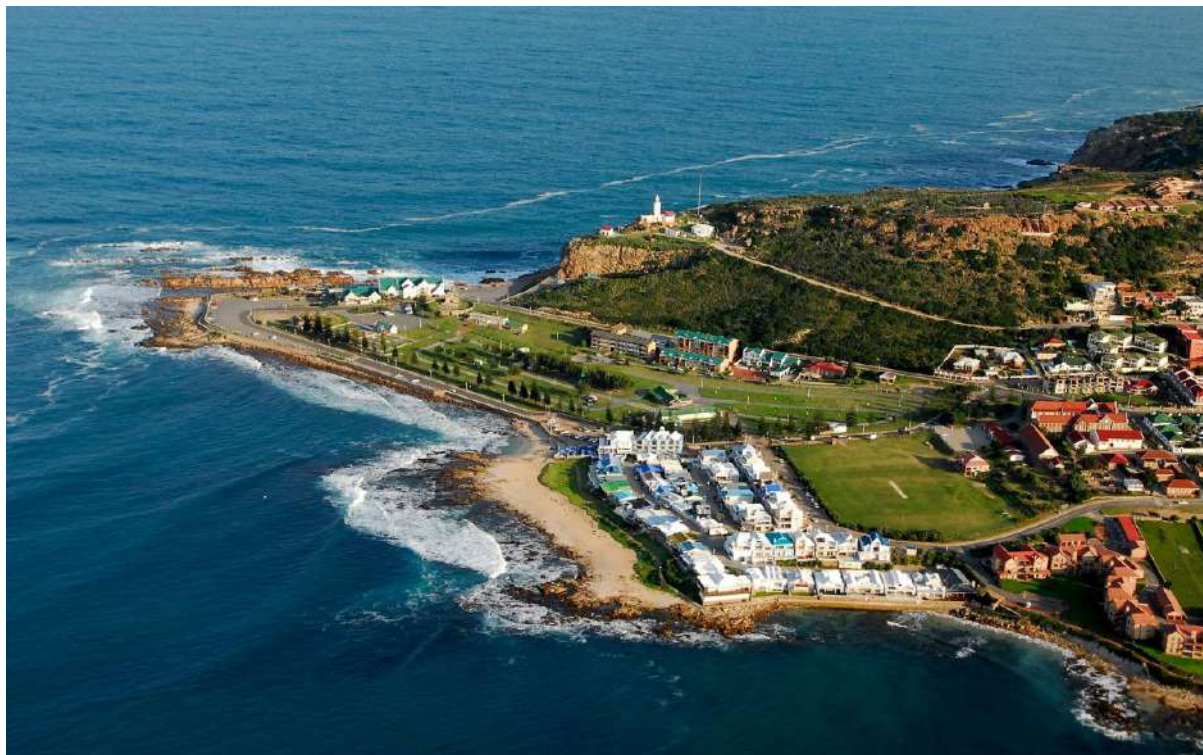
Overnight stay at hotel in Mossel Bay.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a scenic drive across Tsitsikamma National Park
- Transfer to Mossel Bay and check-in at the hotel

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DAY 06: VISIT OUDTSHOORN - CANGO CAVES, WILDLIFE RANCH AND OSTRICH FARM

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast at the hotel, we will proceed for a fun day out at **Oudtshoorn** - a charming town located in the heart of the Klein Karoo region in South Africa. It is known as the ostrich capital of the world.



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We start the tour with a visit to **Cango caves**. These are 20 million year-old underground cave system that have been recognised as one of the greatest natural wonders of the world. It is the biggest cave systems in Africa and cave paintings indicate it has been inhabited since the early stone ages.



Next, we will visit the **Cango Wildlife Ranch** - a sanctuary for endangered and rare animal species. The ranch offers a great opportunity to see these animals from up close, such as lions, tigers, cheetah, crocodiles and rare birds. The ranch also offers a chance to visitors to interact with these animals, and feed them with food at additional cost.



After the wildlife ranch, proceed for a once in a lifetime experience to interact with Ostriches at the **Ostriches show farm**. Oudtshoorn is home to to the world's largest Ostrich population and ostrich farms here supplied fine Ostrich feather to royalty and high society when it was the elite fashion trend around 1800s. At the Ostrich farms, we will interact with the ostriches and learn how they are incubated and reared, feed them by hand, and receive a 'neck massage' by the gigantic bird.

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Overnight stay at the hotel in Mossel Bay.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at one of the greatest natural wonders of the world – Cango Caves
- Enjoy a tour of the Cango Wildlife ranch and see lions, cheetahs, crocodiles, etc
- Interact and feed Ostriches at a working Ostrich farm in Oudtshoorn

DAY 07: SCENIC DRIVE TO CAPE TOWN

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and transfer to Cape Town.



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This 500km long **journey through the Garden Route** is widely considered as one of the most beautiful rides in the world. The drive from Mossel Bay to Cape Town is a scenic journey that takes you through some of South Africa's most beautiful landscapes. Upon reaching Cape Town, check-in at your hotel there.



Cape Town is the capital of South Africa and was voted as “the greatest city on Earth” by The Daily Telegraph in 2014. A potbelly of different cultures, religions, cuisines and landscapes, Cape Town is a beautiful city that is towered by the majestic Table Mountain. It is the second largest city in South Africa and the cities’ mild climate, natural setting, and well-developed infrastructure makes it the top tourist destination for millions of Tourists around the world.

Overnight stay at the hotel in Cape Town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Drive across the most scenic journey through Garden Route to Cape Town

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DAY 08: TABLE MOUNTAIN AND WINE TASTING TOUR

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After a delicious breakfast at the hotel, we will proceed for a sightseeing tour of Cape Town City.

We begin the sightseeing tour with a visit to **Table Mountain**, the most iconic landmark of Cape Town. A revolving cable car to the top offers mesmerising panoramic views of the city. Aside from being the country's most photographed attraction and the perfect place to take photos of the landscape of Cape Town, it is also home to about 2,200 species of plants and 1,470 floral species, many of which are endemic to the mountain.



After the tour of Table Mountain, we shall explore the city on a panoramic city tour. We shall visit the **Victoria and Alfred Waterfront**, one of the oldest harbours in the country with a rich history and cultural significance. Other popular sights that will be covered on this tour are – **Signal hill, District Six museum**, and the picturesque neighborhood of **Bo-Kaap**.



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Post the city tour, proceed for a **Wine Tasting Tour** to a vineyard in Cape Town. South Africa produces some of the best wines in the world since vineyards were introduced in the country by the Dutch in the 17th century. The sweet wine produced in the Stellenbosch region near Cape Town was once the most prized in the world. During his tour, we shall visit select wine estates near Cape Town, built in their signature Dutch style and learn about the different varieties of red's and white's produced in the region.

Overnight stay at the hotel in Cape Town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- visit to Table Mountain, the most iconic landmark of Cape Town.
- Learn about South African wines on a delightful wine tasting tour

DAY 09: FULL DAY CAPE PENINSULA TOUR

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast at the hotel, we shall enjoy a spectacular drive across Cape Peninsula.

Cape Peninsula is a peninsular landmass that is bounded by Table mountain in the North and Cape of Good hope in the south. Large parts of the peninsula come under the Table Mountain National Park and is extraordinarily rich in biodiversity. During the tour, we shall visit **Hout Bay**, a historic and colourful fishing village, catch sight of playful penguins at **Boulder's Beach**, visit **Cape of Good Hope** which is widely believed as the southernmost tip of African continent and enjoy one of the world's most scenic drive across **Chapman's Peak**.



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Overnight stay at the hotel in Cape Town.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Have the best time of your life while exploring Cape Peninsula

DAY 10: TRANSFER TO ADDIS ABABA

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included

After breakfast, check-out from the hotel and proceed to the airport to catch flight to Addis Ababa.

Addis Ababa is the capital city of Ethiopia, located in the central part of the country. It has a diverse population of over 3 million people and is known for its rich culture, history, and architecture. The city is the political and economic hub of Ethiopia, with several international organizations and institutions located there. Addis Ababa is home to several landmarks and attractions, including the National Museum of Ethiopia and the Holy Trinity Cathedral. The city's cuisine, markets, and nightlife also make it a popular tourist destination.

Check in at your hotel for overnight stay.



HIGHLIGHTS

- Check out from hotel and catch flight to Addis Ababa

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DAY 11: FLY BACK TO INDIA

Breakfast Included

After breakfast at the hotel, we check out from the hotel and transfer to Addis Ababa Bole International Airport to board your return flight to India.

Arrive home with pleasant memories of your South Africa tour organised by State Express Global Voyages, which we are sure you will treasure for a lifetime.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Board flight to return back to India



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PACKAGE COST

(Special price valid for first few bookings)

	Double / Twin Sharing
Package Cost (per person)	INR 2,54,999 INR 2,34,999

COST INCLUSIONS

HOTELS ENVISAGED

Johannesburg (1 night)	Peermont Mondior Hotel (4*) / similar hotel
Sun City (2 nights)	Cascades Hotel (5*) / similar hotel
Knysna (1 night)	Aha Rex Hotel (4*) / similar hotel
Mossel Bay (2 night)	Diaz Hotel & Resort (4*) / similar hotel
Cape Town (3 nights)	Hyatt Regency hotel (5*) / similar hotel
Addis Ababa (1 night)	Superior Category Hotel

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MEALS

All meals are included from arrival to departure

- Daily Continental Breakfast at hotels
- 9 lunches and 9 dinners at local / Indian restaurants
- Note: Packed lunches, if applicable, will be vegetarian.

SIGHTSEEING

City	Sightseeing Included
Sun City	Game drive at Pilanesberg National Park
Knysna	Tsitsikama National Park Tour
Mossel Bay	Cango Caves Cango Wildlife Ranch Ostrich Farm
Cape Town	Table Mountain Cableway* Guided city tour of Cape Town Funicular Ride at the Cape Point Wine tasting Seal cruise at Hout Bay* Boulders penguin beach Drive past Simon's Town Cape Peninsula Day Tour Visit the famous Victoria and Alfred Waterfront

*weather permitting

MEDICAL INSURANCE

- Normal insurance charges for the duration of the tour are included in the tour price. However, any passenger above the age of 60 years and those passengers who wish to extend their stay will be required to pay additional charges

VISA

- Cost of visa including documentation and processing fees as of 1st May 2023
- Any further increase in the same has to be borne by the passengers.

OTHER INCLUSIONS:

- Professional services of a friendly Tour Manager or a local Representative with minimum 20 paying pax
- Return economy class airfare ex-Delhi as per the itinerary (subject to availability at the time of booking – limited number of seats purchased)
- All transfers & excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by a comfortable air-conditioned vehicle

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COST EXCLUSIONS

- Applicable Government Taxes (5% GST and 5% TCS) as on 1st May 2023
- Any increase in the airfare charged by the airline
- Check-in and seat selection charges for all flights
- The quote has been shared based on Rate of Exchange on 1st May 2023 (1 ZAR = 4.5 INR). The final tour cost shall be subject to change in case there is major change in ROE.
- SMS tracking and courier fees of visa by VFS
- Mandatory tipping for on tour Services (Coach Driver, Local Guides etc) (approx. USD 5 per day / per person)
- PCR test (if required)
- Any expenses of personal nature such as portorage, laundry expenses, mini-bar, mineral water, telephone charges, food & drink that are not a part of the package.
- Cost of optional excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees & local guides availed of by the passengers, that is not mentioned in the inclusions.
- Any additional charges due to Local Events
- If any views rooms are requested rates will change and rates will be advised on case to case basis. Rates for SGL, CWB, CNB can be given on request as well.
- No refund will be provided in case of any unused services, or if you do not show up for any service as per time.
- Limited availability of flight tickets, security alerts and random closures might affect the itinerary.
- Some hotels take security deposit at the time of check-in. The deposit is refunded as per hotel policies after check-out. The same is not included in above cost.
- Any other services not mentioned in the inclusion

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IMPORTANT NOTES

- The above itinerary is tentative and may change as per flight and hotel availability
- There is a possibility that your Tour Manager could change in-between the tour.
- On days when you are taking internal flights and flight timing does not suit the meal time or Indian meal is not possible during a sightseeing tour, there is a possibility that we might provide packed meal
- As a third person in a Triple room, in some cities extra bed or cot may not be available. In that case, a room with two queen beds or a king bed with a roll away bed will be provided.
- Passport should be valid for at least 6 months from day of return

PAYMENT TERMS

Timeline	Minimum amount to be paid
On the date of booking the tour	INR 75,000 per person *
30 Days or more prior to the departure of tour	100% of holiday cost

CANCELLATION POLICY

No. of days before departure	Cancellation charges per person
More than 30 Days before departure of tour	INR 75,000*
1 to 30 Days before departure of tour	100% of holiday cost

* Once the purchased air tickets are fully booked, airfare will be collected at the time of reservation besides the advance deposit. Cancellation charges of flight tickets will be additionally charged as per actual in such case. This will also be intimated at the time of reservation.

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