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Southern Tanzania Offers Last Chance to be “Off The Radar”

Journey to Africa Brings Travelers to Untouched Africa

HOUSTON, TX (December 4, 2007) – While most people know about the famed African wilderness sights to see in northern Tanzania, including the Serengeti, the Ngorongoro Crater and Mt. Kilimanjaro, few people are aware of the amazing experiences that await in the southern part of this large African country. And for good reason; very few tour operators operate in this region coveted by safari aficionados. The lack of properties and the overall remote location make it a relatively difficult destination to reach. Journey to Africa, however, is one of the few operators offering safaris to this remaining untouched jewel of Africa.

“The Selous Game Reserve is one of Africa’s largest game areas, but certainly not one of the most well-known,” said Mefi Pishori, President of Journey to Africa. “The Rufiji River provides life to this large area and is a dream to explore. Perhaps most importantly, when you’re here you really feel amazingly alone and at peace in the African bush as this region is very lightly trafficked compared with some of the more popular safari areas in East Africa.”

In most cases, travelers will transfer to the southern part of Tanzania via a small aircraft from Arusha. The dry season, from June through November, is the best time of year to visit this region as the roads are nice and dry making game drives more accessible and the wildlife tends to gather around waterholes making it easier to spot the Big Five.

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New for 2008, Journey to Africa is offering customized safaris and insider's access to the southern part of Tanzania, including the Selous Game Reserve, the largest protected game reserve in Africa, as well as Ruaha and Katavi National Parks. In addition to game drives tailored to each group's interests, Journey to Africa's professional guide, Paul Oliver, leads walks in the bush and introduces travelers to the ethnic wealth of Tanzania's many tribal cultures. These safaris provide an in-depth introduction to the nature and history of Tanzania and helps clients learn how to capture this beauty photographically.

Providing a "lifetime of safaris" for travelers, Journey to Africa creates custom safaris to Tanzania and beyond. The company was built by its founder after living and traveling through Africa and today Journey to Africa showcases this great continent with the utmost passion and pride only a native can share. The company feels that an amazing guide is the most important element in having a great safari and retains their own Professional Guide for client's use. Based in Houston, Journey to Africa understands the needs and desires American travelers demand and excels at catering to each groups individual needs and expectations.

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