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- 12 nights accommodations
  - 3 night Rio De Janeiro
  - 1 night Iguazu Falls
  - 2 nights Buenos Aires
  - 2 nights Lima
  - 1 night Sacred Valley
  - 1 night Aguas Calientes (Machu Picchu)
  - 2 nights Cuzco
- All transfers
- 16 meals: 12 breakfasts, 4 dinners
- Sightseeing per itinerary in modern motor coach
- Services of English-speaking tour guides
- Entrance fees per itinerary

**Special Features**

- City Tour of Lima with its 2000 years of history
- Discover the astonishing ancient citadel of Machu Picchu via [The Voyager Inca Rail Train](#)
- Ascend to the summit of Corcovado Mountain to see the spectacular views of Rio

- Stand in awe at majestic and awe-inspiring Iguassu Falls
- Admire the elegant architecture in Buenos Aires, the "Paris of South America"
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- Tango lesson with professional Argentine tango dancers

### **DAY 1, Depart for Brazil**

Depart for Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; arrival and transfer to your hotel

**Overnight:** Rio de Janeiro

### **DAY 2, Rio de Janeiro, Tour of Corcovado Mountain**

Take a panoramic city tour, travel to the top of Sugar Loaf Mountain and visit the Christ the Redeemer statue on this full-day comprehensive tour of Rio's most famous landmarks. Reach the top of Sugar Loaf Mountain and Corcovado Mountain by cable car and by van or cog train through the Tijuca Rainforest, respectively. This 6 or 10-hour tour, which includes round-trip transportation from most Rio hotels, allows you to see all of Rio's sights in just one day. Conquer Corcovado Mountain, Christ Redeemer and Sugar Loaf Mountain in one day (options with tickets included or excluded). Board the cog train or a van through lush Tijuca Rain Forest Admire the view of Rio's sprawling beaches from the top of Corcovado Mountain Spend up to an hour with your guide at Christ the Redeemer statue and roundtrip transport to Rio hotels included

**Overnight:** Rio de Janeiro

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **DAY 3, Full Day in Rio de Janeiro**

Today Explore Brazil's diverse plant life on this tour of the Tijuca Rainforest and the Rio de Janeiro Botanical Garden. During this 4-hour activity, visit the city's botanical garden to view a variety of exotic and native plants. Ride in a jeep through the Tijuca Rainforest, stopping for a leisurely hike with picturesque views and chances to see local wildlife. Round-trip transportation from Rio de Janeiro hotels is included. Half-day tour of the Rio de Janeiro Botanical Garden and the Tijuca Rainforest Explore the huge variety of plants and flowers at the botanical garden, including more than 500 species of orchid Enjoy a mild, 15-minute hike in the Tijuca Rainforest, the biggest urban forest in the world Complimentary hotel pickup and drop off included

**Overnight:** Rio de Janeiro

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **DAY 4, Fly to Iguassu, Brazilian Falls**

Depart Rio this morning on a flight to Iguassu Falls. Upon arrival, walk along the winding pathways on the Brazilian side of the majestic and awe-inspiring Falls, one of the world's greatest natural wonders. Iguassu consists of over 275 separate cataracts across a span of two and one-half miles, wider than Victoria Falls and higher than Niagara Falls and more dramatic than both. Stand in awe at the unforgettable panoramic views before crossing the border to Iguazu, the Argentinean side of the Falls, for overnight. **Overnight:** Iguazu

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **DAY 5, Iguazu, the Argentinean Falls**

Your adventure continues this morning on the Argentinean side of the Falls. A rail

car takes you to the top of the Falls on the Upper Circuit,\* and you will walk to the Lower Circuit where the power of nature surrounds you. Continue along the catwalks to Devil's Gorge - stand in amazement as you gaze at spectacular "Devil's Throat" the most magnificent of all of the cataracts. View, photograph and feel the spray of the thundering waters, one of nature's most impressive achievements and a unique experience for your senses. Spend the rest of the day exploring the natural treasures of Iguazu National Park, designated a World Heritage Site for its rare and endangered flora and fauna

*\*Please be advised that in order to access the falls, you are required to walk over uneven surfaces, followed by a series of narrow boardwalk paths. The paths feature many sets of stairs and can be slippery due to the mist.* This afternoon transfer to the airport for your flight to Buenos Aires. On the way, time permitting, meet with children at a local school. Arrive in the cosmopolitan city of Buenos Aires. Its beauty is apparent with its elegant architecture, wide tree-shaded boulevards, striking monuments and sprawling parks. Spend the rest of the day at leisure to get acquainted with the "Paris of South America" and its distinct European flavor.

**Overnight:** Buenos Aires

**Meals:** Breakfast

#### **DAY 6, Buenos Aires City Tour**

Discover the city's highlights this morning on a tour that includes the Plaza de Mayo, Metropolitan Cathedral and Casa Rosada (government palace); see the balcony where Eva and Juan Peron made their speeches. Then, to the colorful La Boca neighborhood, a working class barrio, and the old quarters of San Telmo and Caminito, a mix of colonial style homes, narrow lanes, artists' lofts and very trendy cafes. Drive to the Recoleta Cemetery, final resting place of many of the wealthiest and most important Argentine historical figures. The grounds here cover more than four city blocks, filled with tombs adorned by works of local and international sculptors, and more than 6,400 mausoleums including the tomb of Eva "Evita" Peron, always heaped with flowers and letters from adoring fans. Spend the rest of the afternoon exploring some of Buenos Aires neighborhoods and fabulous collection of shops before this afternoon's tango lesson with professional Argentine Tango Dancers. Tonight enjoy an excellent dinner and tango show in downtown Buenos Aires. This has become a favorite of local residents as well as visitors and is the ideal setting for a delicious dinner and an alluring tango show. The Tango displays complete cultural expression, a plot of myths, values and traditions.

**Overnight:** Buenos Aires

**Meals:** Breakfast

#### **DAY 7, Depart Buenos Aires, Arrive in Lima**

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Lima. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure\* \*Please note that due to flight schedules, some departures will use an evening flight to reach Lima

**Overnight:** Lima

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **DAY 8, Lima City Tour, Fly to Cuzco & Transfer to Sacred Valley**

This morning's tour of Lima, with its 2000 years of history, begins at the colonial center of the city, declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site, with its historic buildings surrounding the splendid Plaza Mayor. View the impressive Palace of the Archbishop with its fine carved balcony, the opulent Government Palace, the official residence of the President, and the 16th-century Cathedral of Lima whose first stone was laid by Pizarro. Continue to the 17th century Monasterio de San Francisco complex with its magnificent tiles, ornately carved ceilings, exceptional paintings and world-renowned library. In the afternoon, transfer to the Lima Airport for your flight to Cuzco. Upon your arrival in Cuzco, transfer to your hotel in the Sacred Valley. This evening, enjoy an orientation meeting with your Tour Manager, followed by a Welcome Dinner

**Overnight:** Urubamba Sacred Valley

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

### **DAY 9, Discover Machu Picchu**

Early this morning, transfer to the Sacred Valley's Ollanta Station and board [The Voyager Train](#) for the ancient citadel of Machu Picchu, a UNESCO World Heritage Site arriving in the early afternoon. Also known as "The Lost City of the Incas", Machu Picchu was built circa 1450 and abandoned only 100 years later. The purpose of this splendid city is still a mystery to modern historians. Enjoy exploring the ancient citadel and marveling at the imposing Temple of the Sun, the House of the Priest, the Sacred Plaza and the intricately carved rock likely used as a sundial by the ancient Incas. The images of this significant archaeological site will be a long-lasting memory. This evening, savor a Peruvian dinner at your hotel

\*Approximate time spent at the ruins of Machu Picchu is 2 hours

**Overnight:** Aguas Calientes (Machu Picchu)

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

### **DAY 10, Return to Cuzco**

This morning, enjoy time at leisure before departing Aguas Calientes for your return to Cuzco. Upon arrival in Cuzco, transfer to the hotel. Remainder of the evening is at leisure

**Overnight:** Cuzco ▲

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **DAY 11, Full Day Cuzco**

Spend today independently discovering the "Imperial City" of Cuzco, once the capital of the Inca Empire and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. This lively city, rich in history, reveals remains of both the Incan and the Spanish presence. Take time to explore some of the city's stunning sights, or shop for some of the finest handicrafts and textiles in all of Peru. Participate in the *optional* Cuzco "Behind the Scenes" tour, offering a glimpse into the other side of life in Cuzco. On this tour, visit a local market and taste fresh-baked Chuta bread. Stop at the Cuzco cemetery to learn more about Andean life and death and meet with a local "shaman" (holy man). After the cooking demonstration, enjoy a delicious meal. In the afternoon, join the *optional* Highlights of Cuzco excursion that takes you to the impressive Colonial Cathedral with its collection of over 400 paintings, the Temple of the Sun and the fortress of Sacsayhuaman, which took over seven decades to complete

**Optional:** Half Day Cuzco Behind the Scenes (AM)

**Optional:** Half Day Highlights of Cuzco (PM)

**Optional:** Highlights of Cuzco & Cuzco Behind the Scenes Combo Package

**Overnight:** Cuzco

**Meals:** Breakfast

**DAY 12, Pisac Market, Fly to Lima, Farewell Dinner**

This morning take a scenic drive to Pisac Village. There, explore the town and bargain with vendors on the cobblestone streets of the Pisac handicraft market. Enjoy a cultural blast as the entire town has been converted into a street market. Later, transfer to the airport for your flight back to Lima. Upon arrival, check into your hotel. Enjoy one last evening with the group and say goodbye to your Tour Manager and fellow travelers at the Farewell Dinner

**Overnight:** Lima

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

**DAY 13, Depart Peru**

Transfer from the hotel to the airport for your departure flight to Australia\*

*\*Some flights depart shortly after midnight in the very early morning of Day 7 and will require a transfer on Day 6. Transfers depart the hotel approximately 4 hours prior to flight time.*

**Meals:** Breakfast

**DAY 14, Arrive Home.**

Arrive Home after your amazing South America Tour.

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