



13 Days
South America



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7M Tours – 2020 Travel Series - International

13 Days South America | Daywise Itinerary



Day 01 : Arrival in Lima

Welcome to South America! Arrive in Lima, the capital of Peru. Upon arrival, transfer to the hotel for check-in. Enjoy overnight stay in Lima. (Meals: D)



Day 02 : Lima – City Tour – Flight to Cuzco

After breakfast in the morning, proceed for the city tour of Lima and visit the Main Square (Plaza Mayor), Government Palace, City Hall, the Cathedral, the San Francisco Convent and its “Catacombs” ancient underground cemetery of Lima, El Oidor, Torre Tagle Palace, a beautiful mansion dating back to the 18th century and the Osambela House. Afterwards visit the Gold Museum and splendid collection of guns. The tour continues to the modern and high end side of Lima city, the Mira Flores. Later transfer to airport to board flight to Cuzco. Upon arrival, and after acclimating to the altitude, we continue to enjoy a city tour in the afternoon. Visit nearby Ruins “Cusco” of Tambo Achy, Kenki, Puca – Pucara, and finally the fortress of Sacsayhuaman. Also visit the Koricancha, or Temple of the Sun. Overnight in Cuzco. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 03 : Cuzco – Machu Picchu – Cuzco

Begin your day with a breathtaking train ride which goes through Urubamba Valley, and mountain top ruins of Machu

Picchu. Machu Picchu is an eye tantalizing tribute to man in harmony with nature. It is located high above the clouds. The city’s streets, temples, and staircases spread across a jungle ridge that eventually plunges more than 300 meters into the treacherous waters of the Rio Urubamaba below. High above the Sacred Valley, Machu Picchu has become one of most popular destinations in South America. Take an afternoon train back to Cuzco. Overnight in the hotel. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 04 : Cuzco – Sacred Valley – Ollantaytambo

Today, travel from Cusco past Saqsaywaman & Tambomachay, over the mountains toward the Sacred Valley. We descend 1500 feet to the valley floor of the sacred Urubamba river and the village of Pisac, where we will visit a traditional market and you can buy some local souvenirs. On the guided walk into the Citadel of Pisac, you can observe temples, residences, altars, channels, carvings, tunnels/caves, and the famous Intihuatana, “The hitching post of the Sun.” The amazing temple of the Sun: enormous blocks of rock perfectly carved and polished, stone water fountains, stairs, terraces, and the beauty of the local people in their traditional dress, all surrounded by the sacred mountains and Valley of Patacancha and Willoq. On our return to Cusco, we visit the famous church and archaeological site in Chincheros. Overnight in Cusco. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 05: Cuzco – Lima – Buenos Aires – Orientation Tour

After breakfast, transfer to airport for transfer flight to Lima. From Lima, board flight to Buenos Aires, capital of Argentina. After completing all the immigration formalities, you will be transferred to the hotel. Buenos Aires is one of the largest cities in Argentina, with over 11 million inhabitants. It is also the most elegant, sophisticated and active city in South America, and undoubtedly

the one that summarizes the varied and heterogeneous essence of Argentine being. A city with modern structure and dynamic activities, it has found a way to preserve old traditions and lovely spots. Upon arrival in Buenos Aires, enjoy the orientation tour of the city. Overnight in Buenos Aires. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 06 : Buenos Aires – City Tour – Evening Tango Show

After breakfast, we tour the city of Buenos Aires. You get a first-hand look at the historic architectural and demographic aspects of the city. We will visit “Plaza de Mayo,” the Pink House, the Buenos Aires Cathedral, the 9 of July Avenue, the Colon Theatre, the Obelisk, the National Congress, La Boca neighborhood with the traditional “Caminito Street,” “San Martin Plaza,” Recoleta Cemetery, and the Palermo Woods. In the afternoon, we will tour the Tigre and Parana’s Delta River, residential area north of the city that includes Vicente Lopez, Olivos (Presidential Residence), Martinez, and San Isidro. On arrival at Tigre, a bus will take us to the port to enjoy a ride on the catamaran traveling through the Delta of the Paraná River. Then we will return by early evening by bus along the Pan-American Highway to the city of Buenos Aires. *Enjoy the famous Tango Show.* The Tango dance is reflective of the nostalgia and melancholy of the European Immigrants and brought up great musicians and dancers. Enjoy the show which is full of music, singing and dancing. Overnight in Buenos Aires. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 07 : Buenos Aires – El Calafate

After breakfast, we depart from Buenos Aires and fly to El Calafate to visit the magnificent Moreno Glacier. A trip to this imposing glacier gives you a chance to walk on the ice wearing cleats, and to see and hear a truly astounding spectacle: blocks of ice rupturing and floating away as icebergs. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 08 : El Calafate – Moreno Glacier

After having morning breakfast, we proceed for a whole day excursion to the Moreno glacier. On arrival at Moreno glacier, we shall proceed to board the wharf which takes you closer to the well-known Moreno glacier. After disembarking from the cruise, we shall board our coach & proceed back to El Calafate. Enjoy dinner. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 09 : El Calafate – Iguassu Falls (Argentina Side)

After breakfast at the hotel, you depart from El Calafate and fly to the natural wonder, Iguassu Falls, on the border of Brazil, Argentina, and Paraguay. On arrival, visit the Argentina side of Iguassu Falls, and take a walking tour of this natural wonderland. You will see a never to be forgotten spectacle of 275 falls from different angles, walking through the raised platforms, and finally getting near the Devil’s Throat, with the immense amount of water spraying a large area around it. Overnight in Iguassu. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 10 : Iguassu Falls (Brazil Side)

Today we enjoy the tour of Itapúa Dam, which is one of the world’s largest hydroelectric power plant, and a technological wonder. Stop at panoramic overlooks for photo opportunities. The spectacle of the spillway of the dam, with its huge flow of water, is particularly impressive. Then, we proceed to enjoy the falls by touring the Brazilian side of Iguassu Falls National park. You will walk with the guide, descending a walkway, contemplating the lovely waterfalls in all of nature’s exuberance, with panoramic views of both sides- Brazilian and Argentinean. Reach the highest elevation, then

descent into the Brazilian side lookout, which provides magnificent photo opportunities and views. Overnight in Iguassu. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 11 : Iguassu Falls – Rio de Janeiro – City Tour – Christ the Redeemer

Transfer to the airport to catch a flight for Rio de Janeiro. Upon arrival, enjoy a full day city tour of Rio. Ascend on Corcovado Mountain by train to visit one of the world’s most famous landmarks, the gigantic statue of Christ, the Redeemer. Then proceed to Cascatinha, Tijuca Forest, to the top of Corcovado Mountain. Cidade Maravilhosa, “the marvelous city,” as it is known to its residents (or carioca’s) and to the rest of Brazil, is known as the most beautiful city in the world. As a tropical resort with near perfect weather all year round, Rio offers miles of golden beaches, including, Ipanema and Copacabana, two of the most famous stretches of sand in the world. The tour continues with the visit to Metropolitan Cathedral, samba stadium and view of architectonic monuments of Rio. After a great day of sightseeing, return to the hotel and enjoy overnight stay in Rio. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 12 : Rio de Janeiro featuring Sugar Loaf Mountain – Boat Tour of Guanabara Bay

After a wholesome breakfast, we proceed for a Boat tour of Guanabara Bay, viewing the incredible “Wonder City” from its most famous bay. On 1st January, 1502, a Portuguese squad discovered Guanabara Bay. Being that it was the month of January and that the bay appeared to be a large river mouth, he named it Rio de Janeiro (River of January). Various sights and landmarks such as the neighborhoods of Botafogo, Flamengo, Urca, Sugar Loaf Mountain, Fort Sao Joao, Flagstone Island, Santa Cruz Fortress, Rio-Niteroi Bridge and more will be seen as we depart from the Marina da Gloria. After lunch we proceed for touring around Sugar Loaf Mountain - huge cone shaped rock made of granite rising 1300 feet high above water – landmark of Rio. Overnight stay in Rio de Janeiro. (Meals: B, L, D)

Day 13 : Departure

Today, we will check out from the hotel, transfer to airport and board the flight. Your memorable trip to South America ends here as you return back home. (Meals: B)

Extension Tour (Optional – Manaus 3 Days/2Nghts)



Day 13 : Rio de Janeiro – Manaus

Today, we will check out from the hotel, transfer to airport and board your flight Manaus, located in the middle of the Amazon Rainforest. Manaus is the capital of Brazil’s largest state, Amazonas, an incongruous pocket of urbanity in the middle of the jungle, and a major port for ocean vessels that’s 1500km from the ocean. (Meals: B, L, D)



Day 14 : Manaus – featuring Meeting of the Waters

Depart in a regional boat and travel along the Rio Negro river. Heading down stream on the Rio Negro, you will pass the city of Manaus, the Floating Harbour, the Municipal Market and finally, the Meeting of the Waters, where the waters of the Solimõesriver and Rio Negro river join one another, creating the Amazonas river. This is the most famous attraction outside Manaus, some 10 km downstream. Following that, you will visit a handicraft fair where Native Indians sell their creations, utilizing traditional materials such as feathers, bones and seeds. Also, try to see some Alligator Spotting Overnight in Manaus. (Meals: B, L, D)

Day 15 : Departure

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Hotel Information (listed below or similar)

| City (Area) | Ngts | Hotel listed or similar |
|--------------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| Manaus | 02 | Amazon EcoPark or similar |
| Total Ngts: | 02 | |

13 Days South America | Package Details

Tour Inclusions (per person)

- International and domestic airfare.
- Deluxe Hotel Accommodations on Double Occupancy Basis.
- All Transfers & Transportations in A/C coach in each city.
- Cost involved Sightseeing per Itinerary with entrance fees.
- Cost of English speaking Tour Guides.
- 24/7 Tour Manager.
- Daily Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner mentioned in your itinerary.

Exclusions (Not Included items)

- Baggage handling and airline Baggage Charges.
- Cost of Visa for USA citizen only (7M Tours is not responsible for rejection in Visa by consulate).
- Early check in in the Hotel.
- Anything not included in the package.
- Any tours, transfers or event tickets not mentioned in package.
- Travel and medical Insurance to participate in tour.
- Meals other than what is mentioned in your itinerary.
- Tips (Suggested Tip USD 5.00 per person, per day)
- Any expenses of personal nature such as laundry, insurance, mineral water, food and drink not in the regular menu provided by us, mini bar, telephone calls, pay channels etc.
- No Porterage is included.
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides other than that mentioned in 'Inclusions'.

Hotel Information (listed below or similar)

| City (Area) | Ngts | Hotel listed or similar |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| Lima | 01 | Wyndham Lima or similar |
| Cuzco | 03 | Sonesta or similar |
| Buenos Aires | 02 | Wyndham Buenos Aires or similar |
| El Calafate | 02 | Design Suites Calafate or similar |
| Iguazu Falls | 02 | Wyndham or similar |
| Rio de Janeiro | 02 | Windsor Excelsior or similar |
| Total Ngts: | 12 | |

Basic Information

- ✓ **Check-In Time at 4pm | Check-Out Time at 11am**
- ✓ **Breakfast Time (as provided at hotel): 6:30am-9:30am**
- ✓ **NOTE: Incidental charges and/or any additional menu items must be paid by client.**

Flight & Visa Terms & Conditions

- Preferred Seating by Airline:** 7M Tours can only request to the airline(s) for preferred seats, however, this is *as per their policy and at their discretion*. We don't guarantee any preferred seats.
- Special Assistance/Disabled/Handicapped & Wheelchair Access:** 7M Tours can only request the Airlines for wheelchair assistance, however, we cannot provide or guarantee wheelchair assistance on any International or Domestic Airlines.
- Air Tickets:** Once Air Tickets have been booked, they are NON-REFUNDABLE under any circumstances.

- Visa Status/Application:** 7M Tours is not responsible for any Visa application process and will not be held liable for any charges due to errors in application or rejection of any Visa.

Insurance Information

You can check out the following information about getting Insurance individually or as a group:

https://www.insuremytrip.com/!travel-insurance-2/?linkId=30002&gclid=EA1aIQobChMI5dfah6PC2gIVWR0rCh0qoA8tEAAAYASAAEgL3a_D_BwE

Visa Information

| Country | Information |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------|
| Peru | Visa not required for US Passport Holders |
| Argentina | Visa not required for US Passport Holders |
| Brazil | EVisa required for US Passport Holders |

Cancellation Policy

- Land Cost**
 - 90 days prior to departure – NO REFUND
 - 90-120 days prior to departure – 50% REFUND
- All Airlines:** There is NO REFUND. No exceptions. 7M Tours will not be held liable or responsible for any missed attraction or hotel accommodation due to any delay and/or cancellation of flight(s).
- International Airlines:** NO REFUND, however, can try to get a credit for up to 01 year after deduction of cancellation/reissue charges, depending on Airline that flight was booked. Domestic Airlines in other countries will not issue refund or give credit of any kind. No exceptions.

Package Terms & Conditions

Surcharges will apply if any tradeshow, fair, special event or concert is being held at the applicable city during travel. 7M Tours reserves the right to use alternative accommodation, sightseeing tours and transfer of equal or higher standards. No refunds either in part or full will be made for any unused services in above package like ground transportation, meals, accommodation, sightseeing tours. 7M Tours will not be held responsible for any missed breakfast, lunch or dinner due to flight timings. No Intercity surface transfers are included unless specified in the package. 7M Tours will not be held liable for any baggage charges or any other charges by any airline(s) for the clients. Payment for the tour must be made as per the invoice & payment terms and conditions. Changes to any part of the agreed itinerary cannot be made once partial and/or full payment has been made to 7M Tours. The Tour Itinerary will not start on a weekend unless previously arranged by 7M Tours.

Booking Conditions for International Travel

- Each traveler is required to fill out a Disclaimer Form, duly sign in and return along with a copy of the valid passport (Photo page for US Citizen).
- Meals:** The location and menus are pre-set for the meals provided on the tour. We reserve the right to change the location and the menu under events which occur beyond our control.
- Hotels/Villas:** We tend to select hotels which are more comfortable after a long day of sightseeing. All baggage and personal belongings are at all times and under all circumstances your responsibility. 7M Tours will not be responsible or liable in case of loss / breakage of such items from the

hotel/villa or transit all along the duration of tour. The company is not liable for any damages done to the room or the hotel/villa during your stay there.

- Transportation: We use air-conditioned/air-cool luxury coaches for ground transportation. No seat numbers will be allocated, and daily seat rotation will be done as to be fair to every traveler. The tour manager has the final authority for the seating arrangement/rotation in the coach.
- Cancellation due to VISA rejection: All clients travelling with 7M Tours must possess a valid visa, if applicable. However, kindly note that Visa issuance is entirely at the discretion of the concerned Consulate/Authorities to grant/reject visa even after submitting all relevant documents and the company will not be held responsible for the same. The company will not be responsible for non-issuance of the visa due any reason whatsoever.
- Travel Insurance: We highly recommend you purchase a comprehensive Travel insurance in order to protect your trip from any unforeseen cancellations, medical problems during the tour, trip cancellations etc.

- Disclaimer: We reserve the right to change any information or attractions before or after our booking the tour due to events beyond our control like bad weather, any natural calamity, or any accident. All rates and villas are subject to change without any prior notice. Major road works may necessitate route change in the itineraries. Closure of Indian restaurants or change in the management may cause us to make changes in the itinerary. We will notify you in advance where we know about these changes beforehand, otherwise our tour managers or local representative will inform you of the changes during the tour. We cannot be responsible for any loss or damages, injury, sickness, accident, delay, discomfort, death, increased expenses, which is caused by the act or default of the company, and management or employees of any villas, hotels, airlines, shipping company, coach owner/coach operator who are the company's independent contractors residing outside our normal selection and inspection process. Any claim or complaint by the client must be notified to the company in writing with 7 days after the end of the tour.