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Zanzibar Island



There is no place quite like Zanzibar Island when it comes to culture and beaches. Visiting the city of Stone Town is like going back in time to ancient Persia, with its narrow alley-ways of stone, open-air markets, spices and teas.

Relaxing on the pristine white sand beaches along the endless turquoise waters of the Indian Ocean, is an “ahhh” to the soul.

Sample itinerary of 5-Day tour

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- Day 1:** **Fly Arusha to Zanzibar.**
One night along the ocean. (e.g. Tembo Hotel)
Stone Town Tour in the afternoon. Dhow sunset cruise in the evening.
- Day 2-4:** **Three nights at Matemwe Beach (e.g. Matemwe Beach Village)**
Day 2 - Spice Tour as you head out of Stone Town to Matemwe

Day 3-4: **Your choice of relaxation** (just the beach) vs. adventure (see options below). Snorkeling or scuba diving at the nearby Mnemba Atoll coral reef is highly recommended.

Day 5: **Head back to Stone Town** and fly to JRO or Dar to connect with your onwards flight.

Selected Activities on the Island

Snorkeling/Diving - Mnemba Atoll is one of many great coral reefs around the Island. It is a Marine Conservation Area located in the North-Eastern tip of the Zanzibar Island, relatively sheltered from the winds and currents. With good visibility ranging from 15m - 30m, it offers a unique opportunity to both divers and snorkelers.

Stone Town Tour - Walk through fabled Stone Town, where history appears to stand still. You will visit the House of Wonders, the Palace Museum (People's Palace), Dr. Livingston's House and the Arab Fort. You will see Stone Town's bustling market, winding alleyways, ornately carved and studded doors, two cathedrals, and countless mosques!

Spice Tour - The guided walking tour passes through villages and spice plantations, as spice-farm workers climb trees, seek out specific plants, and cut off various barks, letting you see, feel and taste everything.

Deep Sea Fishing - Zanzibar Island is home to some of the best big game and deep sea fishing opportunities in the Indian Ocean. Billfish and Game Fish abound in these crystal waters! Deep sea fishing charter boats are fully rigged and ready to take you out for a fishing experience you will never forget!

Jozani Forest Tour - Enjoy a walk through this forest, filled with impressive flora and fauna such as monkeys, small buck, chameleon and bush pigs. Home of the Red Colobus monkey, a rare species found only in Zanzibar.

Dhow Sunset Cruise - In the late afternoon, slice through the clear turquoise water with beautiful views along the coast of Stone Town in a dhow - a Zanzibari traditional sailing vessel.

Prison Island Boat Trip - This island earns its name as a former prison for slaves and a quarantine station for Zanzibar and the mainland. It lies just off the coast of Old Stone Town, and is home to giant tortoises and fringed with a beautiful coral reef ideal for snorkeling.

Dolphin Tour - The most popular dolphin spotting location in Zanzibar is in Kizimkazi village located on the Southern coast of Zanzibar Island where you can see both bottle-nose and humpback dolphins.



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