

8 Days Tanzania VIP Safari: Mwiba Reserve Serengeti

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An Exclusive Escape into Tanzania's Wild Luxury

Experience Tanzania like never before on this carefully crafted [VIP safari](#). This 8-day journey blends refined comfort, exceptional wildlife, and rare cultural moments—ideal for travelers seeking exclusivity and style.

Your adventure starts in **Arusha**. Upon arrival, relax at [Legendary Lodge](#), a charming retreat set in lush gardens on a historic coffee estate. It's the perfect setting to rest and prepare for the days ahead.

The next morning, take a scenic flight to the [Mwiba Wildlife Reserve](#), a 129,000-acre private haven bordering the Southern Serengeti. Here, you'll settle into [Mwiba Lodge](#), where luxury meets wilderness. Each suite includes a private deck, plunge pool, and sweeping views of the savannah.

Game drives in Mwiba are private and fully flexible. You'll explore at your own pace, tracking lions, elephants, and giraffes. During the calving season, you may witness thousands of wildebeest and the drama that follows. With no crowds or time limits, every drive feels personal.

This safari also offers rich cultural immersion. These encounters are authentic and respectful.

Meanwhile, back at the lodge, enjoy spa treatments, sunset cocktails, or quiet moments by the infinity pool. After a day in the bush, indulge in gourmet meals and fireside storytelling.

You can also enhance your trip with extras like a [helicopter flight](#), [hot air balloon safari](#), or a romantic [bush dinner](#).

Whether you're celebrating a special occasion or returning to Africa for something more exclusive, this safari offers an unforgettable mix of comfort, privacy, and wild beauty.

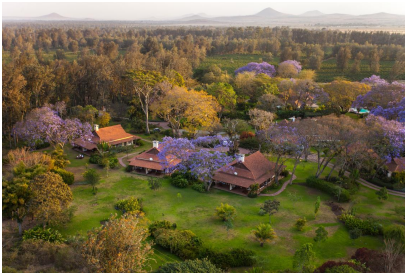
Tour Facts

Group Size:
2-8
Duration:
8

Language:
English, France, Germany, Spain
Tour Type:
continuous

Tour Itinerary

Day 1 : Arrival in Arusha – Legendary Lodge



Upon arrival at Kilimanjaro International Airport, you will be warmly welcomed by a Paul Tours Safari representative. You'll then transfer to **Legendary Lodge**, a serene boutique retreat nestled on a lush coffee estate just outside Arusha.

Spend the afternoon relaxing in your elegant room or exploring the tranquil gardens and surroundings. Enjoy a delicious dinner prepared with fresh, local ingredients at the lodge's restaurant, accompanied by fine wines and warm Tanzanian hospitality.

This peaceful evening sets the perfect tone for your upcoming adventure into Tanzania's wild luxury. Rest well to prepare for the scenic flight to Mwiba Reserve the next morning.

Duration
1 Hour

Day 2 : Flight to Mwiba Wildlife Reserve – Mwiba Lodge



Begin your day with a sumptuous breakfast at Legendary Lodge, featuring fresh tropical fruits, baked pastries, and locally sourced coffee. After breakfast, you'll be transferred to Arusha airstrip for your private charter flight to the **Mwiba Wildlife Reserve**.

As you ascend, enjoy stunning aerial views of the Great Rift Valley's rolling hills and the vast plains of the Southern Serengeti. The flight is an experience in itself, setting the tone for the wilderness ahead.

Upon arrival at Mwiba airstrip, you will be greeted by your dedicated lodge team. They will escort you to the exclusive **Mwiba Lodge**, nestled amidst ancient granite boulders and sprawling acacia trees. Your spacious suite offers elegant African décor, a private deck, and a plunge pool that overlooks the savannah.

After settling in, refresh with a light lunch served on your deck or in the main dining area, accompanied by panoramic views and the sounds of the wild.

In the late afternoon, embark on your first private game drive. Your expert guide will tailor the route based on recent sightings and your interests. Track lions lazing in the shade, graceful giraffes browsing treetops, and herds of elephants making their way across the plains. If you're visiting during the calving season, witness the awe-inspiring sight of thousands of wildebeest and their newborn calves.

As the sun sets, return to the lodge for a candlelit dinner under the stars. Savor gourmet cuisine paired with fine wines while sharing stories of the day's adventures around the cozy fire pit.

Before retiring, enjoy a nightcap on your deck or simply soak in the peaceful sounds of the African night.

Duration
6 Hours

Day 3 : Full Day of Private Game Drives in Mwiba Reserve



Wake up to the gentle sounds of the wild and enjoy a leisurely breakfast served either in your suite or at the lodge's dining area. Freshly brewed coffee and tropical fruits will prepare you for a day filled with adventure.

Today is dedicated to exploring the vast and pristine **Mwiba Wildlife Reserve** at your own pace. Your private guide will customize the itinerary based on your preferences and recent wildlife activity.

Begin with an early morning game drive, when the animals are most active. Watch as lions begin their patrols, elephants graze in the cool morning light, and colorful birdlife flutters through the trees. Your guide will share fascinating insights about the ecosystem and behavior of the wildlife you encounter.

Mid-morning, return to the lodge for a refreshing brunch or a swim in your plunge pool, overlooking the sweeping savannah. This is your time to relax, recharge, and soak in the serenity.

In the afternoon, embark on another private game drive. As the sun moves lower, the landscape takes on golden hues, creating perfect photo opportunities. Your guide may take you off the beaten track to hidden watering holes or secret wildlife spots seldom visited by other guests.

Optionally, arrange a visit to the nearby **Hadzabe** or **Datoga** tribes to experience authentic cultural encounters. Learn about their traditional ways of life, hunting techniques, and storytelling — a rare and respectful glimpse into Tanzania's indigenous heritage.

Return to Mwiba Lodge in the evening for a gourmet dinner. Enjoy dishes prepared with locally sourced ingredients, paired with exceptional wines. After dinner, relax around the fire under a clear sky filled with stars.

Duration
8 Hours

Day 4 : Morning Game Drive and Leisure Afternoon at Mwiba Lodge



Start your day early with a peaceful breakfast as the sun rises over the savannah. Afterward, set out on a private morning game drive, allowing your guide to seek out any wildlife you may have missed the previous day. The early hours often reveal unique animal behaviors as the landscape wakes.

Return to **Mwiba Lodge** by late morning, where you can relax at your leisure. Enjoy a refreshing swim in your plunge pool or unwind with a soothing spa treatment designed to rejuvenate your body and mind amid the tranquil surroundings.

For lunch, savor seasonal dishes crafted from fresh, local ingredients, served either in the elegant dining room or on your private deck, accompanied by sweeping views.

Spend the afternoon as you please: read a book in the lodge's library, take a guided nature walk around the reserve, or simply absorb the stunning vistas from your suite.

As the afternoon light softens, you may choose to embark on an optional **helicopter flight** over the Southern Serengeti. This breathtaking aerial safari offers an unparalleled perspective on the vast wilderness and abundant wildlife.

Conclude your day with a spectacular **bush dinner** arranged beneath the stars. Delight in a gourmet meal served around a campfire, surrounded by the sounds of the African night, creating a magical and intimate dining experience.

Duration
8 Hours

Day 5 : Full Day Game Drives and Cultural Visits in Mwiba Reserve



Begin your day with an early breakfast before setting out on a full day of private game drives. Your expert guide will take you deep into the heart of Mwiba Wildlife Reserve to maximize wildlife sightings. Expect to encounter prides of lions, large elephant herds, elusive leopards, and diverse bird species.

Midday, return to Mwiba Lodge for a leisurely lunch, served with views of the sprawling plains. Afterward, take some time to relax or enjoy the lodge's amenities, such as the infinity pool or spa treatments.

In the afternoon, venture out to visit the nearby **Hadzabe** and **Datoga** tribes. These authentic cultural encounters offer a rare insight into the traditional lifestyles of Tanzania's indigenous peoples. Witness ancient hunting techniques, traditional dances, and hear fascinating stories passed down through generations.

Return to the lodge in the evening to enjoy a gourmet dinner. Reflect on the day's adventures while savoring exquisite cuisine paired with fine wines in a serene setting.

Duration
7 Hours

Day 6 : Morning Game Drive and Relaxation at Mwiba Lodge



Enjoy an early breakfast before embarking on a morning game drive. The cool hours of the morning offer excellent wildlife viewing opportunities, with animals often more active and visible.

After a rewarding safari experience, return to Mwiba Lodge for a leisurely brunch. Spend the rest of the day at your own pace — relax by your private plunge pool, indulge in a spa treatment, or simply take in the breathtaking scenery from your suite's deck.

For those seeking adventure, optional activities such as a hot air balloon safari over the Southern Serengeti can be arranged. Experience the magic of the African plains from above at sunrise, followed by a champagne breakfast in the bush.

In the evening, enjoy a sumptuous dinner at the lodge, accompanied by fine wines and the tranquil sounds of the wilderness.

Duration
4 Hours

Day 7 : Final Game Drive and Sunset at Mwiba Lodge



Begin your day with a hearty breakfast before setting out on your final private game drive in Mwiba Reserve. Take this opportunity to revisit your favorite spots or search for any elusive wildlife you may have missed. Your expert guide will tailor the experience to your interests.

Return to Mwiba Lodge in the afternoon for some downtime. Relax by your plunge pool or enjoy a last spa treatment, soaking in the serenity and stunning views.

As the day winds down, gather for a memorable **sunset sundowner** on a scenic viewpoint overlooking the vast plains. Sip on your favorite cocktail while watching the African sun dip below the horizon, creating a spectacular display of colors.

End your evening with a farewell gourmet dinner, celebrating the unforgettable experiences and connections made during your stay.

Duration
7 Hours

Day 8 : Departure from Mwiba Lodge - Flight to Arusha



After a final breakfast overlooking the stunning Mwiba plains, take a last peaceful stroll around the lodge grounds or relax on your private deck.

When ready, your team will transfer you to Mwiba airstrip for your scenic charter flight back to Arusha. Enjoy aerial views of the Serengeti and Great Rift Valley as you head toward the end of your safari journey.

Upon arrival in Arusha, you will be met and transferred to Kilimanjaro International Airport for your onward flight home or next destination.

As you depart Tanzania, reflect on the unforgettable wildlife encounters, luxurious comforts, and authentic cultural experiences that defined your exclusive Mwiba VIP Safari.

Duration
4 Hours