

HIGHLIGHTS OF SOUTH AMERICA

South America is simply magical, overflowing with ancient history and packed with culture. On this journey through Argentina, Peru and Brazil, you'll tick off most of the must-see sights, including the spectacular Iguazu Falls, Machu Picchu, Rio de Janeiro and Lake Titicaca.

ITINERARY:

Day 1: Buenos Aires

On arrival transfer to your hotel.

Day 2: Buenos Aires

Explore this cosmopolitan capital with its European atmosphere and passionate tango. Visit colourful La Boca, the Italian quarter and see art vendors and tango dancers then visit the opulent suburbs of Palermo and Recoleta for a superb dinner and tango show.

Day 3: Buenos Aires

The day is yours to explore, shop or relax. Perhaps visit the opera house or take a day trip to historic Colonia, a ferry ride across the River Plate in Uruguay.

Day 4 & 5: Buenos Aires > Iguazu Falls

Fly to the mighty Iguazu Falls, with more than two hundred cascades thundering over an 80m cliff. Transfer to your hotel within the National Park, just walking distance from the falls. Later enjoy a guided tour to the famous Devil's Throat cataract on the Argentine side.

Day 6: Iguazu Falls > Rio de Janeiro

Today visit the Brazilian side of the falls and see wonderful fauna and flora in the park. Next fly to Rio de Janeiro and transfer to your hotel at the famous Copacabana Beach.

Days 7 & 8: Rio de Janeiro

Visit the famous 'Statue of Christ' sitting atop Corcovado and admire the sensational views. Later visit the top of Sugarloaf and see the famous beaches of Copacabana, Ipanema and Leblon. A second day is at leisure to relax, swim or shop!

Day 9: Rio de Janeiro > Lima

Morning at leisure, then fly to Lima (Peru) and transfer to your hotel in the stylish suburb of Miraflores.

Day 10: Lima

Enjoy a full day sightseeing in this historic city, including the wonderful Larco Herrera Museum, home to an astounding collection of Inca and pre-Inca artefacts and weavings.

Day 11: Lima > Sacred Valley of the Incas

A short flight to Cuzco then transfer to the beautiful Urubamba Valley, also known as the 'Sacred Valley of the Incas.' Stop en route to your Cuzco hotel to visit the famous market town of Pisac.

Day 12: Sacred Valley of the Incas

A full day of sightseeing includes the ingenious Inca botanical experiment at Moray, the amazing salt mines of Maras and the incredible fortress at Ollantaytambo, scene of the last great battle between the Spanish Conquistadors and the Inca armies.





Day 13: Sacred Valley of the Incas > Machu Picchu

Take a scenic 90-minute train journey from the Sacred Valley of the Incas to Aguas Calientes at the foot of Machu Picchu. Spend some time exploring the markets this afternoon.

Day 14: Machu Picchu > Cuzco

Today enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of this amazing ‘Lost City of the Incas’. Enjoy lunch at a restaurant close to the ruins. Later, return by train to Cuzco.

Day 15 & 16: Cuzco

Enjoy a tour of historic Cuzco including the Inca Temple of the Sun, the Inca fortress of Sacsayhuaman, the San Pedro market and the beautiful Cuzco Cathedral. The next morning is at leisure to explore shops and traditional markets of Cuzco.

Day 17: Cuzco > Puno > Lake Titicaca

Travel by road to Lake Titicaca with stops at Andean villages and the fascinating Inca ruins at Raqch'i which also has an excellent local market.

Day 18: Lake Titicaca

Discover two of Lake Titicaca’s famous islands. Taquile Island, where knitting is performed exclusively by males, while women make yarn and weave. The Uros floating islands are made from tortora rushes and the ancestors of these people predate the Incas.

Day 19: Puno > Lima

Transfer to Juliaca Airport. Fly to Lima and overnight at an airport hotel.

Day 20: Lima

Depart Lima this morning.

2025 price per person	Twin per person from	Single per person from
4 to 5-star	\$13,510	\$21,345

INCLUDES

19 nights accommodation; most meals; Meet & Greet at all airports; private transfers and shared transfers as per itinerary; English-speaking local guides; sightseeing as per itinerary; Lake Titicaca river cruise; entrance fees, including National Parks as per itinerary

NOT INCLUDED

Gratuities

DEPARTS: Daily, year-round.

PRICING: Prices are in New Zealand dollars (NZD), vary seasonally, and are subject to change. Please enquire for up-to-date pricing, further inclusions and terms and conditions.



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