



Tongabezi

Lunar Rainbow Package

3/4 days during full moon at higher water levels at Victoria Falls.

What is a Lunar Rainbow? A full moon is bright enough to have its light refracted by raindrops just as is the case for the sun. Moonlight is much fainter, of course, so the lunar rainbow is not nearly as bright as one produced by sunlight. Lunar rainbows have infrequently been observed since the time of Aristotle or before.

Tongabezi is a small, secluded lodge, upstream from Victoria Falls, set in a tranquil grove of African Ebony trees on a sweeping bend of the Zambezi River. Access is from Victoria Falls, Livingstone and Kasane airport or by road or air transfers.

Accommodation is 4 spacious open planned houses, 5 river cottages and one garden cottage. All rooms have magnificent views of the river and a private verandah. All are exotic architecturally.

Sindabezi is a tiny paradise island not far from Tongabezi Lodge. Magnificent views overlook other islands & the nearby flood plain of the Zambezi National Park. Access is by motorized banana boat (20min) or by canoe (1hr). Five thatched chalets (2 twin, 3 double) each with spectacular views over the Zambezi accommodate ten guests.

Day 1

Arrive Livingstone airport and transfer by road to Tongabezi
Late lunch
Afternoon boat trip
Lunar rainbow visit to Victoria Falls
Overnight Tongabezi

Day 2

Morning boat or canoe excursion
Day trip to Livingstone, the game park and Falls
Afternoon boat or canoe trip
Private Moonlit dinner on the Sampan
Overnight Tongabezi

Day 3

Trip to Chundu Island for picnic lunch
Afternoon canoeing downstream to Sindabezi Island
Dinner by moonlight on a sandbank on Sindabezi
Overnight Sindabezi

Day 4

Day exploring the islands and river around Sindabezi
Dinner by moonlight on a sandbank on Sindabezi
Overnight Sindabezi (last night free low season and 50% high season)

Day 5

Relaxing morning
Transfer to Livingstone airport

Full moon dates in 2005:

25th Jan 2005, 24th Feb 2005, 25th Mar 2005, 24th April 2005, 23rd May 2005, 22nd June 2005, 21st July 2005
Rack Rates: Jan-May £650 pp, June-July £869 pp

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