

12 Night Amazon Fly Cruise Package

Weekly Departures July 2022- May 2023

Costing

\$17,999 per person twin share

Day One We fly from Australia to Lima where we stay for 2 nights.

Day Three Lima / Iquitos / Nauta / Embark

Fly to Iquitos and continue overland to the riverside village of Nauta, where the Delfin II awaits. Settle into your cabin, and gather for a welcome dinner of fine Peruvian cuisine on board. Tonight, step out on deck to gaze at the magnificent Amazon night sky. (B,L,D)

Days Four to Nine Exploring the Pacaya-Samiria Reserve

Spend this week exploring the Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve, a pristine swath of jungle—stretching more than five million acres, and harboring some of the Amazon's most fascinating flora and fauna. Bordered by the Marañón and the Ucayali, these two powerful rivers converge to create the famed Amazon, which floods annually with nutrient-rich waters and is known locally as the Mirrored Forest for the reflections created by its glassy water.

Set out into this remarkable wilderness on daily excursions by skiff, kayak, and, when the water level permits, hikes on dry land. Skim past giant lily pads afloat on black-water lakes, and venture deep into the rain forest on narrow tributaries. Spot sloths and monkeys, including variably colored saddleback tamarins, noisy howlers, and shaggy-tailed monk saki monkeys. Watch for an astounding variety of birds, from tanagers and hummingbirds to parrots and endangered scarlet macaws. In the river, look for massive paiche fish, the Amazon's largest; rare pink dolphins; and the infamous piranhas.

Enjoy an opportunity to swim in a lake in the reserve's interior. Seek out Victoria amazonica, a giant water lily that grows in small lagoons. Go on a bird-watching hike, listening for the vocal oropendola and then looking for its telltale yellow tail. Watch the sun set and listen to a cacophonous symphony of nocturnal animals calling out across the treetops. Then slip through the forest in a skiff as night falls, using a spotlight to find caimans, frogs, fishing bats and other creatures of the night.

Pay a visit to one of the communities on the reserve's edge and get to know the ribereños, those who live on the riverbanks, and their age-old traditions. Enjoy watching them make jewelry and other local handicrafts. Learn how local subsistence farmers cultivate wild plants and trees to earn income. Hear about how the locals find edible fruits and indigenous plants with medicinal properties hidden in the jungle. (B,L,D DAILY)



Day Nine Nauta / Disembark / Iquitos / Lima

Enjoy one last morning excursion by skiff to view wildlife. After lunch, disembark in Nauta, and return to Iquitos overland for a late afternoon flight to Lima. Overnight at the Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport Hotel. (B,L)

Day Ten Fly Home to Australia where you arrive 2 days latter.

After breakfast, transfer to the airport in Lima for your flight home. (B) or you may wish to consider other options such as:

Galapagos Cruise
Or
Machu Pichu

Or I can assist with any other Travel Arrangements you may have in mind as the included Economy air fare allows flexibility.



All bookings and enquiries call Lance!

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Delfin 11

Delfin II accommodates just 28 guests in 14 beautifully appointed outside suites. This stately riverboat redefines modern elegance. Airy open spaces are detailed with clean lines in tropical hardwoods. Exotic flowers and fresh fruits from the rain forest add vibrant color and grace to the top deck lounge and dining room.

The tools for exploration on our luxury Amazon river cruise include nimble 10-person motorized skiffs, plus a fleet of sturdy kayaks. Rain ponchos and rubber boots are carried aboard for all.

Sail in tropical style & comfort with a small band of explorers

Life aboard-informal, relaxed, friendly

Suggested Extension

Machu Picchu Extension
Galapagos Cruise
Cruise the Antarctic (pending the season)
Iguazu Falls – Buenos Aires
Rio Carnival (Feb 23)
Or any other option you request can be costed.

Costing & Inclusions:

Return Economy class fares. Transfers and accommodation and touring as per the brochure (for a more detailed cruise itinerary please ask) All Taxes.
The trip will be locally Escorted.

\$17,999 per person twin share

\$1500 deposit p/p due 7 days after confirmation with the next payment of \$3500.00 p/p due 21 days after that.

Final payment due 90 days before departure.

Upgrades:

Please ask for the cost to upgrade to Business Class airfare.
Please ask for the cost to upgrade to a Suite on the Delfin 11.

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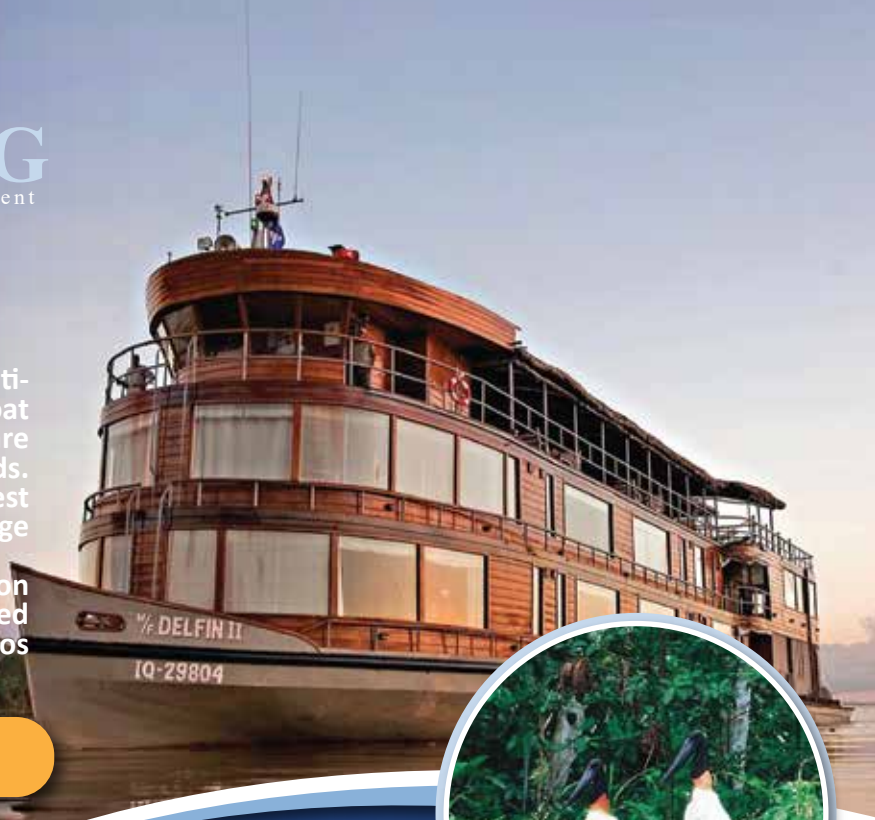
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Birdlife and Wildlife

that we may have the opportunity to see on our trip pending on weather conditions:

The 10 Most Beautiful Birds of Amazon Rainforest Jungle

- The Hyacinth Macaw. This is considered as one of the most beautiful bird of Amazon Rainforest jungle
- Blue Fronted Amazon
- Scarlet Macaws
- Spectacled Owl
- Plum Throated Cotinga
- Crimson Topaz
- Oropendolas
- Amazon Kingfisher

Please ask for a complete check list of over 400 possible bird sightings on this trip.

Top 10 Wildlife to Spot in the Amazon

- Giant River Otters
- Toucans
- Macaws
- Black Caimans
- Capybaras
- Pink River Dolphins
- Piranhas
- Jaguars

