

# A GHANAIAN HERITAGE JOURNEY

TOUR DURATION: 8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS

4 STAR OPTION



**TRIP DATES: TBA****CITIES IN THIS ITINERARY**

ACCRA  
 CAPE COAST  
 TEFLE  
 ELMINA  
 KUMASI  
 NTONSO  
 AHWIAA  
 EJISU  
 ASSIN MANSO

**HOTELS IN THIS ITINERARY**

ALISA HOTEL  
 RIDGE ROYAL HOTEL  
 LANCASTER KUMASI

**EXPERIENCE OVERVIEW**

Our 8 day journey invites guests to experience the soul of Ghana, merging together rich cultural traditions, poignant history, and natural beauty. From a warm welcome imbued with local customs to the deeply moving rebirth ceremony, each day creates moments of connection and discovery. Guests will explore historic sites like Cape Coast Castle, engage in creative workshops, and enjoy the serenity of nature at Kakum National Park. This curated itinerary balances guided experiences with wind down times allowing each guest to reflect and savor memories created.

**PRICE (10 GUESTS)****\$2,606 PP ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY****PRICE (15 GUESTS)****\$2,395 PP ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY****PRICE (20 GUESTS)****\$2,270 PP ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY****SINGLE SUPPLEMENT****\$820PP****LEAD EXPERIENCE DIRECTOR**

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## DAY 1 - AKWAABA! WELCOME TO GHANA

Upon arrival in Accra, an SLL Journeys Guest Experience Director will pick you up and escort to your hotel for a private check-in, complete with refreshing welcome drinks and a cold or warm towel to freshen up.

After settling in, there will be an opportunity for currency exchange to the local Ghanaian Cedis.

Later in the afternoon, your measurements will be taken for a custom-made outfit made in African fabric to be worn during the farewell dinner.

The evening will culminate in a vibrant welcome dinner at the upscale Africa-fusion beachfront restaurant Makosa, featuring a cultural performance that will introduce you to the rich heritage of Ghana.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**

**MEALS - WELCOME DINNER**



## DAY 2 - REBIRTH & CULTURAL IMMERSION

In the morning, you will be picked up from your hotel and taken to a village for a deeply moving Rebirth ceremony and welcome blessings. Here, you'll receive a Ghanaian name and be formally welcomed into the community.

After the ceremony, you'll enjoy lunch in a tranquil setting at a riverfront restaurant. The next stop is Nkyinkyim, an outdoor museum and art space that showcases Ghana's history and cultural stories through sculpture and installations.

You'll return to Accra in the late afternoon, where a private African theater performance awaits, offering an immersive experience of traditional storytelling and dance.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**

**MEALS - BREAKFAST, LUNCH & SNACKS**



### **DAY 3- CHOCOLATE TASTING & DAY AS YOU PLEASE**

Your day begins with a unique "bean to bar" experience at Midunu, where you'll learn about the process of crafting artisanal chocolate from local cacao beans.

This will be followed by a delicious lunch at a contemporary West African restaurant in the city, after which you have the rest of the day at your leisure.

Take this opportunity to relax at the hotel or explore the city at your own pace.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**

**MEALS - BREAKFAST, LUNCH & SNACKS**

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### **DAY 4 - HERITAGE & HISTORY OF THE ENSLAVED**

Your day starts with an early pick-up for a scenic drive to Cape Coast. Upon arrival, you'll visit Global Mamas, where you'll participate in a batik-making class, designing your own fabric using traditional techniques—a unique keepsake of your journey.

After lunch, the afternoon takes a reflective turn with private guided tours of Cape Coast and Elmina Castles, led by an African history expert.

These UNESCO World Heritage sites offer a solemn look at the transatlantic slave trade, with visits to the dungeons, holding cells, and the "Door of No Return," providing a deep understanding of this historical tragedy.

**HOTEL - RIDGE ROYAL HOTEL, CAPE COAST**

**MEALS - PACKED BREAKFAST, LUNCH & SNACKS**





## DAY 5 - KAKUM NATIONAL PARK & JOURNEY TO KUMASI

The day begins with a scenic drive to Kakum National Park, where you'll experience the famous Canopy Walkway suspended high above the rainforest. A park guide will lead you through this lush ecosystem, sharing insights into the local wildlife and plant species.

Continuing north, you'll stop at Assin Manso, a historically significant site linked to the transatlantic slave trade. Here, you'll visit the Slave River and the Ancestral Burial Ground, where repatriated ancestors were laid to rest.

Upon arrival in Kumasi, the cultural capital of the Ashanti Kingdom, you'll embark on a Kumasi City Tour, including a visit to the Manhyia Palace Museum, which showcases the history and legacy of the Ashanti monarchy.

**HOTEL - LANCASTER HOTEL KUMASI**  
**MEALS - BREAKFAST, PACKED LUNCH & SNACKS**



## DAY 6 - AN ASANTE HERITAGE

Your day in Kumasi begins with a visit to the craft villages of Ntonso, Ahwiaa, and Adanwomase, where you'll witness traditional weaving, carving, and dyeing techniques that have been passed down through generations.

Next, you'll visit the Asante Traditional Buildings, UNESCO-listed sites that showcase the architectural heritage of the Ashanti Kingdom. You'll also have the opportunity to meet the renowned royal umbrella makers.

Enjoy a scenic drive back to Accra and check into your hotel.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**  
**MEALS - BREAKFAST, PACKED LUNCH & SNACKS**



## DAY 7 - JOURNEY THROUGH ACCRA

Start your final full day in Accra with a visit to the La Coffin Makers, where you'll see the intricate and symbolic custom coffins crafted by local artisans. You'll then meet the renowned Ghanaian artist Ablade Glover at his Artist Alliance gallery.

Our journey continues to Independence Square and the Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park (KNMP), two landmarks of Ghana's political history. Later, you'll participate in a surprise experience to be revealed upon reaching the location.

The day concludes with a farewell dinner featuring a private chef, a live African band, and a memorable final evening.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**

**MEALS - BREAKFAST, LUNCH, SNACKS & DINNER**



## DAY 8 - NANTIE YIE - FAREWELL

Depending on your departure time, there will be an opportunity for some last-minute shopping.

After checking out of the hotel, a Guest Experience Director will assist in transferring you to the airport for your onward journey, marking the end of your unforgettable Ghanaian Heritage Journeys.

**HOTEL - ALISA HOTEL OR SIMILAR**

**MEALS - BREAKFAST**



#### JOURNEY INCLUSIONS:

- ALL ENTRY FEES TO LOCATIONS IN ITINERARY
- 4 STAR HOTEL ACCOMMODATION
- EXPERIENCES OUTLINED IN THIS ITINERARY
- PRIVATE AIR-CONDITIONED VEHICLE WITH CHAUFFEUR
- 24 HOUR GUEST SUPPORT
- PRIVATE CHECK-IN
- KNOWLEDGEABLE TOUR DIRECTORS
- GUEST EXPERIENCE DIRECTORS
- ROUND TRIP AIRPORT TRANSFER
- DAILY BREAKFAST
- 6X LUNCHESES
- 2X DINNERS
- DAILY SNACKS ON THE BUS
- 2 BOTTLES OF NON-ALCOHOLIC LOCAL BEVERAGE (BISSAP) - DAILY
- 2 BOTTLES OF WATER ON THE BUS - DAILY

#### JOURNEY EXCLUSIONS:

- MEALS NOT STIPULATED IN THE ITINERARY
- TIPS AND GRATUITIES FOR EXPERIENCE DIRECTORS, TOUR DIRECTORS, DRIVERS AND RESTAURANT STAFF
- CHARGES INCURRED BY DELAYS OR CANCELLATIONS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF SLL JOURNEYS
- INTERNATIONAL AIRFARE
- PASSPORT & VISA RELATED FEES
- AIRPORT AND BAGGAGE HANDLING CHARGES
- EARLY CHECK IN/ LATE CHECK OUT UNLESS PRE-ARRANGED
- TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATIONS NOT LISTED ON THE ITINERARY
- ANYTHING NOT LISTED AS INCLUDED