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Gems of Iceland with Northern Lights



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Iceland is a country known for its natural wonders: glaciers, active volcanoes, black-sand beaches, geothermal areas, roaring rivers, majestic waterfalls, and beautiful lakes. On this escorted tour of Iceland, start and end in Reykjavik, and witness these natural wonders while enjoying unique experiences. Take an evening excursion by motorcoach to enjoy the spectacular experience of witnessing the Northern Lights (Aurora Borealis) in Iceland's night sky (weather permitting). Globus has also included some spectacular experiences to make your Iceland vacation special. In Thingvellir, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, walk through the rift valley that marks the separation between two of the world's major tectonic plates. In Geysir, experience the geothermal areas and taste freshly baked bread, cooked using the heat from the hot springs.

Pair it with a glass of Geysir schnapps. Marvel at the Gullfoss waterfall; drive through the national park at Skaftafell; and stop at Lake Jökulsárlón, where some of the most spectacular scenes of the James Bond movie Die Another Day were filmed. Join us to experience the exquisite natural beauty that will stay with you for years to come—a guided vacation in Iceland you'll treasure forever.

Globus All Access

Special Features Included in this Tour:

- Orientation drive of Reykjavik
-  Northern Lights excursion
-  Visit to Thingvellir Rift Valley
- Visit to the hot springs of Geysir for a  taste of local specialties cooked with the heat from the hot springs
- Photo opportunity at  Gullfoss the "Golden Waterfall"
- Visit to Lake Jökulsárlón and see the  Vatnajökull Glacier (weather permitting).
- Scenic drive by the Skogafoss and Seljandsfoss waterfalls
- Visit to the geothermal heat and electric power station at Hellisheiðarvirkjun

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Group Size Options

TOUR OVERVIEW

6

DAYS

1

COUNTRY

COUNTRIES

Iceland

MEALS

Breakfast 5

Dinner 5


You Dream. We Plan.


Globus takes you beyond the guidebooks with more ways to discover each destination.

Local Favorites

Every Globus tour includes our exclusive Local Favorites, specially included to share the authentic experiences that make each destination unique. Get to know the locals and local flavors you might just miss on your own!

Tour Highlights

Discover something unexpected and unforgettable in the special way only Globus can share—with sightseeing highlights to off-the-beaten-path surprises to out-of-this world moments you'll remember for a lifetime!

Enhanced Free Time

Explore or relax as you please, or choose exciting options available at MyGlobus. Get local maps and free time tips on your GlobusGO mobile app. Your Tour Director can suggest the perfect way to design your day!

DAY-BY-DAY

Itinerary

1 ARRIVE IN REYKJAVIK, ICELAND

Welcome to Reykjavik!

At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travel companions for a welcome dinner at your hotel.

 Dinner

2 REYKJAVIK-THINGVELLIR-GEYSIR-GULLFOSS-VIK AREA

Incredible Iceland

Start the day with an orientation drive around the capital city of Reykjavik before continuing to Thingvellir for a unique experience! 🌸 Walk through the Rift Valley's landscape formed by shifting tectonic plates and stand on two continents at the same time! Later, arrive at the hot springs of Geysir for a real treat! 🌸 Taste local specialties including freshly baked bread and a glass of Geysir Schnapps. Before arriving in the Vik Area, stop to take photos at the Gullfoss waterfalls.

221mi/356 km

 Breakfast  Dinner

LOCAL FAVORITE

NATURAL WONDERS Iceland is the only place in the world where separation between the North American and European geological rift (tectonic plates) are above sea level, and nowhere in the world are the edges of both plates as clearly visible than the Rift Valley in Thingvellir National Park.

3 VIK AREA. EXCURSION TO SKAFTAFELL NATIONAL PARK & LAKE...

Ice Beauty

Admire the stunning scenery as you drive through Skaftafell national park and stop at Lake Jökulsárlón. Snap photos to capture the beauty of the glacier Vatnajökull, the largest in Europe.

155mi/250km

 Breakfast  Dinner

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

PICTURE PERFECT Marvel at the magnificent beauty of Lake Jökulsárlón, Iceland's largest lake. Here, Icebergs break away from the vast Vatnajökull Glacier (the Water Glacier) and drift gracefully toward the Atlantic. James Bond fans may recognize this dramatic site as the filming location of Die Another Day.

4 VIK AREA-VIKURFJARA-SKOGAFOSS-SELJALANDSFOSS-HELLISH...

Rainbows & Waterfalls

Today, take in the variety of colors in the ever-changing landscapes. Enjoy a photo stop at Víkurfjara to admire the dramatic coastline of basalt columns and black sand beaches. Admire the verdant green landscapes of the Skogafoss and Seljandsfoss waterfalls during a scenic drive. Then, continue to Hellishiðarvirkjun to visit the geothermal heat and electric power station. Later, arrive in Reykjavik and 🇮🇸 join an evening excursion to see the mesmerizing Northern Lights (weather permitting).

158mi/255km

 Breakfast  Dinner

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

NATURAL WONDERS The Aurora Borealis (Northern Lights) is one of the most dramatic natural phenomena that can be seen. A magical, natural light display that is only visible from a few places in the world. One of the best locations to witness this incredible event is Iceland.

5 REYKJAVIK

Remarkable Reykjavik

Enjoy a free day in Reykjavik to enjoy more local culture in one of the museums, browse the stores, or sample local specialties, like the delicious kanilsnúðar pastries (cinnamon rolls). This evening, join your travel companions for a farewell dinner at a local restaurant.

 Breakfast  Dinner

ENHANCED FREE TIME

CULTURE & TRADITION The name of Iceland's capital city, Reykjavik, means "smoky bay." It was named by the first settlers after the columns of steam that they could observe rising from its geothermal springs. Today Reykjavik has numerous geothermal swimming pools which are considered social hubs by many locals.

Make the Most of Your Free Time

While we include select excursions and must-see sights on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your tour.

Excursion to the Blue Lagoon

Enjoy a peaceful time at the Blue Lagoon, an incredible geothermal spa set in an otherworldly area where lava and thermal waters complement each other.

4h 0m

Price Range: \$\$\$\$



6 REYKJAVIK

Safe travels until we meet again!

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

 Breakfast

Tour Director

HAND-PICKED

Hotels

We've vetted and hand-selected the best hotels around the world with location, comfort, and style in mind. Enjoy first-class hotels in each destination, and check in with the confidence that we've already checked everything out for your comfort and convenience.

REYKJAVIK

Fosshotel Reykjavik

Pórunnartún 1 Reykjavik Iceland



First-Class Hotel as shown or similar



WiFi

Fosshotel Reykjavik is Iceland's largest hotel in Reykjavik's business district, only a short walk from the main shopping area. With 16 floors, many of the rooms offer views over the city and the bay. Guestroom facilities include satellite TV, hairdryer, coffee and tea maker, small fridge, iron and ironing board, safety box, and free Wi-Fi access.

Hotel Amenities

- Business Center
- Elevator
- Restaurant On-Site
- Luggage Storage
- Bar/Lounge
- Fitness Room
- Laundry Available
- Free WiFi
- Ice Machine

Room Features

- Coffee Maker
- Desk
- Television
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Room Service
- Window Opens
- Cable/Satellite
- Climate Control
- Disabled Access / Rooms
- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- In-Room Safe
- Wake-Up Calls
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Air Conditioning

VIK AREA

Klaustur

Klausturvegur 6 Kirkjubaejarklaustur Iceland

 First-Class Hotel as shown or similar

 WiFi

This 57-room hotel offers modern Scandinavian comfort in close proximity to the magnificent Vatnajökull glacier and spectacular Sidufjoll mountains. Locally sourced ingredients are highlighted in the restaurant's dishes, and the cozy bar with outdoor terrace offers the perfect place to enjoy drinks and snacks.

Hotel Amenities

- ATM
- Restaurant On-Site
- Elevator
- Free WiFi

- Luggage Storage
- Bar/Lounge
- Gift Shop
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Internet Access
- Climate Control
- Air Conditioning
- Desk
- Television
- Wake-Up Calls
- Alarm Clock
- Cable/Satellite
- Disabled Access / Rooms