



Wangulen Odyssey

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SOUTH CONE SPLENDOR - 19 days

Immerse yourself in the South Cone and experience the **Highlights of Southern South America** by way of Santiago, the Lakes Districts of both Chile and Argentina, Torres del Paine National Park, the Perito Moreno Glacier, Buenos Aires and Iguazu Falls.



- Each program includes the following:
- Internal airfare from Santiago (tour ends in Buenos Aires),
 - All airport and hotel transfers,
 - Excursions mentioned in itinerary, and
 - Lodging w/ breakfasts in hotels per selected program.
 - **Daily departures Nov-Mar, weekly Apr-Oct.**



Base Program

US\$ **3,850** p/p

\$900 single supplement

Lodging for Base Program

Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Montecarlo
Puerto Varas	Terrazas
Puerto Natales	Glaciares
El Calafate	Meulen
Bariloche	Tres Reyes
Buenos Aires	Las Luces
Iguazu Falls	Saint George



with Lodging Upgrade A

US\$ **4,450** p/p

\$1,300 single supplement

Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Diego de Velazquez
Puerto Varas	Cabanas del Lago (Standard)
Puerto Natales	Indigo (Standard)
El Calafate	El Quijote
Bariloche	Nevada
Buenos Aires	Howard Johnsons
Iguazu Falls	Cataratas



with Lodging Upgrade B

US\$ **5,150** p/p

\$2,100 single supplement

Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Kennedy
Puerto Varas	Cabanas del Lago (Superior)
Puerto Natales	Indigo (Suite)
El Calafate	Posada Los Alamos
Bariloche	Panamericano
Buenos Aires	725 Continental
Iguazu Falls	Panoramic



Trip Itinerary

may be tailored in any way

the **Last Hope Sound**, and check into your room for the next three nights. You will have the **remainder of the afternoon free** to recharge your batteries for your next adventure.

Day 1 *Santiago, Chile*

Arrive into **Santiago's** International Airport, where a private transfer will be waiting to take you to your hotel for the next 3 nights. This afternoon you have the chance to see Santiago in detail through an **afternoon City Tour** visiting all the key sites, ending with an optional "**Pisco Sour**", Chile's national drink.

Day 2 *Santiago, Chile*

After breakfast you will take a **day trip to Chile's coast**, passing through the **Curacavi** and **Casablanca valleys**, the latter known for the production of award winning wines. Then you will continue on to the legislative capitol of the country, the hillside port city of **Valparaiso** with its winding streets, and then on to the beach resort city of **Viña del Mar**, visiting its casino and beaches. You will get to enjoy a seafood lunch (price not included in program) before returning to Santiago.

Day 3 *Santiago, Chile*

Today you will have a **half day tour of one of Chile's premier wineries**. The tour will give you the opportunity to learn about the history of winemaking in Chile, as well as that of the families who built these enterprises from the ground up. You will also get to taste just what makes their wines so successful. Tonight you can enjoy an **Easter Island themed Dinner Show**.

Day 4 *Puerto Varas, Chile*

Private transfer to the airport for your morning flight to the southern city of **Puerto Montt**. Transfer for the short drive to **Puerto Varas**, the "City of Roses", where you will check in your hotel with a view of the lake and volcanoes. You will have an **afternoon trip up the Osorno Volcano** or a **tour around the west side of Lake Llanquihue**, Chile's 2nd largest lake, giving you an insight into the daily lives of the original German immigrants who began settling in this far region during the 1850s. You will visit the lakeside towns of **Frutillar** with its open-air museum and **Puerto Octay** on the northern corner of the lake where you will have lunch. After whichever half-day trip you take, you will return and have the remainder of the afternoon and evening free in Puerto Varas.

Day 5 *Puerto Varas, Chile*

Today you have several options to choose from, including: (1) **Full day trip to the island of Chiloe**, where you will experience the unique culture and architecture, including the construction of houses over the water known as "palafitos", (2) **Full day trip through the Perez Rosales National Park, Petrohue Falls and on to Lake Todos Los Santos**, where you will take a catamaran across the lake, with views of both the **Osorno** and **Puntiagudo Volcanoes**, to **Peulla**, where you can have optional lunch and activities before returning to Puerto Varas., (3) **Whitewater rafting** (Level III) on the Petrohue River, (4) **Canyoning** down some of the many waterfalls in the area, (5) **Various full day trekking trips** among other activities.

Day 6 *Puerto Natales, Chile*

Transfer to the airport outside Puerto Montt for your flight down to **Punta Arenas**, where you will have a shared transfer of approximately 3 hours to the port city of **Puerto Natales** on

Day 7 *Puerto Natales, Chile*

Today you will have a **full day in the monumental Torres del Paine National Park**, declared a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. You will be immersed in a special microclimate filled with unique flora and fauna, witnessing **Patagonian foxes, guanacos** (American camels) and huge **condors**, all amid numerous lakes and at the foot of the immense granite "Torres" and "Cuernos".

Day 8 *Puerto Natales, Chile*

This morning you will take a **day cruise from Puerto Natales through the Bernardo O'Higgins National Park to visit the Balmaceda and Serrano glaciers**. After approximately 4 hours of navigation, you will have the chance to disembark and hike through native forest to arrive at a lagoon filled with icebergs at the foot of the Serrano Glacier. Optional lunch in the Estancia Perales. Late afternoon transfer to Puerto Natales.

Day 9 *El Calafate, Argentina*

After breakfast you will be picked up at your hotel and will have a full day shared transfer across the border to **Argentina** and then on up through the **Pampa** to the fast-growing tourist town of **El Calafate**, your staging point to witness one of the most unforgettable glaciers on the planet. Remainder of the **afternoon free to explore the great shops and bookstores**.

Day 10 *El Calafate, Argentina*

Today you will take a **tour for a close-up view of the Perito Moreno Glacier**, one of the most active glaciers on the planet, often with sections of ice calving off every few minutes. The almost constant sound of ice cracking and shifting inside the glacier is something you will never forget. You will also be able to take a boat trip to get an even closer view of this Patagonian wonder. Overnight in El Calafate.

Day 11 *San Carlos de Bariloche, Argentina*

This morning after breakfast you will have a transfer to the airport for your flight up to **San Carlos de Bariloche**, on the shores of **lake Nahuel Huapi** (or "Tiger Island", referring to the puma) in the middle of Argentina's lakes District. You will have the remainder of the **afternoon free to stroll through town** and see all the local handcraft shops on Mitre street.

Day 12 *San Carlos de Bariloche, Argentina*

Today you can take a **half-day trip along the lakeshore**, known as the "Circuito Chico", including the **chairlift up Campanario Hill**, providing an astonishing 360-degree view of the entire area. You will have plenty of time to stroll through town and shop. Recommendation: if you like chocolate, you are in the right place! Try one of the many local **chocolate shops**.

Day 13 *San Carlos de Bariloche, Argentina*

After breakfast you will take a **full-day tour to Victoria Island** and an **easy hike into a forest of Arrayan trees**, with their unmistakable orange-colored bark. Late afternoon transfer back to your hotel in Bariloche.

Day 14 *Buenos Aires, Argentina*

Transfer to the airport for your flight to **Buenos Aires**, then transfer to your hotel for the next 3 nights. You'll have the remainder of the **afternoon free** to enjoy the "Paris of South America" with its quaint neighborhoods and great shopping.

Day 15 *Buenos Aires, Argentina*

Today you will take a **City Tour of Buenos Aires**, visiting the **National Congress**, the **Metropolitan Cathedral**, around the **Plaza de Mayo**, into the neighborhoods of **San Telmo**, **La Boca**, **Palermo**, and ending in upscale **Recoleta** with its elegant cafés and restaurants. Tonight we've included a **Tango Dinner Show** to give you a taste of the real Argentina culture!

Day 16 *Buenos Aires, Argentina*

This morning you will be picked up from your hotel to begin your **full-day Fiesta Gaucha at a working estancia** outside of Buenos Aires. You will get to see Argentinean cowboys and their herding dogs at work in their natural environment.

Day 17 *Iguazu Falls, Argentina*

Transfer to the airport for your flight to **Iguazu Falls**, where you will be met for your transfer to your hotel for the next two nights. Rest of the **afternoon free** to walk around and explore the thick, jungle environment.

Day 18 *Iguazu Falls, Argentina*

Today you will have a **Full Day tour of the immense Iguazu Falls**, being able to witness the area's wonder from both the **Argentina** and **Brazil** sides, which offer very unique perspectives of this unforgettable destination, where you are literally surrounded by nature. Transfer back to your hotel at the end of the day.

Day 19 *Buenos Aires / Home*

Transfer to the airport for your flight back to Buenos Aires to connect to your international flight home, or wherever else your travels take you. We hope you had a wonderful vacation, and thank you so much for your business!

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Fully Escorted

Patagonian Odyssey	16-days	Overland, available Nov-Mar – Volcanoes, Glaciers, Temperate rainforests and more.
Machu Picchu to Iguazu	14 days	Stunning new tour, including Machu Picchu, San Pedro de Atacama and Iguazu Falls.

Package Tours (completely customizable)

Chilean Patagonia Express	9 days	Our most economical way to see Santiago, the Lakes District and Torres del Paine.
Chilean Patagonia + Estancias	10 days	Experience Santiago, the Lakes District and an Estancias trip into Torres del Paine.
South Cone Urban Tour	12 days	Witness South American city life in Santiago, Puerto Varas, Bariloche, & Buenos Aires.
Torres del Paine programs	9-13 days	Santiago, Puerto Varas, and all-inclusive programs inside Torres del Paine.
Captivating Patagonia	14 days	Santiago, Puerto Varas, Torres del Paine, the Perito Moreno Glacier, and Buenos Aires.

Why should I book a tour with Wangulen Odyssey ?

- Wangulen (which means "Star" in Mapudungun, the Mapuche indigenous language) is a local company, so your business **supports the local economy** and helps preserve the beauty of our natural environment,
- We are the owners and operators of the business, so planning, decision-making and problem solving are quick. We pride ourselves on the level of **Personalized Service** we offer our clients. Our #1 priority is to give you the best travel experience of your life!
- **We know that our clients primarily want a hassle-free vacation, customized to their needs, exceeding their expectations, and all at a fair price,**
- There are no "middlemen", so by keeping our overhead low and working only with local operators, **our prices are nearly as amazing as Patagonia itself!**
- **Get outdoors again**, hike through some of the last remaining temperate rainforests on the planet, fill your lungs with pure air, trek on an immense glacier, witness the true Patagonia in this tour, where **everyday is a surprise!**

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