



AIR JOURNEY

Journey to the
**Amazon
& Cusco**

DECEMBER 05 - 15, 2024

COLOMBIA • PERU • PANAMA

Journey Overview



JOURNEY TO THE AMAZON & CUSCO



DEPARTURE POINT
STUART, FL, U.S.A.



JOURNEY DATES
DECEMBER 05 - 15, 2025

11 / 10
DAYS NIGHTS

3
COUNTRIES

1
CONTINENT

4,915
NAUTICAL MILES

Embark on a captivating South American journey, cruising the Peruvian Amazon aboard the Aqua Nera to witness stunning scenery, wildlife, and indigenous culture. Travel in luxury on the Hiram Bingham train to Machu Picchu for a breathtaking experience at this ancient site. Explore the Panama Canal and Miraflores Locks, including a thrilling navigation simulator. This journey promises a blend of natural wonders, cultural encounters, and exclusive experiences for the discerning traveler.


Itinerary at a Glance

11 Days / 10 Nights

DECEMBER 05 - 15, 2024

DAY 1-3 | *DEC 05 - DEC 07*

CARTAGENA, COLOMBIA

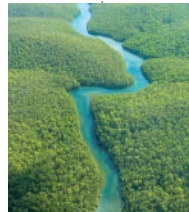
 *SOFITEL, SANTA CLARA*



DAY 3-6 | *DEC 07 - DEC 10*

AMAZON RIVER, PERU

 *AMAZON AQUA NERA*



DAY 6-9 | *DEC 10 - DEC 13*

CUSCO, PERU

 *BELMOND MONASTERIO*



DAY 9-11 | *DEC 13 - DEC 15*

PANAMA CITY, PANAMA

 *SOFITEL CASCO VIEJO*



DAY 11 | *DEC 15*

KEY WEST, FL, U.S.A. - HOME



LUXURY
AMAZON CRUISE



WILDLIFE
ENCOUNTERS



UNESCO WORLD
HERITAGE SITES



BREATHTAKING
LANDSCAPES



HISTORICAL
SITES



DISCOVER THE FULL
Itinerary

Cartagena, Colombia



Old Town, Cartagena, Colombia



Sofitel Santa Clara

FLYING DAY: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 05

STUART, FLORIDA, USA (KSUA)



CARTAGENA, COLOMBIA (SKCG)

1,035 NM

Air Journey will greet you at the airport for a briefing before embarking on the first leg of our Journey.

Fly to Colombia one of the most ethnically diverse nations in South America.

Cartagena, undeniably one of Latin America's most beautiful cities lost somewhere in time between the sixteenth and nineteenth centuries, with the Caribbean sea as a sparkling backdrop. Sir Francis Drake laid siege to the city but the fortress walls and cannons remain, making the area within the old walled city a living museum.

The following day, enjoy a full day tour to experience Cartagena's colonial charm with its tiled roofs, balconies and flower-filled courtyards. Relive history in the old walled city, the Ciudad Amarullada, where we will explore the four sectors, each one with a peculiar story to tell: San Diego, La Matuna, Getsemani and Santo Domingo.



SOFITEL SANTA CLARA | 2 NIGHTS



BREAKFAST & DINNER DAILY | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION

Day 3-6  ARRIVE
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 07

DEPART
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

Amazon River, Peru




Amazon River, Peruvian Amazon



M/V Aqua Nera

FLYING DAY: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 07

CARTAGENA, PERU (SKCG)  IQUITOS, PERU (SPQT)

860 NM

Fly to Iquitos, a vibrant city nestled along the banks of the Amazon River in the heart of the northern Peruvian Amazon region. Upon arrival, transfer to the Iquitos Main Wharf to embark on the Aqua Nera Amazon Cruise, setting the stage for an extraordinary three-day adventure along the mighty Amazon and its tributaries, exploring remote and untouched corners of the rainforest.

Day two unveils the enchanting Yacapana Islands, known as “The Islands of the Iguana,” where you’ll encounter these fascinating reptiles and the mystical Amazon River dolphins. Journey along the Yarapa River, witnessing diverse wildlife and trying your hand at piranha fishing in Lake Moringo. Later, visit the tranquil Lake Clavero, where you can swim in its calm waters and engage with the welcoming local community.

On day three, delve deeper into the Amazon’s biodiversity as you explore a blackwater stream within the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve. Marvel at the dense gallery forest and observe colorful birds and playful monkeys. In the afternoon, embark on a magical journey through the “Jungle of the Mirrors,” and the Dorado River, encountering vibrant parrots, macaws, and other wildlife along the way. As your adventure draws to a close, reflect on the wonders of the Amazon and the memories forged during your unforgettable journey aboard the Aria Amazon Cruise.

 M/V AQUA NERA | 3 NIGHTS
 BREAKFAST, LUNCH & DINNER INCLUDED

Aqua Nera

PERUVIAN AMAZON RIVER CRUISE

The 130-foot M/V Aqua Nera redefines luxury on the northern Amazon River in Peru. Built to the highest standards in 2011, its fully air-conditioned suites offer 5-star hotel comfort, including private baths and fine linen bedding. Indulge in gourmet Peruvian cuisine and impeccable service, complemented by crystal and china dining experiences.

Indulge in the delights of gourmet Peruvian cuisine and impeccable service, including crystal and china dining experiences, promising an intimate yet opulent journey through the heart of the Amazon River. Accompanied by three expert Amazon River guides, guests can embark on up to three daily expeditions aboard comfortable motorized skiffs. These guides not only provide insights into the vast Amazonian life but also unveil the intricate details that render this region truly remarkable, from hidden howler monkeys to the majestic yet endangered harpy eagles gracing the tranquility of the Amazon basin.

The package encompasses all onboard meals, excursions, and beverages, both alcoholic and non-alcoholic, except premium brands.



Day 6-9

ARRIVE
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

DEPART
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Cusco, Peru



Machu Picchu, Peru



Belmond Monasterio



FLYING DAY: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

IQUITOS, PERU (SPQT) ✈ CUSCO, PERU (SPZO) 590 NM

Experience a captivating adventure in Cusco, Peru, where history and luxury intertwine at Belmond Hotel Monasterio. Day one welcomes you to this protected national monument, offering boutique rooms and inspired dining amidst a tranquil central courtyard. From here, immerse yourself in the vibrant tapestry of Cusco, where ancient architecture harmonizes with modern markets and cafes serving tantalizing Andean cuisine.

Our exploration brings an early morning departure aboard the Orient Express Luxury train, Hiram Bingham, for an unforgettable journey to Machu Picchu. Indulge in a scenic brunch as you traverse spectacular landscapes en route to the Lost Citadel of the Incas. Explore this awe-inspiring site with a guided tour, followed by afternoon tea at Machu Picchu Sanctuary Lodge Hotel. Return to the station for a VIP experience onboard, complete with cocktails, live entertainment, and a sumptuous four-course dinner, ensuring an unforgettable Machu Picchu adventure.

Continuing your Journey, immerse yourself further in Cusco's rich heritage with a morning city tour, visiting iconic landmarks such as the Convent of Santo Domingo and the legendary Coricancha Golden Temple of the Sun. The afternoon is yours to relax or explore at your leisure, before savoring a delightful dinner at the MAP Café, nestled within the courtyard of the Museum of Pre-Columbian Art. With each moment infused with history and luxury, your journey through Cusco promises to be truly unforgettable.

 BELMOND MONASTERIO | 3 NIGHTS
 BREAKFAST & DINNER DAILY | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION

Day 9-11

ARRIVE
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

DEPART
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15

Panama City, Panama



Old Town in Panama City, Panama



Sofitel Casco Viejo

FLYING DAY: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

CUSCO, PERU (SPZO)



GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR (SEGU)

825 NM

GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR (SEGU)



PANAMA CITY, PANAMA (MPPA)

660 NM

Upon retrieving our planes, we will fly to Panama, treating ourselves to a scenic approach to Panama City, where we will relish stunning views of the Panama Canal. Afterwards, we will transfer to Sofitel Legend Casco Viejo, our home for the next two nights.

On the following day, experience the best of Panama with a comprehensive natural and city tour. Cruise through Lake Gatun to spot exotic wildlife and learn about the Panama Canal's history. Enjoy a traditional Panamanian lunch in Casco Viejo before VIP access to the Miraflores locks, where you'll witness massive ships and discover the canal's engineering marvels. This tour provides a perfect blend of panamenian nature, culture, and engineering. Later in the evening, before dinner, we will gather for a pilot's briefing to prepare for the next day's flight.

RETURN TO USA: SUNDAY, MARCH 23

The following day, after breakfast, bid farewell to Panama City and fly to Key West, FL, to clear U.S. customs as our Journey comes to the end.



SOFITEL CASCO VIEJO | 2 NIGHTS

BREAKFAST & DINNER DAILY | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION

Flying Days & Distances

DEPART FROM:

ARRIVE AT:

DAY		CITY	ICAO CODE	CITY	ICAO CODE	DISTANCE
DAY 1	THU, DEC 05	STUART, FL, U.S.A	KSUA	CARTAGENA, COLOMBIA	SKCG	1,035 NM
DAY 3	SAT, DEC 07	CARTAGENA, COLOMBIA	SKCG	IQUITOS, PERU	SPQT	860 NM
DAY 6	TUE, DEC 10	IQUITOS, PERU	SPQT	CUSCO, PERU	SPZO	590 NM
DAY 9	FRI, DEC 13	CUSCO, PERU	SPZO	GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR	SEGU	825 NM
		GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR	SEGU	PANAMA CITY, PANAMA	MPPA	660 NM
DAY 11	SUN, DEC 15	PANAMA CITY, PANAMA	MPPA	KEY WEST, FL, U.S.A.	KEYW	945 NM
TOTAL						4,915 NM

An aerial photograph of a tropical island. The island features a long runway and taxiway, surrounded by lush green vegetation and a small town. The water is a vibrant turquoise color, and the sky is blue with scattered white clouds. In the foreground, the dark, polished wing of an airplane is visible, reflecting the sky and the island below.

Discover The Air Journey Difference

WE AIM TO ANTICIPATE
YOUR EVERY NEED

IN THE SKY

THE AIR JOURNEY
DIFFERENCE



Created by pilots for pilots. Since 1998, Air Journey has been a leader in owner-flown flying adventures, spanning 6 continents and broadening horizons for both pilots and their companions.



FLIGHT PLANNING ON YOUR BEHALF

We arrange all aspects of your Journey's flight planning, including permits, authorizations, parking, and fuel. Our team assists with customs paperwork for seamless airport processing, and we file flight plans and eApis manifests on your behalf.



FULLY-GUIDED EXPERIENCE- THE JOURNEY DIRECTOR

Each of our Journeys are guided by an experienced pilot, known as a Journey Director. Serving as your liaison between air and ground, they provide expert guidance throughout the adventure, while hosting you in each destination.



PILOT BRIEFINGS BEFORE EVERY FLIGHT

Before every flight, our seasoned Journey Director conducts detailed pre-flight briefings. These carefully crafted sessions prioritize comprehensive preparation, addressing all facets of the upcoming flight such as; weather conditions, departure procedures, airport diagrams and routing.



SMALL GROUPS-6 AIRCRAFTS MAX PER JOURNEY

Limiting each journey to a maximum of 6 airplanes, our bespoke adventures feature an average group size ranging from 10 to 15 people. This intentional choice ensures an exclusive and intimate atmosphere, allowing you and your fellow travelers to forge meaningful connections with like-minded aviation enthusiasts.



SECURITY & AIRCRAFT MAINTANANCE

Air Journey selects only secure airports with paved runways and ICAO standards, prioritizing safety. Additionally, we maintain extensive relationships with repair centers worldwide. In the event of a mechanical issue with your airplane, we coordinate repairs, ensuring a seamless and efficient resolution.

“Our Air Journeys prioritize pilots and their companions, crafting luxurious itineraries that strike a perfect balance between flying, exploring, and relaxation. ”

ANAIS POUILLE
DIRECTOR OF LAND DEPARTMENT



3-4 DAYS IN EACH DESTINATION

Our itineraries are designed to provide an all-encompassing introduction to each of the destinations. With a minimum stay of 3 to 4 days in each location, we have created the perfect mix between flying, exploring, and relaxing.



HIGHLY CURATED ACCOMMODATIONS

Curating an exclusive experience, we prioritize small luxury boutique hotels and unique global properties for our Journeys. Each accommodation is handpicked, offering true comfort and modern amenities that feel like a home away from home.



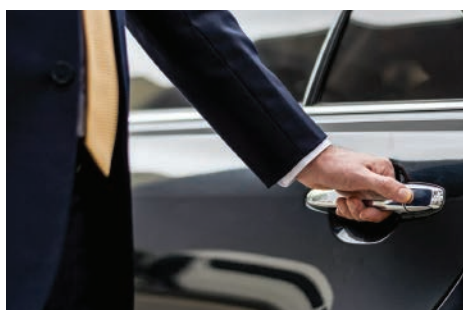
DAILY BREAKFAST & A LA CARTE DINING

Savor a culinary journey with daily breakfasts and a la carte dinners with wine on all our Journeys. Lunches accompany full-day excursions or as specified, ensuring a delightful mix of fine dining and local flavors for a memorable gastronomic experience throughout your Journey.



PRIVATE TOURS

Each Journey offers a balanced blend of meticulously planned excursions and free time for personalized exploration. Guided by our knowledgeable local experts, you'll discover destination highlights and off-the-beaten-path gems, creating countless unforgettable memories.



PRIVATE ARRIVAL TRANSFERS

To minimize wait times upon arrival at airports, private transfers are arranged per aircraft, allowing you to unload and secure your aircraft at your own pace without feeling rushed. Departure transfers are scheduled in groups to ensure proper spacing of the aircraft for the flights.

ON LAND

THE AIR JOURNEY
DIFFERENCE



Price & Inclusions

JOURNEY TO THE AMAZON & CUSCO

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\$15,975

*JOURNEY PRICE
PER PERSON*








\$3,995

*AIRPLANE
REGISTRATION FEE*

Single Supplement

*AVAILABLE
UPON REQUEST*

The Price Includes

-  All accommodations in hotels listed or similar categories for 10 days and 09 nights, based on double occupancy
-  All meals as specified in the itinerary – breakfast and a la carte dinner daily, lunch when listed
-  Selection of wine chosen by Air Journey during dinners
-  All sightseeing and excursions as listed in the itinerary
-  Roundtrip transfers to and from the airport
-  Full-time services of a Journey Director
-  Tips and gratuities

The Airplane Registration Fee Includes

- Usage of the Air Journey App
- Direct Foreflight Links for easy flight planning
- International flight plans, routing, frequencies, nav-aids, reporting points, etc. for each leg
- Flight plans and eAPIS manifest outbound/inbound filed on your behalf
- Pilot briefing prior to every flying day
- Fuel availability confirmed along the route of flight
- Obtaining of permits, landing rights, overflight permits, handling arrangements, country entry forms and confirming fuel availability along the route of flight
- Planning for additional fuel stops if required
- Each participant will receive personalized embroidered shirts featuring their name, aircraft make/model, and airplane's tail number, along with a hat and a bag per couple, as souvenirs of their flying adventure with Air Journey.

The Price Does Not Include

- Fees associated with your aircraft (fuel, handling fees, airport fees, permit fees, landing fees, departure taxes, etc.)
- Cost of obtaining passport, visas, or inoculations required for your Journey
- Cocktails and Spirits are not included. Lunch when not listed in the itinerary
- Personal expenses such as laundry, room service, communication charges and other incidentals
- Optional activities
- Commercial flight tickets when required
- Survival equipment rental (Air Journey has survival equipment available for rent. Contact Air Journey for more details +1(561)841-1551
- Travel Interruption and Cancellation Insurance (this is strongly recommended and not included in the package. Please contact us at +1 (561)841-1551 for more details.

Payment Schedule & Cancellation Policy

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED AT TIME OF BOOKING

FOR ALL AIR JOURNEYS	\$500 PER PERSON
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INITIAL PAYMENT REQUIRED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF BOOKING

FOR JOURNEYS LASTING LESS THAN 15 DAYS:	\$2,000 PER PERSON + AIRPLANE REGISTRATION FEE
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FOR JOURNEYS LASTING LESS BETWEEN 16 - 39 DAYS: *AND OUR GALAPAGOS JOURNEYS	\$4,500 PER PERSON + AIRPLANE REGISTRATION FEE
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FOR JOURNEYS LASTING MORE THAN 40 DAYS:	\$9,500 PER PERSON + AIRPLANE REGISTRATION FEE
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FINAL PAYMENT DUE DATES

FOR JOURNEYS LASTING 40 DAYS OR LESS:	90 DAYS PRIOR DEPARTURE
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FOR JOURNEYS LASTING MORE THAN 40 DAYS:	120 DAYS PRIOR DEPARTURE
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CANCELLATION POLICY

FOR JOURNEYS LASTING 40 DAYS OR LESS

OUTSIDE OF 150 DAYS:	Deposit and initial payment are refundable, and AJ holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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BETWEEN 150 AND 90 DAYS:	AJ retains the deposit and initial payment and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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BETWEEN 89 AND 60 DAYS:	AJ retains 50% of the journey cost and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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LESS THAN 60 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE:	AJ retains 100% of the journey cost and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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FOR JOURNEYS LASTING MORE THAN 40 DAYS

OUTSIDE OF 150 DAYS:	Deposit and initial payment are refundable, and AJ holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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BETWEEN 150 AND 120 DAYS:	AJ retains the deposit and initial payment and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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BETWEEN 119 AND 90 DAYS:	AJ retains 50% of the journey cost and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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LESS THAN 90 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE:	AJ retains 100% of the journey cost and holds the Airplane Registration Fee as a credit for 12 months from the client's cancellation date.
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*Air Journey reserves the right to change accommodations, itineraries, and departure dates as needed.



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