



AIR JOURNEY

Journey Through Mexico's Treasures

DECEMBER 02 - 13, 2024

MERIDA • SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE • RIVIERA NAYARIT • ARIZONA

Journey Overview



JOURNEY THROUGH MEXICO'S TREASURES



DEPARTURE POINT
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, U.S.A.



JOURNEY DATES
DECEMBER 02 - 13, 2024

12 / 11

DAYS NIGHTS

2

COUNTRIES

1

CONTINENT

2,325

NAUTICAL MILES

Set out on a captivating Journey through vibrant destinations from Mexico to Arizona. Begin in Mérida, where the richness of Mayan heritage meets colonial charm. Move on to San Miguel de Allende, an artistic center where European elegance merges with colonial splendor. Next, unwind in Puerto Vallarta at One & Only Mandarin, surrounded by scenic beaches and lush rainforests. End your adventure in Tucson, Arizona, at The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa, a serene retreat blending wellness and desert tranquility.

From cultural exploration to rejuvenating escapes, this itinerary promises a memorable adventure through diverse landscapes and vibrant cultures.

Itinerary at a Glance

12 Days / 11 Nights

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DAY 1-4 | DEC 02 - DEC 05

MERIDA, MEXICO

Delve into Uxmal, an ancient Maya city renowned for its architectural wonders.

 CHABLE YUCATAN



DAY 4-7 | DEC 05 - DEC 08

SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, MEXICO

Immerse yourself in the artistic allure of San Miguel de Allende.

 ROSEWOOD SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE



DAY 7-10 | DEC 08 - DEC 11

RIVIERA NAYARIT, MEXICO

Set sail on a private boat to discover the region's best snorkeling spots.

 ONE&ONLY MANDARINA



DAY 10-12 | DEC 11 - DEC 13

TUCSON, AZ, U.S.A.

Visit the awe-inspiring Pima Air and Space Museum.

 WESTIN LA PALOMA



DAY 12 | DEC 13

HOME

Return home.



BOAT
TOURS



WILDLIFE
ENCOUNTERS



SNORKELING
OPPORTUNITIES



PRISTINE
WATERS



HISTORICAL
SITES

A woman with her back to the camera, wearing a wide-brimmed white hat and a long, flowing yellow dress with a colorful floral pattern, stands on a paved path. She is looking towards a large, ancient stone structure, likely a Mayan or Aztec pyramid or temple, under a blue sky with scattered clouds. The structure is built on a hillside and features intricate carvings and a tiered design. The foreground is a well-maintained green lawn, and a low stone wall with a rope barrier runs across the middle ground.

DISCOVER THE FULL
Itinerary



Day 1-4

ARRIVE MONDAY, DECEMBER 02

DEPART THURSDAY, DECEMBER 05

Merida, Mexico

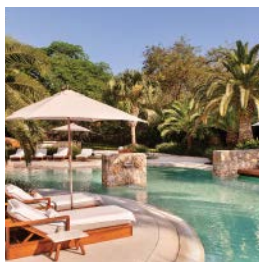
FLYING DAY: MONDAY, DECEMBER 02

SAN ANTONIO, TX, U.S.A. (KSAT) ✈️ MERIDA, MEXICO (MMMD) 700 NM

Your Journey begins with a warm welcome from Air Journey at the airport in San Antonio, for your upcoming flight to Merida, Yucatan. Upon arrival, we will transfer to Chable Yucatan, a haven of natural splendor nestled amidst the city's rich history. Explore at your leisure on the first day, soaking in the ambiance of this captivating destination. Afterwards, we will gather for a welcome cocktail before dinner.

Our adventure begins with an excursion to Uxmal, an ancient Maya city renowned for its architectural wonders. Along the way, discover hidden gems like the Loltún caves and Calcehtok Grottos, steeped in history and mystery. Marvel at Uxmal's impressive structures, including the towering House of the Magician, the Nunnery, and the Governor's Palace.

The following day, indulge in the luxuries of Chable Yucatan. Treat yourself to a tequila tasting at the award-winning Ixi'im restaurant, or explore the Melipona bee sanctuary, known as Najil Cab to the Mayans. Relax with yoga and meditation sessions amidst lush surroundings, or pamper yourself with hydrotherapy and spa treatments overlooking the serene Cenote. Whether seeking adventure or relaxation, Chable Yucatan offers an unforgettable experience for every traveler.



 CHABLE YUCATAN | 3 NIGHTS
 WELCOME COCKTAIL, BREAKFAST & DINNER INCLUDED | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION



Day 4-7 ⦿ ARRIVE THURSDAY, DECEMBER 05

DEPART SUNDAY, DECEMBER 08

San Miguel de Allende, Mexico

FLYING DAY: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 05

MERIDA, MEXICO (MMMD)



QUERETARO, MEXICO (MMQT)

500 NM

QUERETARO, MEXICO (MMQT)



SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, MEXICO

ROAD TRANSFER

Our Journey continues to San Miguel de Allende, a charming city in Querétaro, Mexico, where history and creativity intertwine. Your adventure begins with a transfer to the iconic Rosewood San Miguel de Allende. Nestled in Mexico's central highlands, Rosewood San Miguel de Allende expresses the rich heritage and enchanting cosmopolitan spirit of Guanajuato's famed art-centric colonial city.

Proceeding with our discovery, we will set out on a half-day guided tour to uncover the city's cultural gems, from its iconic architecture to its lively markets and art galleries. The afternoon will be yours to explore at your own pace—wander the cobblestone streets, visit local boutiques, or simply relax in the tranquility of the hotel.

The next day, enjoy a full day at leisure to explore San Miguel de Allende at your own pace. Whether you prefer to unwind at the hotel, wander through the charming cobblestone streets, sip coffee at a local café, or uncover the hidden gems of this enchanting city, the day is yours to relish and make unforgettable memories.



ROSEWOOD SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE | 3 NIGHTS



BREAKFAST & DINNER INCLUDED | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION



Day 7-10

ARRIVE
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 08

DEPART
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

Riviera Nayarit, Mexico

FLYING DAY: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 08

SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, MEXICO  QUERETARO, MEXICO

ROAD TRANSFER

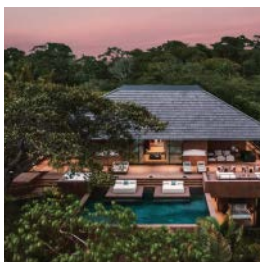
QUERETARO, MEXICO (MMQT)  PUERTO VALLARTA, MEXICO (MMPR)

285 NM

Moving forward with our exploration, we will fly to Puerto Vallarta. Afterwards we will transfer to the stunning of One & Only Mandarin. Nestled amidst Riviera Nayarit's emerald cliffs and lush rainforests, this hidden retreat offers a haven for relaxation and reconnection. Spend your first day at leisure, immersing yourself in the tranquil surroundings of swimmable shores and soft, palm-fringed sands.

The following day, we will embark on a private boat excursion to enjoy some exciting snorkeling tour in Riviera Nayarit, exploring vibrant underwater worlds filled with colorful marine life. Together, we'll swim through crystal-clear waters, discovering coral reefs and tropical fish. After our adventure, we'll relax on the beautiful beaches, making it a day to remember.

The third day presents a plethora of optional adventures to indulge in at the resort. From horseback riding and polo lessons to kayaking and snorkeling, there's something for every adventurer. Explore hiking trails, partake in rejuvenating yoga sessions, or unwind with spa treatments featuring mud baths and natural springs, all amidst the breathtaking jungle backdrop.



ONE&ONLY MANDARINA | 3 NIGHTS



BREAKFAST & DINNER INCLUDED | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION



Day 10-12



ARRIVE
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

DEPART
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Tucson, AZ, United States

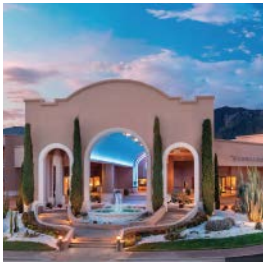
FLYING DAY: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

PUERTO VALLARTA, MEXICO (MMPR) ✈️ TUCSON, AZ, U.S.A. (KTUS)

750 NM

Transitioning from the vibrant waters of Mexico to the sun-drenched landscapes of Arizona, our Journey leads us to the welcoming embrace of The Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa, a renowned hotel in the middle of the Sonoran Desert that was voted a Top Resort by Condé Nast Traveler readers. With staggering views of the Santa Catalina Mountains, feel the sense of adventure with a stroll through Sabino Canyon or learn about local wildlife at one of the areas many museums.

The next day will begin with a visit to the awe-inspiring Pima Air and Space Museum, showcasing nearly 300 aircraft across 80 acres. Delve into the history of aviation and explore the Arizona Aviation Hall of Fame before enjoying a leisurely evening of cocktails and dinner.



WESTIN LA PALOMA | 2 NIGHTS



BREAKFAST & DINNER INCLUDED | LUNCH DURING THE EXCURSION

RETURN TO THE U.S.A: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

TUCSON, AZ, U.S.A. (KTUS) ✈️ HOME

Today, after breakfast, we will transfer to the airport and fly home as our Journey comes to the end.

Flying Days & Distances

DEPART FROM:

ARRIVE AT:

DAY		CITY	ICAO CODE	CITY	ICAO CODE	DISTANCE
DAY 1	MON, DEC 02	SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, U.S.A.	KSAT	MERIDA, MEXICO	MMMD	700 NM
DAY 4	THU, DEC 05	MERIDA, MEXICO	MMMD	QUERETARO, MEXICO	MMQT	590 NM
DAY 7	SUN, DEC 08	QUERETARO, MEXICO	MMQT	PUERTO VALLARTA, MEXICO	MMPR	285 NM
DAY 10	WED, DEC 11	PUERTO VALLARTA, MEXICO	MMPR	TUCSON, ARIZONA, U.S.A.	KTUS	750 NM
DAY 12	FRI, DEC 13	TUCSON, ARIZONA, U.S.A.	KTUS	HOME		
TOTAL NAUTICAL MILES						2,325 NM

An aerial photograph of a tropical island. The island is surrounded by clear, turquoise water. In the foreground, the dark, polished wing of an airplane is visible, extending from the bottom left towards the center. The island features a long runway and taxiway, surrounded by lush green vegetation and some buildings. In the background, there are more islands and mountains under a blue sky with scattered white clouds.

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
MEXICO'S TREASURES
DECEMBER 02 - 13, 2024

\$16,500
JOURNEY PRICE
PER PERSON

\$4,775
AIRPLANE
REGISTRATION FEE

Single Supplement
AVAILABLE
UPON REQUEST

The Price Includes

-  All accommodations in hotels listed or similar categories for 12 days and 11 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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