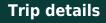


Northern Lights Quest of Iceland

Starting at **\$2,845***

Journey on a quest to see the elusive Northern Lights

Hunt the horizon for the chance to see the mesmerizing aurora borealis on this Iceland tour. Along the way, explore the breathtaking landscapes of the Land of Fire and Ice, from the Golden Circle to Diamond Beach.



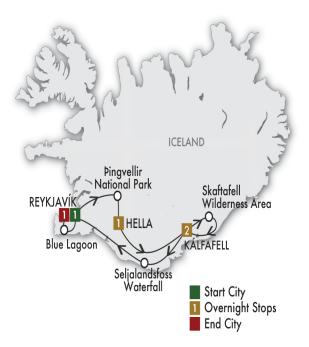
Tour start **Reykjavik**

Tour end
• Reykjavik

6 ♀ Days **5** Nights

10 % Meals

* Prices listed are in US dollars, and are per-person, double-occupancy. If you would prefer a single room, there is a single-room supplement of \$945.



Trip Highlights:

Hotels:

- Fosshotel Reykjavik
- Stracta Hotel
- · Fosshotel Nupar

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Trip Itinerary

Day 1 Reykjavík Panoramic Tour | Perlan Observation Deck | Northern Lights Quest

Your tour departs from your hotel at 2:00 PM. Discover capital city Reykjavík on a panoramic tour, experiencing its charming architecture and beautiful, brightly-colored rooftops. Visit the Perlan Observation Deck to see magnificent 360° views of the city and its surroundings. Return to your hotel for a welcome drink and canapés with your group, followed by free time for independent dining. Then head away from the city lights on a search for the elusive Northern Lights. Enjoy peaceful stillness and nighttime views as you search for the aurora borealis.

Day 3 LAVA Center | Skógar Folk Museum | Skógafoss Waterfall | Black Sand Beach

Visit the LAVA Center to learn about Iceland's volcanoes, and how their eruptions and lava flows have shaped the country over time. Visit the Skógar Folk Museum to explore Iceland's cultural heritage and learn about the lives of Iceland's early settlers through an array of tools, books, and handicrafts. See the Skógafoss Waterfall nearby and then Reynisfjara's black sand beach and rock formations. Dine tonight at your hotel, which is perfectly situated for Northern Lights viewing. (B, D)

Day 5 Seljalandsfoss Waterfall | Reykjavík | The Blue Lagoon

Journey to the beautiful Seljalandsfoss Waterfall where, weather permitting, the sure-footed can walk the trail that takes you behind the 60-meter falls. Travel back to Reykjavík, and spend the rest of the afternoon independently exploring the city. In the evening, visit the Blue Lagoon, a geothermal spa in a man-made lake surrounded by lava fields; relax in the heated waters before sharing a farewell dinner with your group. (B, D)

Day 2 Golden Circle | Secret Lagoon | Friðheimar Tomato Farm

Begin your journey on the famed Golden Circle, starting with the spectacular bingvellir National Park, a meeting place of old Icelandic clans. It is also where the Eurasian and North American tectonic plates meet above ground. Journey to the Secret Lagoon: small and intimate, it's where savvy travelers go to enjoy the Icelandic spa experience. Don't forget your swimsuit! Enjoy a lunch in the greenhouse of Friðheimar Tomato Farm. Then it's on to the Strokkur geyser, which erupts every 10 minutes. Stop at Gullfoss Waterfall, one of the most photographed spots in all of Iceland. Move on to your countryside hotel and enjoy dinner with your group. After dark, you might soak in the hotel's outdoor hot tub while watching for the Northern Lights. (B, L, D)

Day 4 Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon | Diamond Beach | Skaftafell Wilderness Area

Visit the Skaftafell Wilderness Area and view some of its wonders: glaciers, waterfalls, a snow-capped volcano and lava fields. Savor lunch with a view of the surrounding countryside at the Fosshotel Glacier Lagoon. Visit the Jökulsárlón Glacier Lagoon, where bright blue and white icebergs dot the waters. At nearby Diamond Beach, marvel at glistening natural ice sculptures on the black sands. Return to your accommodation and dine independently this evening. (B, L)

Day 6 Tour Ends in Reykjavík

Your tour ends after breakfast. (B) B: Breakfast; L: Lunch; D: Dinner >



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