Spring 2024 Betchart Adventures



Take a break, and join one of our wonderful getaways this spring. We look forward to talking with you and helping you get your travel plans arranged.

Taunya, Lori, Suzanne & Terri (800) 252-4910

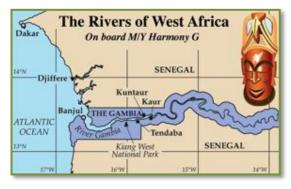
So where do you want to go? Close to home or abroad? Let us know!

EXCITING & NEW ADVENTURES!

ANTARCTICA BY AIR!! January 13-22, 2025 (with discount)

Fly to Antarctica from Punta Arenas, Chile, for a splendid view of the Drake Passage crossing — instead of two days of rolling seas! Stay overnight in Punta Arenas one night and then fly next day to the Antarctic Peninsula for five splendid days on board M/V Ocean Adventurer exploring the highlights of Antarctica! Price includes RT Charter Air to Antarctica From \$ 11,246 pp twin share + air home/Punta Arenas RT Book immediately before the discounted rates sell out!!





Splendors of the Rivers of West Africa by Yacht! January 11 - 20, 2024

Discover the fascinating landscapes, people, and wildlife of West Africa, as we travel along the Gambia River on board the excellent yacht, Harmony G. This trip gives us a way to explore a part of the world most of us have not seen, with all of the comforts of travel by yacht. See history sites and an extraordinary amount of African wildlife—birds, manatees, crocodiles, monkeys, and more! From \$3,990 pp share Cat C, \$4,790 pp share Cat B, \$5,290 Cat A + air 10% group savings for immediate bookings.



GALAPAGOS ISLANDS BY YACHT! January 26 - February 5, 2024 & October 5 – 14, 2024

Join members of the Ecological Society of America on this splendid January adventure in the Galapagos led by Betchart's Galapagos expert, Bob Nansen.

From \$6,420 *pp share* + *air*





EAST SPITSBERGEN, HOME OF THE POLAR BEARS 7 NIGHT SUMMER SOLSTICE VOYAGE June 18-27, 2024

Experience the high Arctic summer solstice and some of the top sites of eastern Spitsbergen. Visit amazing glaciers, fascinating historical sites, bountiful seabird colonies, and sprawling fjord systems in which there is a good chance of spotting whales, seals, and possibly even polar bears.

From \$4,000 pp quad share or \$5,600 pp twin share + air



Wild Baja California: The Gray Whales of Magdalena Bay February 5 - 10, 2024

On board Nat Geo Sea Bird A wonderful wildlife extravaganza, with balmy 70 degree sunny skies! Singles travel at the twin share rate! From \$4,040 pp share (Cat 1), \$4,920 pp share (Cat 2), \$5,900 Cat 3



Fiji & New Zealand

With FREE In-Tour Air in NZ February 19 - March 8, 2024 (Free air Dunedin to Rotorua)

Discover the cultural heritage of Fiji and New Zealand, with 3 nights in Fiji, then a superb exploration of New Zealand. Explore South Island including Westland, Stewart Island, and Fjordland National Parks, Rotorua, and more! \$5,995 pp share + intl. air

ALASKA 2 WAYS!!

Alaska Aurora Borealis March 7 - 13, 2024

Explore the great beauty of Alaska in winter, and see the famed Aurora borealis or Northern Lights, the greatest light show on earth! Travel on the classic train journey from Talkeetna to Fairbanks, passing North America's greatest mountain, Denali, en route. Meet sled dogs, and see the Ice Festival and Alaskan winter wildlife!

\$3,395 pp share + air

WILD ALASKA VOYAGE

May 31 - June 5, 2024 or August 29 - Sept 3, 2024

On board Nat Geo Sea Bird, explore SE Alaska from Juneau to Sitka, zodiac cruising into remote fjords, kayaking, hiking, or biking. See pods of whales, bears, and immense glaciers amidst fantastic scenery. From \$4,455 pp share (Cat 1),



Costa Rica & the Panama Canal

On board Nat Geo Quest March 2 - 9, 2024 Discover wildlife and marine delights of Costa Rica's national parks and the coast of Panama. Then transit the Panama Canal. This is an amazing experience which you don't want to miss! From \$6,327 pp share Cat 1, Other cabin categories available. These prices reflect a 10% group disc.



CALIFORNIA DESERTS IN SPRING! April 12-20, 2024

See the wonders of the California Deserts in spring in Death Valley, the Mojave National Preserve, and Joshua Tree National Park. Explore these colorful landscapes of rugged rocks which share the history of earth, while marveling at tiny desert wildflowers on the bajadas and blooming cactus gardens at Joshua Tree. 70 degree sunny days! \$3,995 pp share

YELLOWSTONE & TETONS SPRING WILDLIFE May 16-23, 2024

Discover Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks in May when wildlife is abundant and hundreds of bison have 3-4 week old "red dogs." Explore with both a wildlife biologist expert on the area and a geologist to learn about the fascinating birth of the Tetons and Yellowstone caldera.

This is one of the top natural history experiences in North America. Look for grizzlies and their cubs, brown bears, and wolf packs in the Lamar Valley.

\$3,995 pp share + air





YUNNAN 3 Parallel Rivers World Heritage Expedition May 10 - 26, 2024

Join us! And discover the extraordinary mountains, stunning landscapes, and rich cultural heritage of Yunnan in SW China! See gorges 3,000 m deep and peaks 6,000 m high. Travel with Yunnan expert Dr. Chris Carpenter.



\$5,995 pp share + air

SIKKIM & THE HIMALAYAS May 22 - June 5, 2024

Discover the Himalayas in spring bloom! A paradise of unique plants amidst startlingly beautiful scenery. Explore with a superb Himalayan guide and botanist, Alister Ashikari. \$4,295 pp share + air



TIBET & the Top of the World! June 12-25, 2024



ARMENIA SPRING FLORA & HERITAGE MAY 16 - 29, 2024

This is one of the oldest countries in the world and among the first to develop a written language and Christianity. See biblical Mt. Ararat, and ancient monasteries and temples. Enjoy spring bloom with superb Armenian botanical expert Dr. Anna Asatryan and local guides.

\$4,995 pp share + air

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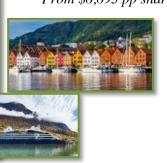
CRUISING THE NORWEGIAN FJORDS

July 19 - 27, 2024

On board the deluxe Le Champlain

Discover spectacular fjords, massive glaciers, and remote island villages on this voyage. See a UNESCO World Heritage Site in Bergen, the spectacular waterfalls of Geiranger Fjord, And so much more!

From \$6,693 pp share or \$9,107 single



WILD ICELAND ESCAPE Cruise

July 5 - 9, 2024

Arctic Circle

Explore the NW coast of Iceland on board the Nat Geo *Resolution*. Sail into remote fjords, see rugged seabird cliffs, and explore hiking paths on shore. Discover wilds of great beauty and tranquility.

From \$6,990 pp share (Cat 1) + air

ICELAND



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West Greenland is a lifetime experience!
Not to be missed!









Contact us about our 2024 ECLIPSE ADVENTURES!

Mexico's Copper Canyon April 1 - 9, 2024

Easter Island Sept. 27- Oct. 5, 2024

Argentina Sept. 26 – Oct. 7, 2024



For Information, call Betchart Expeditions at (800) 252 4910 or (408) 252-4910