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PRE-CRUISE LAND PROGRAM – RECIFE, BRAZIL

(Complimentary Pre-Cruise Land Program)

Truly destination-immersive and all-inclusive:

- Deluxe accommodation
- All Transfers are included
- Most meals and beverages
- All tours and entrance fees to sites
- Gratuities for the guides and drivers
- Dedicated Tour Manager who will be with you for the entire Program

Journey to Manaus and Amazon Adventure

Duration: 5 Days / 4 nights

Meals: Yes

Start your holiday early with a trip to Manaus to explore and immerse yourself in the natural wonders of this region. The capital of the Amazon region, Manaus, is located in the middle of the jungle alongside the Negro River which is a tributary of the Amazon River. There are a wealth of things to see, experience and learn about while here and you will no doubt come away with memories that will last a lifetime.

Day 1 (Monday, October 25, 2021)

On arrival in Manaus, a captivating city that is surrounded by lush jungle and pristine rivers, you will be taken to your accommodation, Hotel Villa Amazonia (or similar). Have dinner here and then the balance of the evening is at your leisure.

Day 2 (Tuesday, October 26, 2021)

Following breakfast at the hotel, set-off for the drive to the bungalow-style Eco Park lodge in the heart of the Amazon. After check-in, take part in an afternoon tour that visits a "caboclo" home and then enjoy a motorized canoe ride during which you can learn about the local indigenous communities' traditions, customs, the rubber boom, and how to prepare a typical cassava meal.

Returning to the lodge, have dinner and then get ready for an evening canoe ride. From the canoe, you can appreciate the vast variety of jungle sounds and try to spot alligators and other nocturnal animals. Your guide will even try to catch a small alligator so you can see it up close and learn about the reptile's habitat, hunting methods and biology. After releasing it back into the water, return to the lodge for the balance of the evening at your leisure.

Day 3 (Wednesday, October 27, 2021)

Following breakfast at the lodge, set-off for a full day of touring, starting with a cruise aboard a double-decker boat down the Rio Negro. As you navigate down the river, you'll pass by the shores of Manaus and be able to view some of the city's landmarks, such as the Amazonas Theater, the port of Manaus and some typical stilt houses. Late morning, you will arrive at the "Meeting of the Waters", a natural phenomenon whereby the two different colored waters flow together for approximately 7-miles without ever mixing together. This occurrence is due to the differences in temperature, density and speed of the rivers. This spectacular merge of the Negro and Solimões Rivers form the Amazon River that flows all the way to the Atlantic Ocean.

Following your day of river touring, return to the lodge and have the remainder of the day at your leisure where there are plenty of activities to engage in and then enjoy dinner.

Day 4 (Thursday, October 28, 2021)

After breakfast, spend the morning at the Monkey Forest project. Created in 1991, it provides a home for wild animals. The team of veterinarians and biologists there rescue animals from illegal commerce, give them shelter and help with their rehabilitation and re-introduction into their natural environment. Twice a day, they receive supplements to ensure they are receiving the proper nutrients and the best time to see them is during these times. Feel free to take photos and video here in this natural and safe setting.

Following lunch at the lodge, climb aboard a canoe and head out for a fishing tour. Along with your guide, learn how to catch fish that make the river their home, including piranhas. Just make sure to keep your hands in the canoe! When your fishing expedition ends, return to the lodge for dinner and your final night here.

Day 5 (Friday, October 29, 2021)

Your day starts with breakfast at the lodge and then check-out by 10:30 a.m. and head to the airport in Manaus for your flight to Recife where you will embark the ship.

Special Note: This tour includes a significant amount of walking that includes steps and uneven, natural surfaces over several days. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests or those with physical limitations and limited mobility. We recommend casual, comfortable clothing; flat walking shoes with non-slip sole and a closed toe; a sun cap; sunglasses, sunscreen and insect repellent.