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Not sure where to travel? Here are our top Four tips to help you choose your next destination

Deciding to travel is the first step towards discovering all that the world hides in its four corners. However, with so many options, it can be difficult to choose one in particular. If this rings a bell, you're in luck! We have some tips for choosing a travel destination, without complications.

## Why travel?

Before delving into how to choose a travel destination, you must ask yourself why you want to travel. Needing a break from work is different to having a desire to explore a different culture.

The reasons behind each person's wish to travel are varied. Likewise, the experience had by each individual on their travels also differs from that which others have had or will have. For this reason, you must first ask yourself what it is you want. For instance travelling to some of the worlds popular destinations will require you spending hours on the aeroplane which could be a challenge for those who hate staying long on the planes.

On the other hand, mood will also influence the choice of travel destination, and also, of course, physical condition. The general idea is to choose an option that suits your personal circumstances at the time. If you understand the above, you can move on to our advice and make the decision.

# Our top 4 Tips for choosing a travel destination

### Identify the purpose of your trip

As previously mentioned, it is important to know what you expect from your holidays before choosing a travel destination. What do you want? Do you want to relax on a deserted beach and leave all your worries behind? If so, there are fashionable destinations like Zanzibar that has stunning beaches.

If, on the other hand, you're looking for wild experiences when it comes to choosing a travel destination, there are also options for you. Sunrises taken right out of Murchison falls National park, animals in their natural habitat and unnavigable roads are some of the experiences that can be enjoyed in destinations across East Africa and the whole of Africa in general. The possibilities are endless; identify what you want to experience and adapt your journey to it.

#### Your time restraints

The length of a holiday is another key point when choosing your travel destination. If you have to take a long-haul flight to get there, this deducts two days from the total time you have, one for the outbound journey and another for the return. In addition to the long journey itself, you need time to adapt to the time difference.

On the other hand, given that these are the places with the longest journey time, it is preferable to opt for them if you have at least 10days to explore. If your holiday is just seven days, perhaps it would be better to consider short trips. If you don't have a set return date, you can take an extra-long trip, even without a return ticket.

## The size of your budget

Distance doesn't always mean a higher price, as it is always possible to find a good offer, wherever your destination. However, it is useful to set a limit on the amount you wish to spend. You must bear in mind that not only will you have to pay for your plane ticket, you also have to think about accommodation, food and the standards of living at the destination.

Some remote areas imply a higher flight price. On the contrary, their currency is worth very little compared to yours. This means that the cost of the tickets can be compensated by lower day-to-day expenses during the holiday. Within Europe, the opposite is often the case; flights can be found at low cost, but accommodation and food costs can be extremely high and that's why an African adventure best fits you!!

## What kind of trip you're looking for

Continuing on from the previous point, another important point when choosing a travel destination is the type of trip. If travelling comfortably and not having to improvise is more your style, it's going to cost you. Guided excursions, taxis or dinners in restaurants will considerably raise the budget, but will also mean that you can relax more. Make sure your destination gives you what you're looking for.

If you consider yourself an adventurous person, you can let yourself be carried away by the experience and eat in street stalls and other low-budget establishments. Also, when it comes to accommodation, you can share a room with other travellers and get around on foot or rent a bicycle if the terrain permits.

We hope that with these tips for choosing a travel destination you will have a clearer idea of what you want to experience on your trip. Don't forget that you have the last word.