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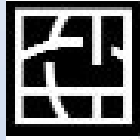
**VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY:
WONDERS OF THE
GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS**

Aboard the M.V. SANTA CRUZ

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Dear Alumni and Friends:

The unique wildlife of the fascinating Galápagos Islands inspired Charles Darwin's theory of evolution. Today, the pristine condition of this extraordinary volcanic archipelago, continues to make the islands a dream destination for any nature lover.

Join us for the journey of a lifetime to the Galápagos Islands aboard the state-of-the-art exploration vessel, the M.V. SANTA CRUZ. Designed specifically to navigate the Galápagos Islands, it is fully equipped with everything necessary to make your Galápagos experience complete from a fleet of Zodiacs to complimentary snorkeling gear. Excursions are led by our highly qualified team of certified naturalists, whose knowledge and enthusiasm will enhance your understanding and enjoyment of this fascinating and often mysterious natural realm.

These 19 islands, each with its own natural habitat and ecosystem, are literally overflowing with life, including species unknown elsewhere in the world like the flightless cormorant and the marine iguana. With virtually no natural predators on the islands, the abundant wildlife is fearless and accept human company up-close to an extent not found elsewhere on earth. Here, you can walk among 400-pound tortoises, nearly touch spiny-backed iguanas, and snorkel in crystal clear waters alongside sea lions, dolphins and tropical penguins.

On mainland Ecuador, you will visit the colorful Andean market of Otavalo and explore the magnificent colonial churches of Quito. We are also pleased to offer an optional six-night post-program to Peru's legendary "lost city" of Machu Picchu, and the historic cities of Lima and Cuzco.

Representing an exceptional travel value, this special journey of discovery is certain to sell out quickly. Space is limited, so I urge you to make your reservation soon, before August 25, 2006, while Early Booking Savings are still available!

Sincerely,

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Relax on the Galápagos Islands' pristine beaches in the company of napping seals, who blissfully ignore the presence of humans.



THE ENIGMA OF THE GALÁPAGOS

“The Archipelago is a little world within itself...”

— Charles Darwin, *The Voyage of the Beagle*

It is ironic that this scattered, remote volcanic archipelago consisting of just 19 islands and 42 islets located 570 miles off the coast of Ecuador inspired one of the most revolutionary theories in the history of science. Formed millions of years ago by volcanic eruptions, these islands’ dramatic lunar-like landscapes make a safe, if harsh, home for the quirky finches and primeval iguanas that inspired Charles Darwin’s theory of natural selection and evolution, which he presented in the *Origin of Species* in 1859.

Scientists generally believe that most Galápagos species originally floated to the islands from the mainland, or were transported by birds or deposited by whalers and buccaneers. Others, like penguins and sea lions, probably arrived by way of the Humboldt Current, a cold stream of ocean water flowing from the southern coast of Chile. This current makes the Galápagos the world’s only tropical region to support such species.

Darwin noted that life in the Galápagos Islands comprises mostly “aboriginal creations, found nowhere else,” leading him to hypothesize that the islands’ species survived by evolving over time independently from their continental cousins. Because natural predators failed to survive—possibly due to the lack of fresh water, which deterred even permanent human settlement until the 20th century—its bevy of birds and animals were able to thrive and adapt in a manner not possible in other habitats. This also explains why Galápagos species never developed a sense of fear and allow the up-close viewing by humans that makes the experience of visiting the islands so thrilling and unique.

Observe the fascinating creatures of the Galápagos Islands, like this land iguana, in their natural habitats like Charles Darwin did more than 150 years ago.

Cover: The exotic blue footed boobie, one of many species unique to the Galápagos Islands, performs its unusual mating “dance.”





Take the photographs of a lifetime in the Galápagos, where wildlife allows humans to approach it up-close, unlike anywhere else on earth.



U.S./QUITO, ECUADOR

Friday, Day 1

Fly to Quito and transfer to the superior first-class *Hilton Colón Hotel*, ideally located near one of Quito's lively markets. Surrounded by snow-capped peaks, yet only miles from the equator, the city is known for its magnificent Spanish colonial architecture and colorful street life.

QUITO

Saturday, Day 2

Quito is a city of startling contrasts where thousands of years of Indian tradition are interwoven with imported Catholicism, Spanish language and European culture. Quaint family-owned shops and open-air markets are but steps away from gleaming skyscrapers and imposing cathedrals built in the ornate Latin baroque style favored by the Conquistadors. On the city tour, visit the Museo Nacional del Banco Central's Archaeological and Golden Courts. Continue to the heart of Quito—designated a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1978—and see the Moorish-influenced La Catedral Metropolitana and the La Compañía de Jesus, renowned for its lavish interiors decorated with an estimated seven tons of gold leaf.

This evening, enjoy a private welcome reception in the hotel.

QUITO (CALDERÓN/OTAVALO/PEGUCHE)

Sunday, Day 3

Travel to Calderón, a small town where artisans continue the time-honored tradition of *masapan*, the crafting of intricate figurines, dolls and Christmas ornaments from bread dough.

Continue to the ancient town of Otavalo, acclaimed for its finely woven sheep and alpaca wool. Its legendary "silent market," where merchants bargain quietly with customers, is a colorful labyrinth of stalls and shops overflowing with beautifully crafted tapestries, clothing and a mesmerizing myriad of goods that has attracted merchants from across the Andean region for centuries.

Stop in the village of Peguche to see artisans plying the crafts of their ancestors, before concluding your excursion with a private lunch in a local inn in Catacochi, renowned for its leather crafters.

QUITO/BALTRA, GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS/SANTA CRUZ

Monday, Day 4

Arrive on the small Galápagos island of Baltra and embark on M.V. SANTA CRUZ for lunch and your first daily briefing from the ship's naturalists. Continue on to Santa Cruz Island, whose alluring white beaches, giant prickly pear cactus forests, and a wide assortment of vibrantly-colored flamingos, pre-historic looking iguanas and immense tortoises make it an ideal introduction to the archipelago. Aboard Zodiacs, ride along beautiful mangrove-lined islets and seek out birds, including boobies, pelicans and frigates. Make a dry landing in a small lagoon favored by elegant greater flamingoes, and trek up Dragon Hill for spectacular views of the western islands.

BARTOLOMÉ/SANTIAGO

Tuesday, Day 5

Following a dry landing on this tiny, rocky isle, enjoy unsurpassed views of the surrounding lunar-like craters, mangroves and lava formations from the top of Cerro Bartolomé. Particularly impressive is Pinnacle Rock, a jagged tower of honey-combed stone that soars 225 feet into the air. Below, the island's pristine beaches are ideal for swimming and relaxing in the sun while admiring the antics of tropical penguins. Also, search out dolphins, rays and other magnificent creatures of the sea from the comfort of a glass-bottom boat.

On Santiago Island this afternoon, stroll along the glistening ebony sands of James Bay, where a wide variety of birds and wildlife peacefully co-mingle.





A magnificent frigate puffs up his chest—an act intended to impress his mate.

**GENOVESA/
NORTH SEYMOUR/SANTA FÉ**
Wednesday, Day 6

This morning arrive by wet landing on Genovesa's picturesque white coral beach. This distinctive island, formed by a partly submerged volcanic crater, is an ornithologist's paradise. Amble amongst an immense colony of red-footed boobies, one of the Galápagos' signature bird species, and keep an eye out for some of the world's rarest birds including Nazca boobies and the short-eared owl. Surrounding waters offer unsurpassed snorkeling in the company of sea lions while breaching dolphins and orcas can often be seen in Darwin Bay.

Afternoon conditions determine whether we continue exploring Genovesa or move on to North Seymour Island. This tiny sandy-shored isle makes an ideal home for marine iguanas—the world's only sea-going iguana—and is known for its exceptional whale watching. Here, observe large colonies of charming blue-footed boobies and magnificent frigates, whose male population famously puff up their bright red chests.

SANTA FÉ/SANTA CRUZ
Thursday, Day 7

Large colonies of sea lions bark warm greetings to visitors in Santa Fé's picturesque harbor, where these congenial mammals are willing to share the bay's clear waters with snorkelers. Follow the

On Bartolomé Island see the famous Pinnacle Rock, and watch reef sharks and skates (rays) swimming in the crystal clear water.



trail through a forest of giant *Opuntia* cacti, some of which soar 30 feet high, while keeping an eye out for the spiny-backed land iguana.

After a morning cruise, visit the Charles Darwin Research Station to learn more about efforts to protect the islands' rare population of giant tortoises, including the island's most famous resident, a 70-year-old tortoise known as "Lonesome George," thought to be the last surviving member of a subspecies from Pinta Island. Walk through a giant prickly-pear cactus forest, and following lunch, drive to Santa Cruz's lush highlands to see the tortoises in their natural habitat and visit the Los Gemelos volcanic crater.

**SAN CRISTÓBAL/
GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR**
Friday, Day 8

The first Galápagos isle visited by Darwin in 1835, San Cristóbal is home to the Galápagos' provincial capital of Puerto Baquerizo Moreno. Near the village center, visit the Galápagos National Park's Interpretation Center, and learn about the Galápagos' colorful history and fascinating ecosystem.

This afternoon, fly to Guayaquil and take a city orientation tour before checking into the deluxe *Hilton Colón Hotel*. Founded in the 1530s, Guayaquil is Ecuador's principal port and most cosmopolitan city. The afternoon is at leisure. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell reception in the hotel.

GUAYAQUIL/U.S.
Saturday, Day 9
Return to the U.S.

Come face-to-face with the primeval giant tortoise, one of the Galápagos' most famous and intriguing species.





M.V. SANTA CRUZ

The charm, intimacy and personal service of the small cruise ship experience are the hallmarks of travel aboard the first-class expedition vessel, M.V. SANTA CRUZ. The only ship designed exclusively to cruise amongst the Galápagos Islands, its ability to navigate the archipelago's narrow channels, shallow bays and environmentally sensitive waters, ensures that participants enjoy the most comprehensive access possible to the region's treasures. Completely refurbished and refitted in 1998, the M.V. SANTA CRUZ features only 46 staterooms and offers a wide array of modern amenities and facilities, including a full fleet of Zodiacs and a glass bottom boat.

Each outside stateroom is tastefully appointed with private bathroom facilities, air conditioning and either a window or a porthole.

All meals, featuring international and Ecuadorian specialties, are served in a single seating in the ship's inviting dining room.

The ship's public facilities include a bar, lounge, gift shop, business center, natural history library, complimentary snorkeling equipment, Jacuzzi and a full-time medical office.

Six multilingual naturalists will share their in-depth insight and information about the Galápagos' distinctive ecosystem during daily excursions and multimedia presentations. For island excursions, the ship provides five Zodiacs for landings while a Boston Whaler glass-bottom boat is used for viewing aquatic life.

The M.V. SANTA CRUZ's highly trained staff provides professional, attentive service that is recognized in the travel industry as one of the finest in the Galápagos Islands. The ship maintains the highest international safety and environmental standards.



Standard Stateroom



Dining Room



Sun Deck



MACHU PICCHU POST-PROGRAM OPTION

Extend your Galápagos Islands voyage with a visit to the mysterious and enchanting Inca complex of Machu Picchu. Located high in the Peruvian Andes Mountains amidst dreamlike mists, Machu Picchu was obscured from humankind for 400 years by lush jungle growth and the isolation of the mountains until Yale Professor Hiram Bingham literally stumbled upon it in 1911. Despite nearly a century of extensive research and study, Machu Picchu has refused to reveal the secrets of its purpose, its residents and its abandonment. Designated a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1983, Machu Picchu has been carefully excavated and preserved thanks to the efforts of institutions and governments around the world. This six-night post-program in Peru highlighting Machu Picchu—including an opportunity to take a spectacular sunrise excursion—promises to be a once-in-a-lifetime adventure that also features the cosmopolitan Peruvian capital of Lima, the historic Inca capital of Cuzco, the beautiful Urubamba Valley and the ancient Inca fortress of Sacsayhuaman.

MACHU PICCHU ITINERARY

Day	
1	Guayaquil/Fly to Lima, Peru/ Check-in at <i>Swissotel</i> .
2	Fly to Cuzco/Urubamba Valley and Olantaytambo Fort tour/Check-in at <i>Sonesta Posada del Inca Hotel</i> .
3	Scenic train ride to Machu Picchu/ Machu Picchu excursion/Check-in at <i>Hotel Machu Picchu</i> .
4	Machu Picchu/Train to Cuzco/ Check-in at <i>Hotel Libertador</i> .
5	Cuzco/Inca ruins of Sacsayhuaman Archaeological Park/Cuzco.
6	Fly to Lima/Check-in at <i>Swissotel</i> / Tour of historic Lima.
7	Return to U.S.

Included Features: accommodations; excursions; air transportation Guayaquil/Lima, Lima/Cuzco and Cuzco/Lima; rail transportation; airport transfers during extension dates; most meals; gratuities to local guides and drivers; and the services of a local professional Peruvian Travel Director.

INCLUDED FEATURES

IN QUITO

- ◆ Three nights in the superior first-class *Hilton Colón Hotel*.
- ◆ Full American breakfast each morning.
- ◆ Welcome reception.
- ◆ Tour of Quito's historic colonial district, a protected UNESCO World Heritage site.
- ◆ Visit to the Museo Nacional del Banco Central.
- ◆ Full-day excursion to the ancient Andean town of Otavalo, renowned for its market, including lunch.

Air transportation Quito/Galápagos

ABOARD THE M.V. SANTA CRUZ

- ◆ Four-night cruise from Baltra to San Cristóbal Island with calls at Santa Cruz, Bartolomé, Santiago, Genovesa and Santa Fé islands.
- ◆ Three meals are served each day featuring international and Ecuadorian cuisine.
- ◆ Two island excursions each day by Zodiac landing crafts, focusing on the natural history, unique wildlife and conservation efforts in the Galápagos (conditions and weather permitting).
- ◆ Visit to the Charles Darwin Research Station and the San Cristóbal Interpretation Center to learn about conservation efforts and the natural history of the Galápagos.
- ◆ Six multilingual naturalists will share their in-depth insight and specialized expertise about the Galápagos' distinctive ecosystem and wildlife.
- ◆ Complimentary use of snorkeling equipment and glass bottom boat.

Air transportation Galápagos/Guayaquil

IN GUAYAQUIL

- ◆ One night in the deluxe *Hilton Colón Hotel*.
- ◆ City orientation tour.
- ◆ Full American breakfast.
- ◆ Farewell reception.

ENHANCED TRAVEL SERVICES

- ◆ All transfers and luggage handling abroad for all participants who have purchased their air tickets through Gohagan & Company and whose arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).
- ◆ All sightseeing and visits, as outlined in the itinerary, with experienced local guides.
- ◆ Gratuities to local guides and drivers.
- ◆ Galápagos National Park fee.
- ◆ Hospitality desk in the hotels and aboard ship.
- ◆ An experienced Thomas P. Gohagan & Company Travel Director to accompany the group throughout the travel program.
- ◆ Travel document wallet, name badge and pre-departure information for each participant.
- ◆ Automatic \$250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

A "wet landing" is an environmentally friendly way to arrive near the wildlife on the islands, and leaves virtually no human imprint on this fragile ecosystem.



EARLY BOOKING SAVINGS - Reserve by August 25, 2006, and Save \$1000 per couple!

TARIFF (per person, based on double occupancy)		<i>Land/Cruise Only</i>	
<i>Cabin Category</i>	<i>Description - Each outside stateroom is equipped with a private bathroom and shower, hair dryer and air conditioning.</i>	<i>Early Booking Price through August 25, 2006</i>	<i>Regular Price after August 25, 2006</i>
6	Standard stateroom with twin beds and porthole. <i>Main Deck, aft.</i>	\$2995	\$3495
5	Standard stateroom with twin beds and porthole. <i>Main Deck.</i>	\$3695	\$4195
4	Standard stateroom with twin beds and large window. <i>Upper Deck.</i>	\$4395	\$4895
3	Standard stateroom with twin beds and porthole. <i>Boat Deck.</i>	\$4795	\$5295
2	Superior stateroom with twin beds that can convert to one double bed and full windows. <i>Boat Deck.</i>	\$5295	\$5795
1	Junior Suite with twin beds and sliding glass doors. <i>Boat Deck.</i>	\$5595	\$6095

♦ Singles are available in Cabin Category 4 at \$7195 and Cabin Category 2 at \$8095 on or before August 25, 2006. Add \$500 for reservations made after August 25, 2006.

♦ Master suites available on request.

♦ Port taxes are an additional \$195 per person and are subject to change.

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Deposits can also be made by credit card; however, **all FINAL payments are required to be made in cash, by check or wire transfer by November 27, 2006.**

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1st Choice _____ 2nd Choice _____

- Double occupancy (one double bed).
- Double occupancy (two twin beds).

- Single accommodations at an additional cost.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

I/we authorize air reservation(s):

- Flights Miami/Quito with return Guayaquil/Miami. Approximate economy airfare is \$875 per person.*
- Flights from _____

(fill in departure city)
to Quito, Ecuador, with return from Guayaquil, Ecuador.

- First Class Business Class

- I/we will make my/our own air arrangements.

MACHU PICCHU POST-PROGRAM RESERVATIONS

Occupancy:

- Double at \$2295 per person.
- Single at \$2965 per person.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and will allow you to select my roommate (shares can not be guaranteed).

**Note: Airfare is approximate, subject to change and availability, and most airfare is nonrefundable. Thomas P. Gohagan & Company endeavors to obtain the lowest airfares available at the time air is purchased.*



CONTRACT: TERMS & CONDITIONS

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