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DAY BEFORE: SUN

Check in to Hotel from 2PM

7.00PM – 11.00PM Opening Group Dinner at Gold Restaurant¹

Rates include: Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, dinner and gratuity

Rates exclude: Beverages with dinner and gratuity

DAY 1: MON

Curated Cape Town City Tour 08.00AM – 5.30PM

Experience the city of Cape Town like a local. Enjoy a return trip on the Table Mountain Cable Car, where you'll learn about fynbos (local plant life), see Cape Town from above and stunning views of the city, Camps Bay and the 12 Apostles and if you're lucky you'll spot a Dassie. Visit the famous brightly coloured houses of the Bo-Kaap and learn about the heritage of the vibrant Cape Malay people. Tuck into a Cape Malay selection of samosas and sweet treats like koeksisters and milk tart and visit Atlas Spice Trading to shop for spices to take home. Visit Frankie Fenner Meat Merchant and try the local snack favourites, biltong and droe wors. This will be followed by lunch at trendy Ash restaurant where guests can sample rare boutique South African wines served by Publik Wine Bar **OR** Open Wine serving a wide selection of popular and obscure South African wines by the glass. End the day with a visit to Signal Hill winery. As well producing the only wines from Cape Town city grapes, the Clos d'Oranje, and Camps Bay vineyard, you can also taste and buy really great wine from a variety of leading South African wine producers.

Rates include: Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, Bo-Kaap walking tour, city orientation, return tickets for Table Mountain cable car (weather permitting), lunch to the value of R300 incl. gratuity, 1 wine tasting

Rates exclude: Beverages with lunch and gratuity

¹ 4 people group minimum, 10 people maximum

DAY 2: TUES

Best Views of the Cape – Peninsula Tour & Tasting 07.00AM – 6.00PM

A tour of the breathtakingly beautiful Cape Peninsula with great spots to take photos . A scenic drive along the famous Chapman's Peak Drive. Visit the Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve & Cape Point, the southernmost tip of the city's geography . A visit to Boulders Beach, home to the delightfully cheerful African penguin . Picnic lunch and wine Tasting at Cape Point Vineyards coastal vineyards. Visit Klein Constantia wine estate that had originally formed part of the original expansive Constantia Estate. You will be treated to a 4x4 ride up to a dam with view of the entire valley. From this view point the terroir of the valley will be pointed out and explained with a tasting of the estate MCC, followed by tutored wine tasting including the Vin de Constance in the cellar or in 'Duggies' Dungeon'.

Rates include : *Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, drive over Chapman's Peak, entrance fee to Boulders Beach, entrance fee to Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve, picnic lunch and gratuity, 2 wine tastings, 4x4 experience*

Rates exclude: *Beverages with lunch and gratuity*

DAY 3: WED

Franschhoek and Stellenbosch 08.00AM – 6.00PM

Start the morning with a vineyard tour and tasting from the leader in SA's biodynamic farming movement, Avondale. Visit a boutique winery in Stellenbosch. Enjoy locally raised and cured charcuterie perfectly paired with local wines at Moreson, followed by lunch at the winery restaurant, Bread and Wine, ending with a tasting of their superb range of MCC. Try something different and tap into *all* your senses with this one of a kind music and wine pairing. Black Elephant Vintners pair music with the wine to help tell the story of the individual wines, playing a song during the tasting of wine and explain why it was chosen and resonates with the wine. This is a constantly evolving discussion as they come across more and more songs, however think along the lines of School of Rock.

Rate includes: *Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, 2 wine tastings, charcuterie and wine pairing, MCC tasting, music and wine pairing*

Rates exclude: *Beverages with lunch and gratuity*

DAY 4: THURS

Secret Swartland 08.00AM – 6.00PM

Start the morning with the only MCC producer in the Swartland, Christa Von La Chavellerie, the creator of Huis von Chavellerie MCC. Enjoy a tasting and vineyard

walk with her on her property. Next up is a visit to the neighbour and well known AA Badenhorst which includes a wine tasting and tour of his very traditional cellar. Head down the road to Lammershoek for a guided wine tasting followed by traditional Braai (barbecue) lunch. Pop in to Wine Collective in the quaint and quirky town of Riebeeck Kasteel for a unique wine shopping and tasting experience.

Rates include: *Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, 3-4 wine tastings, vineyard and cellar tour, braai lunch with wine and gratuity*

Rates exclude: *Guide gratuity*

DAY 5: FRI

Best of Cool Climate Wine Valley (Hemel-en-Aarde , Elgin and Botrivier) 07.00AM – 6.00PM

Visit a cool climate Elgin Wine Valley producer for an off the beaten track wine tasting experience. Visit Penny and Niels Verburg at Luddite - Some people describe Luddite Shiraz as Niels Verburg contained in a glass; Niels is six foot four and his smile is the embodiment of a warm embrace! **OR** Wine and olive oil tasting and cellar tour with winemaker Peter-Allan Finlayson at Gabrielskloof (also winemaker for the superb range of Crystallum wines). Head over to Hemel en Aarde Valley for a seven course tapas and wine pairing in Riedel stemware with award winning pinot noir and chardonnay. End the day with a wine tasting at Hamilton Russell Vineyards, and estate that specialises in iconic cool climate wines. Return along the famous coastal Whale Route through Gordon's Bay, Pringle Bay and Betty's Bay (the best land-based whale watching in the world).

Rate includes: *Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, drive down Whale Route, 3 wine tastings, 7 course tapas and wine pairing*

Rates exclude: *Guide gratuity*

8.00PM – 11PM Closing group Dinner TBC

Rates include: *Pickup and drop-off from accommodation in and around Cape Town, private driver/guide, dinner and gratuity*

Rates exclude: *Beverages with dinner and gratuity*

DAY 6: SAT

Guest to check out at 10.00AM after breakfast

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