



TACOS & TEQUILA

A MEXICAN FOOD SAFARI ~ HOSTED BY CHRISTINE MANFIELD
15 TO 26 FEBRUARY 2020

Travel to the heart of Mexico's rich culture using food and gastronomy as a visitor to access and appreciate the country's ancient civilisations, colonial history and modern vibrancy. Exploring the most beautiful, mysterious and ancient parts of the country you'll taste your way through world-class restaurants, markets, street stalls and family home kitchens feasting on recipes both old and new, and sampling the local tipples of mezcal and tequila. Travelling with Christine you will benefit from her infinite knowledge and experience as a world-class chef as she interprets the sights, smells and flavours around you.

Beginning your journey in Mexico City you'll dine with the world's finest chefs, drink in backstreet cantinas with locals, visit flower-filled market garden islands and float over the Teotihuacan pyramids by hot air balloon. Moving on to Oaxaca you'll wander the cobbled alleys sampling cerviche, tacos, moles and cacao served in a gourd. You'll browse the local markets to select the finest produce ready to cook up a storm and spend time with the region's artisans learning the art of traditional rug-weaving. Rounding off the journey in the UNESCO World Heritage listed city of Puebla you'll sink into Mexico's turbulent history surrounded by churches, temples and 'Indigenous Baroque' architecture whilst tasting your way through a whole host of culinary delights ranging from the rustic to the refined.

Staying in a hand-picked selection of Mexico's finest hotels you'll enjoy the whispering walls of an exquisitely converted former nunnery, the industrial chic of cool city hangouts and the peaceful gardens of a stylish bohemian retreat. All place you within easy walking distance of the finest local hotspots.

Travelling with Christine on this bespoke culinary safari will deepen your appreciation of Mexico's rich and ancient gastronomic culture and leave your tastebuds tingling!

Itinerary in Brief:

Day 1 - 5 15 Feb 2020:	Arrive Mexico City, Hotel Condesa DF—5 nights
Day 6 - 8 20 Feb 2020:	Oaxaca, Quinta Real Oaxaca - 3 nights
Day 9 - 11 23 Feb 2020:	Puebla, Hotel Cartesiano Puebla - 3 nights
Day 12 26 Feb 2020:	Day of departure

WHY WE LIKE IT

Hosted by chef Christine Manfield
Unique boutique accommodation
Tacos, tequila, mole & mezcal
The world's best street food!



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LAND COST : USD 11,300 PER PERSON , TWIN SHARE



FLIGHTS

We can assist with all your flight requirements.

The itinerary starts on
15 Feb 2020 in Mexico City
and ends on
26 Feb 2020 in Mexico City

Please call for best available fares. All airfares will be confirmed at the time of reservation. Should you wish to make your own arrangements please advise.

Price Includes:

- Specialist food guide & escort, Christine Manfield, throughout
- All activities and guiding as specified in the itinerary including hot air balloon ride
- Accommodation in quality handpicked venues for 11 nights
- Breakfast, lunches & dinners as specified in the itinerary; bottled water
- All specialist touring including sampling Mexico's food and produce
- Arrival and departure transfers; all required transport during the trip with driver guides
- Internal flight from Mexico City to Oaxaca in economy class
- All tipping/gratuities for drivers and guides whilst on tour

Price Excludes:

- International air arrangements plus all applicable prepaid departure taxes
- Visas, travel insurance & health requirements
- Any additional meals and drinks not specified in the itinerary
- Alcoholic drinks not already included with standard meals
- Laundry & other items of a personal nature

Minimum of 10 people and a maximum of 12 for this departure

Single supplement—USD \$4450

Airfares can be booked with The Classic Safari Company. Please contact us to find the best available fare. Flights and taxes are subject to change at anytime prior to, or at the time of ticketing. Book & pay for your air tickets as soon as possible to secure the best available fare.

Terms and Conditions apply – please request a copy of our Booking Form for all details. Price is subject to change due to currency fluctuation & unforeseen changes beyond our control. We reserve the right, due to situations beyond our control, to substitute any hotel, activity or dining experience with another of comparable quality. This would be advised as soon as possible.