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"Time flies over us, but leaves its shadow behind " - Nathaniel Hawthorne

#### HELICOPTER OR MAGIC CARPET?

A helicopter safari in Kenya (and beyond) is the wild, free-wheeling thrill you've been searching for.

Looking for something remote and beautiful beyond your typical game drive?

Thrilling helicopter safaris through the most remote reaches of Africa – accessing secluded & unsung landscapes – these are gems not to be missed.

The fairy tale ride is a beautiful thing in itself, but then the enchantment continues. The helicopter IS the magic carpet that delivers you cool and unruffled to:

Wherever you want to Be:

Cliff Edge, Sand Dune, Mountain Lake, Volcano, Game Reserve, Waterfall, Mighty River
- Ocean Shore

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Whatever you want to Experience:

Nomadic Tribes, The Great Migration, A Mountain Gorilla, Exquisite Food, Endless Views - Your toes in the Sand

Wherever you want to Stay:

Luxury Lodge, Fly Camp, Climbing Hut, Luxurious Tent, Beach House - Under the Stars

Whatever you want to Do:

Watch Giraffe from the back of a Horse, Ride Quad Bikes through the Wilderness, Walk with Camels far from roads, Climb a Mountain - Nothing at all!









"I have slipped the surly bonds of earth and danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings"





# HISTORY OF HUMPHREY CARTER SAFARIS

#### THE BEGINNING

Peter Silvester of Royal African Safaris and Humphrey, pioneered the helicopter safari in Kenya and East Africa in the late 1990s.

Humphrey set up Lady Lori Kenya Ltd, with the help of owner and investor, Jim Denooyer and his wife Lori (hence the name!). It started out as a company to promote and support the conservation initiative, Loisaba Wilderness, which Peter, Jim, Lori and others invested so much of their lives to establish.









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With Jim's generosity, Peter's imagination, and Humphrey's curiosity, it became a thriving and successful business of its own, whilst still supporting and promoting Loisaba.

Peter and Humphrey created tailor-made adventures in the wild and vast landscapes of northern Kenya, following the most scenic routes and touching down spontaneously to take in magnificent views.

Humphrey's safaris have always combined a feeling of freedom with the joy of flight.

They unveil the geographical wonders of nature, whilst creating a truly amazing and unforgettable experience.









#### **HUMPHREY'S EDUCATION**

Humphrey was educated at Stowe School in England and the The Royal Military

Academy Sandhurst. He gained a commission in the Irish Guards and for 4 years flew
helicopters on operations as a pilot in the Army Air Corps.









#### HUMPHREY'S HISTORY

His experience over the last 20 years in East Africa includes working with some of the most renowned conservation and aviation companies in Africa:

The David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust
Singita Grumeti Reserves & The Grumeti Fund
Save the Elephant
Big Life
The Mara Elephant Project
Loisaba Wilderness & Lady Lori Helicopters



**KIDL Helicopters** 



# FILMING, AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY & INTERESTING PEOPLE

Humphrey Carter has flown helicopters filming numerous wildlife documentaries including the BBC Planet Earth series, National Geographic productions and he's filmed from the air with Alan Root (the world-renowned, multi award-winning, wildlife film maker – see Humphrey's Testimonials).

He has helped make movies such as "I Dreamed of Africa", "Tomb Raider", "The Constant Gardener" and Academy Award winning German film "Nowhere in Africa".

These sensationally beautiful, engaging documentaries and the magnificent cinematography featured on the "silver screen", have undeniably raised global awareness of the true loveliness and fragility of this unique and glorious continent.

Humphrey has flown award-winning photographers Richard du Toit, Robert B Haas & Michael Poliza and thus been part of the creation of wonderful, influential books such as "Through the Eyes of the Gods" by Robert B Haas, published by National Geographic and "Africa" the magnificent large format (13lb) masterpiece by Michael Poliza.

He has had the privilege of flying in the service of some extraordinary and fascinating visitors to Africa - including Presidents George W. Bush and Barack Obama, film stars Robin Williams, Gillian Anderson & Kristin Davis, war photographer Don McCullin and members of the Rolling Stones.







#### HUMPHREY CARTER'S PHILOSOPHY



Humphrey Carter believes that once people feel the magnetic pull of this magical land, the true "cradle of mankind" ... Once they see the beauty of her harsh, dramatic landscapes and watch the graceful, movements of her incomparable creatures ... Once they experience the charm and warmth of her noble people ... they will forever hold her in their hearts and seek to cherish and protect her.

Humphrey is happiest taking care of people and showing them the Africa he loves by creating imaginative helicopter journeys tailored for you. What a joyful thing to introduce visitors to some of the truly magnificent and priceless places this continent has to offer.

As a helicopter pilot who loves Africa, it is a great source of happiness to know that some of his clients now rank amongst the most generous contributors to wildlife conservation in the world. Philanthropists who have transformed and protected places such as Grumeti Reserves, large parts of Laikipia, Tsavo, and the Northern Rangelands of Kenya.

# LETTER FROM PRESIDENT GEORGE W. BUSH



## TRUSTED BY:



### HELICOPTER SAFARIS IN AFRICA



Humphrey has been flying in Africa for 25 years and he's still in love with it - every minute.

The safari we build depends on the conversation we have with you.

Helicopters allow you to experience almost anything you love to do.

Talk to us about your favourite things and we can weave them into the safari like threads into a rug. If you love to fly fish, we can fish for trout at 12000 feet on Mt Kenya; if you love to ride horses, we can ride amongst the most beautiful creatures this planet has to offer; if you want to walk, we can walk with camels in the most remote places left to us to experience.

A safari in Africa is a "once in a lifetime experience" – every time!

Africa is a fascinating continent which combines unique and varied landscapes with rich history and culture.

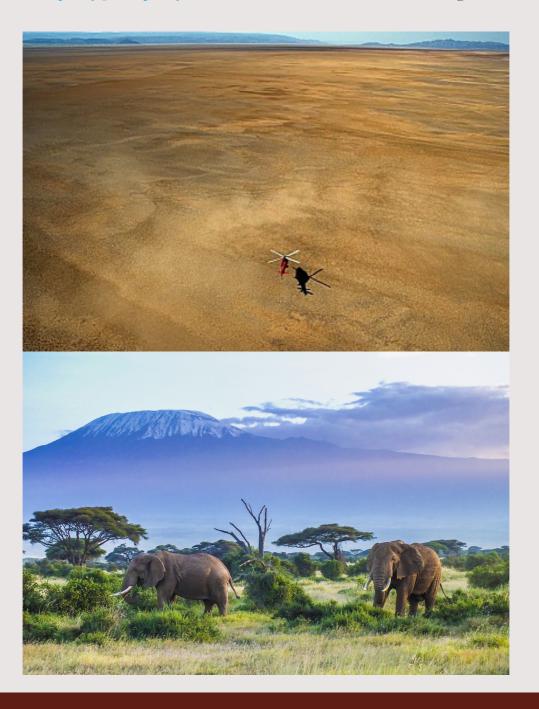
A holiday in Africa can be whatever you choose - whether you want to experience the Big 5 safaris in Tanzania and Kenya, or climb Mount Kilimanjaro and camp under the stars - an African safari has it all.



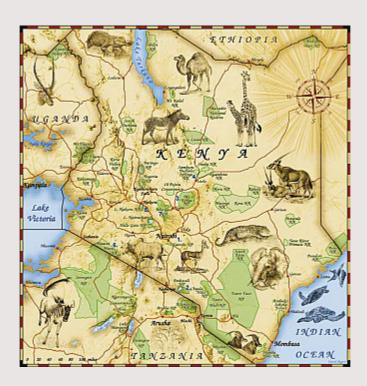
#### Long Safaris in Africa

If Kenya or Tanzania are your favourite places, come and discover the things you haven't yet seen. If you want to travel further afield, let us show you Ethiopia, Uganda or Rwanda.

To build the helicopter safari of your dreams contact us at <a href="https://humphrey@humphreycartersafaris.com">humphrey@humphreycartersafaris.com</a> and we can create it together.



#### Helicopter Safaris in Kenya



# LONG SAFARIS, SHORT SAFARIS & SCENIC DAY TRIPS IN KENYA

Explore Kenya in the most spectacular way possible, with private Helicopter Safaris.

Cover endless ground in an unconventional way; touring vast savannahs peppered with immense herds of wildlife, snow-capped equatorial mountains and traditional peoples who bring soul and colour to the earth.

When you think of Africa, you're probably thinking of Kenya. It's the lone acacia silhouetted on the savannah against an horizon stretching to eternity. It's the icy mountain lake balanced high on the equator, yet within sight of harsh deserts. It's the Great Rift Valley that once threatened to tear the continent asunder, and it's the dense forests giving water and life to it all. In short, Kenya is a country of epic land forms that stir our deepest longings for this very special continent.

BELOW ARE SOME QUICK IDEAS FOR DAY TRIPS FROM NAIROBI

FOR LONGER ADVENTURES (or for quotes for FILMING or AERIAL photography)

PLEASE CONTACT HUMPHREY (humphrey@humphreycartersafaris.com)

EXPERIENCES AS IMPORTANT AND SPECIAL AS THESE CAN'T BE BOUGHT OFF THE SHELF - WE WANT TO MAKE A SAFARI FOR "YOU". NOT A CATALOGUE!

### A POSSIBLE DAY TRIP FROM NAIROBI -BIG CATS DIARY



# Example of a Scenic Day Trip to the Maasai Mara via Lake Magadi, Lake Natron and Nguruman Mtns

Route: Nairobi, via Lake Magadi, Lake Natron & the Maasai Mara, returning to Nairobi Flying Hours: 3 Hours

Depart Wilson Airport heading west toward the Great Rift Valley, plunge down the escarpment into the Rift, fly over the famous Olorgesailie Prehistoric Site, then on to Lake Magadi to view startling pink flocks of Lesser & Greater flamingoes bright against the blinding white salt of the lake.

After a Picnic Breakfast on Lake Magadi Island, you'll cross the Ngarenaro Swamp, view the unforgettable beauty of Shompole Mountain and the blood-red, salt-encrusted pools of Lake Natron before swooping up to the Nguruman Escarpment. Here, as you float effortlessly through dramatic gorges and skim ancient trees, you'll see the sparkle of clear streams and waterfalls & spot elephants & buffalo in the dense forest below. You'll drop down to the valley floor & follow the Southern Ewaso Ng'iro River towards Mt Suswa - a great open caldera - then west again to the Maasai Mara ready for a game drive and a delicious lunch surrounded by the abundant plains game and the famous big cats of Kenya's best loved conservation area.

Leave the Maasai Mara with the long evening shadows stretching ahead of you, to reach Wilson Airport before the sun sets on a rare and special day

Wildlife to Find: Elephant, Rhino, Lion, Cheetah, Leopard, Buffalo, Wildebeest, Hyena, Zebra, Antelope and much much more!



### EXAMPLE 2 -KENYA'S MAGNIFICENT LAKES



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# EXAMPLE 3 - SPECTACULAR WATERFALLS - ABERDARES



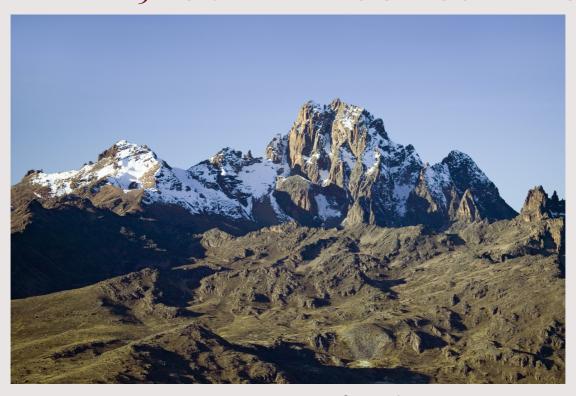
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### EXAMPLE 4 - ROMANCE AT SUNSET



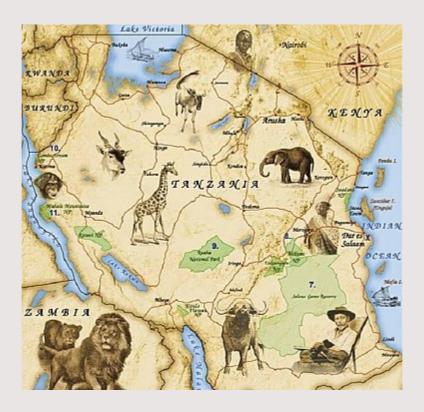
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# EXAMPLE 5 - GREAT LAKES & MOUNTAINS



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# Helicopter Safaris in Tanzania



#### SCENIC DAY TRIPS TANZANIA

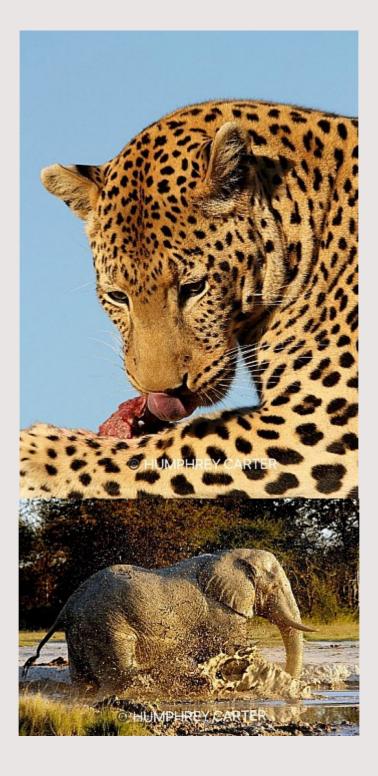
This is one of the world's most loved destinations, and thrilling by helicopter. Giving you the freedom to cover the vast distances and flying low to make the most of the stunning landscapes.

Wildlife, smiling people and their fascinating cultures – The Serengeti, Ngorongoro,

Mt Kilimanjaro – Tanzania has all these and more. More than almost any other

destination, Tanzania is the land of safaris.

Wildebeest stampede across the plains. Hippos jostle for space in muddy waterways. Elephants wander along seasonal migration routes and chimpanzees swing through the treetops. Throughout the country there are unparalleled opportunities to experience this natural wealth and hold your breath while you view extraordinary wildlife and breath-taking landscapes from the sky.



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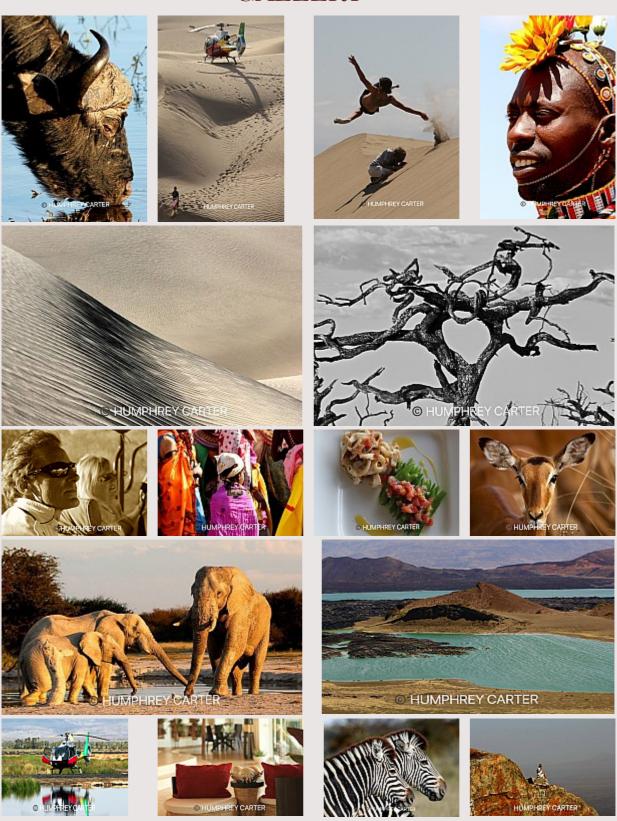
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