



**AFRICAN CONNECTIONS**  
"Your Gateway to Africa"

# Return to the Motherland

## ESCAPE WITH CANDI TO GHANA

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**September 2nd – 14th 2025**  
**(13 Days)**



# Travel to Ghana

with

## Escape with Candi & African Connections

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# Only \$5,899 per person

With economy airfare and double room occupancy

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# African Connections Presents:

## Return to the Motherland African Heritage Tour

### Tour Highlights:

Our tour includes visits to several unique cities in Ghana including Accra, Ghana's vibrant and cosmopolitan capital, Cape Coast, and Elmina in the historic Central Region, Kumasi, the famous capital of the Asante Empire, and the breathtaking Asenema Falls of the Eastern Region.





DAYS 1-3:

# Travel to Ghana and Accra City Tours

We will visit Independence Square (where Ghanaians celebrate the nation's Independence Day each year); and stand under Black Star Square which is a monument to the Black Star of Ghana, which Dr. Kwame Nkrumah, Ghana's first Prime Minister adopted in tribute to Marcus Garvey.



Tour members will visit the Kwame Nkrumah Mausoleum, which is the final resting place of the first President of Ghana and one of Africa's most renowned Statesmen and Pan-Africanists; and the W.E.B. DuBois Memorial Center for Pan-African Culture, which is a research library and gallery containing the invaluable manuscripts of W.E.B. DuBois.







We will drive through the commercial districts of Accra and see the amazing development and growth of Accra. Stop at points of interest as we crisscross through Accra, one of the most vibrant and exciting cities in Africa.



## Asenema Waterfalls

While in Accra, we will take a day trip to Asenema Waterfalls in the Eastern Region. Asenema Waterfalls is one of the hidden gems in the rainforest of the Akuapem Hills.

With its powerful and enchanting display of cascading water, the Asenema Waterfall is a natural wonder that is sure to leave you spellbound.





DAYS 4-6:

# We Tour the Central Region

## Cape Coast Fetu Festival

Experience the vibrant and enchanting Fetu Festival in Ghana. It's a celebration of deep spiritual, cultural, and social significance. Immerse yourself in the pouring of libations, colorful attire, energetic drumming and dancing, and stunning kente cloths. This festival is a powerful expression of unity and pride, preserving rich cultural traditions.



We will tour Elmina and Cape Coast Slave Dungeons, infamous as the places where the largest number of enslaved Africans were housed before shipment to the Americas.





After the impactful tours of the slave dungeons, we will return to the hotel and change the mood with an evening of entertainment and fun with a Welcome (Akwaaba) Dinner with Cultural Dance and Drumming Performances.



DAYS 7-8:

## We Tour Kumasi, and its Surrounding Towns.

On the way to Kumasi, we will stop at Assin Manso to participate in a Ceremony of Remembrance at “Slave River” where our ancestors were forced to bath after their long march to the coast of Ghana, which could have taken as long as six months.



In Kumasi, Tour Members will have the opportunity to explore the capital city of the ancient Asante Kingdom and its surrounding towns and villages and visit Manhyia Palace, the traditional home of the Asantehene “the king of kings,” the king of all the Asante.



While at Manhyia Palace, we will explore the Museum, which is filled with countless relics and artifacts that highlight the richness of the history and culture of the Asante people.



We will stop for photos at the Okomfo Anokye Monument, dedicated to the traditional priest who “conjured” from the skies the famous Golden Stool that unified the Asante people.



You will have time to browse through the National Center for Culture, see Artisans at work and browse through the shops filled with brass items, batik cloth, wood pieces, artwork, and pottery.





Visit the woodcarving village of Ahwiaa where you will see craftsmen carving wood masterpieces; Ntonso, famous for its kente and adinkra cloth; and Adanwomase, one of the most popular kente weaving villages.



## Traditional Naming Ceremony

Tour members will have the opportunity to participate in a Traditional Naming Ceremony, where each tour member will be given a traditional Asante name based on his/her day of birth and welcomed into his/her “adopted” family with dance and celebration.







DAYS 9-12:

# Travel to Accra and enjoy two free days before you travel back to the US

Rest, relax, and enjoy the hotel amenities; including one of Ghana's most beautiful beaches. Or have a spa day, or do nothing at all!







Enjoy an evening of entertainment and fun at our Departure Dinner Buffet with Cultural Dance and Drumming Performances.





## Examples of hotels we use:

- Labadi Beach Hotel in Accra



- Lancaster Kumasi City in Kumasi



- Coconut Grove Beach Resort in Elmina





# Don't miss the Excitement! For the time of your life, experience Ghana!

## Our Tour Package Includes:

-  Deluxe Hotel Accommodations (twin/double occupancy)
-  Breakfast Daily
-  Welcome Dinner with Cultural Performances
-  Departure Dinner with Cultural Performances
-  Daily Nightlife Options
-  Ceremony of Remembrance at "Slave River"
-  Traditional Naming Ceremony
-  Transportation throughout on comfortable air- conditioned bus
-  Experienced, Licensed Driver
-  Knowledgeable Tour Guide
-  Tours and Entry Fees to all sites visited
-  Expert tour management and destination support services to help you prepare and to assist throughout your visit



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