ABERDARE NATIONAL PARK

DESTINATION: KENYA DURATION: 24/48 HRS









(i) "ABERDARE NATIONAL PARK: KENYA'S HIDDEN GEM"

Located in central Kenya, the Aberdare National Park is a unique and diverse ecosystem known for its dramatic landscapes and abundant wildlife. The park's topography includes moorland, bamboo forests, waterfalls, and high mountain peaks, such as Mount Satima and Mount Kinangop. It's particularly famous for its high-altitude game viewing, offering opportunities to spot wildlife like elephants, buffalos, leopards, hyenas, and various antelope species. Aberdare is also home to a healthy population of the rare and endangered bongo, a forest antelope. The park is crisscrossed by crystal-clear streams and rivers, providing excellent trout fishing opportunities. Visitors can explore the park through guided walks, game drives, and even stay in unique tree lodges overlooking waterholes, which offer a chance to observe animals up close in their natural habitat.



PREDATOR SIGHTINGS



BIG FIVE SIGHTINGS



STUNNING SCENERY



NATURAL BEAUTY



PHOTOGRAPHY OPPORTUNITIES



UNIQUE WILDLIFE



WATERFALLS



BIRD WATCHING

(i) INCLUSIONS

None

(i) EXCLUSIONS

Personal Expenses Tips/Gratitudes for the Guides

ALFAZULU OVERVIEW SCORE



QUALITY OF EXPERIENCE SAFETY AND RELIABILITY

VALUE FOR MONEY

CUSTOMER REVIEWS AND FEEDBACK

ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL

RESPONSBILITY

(i) TIPS

- Be prepared for higher altitudes, which can affect your breathing and energy levels
- Consider hiring a guide for a more informative exploration
- Maintain a safe distance from animals and follow park rules to avoid disturbing them
- Follow park guidelines and rules
- Carry cash for tipping guides and purchasing any souvenirs

(i) DID YOU KNOW?

- · Aberdare National Park features a rare combination of highaltitude moorlands, dense forests, and rugged mountains, creating diverse habitats that support unique flora and fauna.
- The park is one of the few places where you can spot the elusive bongo antelope, a critically endangered species known for its striking orange-and-white stripes.
- Aberdare was one of the locations where the famous British explorer and naturalist, Bruce Chatwin, conducted his early research, adding historical significance to its natural beauty.





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