

Iceland

Glaciers, Geysers and Northern Lights

September 15 - September 23, 2028

Women Travel Tribe

Small Group Adventures for Women 50+

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Tour Overview

Duration:	9 days
Maximum Group Size:	12 women
Start Date:	September 15, 2028
End Date:	September 23, 2028
Arrival Airport:	Keflavík International Airport (KEF)
Departure Airport:	Keflavík International Airport (KEF)

Join Women Travel Tribe on this specially curated trip to the **Land of Fire and Ice**! Geysers, waterfalls, glaciers, lagoons, volcanoes, icebergs, black sand beaches, and vivid color dancing against a dark night sky - the sights of **Iceland** will astonish and amaze!

We'll visit a long list of incredible, natural highlights including the **Golden Circle**, the **glaciers** of the Nature Reserves and National Parks, and **lava fields**. We will also spend time in the charming capital city of **Reykjavik** and hop on a jet to visit the coastal town of **Akureyri** in the far north, where we'll venture into the night chasing the ethereal beauty of the **Aurora Borealis**.

Our Icelandic adventure will be spent in the capable hands of our **wonderful tour leader**, who will escort us to each otherworldly destination on our customized itinerary.

So, pack your sense of wonder (and some warm clothes) and join us on this enchanting expedition to explore the **magic and unique landscapes of Iceland!**

Itinerary

Day 1: Reykjavik (Arrival Day)

Included meals: Dinner

Arriving in Reykjavik, you will be transferred to our hotel in the city center. Guests arriving during the designated morning window will be met by our tour leader and travel by private vehicle to the Blue Lagoon before continuing to the hotel. Those arriving outside this window will take the FlyBus directly to the hotel. The remainder of the day will be yours to rest, recover from jet lag, and meet your fellow travelers before gathering for our welcome dinner at an excellent Reykjavik restaurant. *We recommend booking a flight that arrives early in the morning to participate in the Blue Lagoon experience!

Day 2: Reykjavik / Golden Circle / Reykjavik

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Today we'll head out on a guided tour of the Golden Circle, a classic loop from Reykjavík that links three of Iceland's most important sights in one day. We'll begin at Þingvellir National Park, where the rift between the North American and Eurasian plates frames the site of Iceland's first parliament. From there we'll continue to the geothermal area of Geysir to watch Strokkur erupt, then on to Gullfoss, a powerful two-tier waterfall set in a rocky canyon. Midday we'll visit a local greenhouse for a private look at geothermal horticulture and sit down to lunch among the tomato plants, tasting produce grown year-round with natural heat and light support. Afterward we'll stop at a horse stable to learn about Icelandic horses through a short talk and live gait demonstration. We'll return to Reykjavík in the late afternoon, with the evening free for you to keep exploring.

Day 3: Reykjavik / South Coast

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

We'll set out today along Iceland's South Coast, a stretch known for black beaches, cliff views, and powerful waterfalls. We'll start on Reynisfjara beach, walking the black shore and looking out to the Reynisdrangar sea stacks, linked to a local tale of trolls caught by the sun. In Vík í Mýrdal we'll stop at the hilltop church for a wide view over town and ocean, then continue to Dyrhólaey, a tall rock arch that turns into a busy bird spot in summer. We'll also visit the Seljalandsfoss waterfall, where we'll walk a short path behind the falling water, and see the staircase that leads to a lookout above the spray of Skógafoss. In the evening we'll also visit the Icelandic Lava Show, where real molten lava is poured indoors so you can see it flow and feel its heat in a safe setting before checking into our hotel.

Day 4: South Coast

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Today we'll continue with a full-day tour around Skaftafell and Jökulsárlón in Vatnajökull National Park. We'll enjoy views of the glaciers and surrounding mountains from land, with time to take in the scenery without hiking on the ice. From there we'll drive to Jökulsárlón, Iceland's largest glacier lagoon, where icebergs drift from the edge of Vatnajökull and slowly make their way toward the sea. We'll take time to watch the shifting ice and, if conditions allow, stroll to the nearby black-sand shore where smaller pieces wash up and shine against the dark beach. We'll return to our hotel in the late afternoon with some free time at leisure before dinner.

Day 5: South Coast / Reykjavik / Akureyri / Northern Lights

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

We'll say goodbye to the South Coast as we head back to Reykjavik, but not before making a few scenic stops along the way. Once we hit Reykjavik, we'll take a quick 45-minute flight that takes us to the charming town of Akureyri in the north. This northern town has its own special blend of cozy charm and awe-inspiring landscapes. Upon arrival we'll check into our hotel. In the evening, we'll head away from the city's glow to try and (hopefully) catch the magical Northern Lights, a natural spectacle caused by solar particles colliding with Earth's atmosphere!

Day 6: Akureyri / Dettifoss / Lake Myvatn / Akureyri

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Today we'll travel out of town and straight into the awe-inspiring nature that this part of the country is known for. You'll take in incredible views of Dettifoss Waterfall, the most powerful waterfall in all of Europe. From here, we'll visit Lake Myvatn, known for its boiling mud, lava formations and diversity of flora and fauna. The region we will visit is also considered by many to be the most beautiful in the entire country as it is surrounded by mountains, canyons and cliffs in every direction. Our lunch today will be at a local produce farm set among this breathtaking scenery where we will dine on fresh local dishes prepared by our friendly hosts. Upon returning to Akureyri in the evening, you'll have some free time to spend the evening out and about, visiting any of the cozy local restaurants, cafes or bars.

Day 7: Akureyri

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch

The morning will begin with a guided food walk through Akureyri, exploring its unique local cuisine and charming town center. From local eateries and food tastings to stories about the town's history and everyday life, you'll get to see a deeper and more local side of this charming town that will leave quite an impression. You'll also have free time to shop at some of the boutiques and craft shops, giving you a chance to pick up genuine Icelandic products directly from the people who produce them. For those interested, there will be an optional whale watching tour, offering a chance to witness the majestic marine life in the nearby waters.

Day 8: Akureyri / Reykjavik

Included meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Today we'll catch a quick morning flight to Reykjavik. Once back in the capital, we'll hit the streets for an engaging food-themed walking tour in the city center, tasting classic Icelandic dishes while our guide shares stories about Reykjavík's past and present. We'll also visit Hallgrímskirkja and ride up the tower for a wide view over the colorful rooftops and the bay. You'll then have some free time for shopping, exploring a museum, or unwinding at a spa before gathering for our farewell dinner, celebrating the unforgettable adventure we've had together!

Day 9: Reykjavik (Departure Day)

Included meals: Breakfast

You will be transferred to the airport by FlyBus according to your departure flight time.

Tour Inclusions

Included

✓ Small group experience with a maximum of 12 women

✓ Professional tour leader throughout the trip

✓ 8 nights of accommodation in comfortable 3-star/4-star hotels

✓ Daily breakfast, 7 lunches and 3 dinners

✓ Transportation within Iceland by private vans and internal flights

✓ Local English-speaking guides throughout the trip

✓ All activities, entrance fees and unique experiences listed in the itinerary

✓ Airport transfers via FlyBus

Not Included

✗ Flights to/from Iceland

✗ Passport/visa fees (US, Canadian and European citizens do not require a visa)

✗ Meals and activities not mentioned

✗ Travel insurance (mandatory)

✗ Gratuities

Pricing

Shared Room:	**$ 8,135**
Single Room:	**$ 9,450**
Deposit:	**$ 750**

Accommodations

We'll stay in comfortable and convenient 3* and 4* accommodations throughout this tour. There are 8 single rooms available on a first come-first served basis. The remainder of the rooms will be shared- two travelers per room in two single beds. All rooms have a private bathroom.

Physical Demand

MODERATE-HIGH

This Moderate-High activity trip includes walking at natural sites and during city exploration, minivan journeys, early starts, and extended time outdoors in cold or changing weather. Guests should be comfortable walking for up to two hours at a time over uneven, wet, rocky, slippery, or icy terrain.

Iceland's weather and terrain can make even moderate walks feel more challenging. Guests should be prepared for wind, rain, cold temperatures, wet ground, gravel paths, and outdoor sightseeing in variable conditions. This trip is best suited for women who are comfortable with a more active, nature-focused itinerary and can manage uneven or slippery terrain.

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