# 8 DAYS 6 NIGHTS NEW ZEALAND SPECIAL

# (North & South Island / Waitomo Glowworm Cave)

#### **DAY 01 KUALA LUMPUR / AUCKLAND**

(MOB)

Assemble at Kuala Lumpur International Airport for your flight to Auckland.

### **DAY 02 AUCKLAND / CHRISTCHURCH - CITY TOUR**

(MOB/D)

On arrival in Auckland, transfer to domestic airport for your flight to Christchurch. Upon arrival proceed for your City Tour. Drive through acres of well-kept parklands, gothic-style buildings and Elizabethan mansions, and discover why this city is also called "the most English city outside England". Passing through the Avon River and Bridge of Remembrance. Also stop at the famous Cathedral Square and the rugged Cashmere Hills where you can catch a view of Christchurch city. If time permits, stop at the Canterbury Museum for the historical side of Christchurch.

## CHRISTCHURCH - LAKE TEKAPO - MT. COOK - MRS JONES FRUIT ORCHARD - QUEENSTOWN **DAY 03** (B/L/D)

Travel through the Canterbury Plains, over Burke Pass, into the McKenzie Country. Stop at the Church Of The Good Shepherd, a small memorial set against a spectacular backdrop of snow capped mountains and turquoise waters of the lovely glacier-fed Lake Tekapo. Next, proceed to Lake Pukaki for a clear view of Mount Cook, also known as "Aorangi" or "The Cloud Piercer". If weather permits, take an optional helicopter flight up to the Tasman Glacier and experience the thrill of landing on a sparkling white snowfield. Moving on to Kawarau Gorge, make a brief stop at the Mrs Jones Fruit Orchard for you to purchase some fruits. In the evening, reach the major resort town of Queenstown, nestled beside the deep blue waters of Lake Wakatipu.

#### **DAY 04 QUEENSTOWN - FREE DAY**

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After the breakfast, enjoy your free day.

#### **DAY 05** QUEENSTOWN - ARROWTOWN - CHRISTCHURCH

(B/L/D)

This morning a sightseeing tour to Arrow town, and old goldmining town renowned for its picturesque setting enhanced by rich coloring in autumn. Continue your journey back to Christchurch.

# **DAY 06** CHRISTCHURCH / ROTORUA - Agrodome - Paradise Valley Springs - Skyline Sykrides (B/Buffet L/Hangi D)

Today, catch a flight to Rotorua, the Geothermal city of New Zealand. Begin the day with a visit to Paradise Valley Springs. Here, you will find numerous natural freshwater springs. Next stop will be the Agrodome, where you will be treated to a world famous stage-show featuring 19 breeds of sheep and the antics of working sheep dogs. At the Skyline Skyrides, take a thrilling ride in the Gondola high above the scenic city of Rotorua. For more excitement, go on an exhilarating ride on the one-kilometer Luge. Tonight, be treated to the ultimate Rotorua Experience - A traditional Hangi Feast cooked in the steam boxes and hot water pool. Spend a delightful evening with entertainment provided by a Maori Concert, giving you an insight into the unique and fascinating Maori culture and folklore. After dinner you may wish to round up your day with a soak in the hot mineral pools of the Polynesian Spa, at your own expense.

## **DAY 07** ROTORUA - TEPUIA THERMAL RESERVE - WAITOMO - AUCKLAND -CITY TOUR (B/L/Farewell D)

This morning, a visit to a natural wonderland of bubbling mud pools, erupting geysers and steaming hot springs at the Tepuia Thermal Reserve. Also, you can catch a glimpse of the Polynesian culture at the displays of Maori carving and flax weaving. Then, travel to Waitomo explores the Waitomo Glow Worm Caves. Board a boat and be taken on an underground adventure alongside thundering streams and above cascading waterfalls. Glide through the silent darkness of the glowworm grotto and be greeted by the sight of glowworms illuminating the darkness. Thereafter, continue your idyllic drive through lush green pastures into Auckland. Your Auckland City Tour takes you through this cosmopolitan city, which is also known as the "City of Sails". See the shopping district of Queen Street, the Victorian buildings at Parnell Village and the parklands of the Domain and Gardens. To fully appreciate the unique setting of Auckland, proceed to the summit of Mt. Eden for a bird's eye view. Make a stop as well to catch the best angles of the Auckland Harbor Bridge, one of the city's most distinctive landmarks. Tonight, enjoy a sumptuous farewell dinner, which includes sliced abalone, lobster, Peking duck and etc. After dinner, take a lift up to the main observation deck of Sky Tower for a panoramic view of Auckland city.

## **AUCKLAND - KUALA LUMPUR DAY 08**

(B/MOB)

After breakfast, free at leisure until transfer to airport for your flight to home.