





Ambergris Caye (Belize)

Guatemala

& extensions to Copan (Honduras) and Ambergris Caye (Belize)

Rainforests and crumbling colonial towns, mystical lakes and Maya pyramids, volcanoes and shamanic ceremonies, manatees and naïf art, Guatemala is a fascinating mix of cultures, landscapes and people. With the strongest indigenous Indian culture in all the Americas, Guatemala offers difference, diversity and abundant natural beauty.

At a glance

- Antigua: classic colonial town, cobblestones streets and red-tiled roofs, nestling beneath volcanoes
- Maya heritage at every turn – a genuine “lost world”
- Majestic Lake Atitlan – sailing, kayaking, hot springs, waterfalls
- Tumultuous markets with local crafts
- Many species of exceptional birds and animals
- Jungles, rainforests, deserts – and 33 volcanoes
- World Heritage site of Copan (Honduras)
- Unique and charming accommodation
- Dry season late October – April, but consistently mild temperature encourages visits all-year round
- Compact country affording travel combinations with Panama, Costa Rica and Mexico, or the superlative beaches of Belize (Ambergris Caye Island)



Casa Palopo overlooking Lake Atitlan

Suggested itineraries

Including private transfers, excursions and internal flights The majority of the hotels are on a bed and breakfast basis. With United airlines it is possible to fly into Guatemala City and return from Belize City (via US). Beach extensions in Ambergris Caye (Belize) also available. Full itinerary, hotels and prices on request. Combines well with Costa Rica (wildlife).

Highlights of Guatemala 14 nights

- Fly into and return from Guatemala city. Includes extension to Copan (Honduras)
- Antigua 3 nights – charming Spanish colonial town surrounded by 3 volcanoes. UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Lake Atitlan 2 nights – serene crater lake providing wonderful views
- Guatemala city 1 night – convenient base for early morning flight to Copan
- Copan (Honduras) 2 nights – One of Central America's major Maya sites
- Rio Dulce 2 nights – boasts a scenic river gorge
- Peten 3 nights – explore the wonderful Maya sites of Tikal, Yaxha and Topoxte
- Guatemala city 1 night - convenient base for early morning flight to US or Europe



Victoria House (Ambergris Caye)

Alternative Guatemala 12 nights

- Fly into Guatemala city and return from Belize city. Includes beach extension to the island of Ambergris Caye (Belize) which is a short flight from Belize city.
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- Peten 3 nights – explore the wonderful Maya sites of Tikal, Yaxha and Topoxte
- Ambergris Caye 4 nights – runs alongside the second largest barrier reef in the world (less than mile away). Excellent diving and snorkelling and a good choice of water based activities.



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