

## BUENOS AIRES & NORTHWEST

- July 31<sup>st</sup> Arrival at Buenos Aires International Airport – United 847 – 9:40AM  
Private transportation Airport – Hotel with guide: Marta  
3 nights at Alvear Palace Hotel <http://www.alvearpalace.com/v3/index.php>  
(indoor swimming pool) – *Check in from 3pm –early check upon availability*  
– Special package with massage & tea  
Room: 1 Premier room
- August 1<sup>st</sup> Free day for leisure
- August 2<sup>nd</sup> Free day for leisure
- August 3<sup>rd</sup> Transfer Alvear Hotel – Domestic Airport –Pick up: 4:30am – Guide: Marta  
Early flight to Tucuman City - AR2472 N 03AUG AEPTUC Time: 06:30 Arrival: 08:25  
Arrival in Tucumán. Brief city tour. San Miguel de Tucumán is the capital city and heart of Tucumán Province. Popularly known as "El Jardín de la República" (The garden of the Republic) because in springtime there are flowers everywhere (in parks, balconies, streets and gardens). Being the land of the sugar cane and setting of the Independence Day, San Miguel de Tucumán City provides places to visit such as Obispo Colombes' House, the Historical House of the Independence Declaration, the outstanding Cathedral and Casa Padilla Museum. Later will get on the National Route across sub-tropical jungle that leads to Tafi del Valle where guests will stay to overnight.  
1 night in Taff del Valle: **Estancias Las Carreras** – full borrad with out drinks  
Room: 1 Standard estancia  
<http://www.estancialascarreras.com/>
- August 4<sup>th</sup> Private excursion to Cafayate. Visit to the Indigenous Ruins of Quilmes (entrances fees included).  
Visit to local wineries in Cafayate.  
Lunch at Bodega El Porvenir de los Andes [www.bodegaselporvenir.com](http://www.bodegaselporvenir.com)  
1 night in Cafayate - **Hotel Patios de Cafayate** [www.patiosdecafayate.com](http://www.patiosdecafayate.com)  
Room: 1 vineyard room
- August 5<sup>th</sup> Continue the excursion northwards by the National Route 40 to the amazing Flechas Gorge, San Carlos & Angastaco towns. It is possible to take a walk through the incredible multicoloured rock formations of the gorge. Then we will visit Molinos town and its picturesque church. Then, upon arrival at Cachi town, we will offer a visit to its church and Archaeological Museum. Is possible to enjoy a visit to Cachi Adentro area and relax in the town.  
1 night in Cachi. **La Merced del Alto hotel**  
Room:1 Cerros view  
<http://www.lamerceddelalto.com/>

- August 6th From Cachi to Salta.  
Continuation back to Salta, in private service with English speaking guide, by Los Cardones National Park, the Encantado Valley and the picturesque Obispo Slope, as well as the Escoipe gorge. Upon arrival in Salta city.  
Brief City Tour, where you will visit the cathedral, the Church of San Francisco, the Historic Museum of the North. Entrances fees to the MAAM Museum included.  
1 night in Salta. **Legado Mitico Hotel**  
Room: 1 Luxury  
[www.legadomitico.com/salta](http://www.legadomitico.com/salta)
- August 7th Private excursion to the Salt Lakes with English speaking guide. This excursion gives you the possibility to combine three different circuits in the Northwest of Argentina in one day. The first one, the "Way to the Clouds" following the famous railway track of the "Train to the Clouds" through the "Quebrada del Toro" (Bull's Ravine) up to San Antonio de los Cobres. The second one goes through the Puna, along National Route Nº 40, up to Salinas Grandes of Jujuy. And the third one, the downhill trip of Lipan takes you to the picturesque village of Purmamarca at the base of the well known Seven Colours Hill. There, you will have time to visit the handicraft market and to walk around the village.  
1 night in Purmamarca. **Hotel Manantial del Silencio**  
Room: 1 standard  
[www.hotelmanantial.com.ar](http://www.hotelmanantial.com.ar)
- August 8th This day continue the tour to Humahuaca, visiting Tilcara, we visit its Archaeological Museum and the "Pucará" (amazing indigenous ruins. Entrances fee included). We then continue the trip, passing Huacalera and Uquía, we finally arrive to Humahuaca, an ancient picturesque village. We walk around the place and we have free time for lunch. In the afternoon, we continue through San Salvador de Jujuy, where we get to see the main attractions of the city. Return to Salta.  
1 night in Salta - **Kkala Hotel**  
Room: 1 Deluxe  
<http://www.hotelkkala.com.ar/>
- August 9th Transfer to the airport.  
Flight Salta– Buenos Aires – AR1455 N 09AUG SLAAEP Time: 13:45 Arrival: 15:40  
Private transfer Buenos Aires Domestic Airport – Nuss hotel with guide : Manuel