

CATTLEYA AMAZON CRUISE



Peruvian Rainforest Cruise - Tour Extension

4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS

A 3-night trip through the mighty Marañon River, leaving Iquitos on Wednesdays and going back on Saturdays.

You can also rent M/V Cruise for your personal usage, to celebrate a special occasion with friends or family! The minimum charter length is 5 nights. Please contact one of our travel agents to receive further information. Please note that the itineraries are subject to change depending on weather or technical problems.

Note: This is a tour extension, combine this cruise with one of our full package tours.

<p>FROM \$ 3530 per person</p>	<p>THIS CRUISE INCLUDES: Accommodation Transfers as seen in the itinerary Full-board service</p>	<p>HIGHLIGHTS Pacaya Samiria National Reserve Canopy Suspended Bridge Visit to a Village Meeting with Shamans Amazon Birthplace: Marañon and Ucayali Rivers' Confluence</p>
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ITINERARY MARAÑON RIVER JOURNEY



Day 1

EMBARKATION ON M/V CATTLEYA - IQUITOS

Wednesday

Arrival at Iquitos' airport during the afternoon and transfer to M/V Cattleya Cruise. You will meet the rest of the passengers with whom you'll share the following four days. The cruise works with small groups with no more than 8 people, so it is easier to get to know each other and strike up friendships. A safety drill will take place, to learn everything about the cruise's safety procedures. Take the chance to explore the cruise and spend some quiet, relaxing time surrounded by nature.



Day 2

PACAYA SAMIRIA NATIONAL RESERVE

Thursday

You will go on a day-long excursion by boat in Pacaya Samiria National Reserve, the second largest in the Amazon and the largest in Peru, and a navigating from Yanayacu Creek to Yarina Cocha.

Hike around the area to get a closer look of its amazing biodiversity. There are fascinating animals such as sloths, many monkeys and bird species, tree frogs, iguanas, pink and gray dolphins, among others. Also, its lush vegetation offers great examples of the different ways plants develop: very tall trees making their way up to get sunlight, plants with important medical properties for people, and plants that host ants and other animals and bugs.

Return to the cruise for dinner.



Day 3

CANOPY SUSPENDED BRIDGE & VISIT TO A VILLAGE

Friday

Hike through the canopy suspended bridge during the morning. From there, 115 feet up in the canopy, you will appreciate a unique view of all the birds, monkeys and other creatures that live up in the treetops, and to hear their different sounds, howls and songs.

Visit to a village to gain a deeper insight into Amazonian people's lifestyles, including a meeting with a shaman, a person that acts as a connector between the earthly and the spiritual world, the very natural essence of the world. You will experience and take part in the shaman's ceremony of spiritual healing. Also, local artisans will be displaying their handicrafts and delightful folk art, available for purchase.



Day 4

AMAZON RIVER BIRTHPLACE - IQUITOS

Saturday

During the morning, M/V Cattlaya will navigate down Marañon River to Iquitos, passing by the meeting with Ucayali River. It is here, where the two rivers get together, that the Amazon River is born.

Lunch, return to Iquitos and transfer to the airport.

