



**ITINERARY**

Date 2009		Day	Destination	Activities	Meals
<b>7 Night Machu Picchu Extension</b>					
May 10	Sunday	0	Lima	Arrive Lima	
May 11	Monday	1	Lima	Welcome Dinner at Casa Aliaga	D
May 12	Tuesday	2	Cuzco	Sacsayhuaman, Tambomachay, Puca Pucara	B
May 13	Wednesday	3	Machu Picchu	Hiram Bingham Train, Ruins of Machu Picchu	B/L/D
May 14	Thursday	4	Cusco	Free time and Hiram Bingham train with dinner	B/D
May 15	Friday	5	Urubamba Valley	Ollantaytambo, Pisac Market	B/L
May 16	Saturday	6	Lima	Farewell cocktail party at J.W. Marriott	B
May 17	Sunday	7	Lima	After breakfast and check out, it's off to the airport	B

## DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

### Day 1: Lima



Upon arrival in Lima, you will be met by ROMANCE VOYAGES representatives and transfer to Lima Marriott Hotel overlooking the Pacific Ocean and chic Miraflores district. To welcome you, we have a special evening planned at Casa Aliaga, the home of Don Jeronimo de Aliaga, a trusted and loyal lieutenant to Francisco Pizarro during the conquest of Peru. In honor of his loyalty, Pizarro awarded Aliaga an original huaca (Indian temple) which he transformed into this magnificent home in 1535, the same year Lima was founded. It is still owned and occupied by the seventeenth generation of the Aliaga family. The interiors are beautifully hand-crafted and original furnishings decorate every room. It is one of the finest and most perfectly preserved Spanish Colonial mansions in the Americas. We will have an exclusive tour of the mansion followed by a cocktail reception and gala dinner.

### Day 2: Cuzco



Transfer from the Lima Marriott to Lima airport. ROMANCE VOYAGES will provide assistance to your flight to Cusco. Check into the famed Hotel Monasterio, operated by the 5-star Orient Express Hotels, upon arrival. The monastery was originally built on the site of the palace of Inca King Amaru Qhala. In 1598, it was founded as the Seminary of San Antonio Abad by the sixth Bishop of Cuzco to train Catholic priests. Today, it is a national historical landmark and has retained its character and charm. It is a splendid example of the colonial renaissance style.

Our day begins with a bit of leisure and time for adjustment to the altitude. Cusco is at a towering 11,300 feet. In the afternoon we will tour the city starting with the Santo Domingo Convent Monastery. This former colonial monastery was also the Koricancha Temple, one of the most important temples devoted to worship of the sun. According to history, it was covered in gold and filled with golden statuary and religious articles. Other stops will include the Plaza de Armas and the Cathedral. After touring the best sights in Cusco we travel by luxury coach to the countryside outside Cusco to visit the most remarkable Inca ruins: the cult centre of Sacsayhuaman, the temple and amphitheatre of Kenko, the Inca Baths of Tambomachay and the Red Fortress of Puca Pucara.

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## Day 3: Machu Picchu



On Wednesday we will transfer to Poroy Station and board the super-deluxe Hiram Bingham train, operated by the famed Orient Express.

You will be treated to a rail experience right out of an Agatha Christy novel for the descent through the Urubama Valley to the town of Aguas Calientes just below the citadel. The train is named after Sir Hiram Bingham who discovered Machu Picchu in 1911. The journey will take approximately three and a half hours, during which you will enjoy a first-class brunch while enjoying the spectacular scenery of the Andes.

From Aguas Calientes we board busses for a quick trip up to Machu Picchu, arriving at the summit around 1:00pm and check into the Sanctuary Lodge for one night. The Sanctuary Lodge is the only hotel located at the gates to Machu Picchu. ROMANCE VOYAGES has booked the entire lodge for our guest's exclusive use. An extensive, guided tour and plenty of free time ensures you get the best possible experience at Machu Picchu. Enjoy afternoon tea and dinner at the lodge before retiring for the evening. But, please, don't go to bed too early, the view of the ancient citadel by moonlight is an amazing experience.

## Day 4: Cuzco



Wake up early for the amazing sunrise over the citadel then enjoy the balance of the morning at your leisure. We will board the Hiram Bingham and begin return to Cusco late in the afternoon.

Enjoy red carpet service onboard. Cocktails will be served while locals entertain. After cocktails, we retire to the elegant dining car for a 4-course gourmet dinner. The train ride alone will be an unforgettable experience.

We returning to Poroy station in Cusco and transfer back to the Hotel Monasterio.

## Day 5: Urubamba Valley



On Friday, we travel by luxury coach to the Urubamba valley, the Sacred Valley of the Incas, to visit the Inca temple fortress of Ollantaytambo. Scientists believe that construction began here well before the Incas. Mysteriously, building ceased and the site was abandoned just prior to the arrival of the Spanish. The granite was brought 2.5 miles from the quarry. The ancient Quechua stonemasons were so meticulous; you will find it impossible to insert a credit card in any of the amazing joins. After marveling at this magnificent fortress we will stroll the quaint streets of the present town. Traveling from town to Pisac, we will have a chance to bargain with the vendors at the famous handicraft market.

We will lunch at Casa Hacienda Orihuela, where the Orihuelas, a family of great art collectors, will be your hosts. The house has a vast collection of popular and colonial art, ceramics, paintings, weapons, photography, ceremonial vessels and the ceramic bulls of Pucara.

In the afternoon, we return to Cusco spending the night at the Hotel Monasterio.

## Day 6: Lima



Today we fly back to Lima and the Lima Marriott.

Our tour will include more of the colonial landmarks and monuments that earned the historic center of Lima inclusion in UNESCO's 'World Heritage' list. Starting with the Convento de los Descalzos, built in 1592, we pass through the historic district of Rimac, where we see the Paseo de Aguas and Alameda de los Descalzos, two of the finest examples of Spanish Colonial construction in Peru. Finally, we visit the San Francisco Monastery, an architectural masterpiece, and the renowned Gold Museum and its priceless collection of pre-Columbian gold artifacts. Afterwards, we travel back to the Lima Marriott for a relaxed, quiet evening on your own.



## AMENITIES

- Transfers from airport to hotel in Lima and Cuzco
- Welcome Dinner at Casa Aliaga with mansion tour including cocktails.
- 5-star Hotels as indicated J.W. Marriott Lima, Monasterio Cuzco, Sanctuary Lodge Machu Picchu.
- Hiram Bingham Train to Machu Picchu.
- Full Day Excursion to Sacred Valley of Urubamaba and Pisac Market.
- Porterage at airport and hotels.
- All VAT taxes.
- Meals as indicated. (B,D,L)
- Tours with english speaking guides.
- Events as indicated in the itinerary.
- Attentive personal service, including an experienced Tour Manager.



## PRICING

7-nt. Deluxe Land Tour	
Double Occupancy Rate (pp)	Single Occupancy Rate (pp)
\$4,599	\$6,899
Taxes are additional and approximately \$100.00 per person. Internal Peru air is included. Air taxes are an additional \$60.00 per person.	

### Included:

Transfers mentioned on the program, guided tour, accommodation including breakfast daily and meals mentioned above, Cuzco tourist tax, tour to Machu Picchu includes: train fee, guided tour to the citadel, train journey to Machu Picchu, brunch, afternoon tea, cocktail dinner; water, coffee and tea, tour with entrance to Machu Picchu, round trip bus to the ruins, portage at airport and hotel during transfers, VAT.

### Not included:

International and domestic airfare, International (USD\$ 28.24) and domestic (USD\$ 5.04) departure taxes. Personal expenses such as laundry, beverages, phone call, internet access.

### Meals:

Included meals are indicated on the itinerary schedule.

**B:** Breakfast **L:** Lunch **D:** Dinner

### Security notice:

Due to heightened security throughout the world, we cannot accommodate non-registered guest at any time. The safety and well being of our guest cannot be compromised. ROMANCE VOYAGES appreciates your understanding and compliance.

THE FINE PRINT: Minimum participation requirements apply. Prices are in US\$, per person, and based on double occupancy except where noted as a single rate. Additional airport taxes and departure fees are not included. Space sells quickly, and all deals are subject to availability. Prices cannot be guaranteed until a deposit has been accepted by ROMANCE VOYAGES. A \$100 per person administrative fee applies to all bookings cancelled 14 days after invoicing. Other restrictions may apply. Not responsible for errors or omissions. Full terms and conditions are available from ROMANCE VOYAGES. Registered Seller of Travel: Florida (Fla. Seller of Travel Ref. No. ST35169) and California (2064510-40). Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico residents: please call 866-369-4567.





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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

included in quoted Escorted Programs: Prices include all accommodations as noted in the itinerary; meals as specified; arrival and departure transfers; fully guided sightseeing as noted in the itinerary (including park and entrance fees); bottled water supplied during sightseeing; selected beverages with group meals; services of an ROMance VOYAGES Tour Director\* (please see condition noted below); baggage handling of two pieces per person for international flights, other conditions/restrictions may apply for internal routes, please see under Baggage section; hotel taxes; gratuities throughout except to your Guides\*\* (please see separate section on Gratuities for more details).

Please note:

\*\*Gratuities on Escorted Programs are included for hotel/restaurant staff, portage. Gratuities are not included for the local guides or drivers, which are at the travellers' discretion.

Not included in quoted Escorted Program prices: Passenger Travel Protection Program; international and internal airfares unless otherwise noted; cost of obtaining

passports or entry visas; airport departure taxes unless otherwise noted; excess baggage charges; gratuities to the local guides/drivers on Escorted Programs, meals other than specified in the itinerary; beverages other than noted in "Pre-Tour Documentation", sightseeing not included in the itinerary; personal expenses such as laundry, communication charges and optional activities (which are subject to availability).

**Guaranteed Departures:** Departures are guaranteed, subject to a minimum number of passengers to operate (excepting only cases of force majeure, which could include any major world event that adversely affects international travel patterns and other circumstances beyond ROManCEVOYAGES control). Should the minimum number of passengers not be met, ROManCEVOYAGES will offer one of the following options: modify the services of the original tour to accommodate a smaller group or offer an alternative tour. Should no alternative be suitable, ROManCEVOYAGES will offer a full refund of all monies paid.

**Itineraries Accommodations (hotel) and arranged sightseeing** are subject to change at any time due to unforeseen circumstances or circumstances beyond ROManCEVOYAGES control. Every effort will be made to operate tours as planned, but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued. Special Requests such as smoking/non-smoking, adjacent or connecting rooms and special dietary needs should be advised at time of booking. Please note that every effort will be made to secure your special request; however, these requests cannot be guaranteed. ROManCEVOYAGES also reserves the right to withdraw a tour or any part of it to make such alterations in the itinerary or with the tour inclusions as it deems necessary or desirable and to pass on to tour members any expenditures or losses caused by delays or events beyond its control.

**Prices and Arrangements:** Quoted program prices include planning, handling and operational charges, and are based on current rates of exchange, tariffs and taxes as of June 2005. ROManCEVOYAGES reserves the right to increase tour prices to cover increased costs, tariffs and taxes received after prices are published, and to reflect fluctuations in foreign exchange markets. ROManCEVOYAGES is under no obligation to give breakdown costs involved in any Escorted tour. Modification of tour content to accommodate a smaller group size will not affect published tour price.

**Immediate Check-in:** When immediate check-in has not been included in the tour program price, ROManCEVOYAGES does request that hotels do their utmost to facilitate this service; however, it is not guaranteed. Most hotels allow check-in to take place during the mid-afternoon. Should you wish to have your room ready for immediate check-in upon arrival ROManCEVOYAGES can arrange this for an additional charge. Please ask for details and prices.

**Arrive Early:** ROManCEVOYAGES recommends that you arrival a day or two before the start of your tour to allow time to relax and refresh after your journey and to prepare for the start of your program. ROManCEVOYAGES has negotiated special overnight rates at the hotels contained within this tour. Ask for details.

**Active Elements:** Active elements have been incorporated into the itinerary. To enjoy the program as intended, a minimum level of fitness is required. Required level would be equivalent to what is obtained by routine daily exercise such as golf, jogging, energetic walking, tennis, etc. Activities during the program could include (but are not limited to) hiking, off road walking, walking on uneven steep cobbled streets, activities taking place in high altitude, off-road mountainous driving and navigating uneven terrain. ROManCEVOYAGES, therefore, will require notice if any participant has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to himself or to other members of the tour. If the minimum level of fitness is not met for this tour, ROManCEVOYAGES reserves the right to decline to accept anyone on the trip. ROManCEVOYAGES also reserves the right to remove from the trip, at the participant's own expense, anyone whose condition is such that it could create a hazard to himself or others, or otherwise impact the enjoyment of other passengers on the trip. Should you have any questions or need any clarification about a specific tour please ask for details at time of booking.

**Baggage:** Tour prices include the handling of two pieces of baggage per person. Weight restrictions on some routes on internal air flights may apply; details will be provided with preliminary tour documentation. Baggage and personal effects are at owner's risk throughout the travel program. Please check with your international carrier for other baggage restrictions applicable to your international flights.

ROManCEVOYAGES Passenger Travel Protection Program, which provides cancellation coverage, medical coverage and protection against lost or damaged luggage, is not included in the tour price and it is strongly recommended.

**Passports and Visas:** Valid U.S. passports are required for travel to the destinations in this tour. Check with your travel agent or ROManCEVOYAGES for the latest visa requirements. Please note that non-U.S. passport holders are responsible for obtaining the required documentation applicable for entry.

**Registration and Payment Schedule:** For this tour, a deposit of \$750.00 per person is required at the time of booking. Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. If your reservation is made within 90 days of departure, the entire cost of the trip must be paid at the time of confirmation.

**Cancellation Charges:** Cancellations received by ROManCEVOYAGES 90 days or more prior to departure will be subject to a \$100 per person/per tour cancellation fee; 89-60 days will be subject to 20% of the program price; 59-30 days will be 50% of program price; 29 days or less will be subject to 100% of program price.

**Cancellation Charges for Extra Services:** Additional hotel nights and other extra services booked in connection with ROManCEVOYAGES programs are subject to: cancellations received 31 or more days prior to the service will be refunded in full; 30-15 days in advance will be charged 50% of the price; 14 or less days in advance will be charged 100% of the price.

**Air Transportation:** We will arrange the best-priced airfare available at the time of booking, in the class/category of your choice. Taxes are not included. All international and internal air quotes are subject to change and can carry penalties and surcharges, until final payment has been received by ROManCEVOYAGES. Flight confirmation is based on availability. Fares are also available from other major U.S. cities. PLEASE NOTE THAT CERTAIN AIRFARES ARE SUBJECT TO A SERVICE FEE.

Airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their planes or conveyances. These programs may use the services of any IATA carrier. International air carriers are subject to international air

conventions limiting their liability. The limitations of liability are contained on the reverse side of the airline ticket and form part of the terms and conditions of this package. The passage contract in use by these companies, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the companies and the purchaser of these travel programs and/or passage.

**Claims and Refunds:** Refunds are not made for any missed services, except for verifiable extenuating circumstances. Please see our Limits on Responsibility on this page. For verifiable claims to be considered, they must be received in writing within 30 days of the termination of the program and be accompanied by supporting documentation and/or a statement from the Operating Company verifying the claim. Any adjustment considered will be based on the actual price of the services involved and not on a per diem basis. Adjustments will not be made for unused sightseeing trips or meals. ROManCEVOYAGES will not accept any liability for any claims that are not received within 30 days of the termination of your travel program. All claims for days missed while travelling should be made in writing within 30 days of the termination of the program.

**Limits on ROManCEVOYAGES Responsibility:** ROManCEVOYAGES, its employees, shareholders, officers, directors, successors, agents and assigns, does not own or operate any entity that is to or does provide goods or services for your trip. It purchases transportation (by aircraft, coach, train, vessel or otherwise), hotel and other lodging accommodations, restaurant, ground handling and other services from various independent suppliers. All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, ROManCEVOYAGES is not liable for any negligent or willful act of any such person or entity or of any third person.

In addition and without limitation ROManCEVOYAGES is not responsible for any injury, loss, death, inconvenience, delay or damage to personal property in connection with the provision of any goods or services whether resulting from but not limited to acts of God or force majeure, illness, disease, acts of war, civil unrest, insurrection or revolt, animals, strikes or other labor activities, criminal or terrorist activities of any kind, overbooking or downgrading of services, food poisoning, mechanical or other failure of aircraft or other means of transportation or for failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart on time.

There are certain inherent risks in adventure travel of the type involved here. These include, but are not limited to, risks of whitewater rafting, kayaking and rafting (for example, dangers of rapidly moving water; rocks and other submerged objects, hypothermia, etc.), horseback riding (for example, unpredictable behavior by the horses, being spooked, etc.), hiking, walking safaris, downhill or cross country skiing (for example, equipment failures, ice or other trail obstructions), and in all trips dangers of animals, inaccessibility to medical attention and difficulty in evacuation from remote locations in the case of a medical emergency. Passenger assumes all such risks with regard to these possibilities.

**Travel Advisories and Warnings:** It is the responsibility of The Traveler to become informed about the most current travel advisories and warnings by referring to the U. S. State Department's travel Web site at [www.travel.state.gov/](http://www.travel.state.gov/) or by phone at 1-888-407-4747. In the event of an active State Department Travel Warning against travel to the specific destination location(s) of the trip, should The Traveler still choose to travel, notwithstanding any travel advisory or warning, The Traveler assumes all risk of personal injury, death or property damage that may arise out of the events like those advised or warned against.

**Arbitration Agreement:** Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating in any way to these Terms and Conditions, to the Responsibility Clause, to the brochure, or any information relating in any way to the trip, or to the trip itself, shall be settled solely and exclusively by binding arbitration in Southern Florida, in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association then existent. **Travelers Representations:** The Traveler represents that neither he nor she nor anyone traveling with him or her has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to himself or other members of the tour. ROManCEVOYAGES reserves the right to decline to accept anyone on a trip. ROManCEVOYAGES reserves the right to remove from the trip, at his or her sole expense, anyone whose condition is such that he or she could create a hazard to himself or others, or otherwise impact the enjoyment of other passengers on the trip.

**PAYMENT OF THE PROGRAM PRICE CONSTITUTES YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET OUT HEREIN AND IN MORE SPECIFIC PRE-DEPARTURE PASSENGER DOCUMENTATION, INCLUDING THE RESERVATION CONFIRMATION FORM.**  
ROManCEVOYAGES accepts all major credit cards.

Please note: We appreciate your understanding that this itinerary is subject to change and omission due to local circumstances (such as tides, weather and other local conditions, local holidays, museum/site closings, etc.); we may not be able to adhere to this plan in exact order or content.

**Warning:** It is forbidden to bring aboard or transport any "illegal substances." Failure to comply will result in immediate and permanent disembarkation from the ship by ship authority. Further local and international law enforcement penalties, including incarceration may occur. ROManCEVOYAGES will not be held responsible for failure to comply with this rule.



