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THE CLIMB TO THE ROOF OF AFRICA

06 NIGHTS / 07 DAYS MOUNT KILIMANJARO CLIMB – MARANGU ROUTE

DAY 1: Arrival

Arrival at Kilimanjaro Airport. You will be met by our representative and transfer to your hotel in Moshi.

Overnight at **BRISTOL COTTAGES. (BB)**

DAY 2: Moshi – Marangu – Mandara Hut

After breakfast, pick up from your hotel and transfer to Marangu Gate (1800 meters) ready for the trek.

Your walk takes you through a thick rain forest to Mandara Hut (2,727meters). This is a 4.0 Hours walk.

Mandara Hut is situated on the forest belt border just below the Maundi Crater.



Dinner and overnight will be at **MANDARA HUT. (FB)**

DAY 3: Mandara Hut – Horombo Hut

After breakfast, proceed walking slowly following a path through the forest and then through the heather and moor land zone from where you can view Kilimanjaro's two peaks and Moshi town. Arrive at Horombo Hut (3,720 meters).

Dinner and overnight at **HOROMBO HUT. (FB)**

DAY 4: Acclimatization

Acclimatization day. Walk up to Zebra Rock or Mawenzi then return to Horombo Hut.

Dinner and overnight at **HOROMBO HUT. (FB)**



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DAY 5: Horombo Hut – Kibo Hut

This is a hard day climb to Kibo Hut (4703 meters). It will take approx. 6.0 - 7.0 hours crossing the barren sub-Alpine terrain of the saddle between Mawenzi and Kibo peaks. Relax on arrival at Kibo to prepare for the next stage, which begins shortly after midnight.

Dinner and overnight will be at **KIBO HUT. (FB)**

DAY 6: Kibo Hut – Summit – Horombo Hut

Making a very early start at around 0100 Hours, follow the zigzag path up the scree slope, stopping frequently to catch breath in the starlit air. This is the steepest and most demanding section for the climb, taking five hours to Gillman's Point (5685m).

Gillman's Point offers great views of the eastern ice fields. You will see the sunrise behind Mawenzi Peak illuminating the plains.

Thereafter, walk a further 45 minutes around the crater and up to the highest point - Uhuru Peak (5,895 meters) - 'the roof of Africa' where you will be rewarded with stunning views of the spectacular glaciers illuminated by the sunrise.

It is a 7 hour descent to Horombo Hut (3720m) with a rest at Kibo Hut on route.

Dinner and overnight at **HOROMBO HUT. (FB)**

DAY 7: Horombo Hut – Marangu Gate

This is a much easier day as you have the luxury of walking downhill on the way to the waiting vehicle at Marangu gate for transfer to your hotel in Arusha or Kilimanjaro International Airport. Arrival time at the gate will be approx. 1300 – 1400 Hours.

An overnight in Moshi is possible on this day and we will be happy to organize the same.

END OF SERVICES





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COST (based on 4 - 6 persons booked for the climb): From **US\$. 1,450.00 per person.**

The above package Includes:

- ❖ One way transfer from Kilimanjaro Airport to Moshi
- ❖ One way transfer from Marangu gate to Arusha / Kilimanjaro Airport
- ❖ 1 night bed & breakfast accommodation at Bristol Cottages in a standard cottage
- ❖ All Kilimanjaro National Park, Camp and Rescue fees
- ❖ Return National Park Gate transfers to / from Moshi
- ❖ Full board accommodation during climb
- ❖ Services of professional guides, cooks and porters throughout the climb
- ❖ Contribution of planting 1 tree per person in the Kilimanjaro region to combat deforestation on the mountain
- ❖ All Tanzanian taxes

Not included in the package:

- ❖ Drinks
- ❖ Meals while in Moshi
- ❖ Items of a personal nature
- ❖ Personal clothing, sleeping bags and personal equipment on mountain (although arrangements can be made to hire required clothing if required)
- ❖ Mountain crew tips and other gratuities
- ❖ Return air fare to Kilimanjaro
- ❖ Visas (which can be bought upon arrival at the airport or border)
- ❖ Medical & personal insurance
- ❖ Accommodation in Moshi on day 7