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DESTINATION AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

ABOARD A PRIVATELY CHARTERED QANTAS 737

9 DAYS • 10 – 18 MAY 2023



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WELCOME TO CONSTELLATION JOURNEYS



After the resounding success of 'Destination Australia' in April 2021, we're embracing the opportunity to once again spread our wings and head overseas.

Join us aboard a privately chartered Qantas 737 for a journey to some special locations in Australia and New Zealand. From the spectacular scenery of Queenstown, Lake Wakatipu and Milford Sound, to the historic and culturally unique Norfolk Island, to the idyllic beaches and azure seas of Hayman Island, we'll showcase the best our region has to offer – and support dozens of local businesses at the same time.

By flying aboard a Qantas 737 your comfort is second to none. Experience a private air tour like no other, with ample space to stretch out and relax whilst taking in the aerial views. There will be an aisle or empty seat between you and the next guest (in Superior Class) plus an enhanced food and drink service will be provided, regardless of which class you travel in.

As you would expect your journey is genuinely all inclusive with all travel, transport, sightseeing, meals, accommodation and drinks with lunch and dinner included. We're also proud to be a member of AFTA and carry their ATAS certification, as well as being a member of the Council of Australian Tour Operators.

Your journey is complemented with the inclusion of a selection of 'A La Carte' sightseeing options to personalise your trip, as well as gala events that individual travellers cannot access. Even if you've been to these destinations previously, I have no doubt that you'll experience them in a new way.

Spread your wings, join me and escape to the best Australia and New Zealand have to offer.



Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dan Kotzmann".

Dan Kotzmann

Founder and Journey Director



EXPERIENCE AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND WITH A FRESH PERSPECTIVE

No matter how much you have travelled, there's always something new to experience – even in places you've visited before.

- ✦ A private Qantas jet means the itinerary is ours to set. Flight times are scheduled to suit our travel plans and the Captain will make the most of every opportunity to give you a bird's eye view over iconic locations such as Sydney Harbour, New Zealand's Southern Alps and the Great Barrier Reef.
- ✦ Set amongst impressive snow capped mountains and on the shores of pristine Lake Wakatipu, Queenstown punches above its weight for scenery, breadth of activities and a sophisticated food and wine scene. A visit to Milford Sound will be a highlight of our stay.

- ✦ Weaving together the DNA of Bounty Mutineers and their Polynesian families, Norfolk Island offers a culture and history unlike anywhere else.
- ✦ Australia's preeminent luxury island resort, Hayman has recently undergone a multi-million dollar rebuild. Relax by the expansive lagoon pools or join one of our included options – perhaps visiting the iconic Whitehaven Beach.
- ✦ Your onboard experience is vastly different to a 'normal' flight. Getting to know fellow guests and your crew as the journey progresses creates a unique atmosphere of on board camaraderie, and high standard in flight dining, together with premium beverages, including French Champagne, complements the experience.



ALL INCLUSIVE

Your time is precious. Don't waste a moment of your holiday by taking a wrong turn or choosing the wrong hotel. At Constellation Journeys we take care of the big and the small, leaving you to enjoy every moment of your trip. As travel industry veterans, our attention to detail is second to none. What's more you can leave your wallet at home because we pride ourselves in taking care of absolutely everything once you join us. From drinks with dinner to in depth explorations of each destination including personal selections from our 'A La Carte' sightseeing range. Accommodation has been selected with a penchant for excellence and an understanding that location is everything. We weave the details together to ensure your holiday is stress free.

GALA EVENTS

With Constellation Journeys the fun doesn't end when the sun slips below the horizon. On several evenings throughout your trip we have arranged some very special gala dinners, experiences that would be impossible for independent travellers to undertake. We know from experience that these evenings often become a highlight of the journey.

- ✦ Our Gala Welcome Dinner takes place at Winehouse, located at the gateway to the Gibbston Valley on the outskirts of Queenstown. Its stunning mountain vistas set the scene for our stay in New Zealand.
- ✦ Tahitian style dancing kicks off a night of local festivities and seafood delicacies with a 'Fish Feast' at a spectacular ocean view location on Norfolk Island.
- ✦ Our Farewell Dinner – The Hayman Island Seafood Grill – on the beach at Hayman is a once in a lifetime event you'll never forget.

HAND PICKED JOURNEY LEADERS

Who you travel with can make an enormous difference to your holiday. That's why we use the best and most experienced Journey Leaders. These very special individuals live and breathe discovery, companionship and hospitality as second nature – they also know when it's time to let one's hair down and have a bit of fun!

FEEL LIKE A LOCAL

You can visit a place and stop at all the attractions but there's nothing like seeing through the eyes of a local to get to the heart of a destination. We use guides that bring their region to life, providing you with an authentic and unique perspective.

A LA CARTE OPTIONS

We appreciate that not everyone wants the same thing from their holiday. Some are looking for the great outdoors, while others prefer scenery or adventure. Celebrating the delights of difference we are proud to present our 'A La Carte' options, inviting you to build a tailored experience on top of our core



touring experiences, with a range of enhancements to suit every taste. Look out for the 'A La Carte' options for a taste of what's on offer, with more to be revealed as your journey nears. All 'A La Carte' options are included (unless otherwise stated).

INTIMATE GROUP TOURING

There's no need to crowd around the guide to hear what is being said. We provide each guest with a personal headset to hear the commentary without interruption or distraction. Plus our generous ratio of staff to guests ensures you receive the personal attention you deserve, if you need something special just ask. The transportation we use for sightseeing is never overcrowded, meaning you can sit back, relax and explore in comfort.

THE CONSTELLATION CONCIERGE SERVICE

Who wants to be weighed down by luggage on their holiday? Our Journey Leaders take care of your luggage, from airports to your hotel room. And if shopping is part of your plan – you can rest assured we've made plans for your purchases. When you have your own plane excess luggage doesn't have to be a concern. We invite you to shop to your heart's content without worrying about how you're going to get everything back to Sydney.

DOCTOR ON CALL

No one expects to fall ill when on holiday but minor incidents may happen and it's reassuring to know there's a doctor travelling with us for the duration of the journey. Your health and wellbeing are our priority.

SOLO TRAVELLERS

With Constellation Journeys there's always someone to share in the joy of travel. Whether it's over lunch or a drink before dinner, you never need feel alone – unless of course it's a moment of quiet reflection you are looking for.

Our Journey Leaders are there to make you feel welcome and show you the way. You'll be invited to an exclusive solo travellers event whilst in Queenstown, the perfect place to get to know others travelling by themselves. We have had many friendships forged over the course of our tours, friendships that live beyond the duration of your holiday.

We offer solo travellers the opportunity to share a room with another traveller at no additional cost, a Constellation Journeys' guarantee. Or if you'd prefer the privacy of your own room, a quiet place to retreat at the end of the day, we offer the lowest possible single room supplement.

Join our journey around Australia and New Zealand and see why so many solo travellers return to travel with us each year.





YOUR HOTELS

If you're anything like us, one of the things you look forward to most when travelling is the hotel. There's nothing like that feeling of stepping through the door of your room for the first time and checking out the view or climbing between the crisp sheets of the bed after a day of adventure. The hotels we have in the Constellation Collection are selected for location, style and comfort. Want to boast to the folks at home? You'll be happy to know WiFi is included in all our hotels.



HOTEL ST MORITZ QUEENSTOWN

Unmistakably alpine décor, large, recently refurbished rooms and a premier location in the heart of Queenstown. Superior Class guests stay in spacious St Moritz Guest Rooms whilst Business Class guests enjoy One Bedroom Alpine Suites.



VARIOUS HOTELS – NORFOLK ISLAND

Guests will stay at one of three comfortable island resorts. The South Pacific Resort Hotel, Governors Lodge Resort Hotel and Paradise Resort & Hotel feature comfortable, spacious rooms, all with private en-suite facilities. Business Class guests will stay in an Everleen or Penthouse Suite at the South Pacific Resort.



INTERCONTINENTAL HAYMAN ISLAND RESORT

The quintessential luxury Australian island resort – fresh from a \$135m rebuild. Superior Class guests enjoy spacious 54sqm Lagoon rooms with Business Class guests taking advantage of 90sqm Lagoon King Suites.



HAYMAN ISLAND

Hayman Island has come a long way since its first hotel in 1950. Now a world-class resort set in the middle of the stunning Whitsundays, this is the perfect place to recalibrate, on your terms.



NORFOLK ISLAND

Paradise found. Norfolk Island is a stunning outpost in the South Pacific. Pristine waters, remarkable fauna, stunning landscapes and a unique culture. Norfolk Island is unlike any place on earth.



QUEENSTOWN

Snow-capped mountains, pristine lakes, deep canyons and bucket-loads of adventure, Queenstown in autumn is one of the world's most beautiful locations.



YOUR JOURNEY WITH QANTAS



Ascending above the clouds, sipping on a glass of fine wine, with ample space between yourself and the nearest person, you realise this flight is unlike most others. Private jet journeys offer a bespoke travel program, where the schedule is curated to suit and every last detail is considered.

YOUR AIRCRAFT

A Qantas 737 is the perfect aircraft to fly you to the far flung regions of Australia and New Zealand. The aircraft's range means there's no need to bunny hop between destinations, our Boeing 737-800 flies directly from one place to the next. Even better, it flies to a schedule we choose.

Your on board comfort is superior to that offered aboard other private air tours within Australia and New Zealand. Whether you choose Business Class or Superior Class, there's plenty of space. In Superior Class (Economy Class cabin) you have a vacant seat or aisle between yourself and the next guest – plus a seat rotation system ensuring everyone can enjoy different locations onboard.

Sit back and relax with Qantas' award winning in-flight entertainment. The latest release movies, news and box sets are all available.

An enhanced meal and bar service is provided to all guests – premium Australian and New Zealand wines, French Champagne and a selection of local beers accompany chef curated meals.



YOUR QANTAS CREW

The Qantas flight and cabin crew have been selected for their skill, expertise and attention to detail – you'll be flying with the airline's best.

The crew become part of your journey, welcoming you back on board after your visit to each destination. On board dining will be overseen by a catering expert, who liaises with local suppliers in each location to bring you local flavours and fresh produce.





THE BUSINESS CLASS EXPERIENCE

Located at the front of our privately chartered Qantas 737 are a small number of Business Class seats. Business Class guests enjoy all the inclusions of Superior Class with the addition of:

- ✦ Qantas Domestic Business Class seats at the front of the aircraft.
- ✦ Private Car Transfers to and from your home (conditions apply).
- ✦ Qantas Lounge Access in Sydney, Queenstown and Brisbane.
- ✦ Upgraded hotel accommodation:
 - One Bedroom Alpine Suites at St Moritz Queenstown.
 - An Eveleen Suite or Penthouse Suite at the South Pacific Resort Hotel on Norfolk Island.
 - Lagoon King Suites on Hayman Island.
- ✦ The highest standard of on board dining.
- ✦ An invitation to an exclusive Business Class dinner in Queenstown.



FLY
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Qantas is addressing concerns about Covid-19 by introducing and enhancing a number of measures to give guests peace of mind when flying. From contactless check in, new departure gate procedures, in flight practices and more you can rest assured your health is a priority. Visit [qantas.com](https://www.qantas.com) for further details.

EVERY JOURNEY IS A DOORWAY TO FURTHER TRAVEL

Earn Qantas Points on this journey* and start accumulating points for your next adventure.

**For terms and conditions refer to page 14.*

QANTAS POINTS

SUPERIOR CLASS	20,000
BUSINESS CLASS	30,000





YOUR ITINERARY

Wednesday 10 May – Queenstown

With few international flights in recent times, making your way to Sydney's International Airport to join your Private Qantas Jet will have you feeling like a VIP. And a glass of Champagne before departure confirms that you are embarking on a journey beyond the ordinary.

Your home in Queenstown for the next three nights is the Hotel St Moritz. Join fellow travellers and the Constellation Journeys team for dinner at Winehouse, a historic homestead nestled among the vines of the Gibbston Valley region.

Thursday 11 May – Queenstown

Awake to a crisp morning and the stunning scenery of snow capped mountains. Today you venture to Milford Sound, one of New Zealand's most beautiful settings. Luxuriant rainforest clings to sheer rock faces and the iconic Mitre Peak rises upward of a kilometre, straight out of the sea.

Travelling aboard a glass roofed coach you won't miss any of the incredible views – up, out or across. A nature cruise on the fiord gives you an up-close perspective of this extraordinary location. Your day is made complete with a scenic flight back to Queenstown aboard a fixed wing aircraft, a truly memorable experience.

✦ After an exhilarating day you may be feeling invigorated and ready to head out into the evening or you may prefer to dine at your hotel – perhaps even treating yourself to room service. Whatever your preference Constellation Journeys will take care of the bill.





Images: Clockwise from top left – Glass roofed coach, towards Milford Sound; Colonial buildings, Norfolk Island; Cemetery Bay, Norfolk Island; Shotover River Canyons.

Friday 12 May – Queenstown

A guided morning stroll around Queenstown shows just why this little town is the jewel in New Zealand’s south island. Drive further afield and visit the quirky gold rush town of Arrowtown and stop for a taste of the local honey.

Enjoy the cuisine of Queenstown over lunch before this afternoon’s choice of A La Carte Sightseeing Options:

- + The accelerator hits the floor and the adrenaline hits the roof as you speed on a jetboat through the spectacular Shotover River Canyons.
- + 4-wheel drive into the back country. Authentic off-road adventures packed with local history, iconic movie locations and stunning scenery.
- + Take it easy riding the Skyline Gondola, 450m above Queenstown and Lake Wakatipu.
- + What’s better than an eagle eye view over the snow-capped mountains? A helicopter flight that lands you on one. Touch the snow and feel the crisp air against your cheek before lifting back above the mountains and returning to Queenstown.

Sometimes travel is as much about the food as it is the sights. Tonight is one such evening. Dine on locally sourced produce at The Grille by Eichardts.

Saturday 13 May – Norfolk Island

After a leisurely morning it’s time to exchange one paradise for the next. Back aboard your Private Qantas Jet there’s time for lunch and a glass of wine before arriving in the South Pacific outpost of Norfolk island. Known for its remarkable pine trees, Norfolk island is so much more – impossibly clear waters sheltered by coral reefs and a unique culture, meshing Bounty Mutineers from the 18th century with Polynesian traditions.

Our accommodation on Norfolk Island is at the South Pacific Resort Hotel and the Governors Lodge Resort Hotel.

Sunday 14 May – Norfolk Island

This morning we discover Norfolk Island the best way possible, with a local leading the way – unearthing the island’s unusual history and stunning natural beauty.

Surrounded entirely by water you might expect to dine on fresh seafood during your time here. What comes as more of a surprise is the special location and entertainment for our fish feast this evening. Travelling with Constellation Journeys you will enjoy experiences you could never organise when travelling alone.

Monday 15 May – Norfolk Island

Choose from a selection of A La Carte options including the following:

- + Learn the untold story of the Pitcairn Island Settlers , their 6,000km journey to Norfolk and their settlement in the former penal colony.
- + Take an adventurous 4WD Island tour to see a different side of Norfolk Island.
- + Sample some local produce including beef, cheese and honey and see a cooking demonstration using the traditional ‘yorlor’ stone on our ‘Taste of Norfolk’ tour.

A special dinner is organised for this evening.

Norfolk Island is a remote and fascinating place. You wont see any high rise 5 star hotels but will be comfortable in our resort hotels and welcomed by warm service from the locals.



Tuesday 16 May – Hayman Island

This morning you are welcomed back aboard by the handpicked Qantas crew, continuing north to the tropics and Hayman Island (with a short stopover in Brisbane to clear quarantine and customs).

From private plane to private yacht you'll be whisked across to Hayman Island, enjoying drinks and canapes as sail your way to paradise.

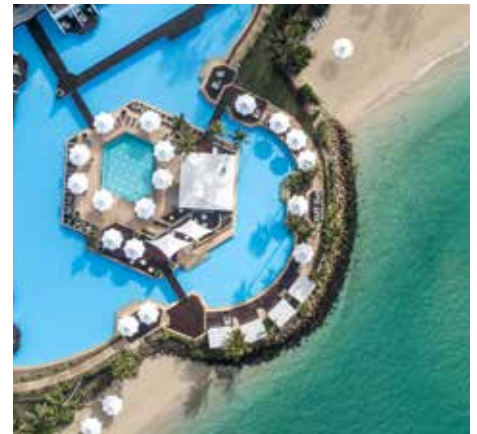
Opening the door to your spacious room, with views of the island's lagoon from your private balcony, you'll feel immediately relaxed as the soothing balm of the tropics surrounds you.

+ Where you dine this evening lies in your hands. Will it be at the modern Australian restaurant, the Mediterranean influenced AMICI or will you sample the flavours of the zesty Asian? Dine when and with whoever you wish, of course, the Constellation team are always available to share in a laugh over dinner if you prefer.

Wednesday 17 May – Hayman Island

You're in Far North Queensland, it's possible that all you feel like doing is grabbing your book and heading to the pool. But there's so much more on offer, today it's up to you to choose from one of our included 'A La Carte' options:

- + Whitehaven Beach is one of the most beautiful beaches in the world. Cruise from Hayman Island to arrive on Whitehaven Beach's seven kilometres of sand. Be dazzled by the incredible beauty or try a paddleboard and take to the water. Snorkelling is also available.
- + Feeling fit? Hike through beautiful bushland, stopping to admire the breathtaking views of the Coral Sea on your way to Blue Pearl Bay. Reward your efforts with a swim and snorkel in a hidden cove.



- + Adventure to nearby islands via the resort's speed boat service. This bespoke service drops you off at a location chosen on the day, in which you can picnic, snorkel, hike or swim within the Whitsundays crystal blue waters.
 - + Consider yourself an angler? Embark on an exclusive fishing experience in the Whitsundays, starting off with a scenic tour on Hayman Island's all-new dedicated fishing vessel before getting up close and personal with a variety of unique and colourful fish.
- Whichever option you choose you will return to the resort for lunch and an afternoon at leisure.
- This evening we come together for dinner for a candle-lit beachside banquet.

Thursday 18 May – Sydney

All good things must come to an end but not before one last fun filled flight aboard your Private Qantas Jet to Sydney, arriving in time to connect with domestic flights to your home city.





INCLUSIONS

- + All flights aboard our privately chartered Qantas 737-800
- + All accommodation
- + The services of Constellation Journey Leaders including a doctor
- + All-inclusive 'A La Carte' sightseeing program – offering guests a choice of sightseeing options in each location
- + All meals including gala events
- + Beer, wine and soft drink at every lunch, dinner and aboard the aircraft
- + The Constellation Concierge Service – transporting your luggage to and from airports and hotels for your convenience
- + Qantas Points
- + All transfers, tipping and taxes

NOT INCLUDED IN THE JOURNEY COST

- Vaccinations and medications recommended by the tour doctor
- Laundry Costs
- Items of a personal nature including phone calls, drinks and meals away from the group
- Travel Insurance
- Mini bar and other hotel costs not specified in the brochure

QANTAS FREQUENT FLYER PROGRAM TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Membership and Qantas Points are subject to the Qantas Frequent Flyer program Terms and Conditions available at qantas.com/terms. An eligible booking for the purpose of this promotion means a new booking made through Constellation Journeys on the Constellation Journeys 'Destination Australia and New Zealand' Privately Chartered 737 service departing 10 May 2023 and returning 18 May 2023. Each passenger included on the booking with a valid seat number is eligible to earn Qantas Points provided they have recorded their Qantas Frequent Flyer number against their booking. This offer cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer by Qantas. Tiered members are not eligible to receive any status bonus for bookings made through Constellation Journeys. Qantas Points will take up to 6 weeks after completion of travel to be credited to your Qantas Frequent Flyer account.



EARLY BOOKING OFFER

Book and deposit by 27 May 2022 and enjoy an early booking price reduction.

Superior Class	Save \$250 per person
Business Class	Save \$500 per person

FARES

Prices are all inclusive, twin share per person from Sydney. Connecting flights to join the journey in Sydney from other cities are available on request.

SUPERIOR CLASS **\$11,990**

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT **\$1,590**

BUSINESS CLASS **\$17,240**

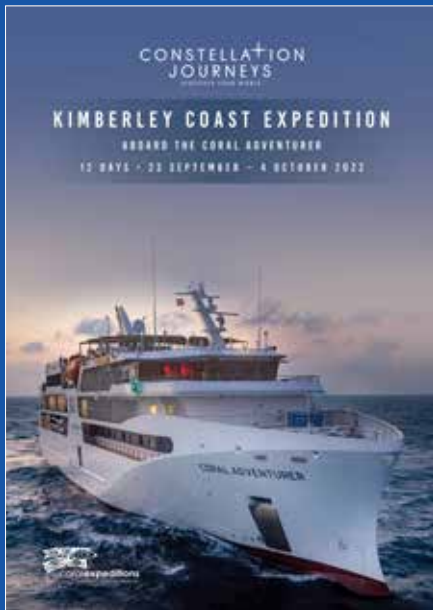
SINGLE SUPPLEMENT **\$1,990**



Flexible Covid Cancellation Conditions

In the event of cancellation prior to departure due to Covid restrictions we offer a 100% credit or a refund less non-recoverable costs. See Booking Form for detailed terms and conditions.





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