



## Trip Details

# Colombia | Discover Bogota and Cartagena

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## What's Included

- Arrival and departure transfers
- 3 nights in Easter Island at Taha Tai Hotel or similar
- 3 nights in Santiago at Neruda Hotel or similar
- Daily breakfast
- Entry to Easter Island
- Full day guided city tour of Easter Island with lunch included
- Full day guided city tour in Santiago
- Transfers throughout the itinerary
- English speaking guides & representatives
- Transfers airport/hotel/airport
- 3 nights in Santiago at Diego de Velazquez Hotel or similar
- 3 nights in San Pedro de Atacama at La Casa Don Tomas Hotel or similar
- 2 nights in Puerto Varas at Cabañas del Lago Hotel or similar
- 3 nights in Puerto Natales at Weskar Lodges Hotel or similar
- Daily Breakfast
- Half-day guided city tour in Santiago
- Tour in Puerto Montt
- Boat Trip at Lake Todos Los Santos
- Full day tour of Torres del Paine National Park
- Transfers throughout the itinerary
- English speaking guides & representatives
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## Not Included

- Domestic flight from Bogota to Cartagena
- Optional tours or visits
- Tips for guides, drivers, and specialist guides
- Anything that is not specified as included
- Personal expenses



## Day by Day

### Day 1

Upon your arrival in Bogota, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the evening is at your own leisure.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Bogota

**Meals:** NA

### Day 2

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel. Your guide will meet you at the hotel to take you on a tour around the historic center of the city. The first stop will be at Plaza de Bolivar to walk along the streets to see the most important buildings of the city, such as the National Capitol, which is the center of the country's legislative life; Casa de Los Comuneros; Casa de Nariño, which is the Presidential house; and the Santa Clara Church Museum.


The tour includes a visit to the Gold Museum, which exhibits about 34,000 pieces of metalwork from various Hispanic cultures, and a visit to the House Museum Quinta de Bolivar, the house belonged to Simon Bolivar. The tour continues to the iconic symbol of Bogota, the Monserrate Hill rising up to 3,152 above sea level, to visit the sanctuary where you will find the statue of the Lord of Miracles. From there it is possible to enjoy the best view of Bogota. In the afternoon, return to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Bogota

**Meals:** Breakfast

### Day 3

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel.



Your guide will meet you at the hotel, either in the morning or the afternoon, to take you on a tour through “La Sabana de Bogota” to the town of Zipaquira, which name means ‘city of our Father’ in the language of the Chibcha. Back in pre-Columbian times, salt around the area was the most important commodity and the ‘salt cakes’ were the only currency for trading. Over time, technology improved and the Muisca began to extract larger amounts of salt. As a result, an underground salt deposit was formed and it is where the Salt Cathedral was built, 180 meters below the surface. Inside, there is a chapel, “Capilla de Los Mineros” built as a tribute to the Virgin “Our Lady of the Rosary of Guasá” (Guasá means ‘mine’ in Chibcha). Return to Bogota and overnight.

Note: This tour is not recommended for people with mobility restrictions, pregnant women, or claustrophobic.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Bogota

**Meals:** Breakfast, Dinner

#### **Day 4**

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel. Transfer to the airport as scheduled, to take a flight to Cartagena (flight is not included, to be booked by agent).

Upon arrival in Cartagena, you will be met by a representative who will transfer you to your hotel.

Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.


**Hotels:** Overnight in Cartagena

**Meals:** Breakfast

#### **Day 5**

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel.

Today, your guide will pick you up at the hotel to take you on a tour around Cartagena de Indias. The tour starts in the modern neighborhoods of Bocagrande and Manga, where you will see the contrast between modern architecture and the beauty of the old houses from the twentieth century. Then, we will visit the castle where the Spaniards sought to protect the city from the attacks of the English in the seventeenth century, “El Castillo De San Felipe de Barajas”. In the end, we will walk around the historic



downtown, visiting the San Pedro Claver Church and then the Emerald Museum. Return to the hotel and spend the rest of the day at leisure.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Santiago

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **Day 6**

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel. Enjoy the day at leisure to explore on your own.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Cartagena

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **Day 7**

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel. Enjoy the day at leisure to explore on your own.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Cartagena

**Meals:** Breakfast

### **Day 8**

After breakfast, you'll be transferred to the international airport for your flight home.

**Hotels:** Overnight in Cartagena

**Meals:** NA