

AUSTRALIA

THE GHAN - ADELAIDE TO DARWIN

 (TOUR CODE: 11564)

STARTS AND ENDS

Adelaide to
Darwin

TRAVEL PERIODS

Mar 2023 - Oct 2024

EXPERIENCE

Cultural
Rail

TRAVEL STYLE

Rail Packages

A legendary train. An unforgettable Australian adventure. Travel aboard The Ghan between Adelaide and Darwin on the all-inclusive Outback Spirit journey.

Highlights

- Enjoy 3 days / 2 nights aboard **The Ghan** as you travel from Adelaide to Darwin in style.
- Sit back, relax and enjoy the comforts of Gold Service in your spacious private ensuite cabin aboard the Ghan.
- A regionally inspired menu paired with a selection of local wines.
- Immersive Off Train Experiences in Marla, Alice Springs and Katherine.
- Cruise the Nitmiluk Gorge or learn more about Katherine's ancient Indigenous rock paintings

Departing from Adelaide, travel coast to coast through the fiery red centre, experiencing Australia at its dramatic best. Sit back and enjoy the Gold service All-Inclusive features aboard the iconic Ghan.

The beauty of experiencing Australia by train is that you have a front-row seat from which to observe the changing colours of the landscape. While the views of the outside world from the comfort of your cabin are captivating, sometimes it's good to step off the train and stretch your legs to explore the remote pocket of Australia you find yourself in.

In between tracing the landscape, each leg of your rail journey is marked with tailored Off Train Experiences and authentic encounters. These experiences tell the unique story of the land, providing a sense of place, people and culture.

INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights' aboard the Ghan - Adelaide to Darwin
- Enjoy All-Inclusive Meals and drinks aboard the Ghan
- Exciting Off Train Experiences
- GOLD SERVICE INCLUSIONS ON THE GHAN:
- Comfortable sleeper cabin featuring private en suite
- Upper & lower berths that convert to a 3-seater lounge
- Power outlets in cabin
- In-cabin music channels and journey audio commentary
- All-inclusive dining in the Queen Adelaide Restaurant
- All-inclusive alcoholic & non-alcoholic beverages
- All-inclusive Off Train Excursions and Short Stops
- Luggage allowance is 60kg per guest
- Complimentary Shuttle bus transfers available in Darwin to selected hotels in the city centre

ITINERARY

Day 1

The Ghan Journey: Adelaide - Marla

Departing Adelaide, what lies ahead is rugged, beautiful and spectacular – through the Red Centre to the tropical north of Australia. Settle into your cabin and watch the rolling pastoral lands of South Australia from your window, or meet your fellow travellers in the lounge car. Before long some of the oldest rock formations in the world, the Flinders Ranges, come into view. As darkness envelops the rugged outback, it's time to indulge in a regionally-inspired dinner and all-inclusive fine wines and beverages.

Overnight stay aboard **The Ghan**.

All-inclusive Australian wines, beers, base spirits and non-alcoholic beverages

Lunch, Dinner



ALL-INCLUSIVE DINING IN THE QUEEN ADELAIDE RESTAURANT

Day 2

Alice Springs

Begin with a freshly brewed coffee or juice as the day dawns at Marla, an outback outpost in the remote reaches of South Australia. It is here, deep inland, that you will enjoy a one of a kind experience, as you watch the desert come to life at sunrise.

- **There is only one Off Train Experience in Marla, which is a 45 minute stop where guests can choose to get off the train and watch the sunrise with a cup of coffee and bacon & egg roll.**

All aboard for brunch as you make your way through the MacDonnell Ranges to Alice Springs where a choice of Off Train Excursions awaits.

- **Choose from a range of "Off Train Experiences" in Alice Springs**

Alice is an iconic Red Centre outpost. 1,500 kilometres from the nearest major city, it may be remote, but offers plenty to explore – home to doctors who fly, rivers that run dry, and a cast of colourful characters. Your time in the ‘capital out of the outback’ offers numerous opportunities to explore its historic legacy and unique environment.

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Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Katherine and Darwin

Your day dawns in the tropical north. The pristine wilderness of Katherine is stirring and powerful, and you'll have the chance to explore it from the water or land.

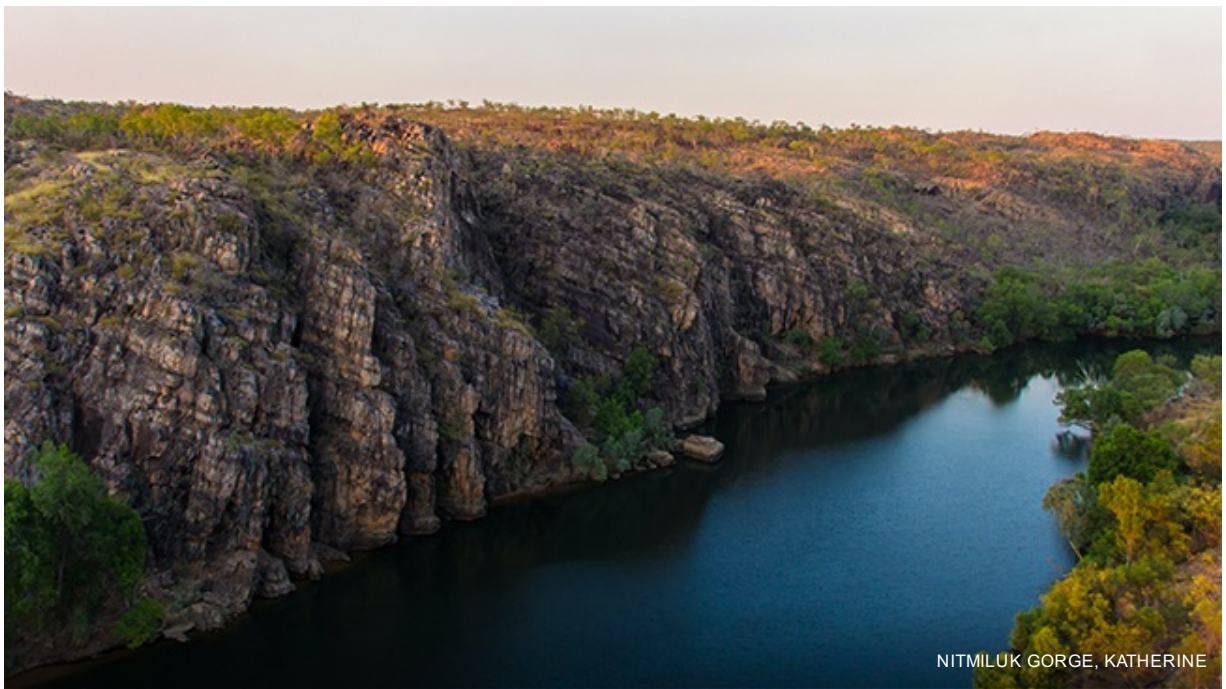
- **Choose from a range of "Off Train Experiences" in Katherine**

Cruise the jaw-dropping Nitmiluk Gorge, learn more about its ancient Indigenous rock paintings and gain insight into the culture of the traditional owners of Nitmiluk, the Jawoyn people.

As evening falls, arrive in Darwin to complete your epic Australian journey.

All-inclusive Australian wines, beers, base spirits and non-alcoholic beverages

Breakfast, Lunch



NITMILUK GORGE, KATHERINE

ACCOMMODATION

The Ghan

UPGRADE AVAILABLE

The Ghan offers more than transit between Adelaide to Darwin and vice versa. Onboard you will find sumptuous dining, elegant private cabins, attentive service, and the camaraderie of your fellow travellers and when the train stops, the adventures begin. Choose from a huge range of included off-train experiences to create your own rich and rewarding personal journey through Australia's outback and beyond.

GOLD SERVICE INCLUSIONS ON THE GHAN:

- *Comfortable sleeper cabin featuring private en suite*
- *Upper & lower berths that convert to a 3-seater lounge*
- *Power outlets in cabin*
- *In-cabin music channels and journey audio commentary*
- *All-inclusive dining in the Queen Adelaide Restaurant*
- *All-inclusive alcoholic & non-alcoholic beverages*
- *All-inclusive Off Train Excursions and Short Stops*
- *Luggage allowance is 60kg per guest*



Room Upgrades

Gold Single Cabin

A compact sleeper cabin featuring a bed that converts to a seat by day, private vanity, with shared shower/toilet facilities located at the end of the carriage.

Australia's iconic rail journeys offer purpose-built carriages to do it in superb style. Our Gold Service Single is a comfortable sleeper cabin option that offers all the luxurious inclusions of the Gold Service Twin such as fully inclusive dining with three gourmet meals per day, all-inclusive Australian wines, beers, base spirits and non-alcoholic beverages, and your choice of Off Train Experiences as you travel.



Prices are dynamic based on travel dates. Please proceed to [Book Now](#) or [Contact Us](#) for details.

Platinum

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Nothing enhances the romance of rail travel quite like Platinum Service. Tailored for the discerning traveller, our Platinum Service adds a new level of sophistication to your journey. Stylishly appointed and spacious cabins are complemented by discreet, personalised service and access to the exclusive Platinum Club carriage for meals, relaxation and socialising. As you'd expect, the food and wine are of the highest standard. Enjoy hearty breakfasts, two-course lunches and four-course dinners, all regionally inspired and paired with champagne and premium wines.

And it all begins before you've even stepped aboard. Platinum guests receive private transfers before and after your journey, beginning the adventure in style.

Platinum cabins offer premium extras, like a full-size en suite, expansive window views from the train, and exclusive use of the Platinum Club carriage. Add to that the luxurious linen, French Champagne, Bracegirdle's chocolates, a nightcap at turndown and more, and you're in for an exceptional experience.

Platinum service includes:

- All-inclusive dining, beverages, and Off Train Experiences
- Spacious Double or Twin cabin almost twice the size of a Gold Service Twin cabin
- By day, cabins are set up lounge-style with a moveable table and two ottomans
- By night, lounges are converted to double or twin beds
- En suite equipped with separate shower, vanity with cupboard space, toilet and Australian bathroom amenities
- Power outlets and in-cabin safe
- In-cabin music channels and journey audio commentary
- Panoramic windows offering views from both sides of the train
- Access to the exclusive Platinum Club for dining and socialising
- Freshly prepared continental breakfasts served upon request in-cabin
- Refreshments served in-cabin
- Transfers at the start and end of your journey available for guests within 60 km of the terminal
- 90 kg checked luggage allowance per guest (3 x 30 kg each).



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Advertised "from price" is based on 'ADVANCE PURCHASE' Rail Journey Fares and must be paid in full at time of booking. Pricing varies on each departure and is subject to availability. Please enquire with our team for exact pricing, upgrade options and departure dates.
- Blackout dates may apply during festive season.
- Shorter itineraries and travel in the reverse direction also available.

Exclusions

- Flights - Please contact our team to add flights onto this package.

Departures:

- Sundays (March - November)
- Wednesdays (April - November)