

5 DAY FIORD EXPLORER TOUR

# HILTON QUEENSTOWN & DOUBTFUL SOUND

\$699

PER  
PERSON  
TWIN  
SHARE

SOUTH ISLAND • OTAGO

## THE OFFER

Queenstown is more than just an escape, it's the escape you deserve right now. And this amazing five day package is the perfect way to make that happen. Glamorous five-star accommodation at the lakefront Hilton Queenstown Resort & Spa, gliding across scenic Lake Wakatipu aboard the historic TSS Earnslaw, a gourmet lunch at Walter Peak High Country Farm, and cruising on the sapphire blue waters of Doubtful Sound - what could make it better? That's right. You!

The package includes four unforgettable nights staying in a Hilton Guest Room; a scenic cruise of Doubtful Sound aboard the three-masted Fiordland Navigator (keep an eye out for penguins and fur seals!); and a bus tour along the remarkable Wilmot Pass that connects Doubtful Sound to Lake Manapouri, plus plenty of free time to soak up the magic of Queenstown at leisure.

5 DAY HILTON GUEST ROOM

\$699

5 DAY LAKEVIEW ROOM

\$779

6, 7 & 8 DAY OPTIONS AVAIL

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## THE ITINERARY

### 5 Day Package

#### Day 1 - Arrive Queenstown

Make your own way to Queenstown for an early afternoon check-in to the 5 star Hilton Queenstown hotel where you will stay in a Twin or King Hilton Guest Room. Enjoy the evening at leisure to experience some of the many highlights of Queenstown.

Hilton Queenstown Resort & Spa boasts a unique position on the scenic blue shores of Lake Wakatipu, amid a majestic mountain backdrop. Venture out to explore the area's natural attractions, or go to the centre of Queenstown to visit its authentic restaurants, laid-back cafes and bustling bars. After your daily adventures indulge in a soothing therapy at the spa before savouring local favourites at our signature on-site restaurant and bar.

The hotel is situated in the heart of the bustling Kawarau Village, on the beautiful shores of Lake Wakatipu. Conveniently located only five minutes from Queenstown International Airport, the hotel is just a 15-minute drive or 10-minute Queenstown Ferry ride into the centre of Queenstown.

Work out in the fitness centre, swim laps in the heated indoor pool or simply relax by the lounge fireplace and admire stunning lakeside views. The eforea: spa at Hilton Queenstown offers ten treatment rooms, a couple's room and a presidential suite for the ultimate relaxation experience.

Wakatipu Grill is our signature restaurant, featuring an open kitchen, rotisserie and two circular slate fireplaces. Dine on New Zealand favourites and sip a glass of wine from the vast wine cellar. Enjoy a gourmet pizza on the sunny deck at Stacks Pub, or a perfect espresso at The Lake Counter Café.

**Overnight: Hilton Queenstown, Queenstown**

**Meals included: None**

#### Day 2 TSS Earnslaw Cruise & Walter Peak Gourmet BBQ Lunch

Enjoy a morning at leisure before making your own way to the Real Journeys Visitor Centre on Steamer Wharf for a 12pm departure. For a dining experience like no other, cruise across Lake Wakatipu on the iconic TSS Earnslaw and discover Queenstown's incomparable fine dining destination.

Cruise aboard the historic TSS Earnslaw across to Walter Peak High Country Farm. Once at the lakeside Colonel's Homestead Restaurant savour the delicious aromas as our chef has the best of local produce sizzling away on the grill.

Overlooking Lake Wakatipu and Queenstown's alpine scenery, the Colonel's Homestead at Walter Peak High Country Farm is the perfect place to spend a few hours. Its colonial architecture and sweeping grounds evoke the elegance of a bygone era.

Our lunch menu has been refreshed with the introduction of our new executive chef. They've enhanced the seasonal menu with new salads, vegetables and a variety of succulent meats cooked on the wood-fired BBQ. We do not offer fish for lunch, but vegetarian options are available and there are delectable desserts to make room for too.

An entertaining farm demonstration is also included or you can explore the beautiful lakeside gardens. Return back to Queenstown arriving at approximately 4:00 pm at Steamer Wharf. The remainder of your day is at leisure.

**Overnight: Hilton Queenstown, Queenstown**

**Meals included: Lunch**



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### Day 3 Doubtful Sound Wilderness Cruise

Early this morning make your own way to the Real Journeys Visitor Centre on Steamer Wharf for your bus transfer to Te Anau. There's no direct road access, so the only way you can to get to Doubtful Sound is a cruise across the picturesque Lake Manapouri, followed by a bus trip over Wilmot Pass - New Zealand's most expensive (and majestic) road. We'll pause along the way to experience the dense Fiordland rainforest and view Doubtful Sound glistening below. This isolation makes this fiord a very special place, only those in the know get to see. Once you arrive, you will board the Fiordland Navigator for a 3 hour (approximately) cruise on Doubtful Sound - a spectacular pristine fiord. During the cruise our knowledgeable and friendly nature guides will share with you their passion for the region. They're always ready to answer questions, point out landmarks and provide all the information about the varied wildlife you may see, including dolphins, fur seals and the rare Fiordland crested penguin. Doubtful Sound is a beautiful fiord; three times longer than Milford Sound, with twisting arms, it has a surface area ten times larger. With its rugged peaks, verdant rainforest and twisting, hidden inlets, Doubtful Sound will take your breath away. Finish the day back in Te Anau where you will transfer back to Queenstown for an evening arrival at your hotel.

*Please note: The M.V. Sinbad or Patea may replace the Fiordland Navigator if maintenance or schedules require.*

*Please note: Complimentary hotel pick up from Hilton Queenstown Resort may be available depending on demand for customers who do not want to make their own way to the Real Journeys Visitor Centre. Please contact Real Journeys 24 hours prior to the activity to check the latest pick up locations and times for this day tour.*

**Overnight: Hilton Queenstown, Queenstown**

**Meals included: None**

### Day 4 Queenstown Free Day

Today is free at leisure in Queenstown.

**Overnight: Hilton Queenstown, Queenstown**

**Meals included: None**

### Day 5 Depart Queenstown

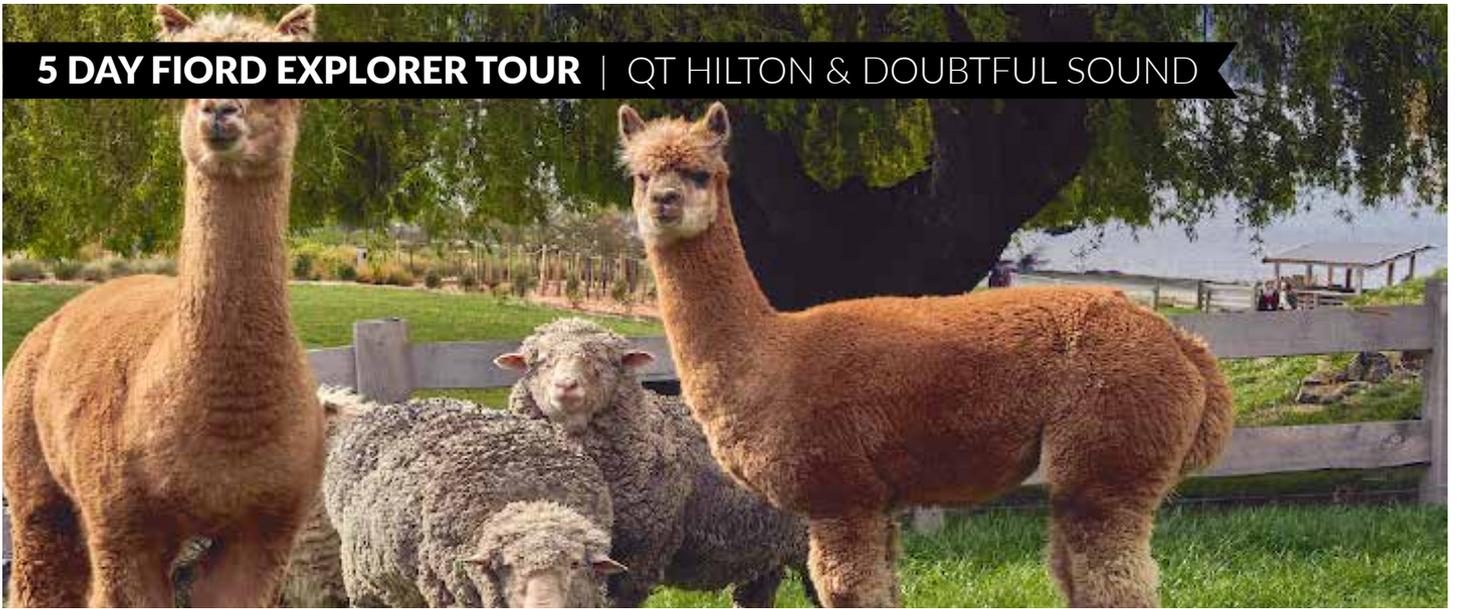
Today checkout and make your own arrangements.

Please note: Late Check out to 2pm may be available (Subject to availability - Requested upon check in)

**Meals included: None**

**6, 7 & 8 DAY PACKAGES ARE AVAILABLE TO SPEND MORE FREE TIME IN QUEENSTOWN.**

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## TOUR INCLUSIONS

### HIGHLIGHTS

Explore the beautiful town of Queenstown at leisure

Cruise across Lake Wakatipu on the iconic TSS Earnslaw

Enjoy a gourmet BBQ lunch at the Colonel's Homestead at Walter Peak High Country Farm

Enjoy an entertaining farm demonstration at Walter Peak High Country Farm

Explore the beautiful lakeside gardens of Walter Peak High Country Farm

Cruise across the picturesque Lake Manapouri

Travel across the Wilmot Pass - New Zealand's most expensive (and majestic) road

Experience the dense Fiordland rainforest

Cruise the spectacular pristine fiord of Doubtful Sound onboard the Fiordland Navigator

Search for dolphins, fur seals and the rare Fiordland crested penguin

### ACCOMMODATION

4, 5, 6 or 7 nights at the luxury 5 star Hilton Queenstown Resort & Spa (depending on your option chosen)

Stay in a Hilton King or Twin Guest Room (Lake View Upgrade available)

Late Check out to 2pm (Subject to availability - Requested upon check in)

### DINING

Enjoy a gourmet BBQ lunch at the Colonel's Homestead at Walter Peak High Country Farm

Enjoy 20% discount on lunch and dinner at the Hilton Queenstown Resort an

### TOUR ESSENTIALS

Professional English speaking guides on day 2 and 3

### TRANSPORT

Private transportation with A/C vehicles

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

*\*Please note: all information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current deal for up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.*

## BOOKING INFORMATION

After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. The Passenger Information Form must be completed within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

On purchasing this Travel Offer you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions, in addition to the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

*Please note: all additional charges are payable direct to your Travel Consultant in NZD (unless otherwise stated).*

## OFFER ESSENTIALS

Travel offer is valid for travel on selected dates until the 18th of December 2020.

This travel offer is priced for one person based on twin share.

### Single Traveller Supplement

For solo travellers a mandatory single supplement applies.

5 Day Package: \$320

6 Day Package: \$400

7 Day Package: \$480

8 Day Package: \$560

### Departure Dates (2020)

Please see TripADeal website for current departure dates.

### Surcharges

*Please note: dates/months with a \* incur a high season surcharge of \$50 per person.*

## ACCOMMODATION

### Accommodation Used

5 Star (self-rated)

Queenstown: Hilton Queenstown Resort & Spa

### Room Types Offered

Hilton Guest Room

Deluxe Lakeview Room

### Maximum Room Capacity

2 People (subject to availability).

### Child Policy

- No child discounts. Full price applies for all children travelling with their parents.

*Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors allowed.*

### Triple Share

Not Available

### Bedding Configuration

2 x Single or 1 x King (subject to availability).

### Adjoining / Interconnecting Rooms

Subject to availability and at the hotels discretion. Please enquire on booking if you require this option.

### Property Information:

#### HOTEL: Hilton Queenstown Resort & Spa

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located only five minutes from Queenstown International Airport, the hotel is just a 15-minute drive or 10-minute Queenstown Ferry ride into the center of Queenstown.

### ROOM TYPE: Hilton Guest Room

Feel at home in this spacious guest room with king bed and modern alpine style décor. Relax in the cozy seating area with sofa and gas fireplace or take in fresh air from your private balcony.

Additional facilities include a 32-inch LCD TV, WiFi and stylish bathroom with separate shower and bathtub.

### ROOM TYPE: King Hilton Deluxe Lakeview

Spoil yourself with this deluxe king room offering sweeping views of Lake Wakatipu. Relax in the adjoining lounge area, decorated in a modern alpine style, with a comfortable sofa and cozy gas fireplace.

Watch a movie on the 32-inch LCD TV, stay connected with WiFi or refresh in the stylish bathroom with separate shower and bathtub.

### HOTEL FACILITIES:

Baggage Storage

Bar Area

Digital Key Available

Electric Service

Elevators

Guest Activity/Recreation Desk

Laundry/Valet Service

Local Area Transportation

Lounge

Luggage Hold

Multi-Lingual Staff

News Stand

On-Site Convenience Store

Room Service

Safety Deposit Box

Snack Shop

Tour Desk

Children's Menu

Cribs

Family Package Offered



# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

High chairs  
Bicycle Rental  
Bicycling  
Fitness Room  
Hiking Trail  
Jogging Track  
Pool  
Sight Seeing Tours  
Walking Track

## GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION

Minimum group size 2, maximum group size 48 per vehicle for Doubtful Sound Tour

## EXCLUSIONS

- Visa fees and requirements (Not required if travelling domestically on a New Zealand Passport)
- Airfares / transfers
- Meals/beverages not stated in the itinerary
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance (Strongly recommended)

## OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

#### Tour Guide:

Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction in which he or she is guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves the group at the end of the tour, they do not travel with the group.

#### Tour Leader:

An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and

communication with tour guides in each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village, and offer information on the place visited on the bus, however they are not required to have specific knowledge on art, architecture, or history. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and if caught doing so, can be fined.

*Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when particularly required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.*

#### Luggage:

You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on the tour. With regards to luggage, you must carry your own luggage from the coach to the hotel room and back to the coach. The driver will assist with the uploading and off-loading of the luggage from the coach.

#### OTHER

##### Fitness Level Required / Mobility:

Our vehicles are not equipped with wheelchair access, so unfortunately our tours are currently not suitable for wheelchair users and those less mobile.

*Please note: a basic level of fitness will be required. If you have any concerns please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.*

##### Gratuities / Tipping:

Gratuities (tips) are not included in the tour price for services of the tour leader (when available) and driver throughout the tour. Tipping is optional and at the customers discretion.

## VISAS

A tourist visa is not required if travelling domestically on a New Zealand passport.

*Please note: Passengers who are not New Zealand citizens must check with the respective consulate or visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required. It is also important to note, some areas of employment such as journalism, government authorities and charity organisations may have additional restrictions in applying for Visas. This may in turn affect the type of application required.*

## INSURANCE

We are proud to offer a range of travel insurance products - please ask your Travel Consultant for more information.

## SCHEDULE OF FEES

### Post-Purchase Change

This includes booking changes requested by you, including but not limited to those changes requiring an airline ticket or a Purchase Confirmation reissue.

- \$50 NZD per change request post-purchase + any additional charges applied by the travel partners associated with the order.

### Supplier Fees

In the event the Travel Offer you have purchased is unable to proceed, and/ or a travel Supplier is unable to fulfil the Travel Offer due to external circumstances (Limitation of Liability e.g. a Force Majeure event), there may be a fee or amount of money that is withheld by our Suppliers and is unrecoverable. This may be due to non-refundable airline tickets, cancellation penalties with cruise cabins or unrecoverable payments with our land/accommodation partners. TripADeal has committed to these costs as your Agent and will endeavour to recover all funds committed and/or paid for your Travel Offer, but this may not be possible in all circumstances. If refunds are not available from Suppliers, we will endeavour to obtain a travel credit on the best terms available and communicate these outcomes to you. In the event, TripADeal is unable to obtain a refund or travel service credit, or part thereof, this cost is passed on to the customer as a Supplier Fee. This fee is not revenue-raising and is paid to or withheld by our suppliers when recovering payments.

