

SOUTHERN JEWELS

★Included

DAY 1 CHRISTCHURCH / TEKAPO

(No meal included)



On arrival in **Christchurch**, pick up your rental car from the airport and begin the journey to **Lake Tekapo**. Travel through peaceful farmlands to the emerald fields at the feet of the Southern Alps. Next, you will arrive at the blue water of Lake Tekapo – the stunningly beautiful glacier-fed lake – Visit the beautiful Church of the Good Shepherd and Mackenzie sheep dog statue on arrival.

✳️**Accommodation: The Godley Hotel or Similar**

DAY 2 TEKAPO / MOUNT COOK / QUEENSTOWN

(Breakfast included)



This morning drive to **Mount Cook National Park**. Mount Cook is also the home to breath-taking landscapes and the kiwi spirit of adventure. You may, at your own expense, take a short scenic hike into Hooker Valley and visit the Tasman Glacier's terminal lake or a helicopter flight up to Tasman Glacier (subject to weather conditions).

Leaving Mount Cook, you may visit an eco-sustainable salmon farm in Twizel to feed the salmon or sample their renowned high-quality King Salmon (own expenses) before heading to Queenstown.



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On the way to **Queenstown**, take a break at New Zealand's famous *Mrs. Jones' Orchard*. You can taste and purchase fresh seasonal fruit in the shop. The next part of the journey is to one of the most amazing places in New Zealand to experience the colours of the four seasons, **Arrowtown**. It is a historic gold mining town and is lovely in any season.

Continue driving to **Queenstown**. Queenstown is known as one of the world's top holiday spots, is a year-round drawcard for adventure activities, spectacular scenery, and luxury style.

On arrival in Queenstown, you can either relax in the hotel or take a stroll along beautiful Lake Wakatipu.



*Accommodation: **Holiday Inn Express & Suites Queenstown or Similar**

DAY 3 QUEENSTOWN

(Breakfast included)



Today, you will get on the **★Scenic Helicopter** with a highly experienced and friendly pilot.

Enjoy a 20 minutes spectacular helicopter flight with snow or alpine landing (subject to weather and snow conditions). The trip is from Queenstown airport over the Wakatipu Basin and Cecil Peak where you will take in the stunning views of Queenstown, Lake Wakatipu and Glenorchy. This is an unforgettable experience that has never failed expectations.

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Another popular thing to do in Queenstown is a trip up to Bob's Peak by the **★Skyline Gondola**. Hop on board as the gondola squeezes through pine forest to its grandstand location 400m above Queenstown. At the top, there are the cafe, restaurant, souvenir shop and observation deck, where you can take in a fantastic view of Queenstown.

✳️ **Accommodation: Holiday Inn Express & Suites Queenstown or Similar**

DAY 4 QUEENSTOWN

(Breakfast included)

Full day free at your own leisure to explore the township. You can choose to take the trail to the top of Queenstown Hill. This trek leads through forest and grasslands for the better part of an hour. The trails are filled with spectacular views of the city.

Another highly recommended activity is **Milford Sound Day Trip**. You may drive yourself or book the day trip through one of the local coach tour operators.



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DAY 5 QUEENSTOWN

(Breakfast included)

Depart hotel and self-drive to airport and drop off your rental car. We hope you have had a great time.

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