



Nicaragua

Nicaragua is Central America's best preserved secret. Sleepy towns and active volcanoes. Deserted beaches and pristine rainforest. A nation of poets and comedians.

Rum, reggae and revolution

With a history of dictators and revolutions spanning the political divide, there is a strong sense of national pride running through the heart of all Nicaraguans which keeps this once turbulent country together. The largest of the Central American republics, few countries can boast such an authentic character as Nicaragua.

Nicaragua is today a peaceful and democratic country, ranked as one of the safest in Central America. Intrepid travellers will enjoy the special culture. It revels in unique forms of dance, music and festivals, but most of all, Nicaragua breaths poetry, the unrivalled national passion, which has produced some of the most important poets in the history of the Spanish language.

From the colonial cities of Leon and Granada to the rustic island of Ometepe, Nicaragua offers a unique combination of wildlife, culture, relaxation and activity. Nicaragua's beauty has for years been a jealousy guarded secret, but at last the country is being discovered by an increasing number of informed travellers. At Undiscovered Destinations we say if you are considering a visit to Central America, avoid the crowds of Costa Rica and head for this hidden corner, but get there quick before it loses its magical appeal.

Our small group itinerary is one of the few fixed dated tours of Nicaragua sold in the UK. From the colonial cities of Leon and the splendours of Granada, the oldest city in Central America, to the rustic island of Ometepe, this tour offers a perfect combination of wildlife, culture, activity and relaxation. You will visit the Masaya Volcano, where it is possible to see inside an active volcano. For those with a little more time to spare we offer a highly recommended extension to the Caribbean Coast for a stay on the little visited Corn Islands. These islands are a forgotten paradise where travellers can enjoy the white-sanded beaches and the opportunity to snorkel before returning back to the capital, Managua where the tour ends. As an alternative to our small group tour, contact us for details of a quality tailormade service.



Sample Itinerary: Nicaragua Discovery

Group Size: Min 4, max 12

Also available as a private journey for individual travellers - contact us for details

Rating: **T**

Transport: Private 4WD, kayak, boat

- Day 1** UK to Managua
- Day 2** Masaya Volcano and Granada
- Day 3** Cutirre Canopy Tour and Mombacho Volcano Reserve
- Day 4** Half day tour by kayak on Lake Nicaragua to the chain of islands called Las Isletas
- Day 5** Granada to Ometepe Island
- Day 6** Climb of Maderas Volcano
- Day 7** Ometepe Island to Managua
- Day 8** Transfer to international airport for departure
- Day 9** Arrive UK

OPTIONAL EXTENSION TO CORN ISLAND

- Day 7** Managua to Corn Island
- Day 8** Day at leisure in Corn Island
- Day 9** Corn Island to Managua
- Day 10** Transfer to international airport for departure
- Day 11** Arrive UK

Guide Price: £930 (Including Corn Island Extension)

(Including flights from £1,750)

Journey Ideas: With a choice of American carriers serving Nicaragua, you have plenty of options of a stopover in the US; take your pick from Houston, Miami or New York

For detailed itineraries, prices and dates please visit www.nicaragua-undiscovered.com or call our well-travelled team

