

Antarctica Revealed by Revealed Travel



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The pristine ice wilderness of Antarctica is an unforgettable destination, teeming with an abundance of wildlife and dramatic sights. Antarctica is the coldest, driest and windiest continent on the planet and 98% of it is covered by ice that is at least a mile thick. Follow in the path of the great expeditions from the golden age of polar exploration with modern, spacious and well-designed ships for the journey of a lifetime.

These pages are designed to provide a comprehensive overview to the full range of Antarctic cruises and expeditions. Most itineraries include the Antarctic Peninsula, some include the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the South Shetland Islands and there are some which travel into the Weddell Sea. Each year just a few itineraries navigate further south from the Antarctic Peninsula to cross into the Antarctic or Polar Circle.

Unquestionably, the longer 18-21 day itineraries which combine the Falklands Islands, South Georgia and Antarctica make for the very best of expeditions for the variety of and abundance of bird and marine life.

Most cruises will start or end in Ushuaia, in southern Argentina, from where it is a day and a half's journey to cross Drake's Passage to reach the Antarctic Peninsula.

If time is short and you don't have particularly good sea-legs, there are some Antarctic Air-Cruises which include flights from Punta Arenas to and from King George Island in the South Shetlands, avoiding crossing Drake's Passage in each direction. The first night is usually in a hotel in Punta Arenas

Itineraries which start or end in Stanley include a flight to/from Chile (either a charter flight from Santiago if joining the RCGS Resolute or a flight from Punta Arenas). Other itineraries which start or end in King George Island include the flight from Punta Arenas across Drake's Passage.

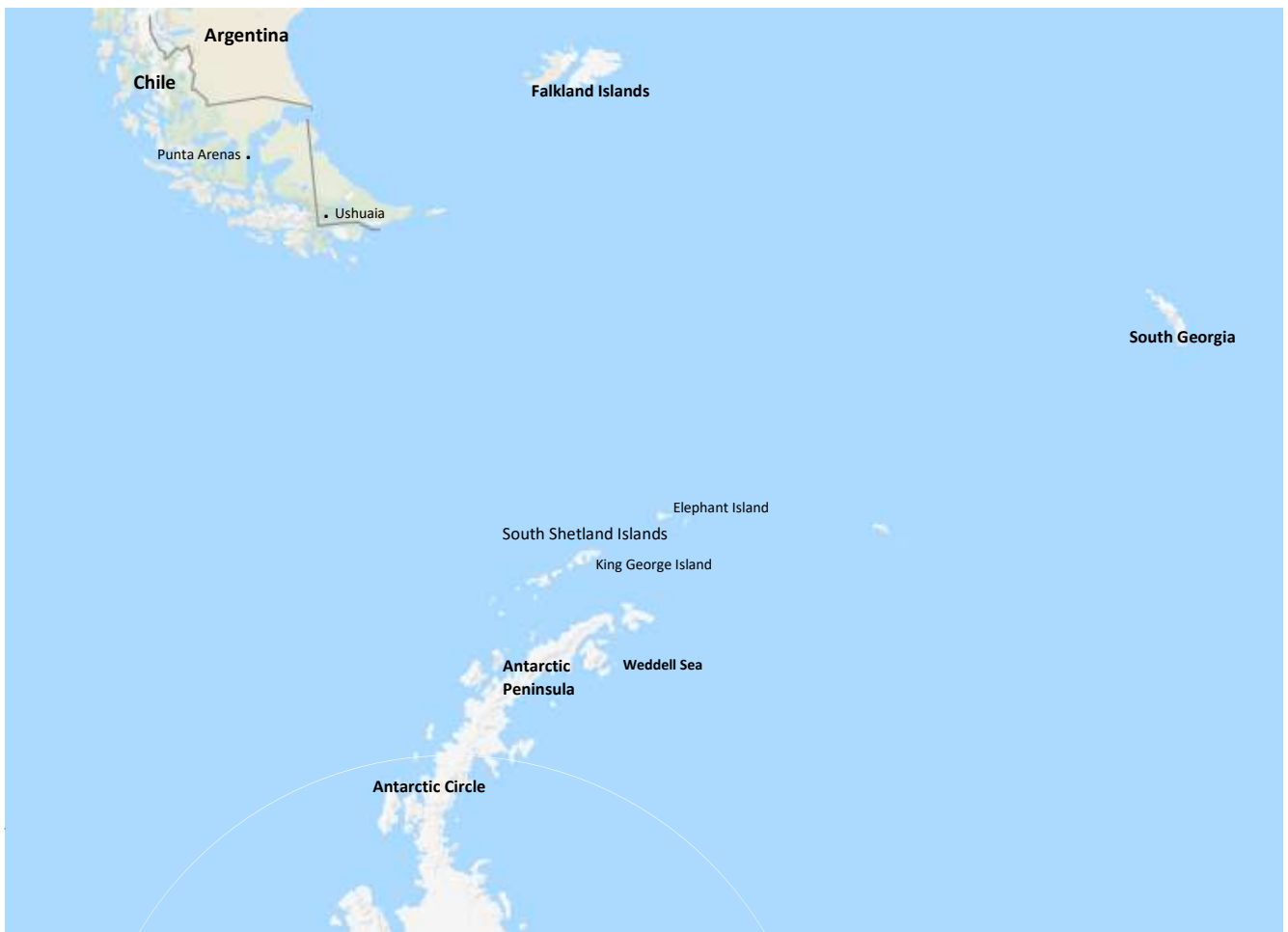
Trips which start in Montevideo (Uruguay), Puerto Madryn or Buenos Aires (Argentina) may include the first night in a hotel but please check details with us. Similarly, itineraries which start in Santiago, Valparaiso or San Antonio (Chile) may include an initial night in a hotel.

The only practical time of the year to go is October to March, avoiding the darkness of the Antarctic winter. Early booking is advisable - usually a year in advance. We will book flights and any land arrangements before/after your expedition cruise.

Further Information

At the beginning and at the end of the Antarctic season, we have included itineraries which travel down the Pacific coast of South America (e.g. from Lima, Peru) and from or to remote islands such as Easter Island, St Helena and Ascension Island.

We also book tailor-made tours to the Falkland Islands, with flights from RAF Brize Norton or via Chile.



Map: Google

Antarctic Peninsula

The spectacular Antarctic Peninsula is 600 miles south of Tierra del Fuego across the Drake Passage with impressive peaks such as Mount Owen, Mount Scott and Mount Jackson which are actually a continuation of the Andes. The north-western tip is ice-free for most of the year, making it the most accessible part of Antarctica, attracting vast colonies of penguins and seals and forming the feeding waters for whales. The Gerlache Strait is the centre-piece for most journeys into the western Antarctic Peninsula with stunningly beautiful scenery and an abundant richness of wildlife. Most journeys set out from and return to Ushuaia spending a couple of days crossing the Drake Passage each way. Air-Cruise itineraries fly to the South Shetlands avoiding Drake Passage.

South Shetland Islands

The South Shetland Islands comprise a collection of 11 major islands including King George Island, Deception Island, Livingston Island and Elephant Island together with a number of minor ones. The South Shetlands are located around 60 miles northwest of the Antarctic Peninsula. Amongst the wildlife, there are colonies of chinstrap penguins, elephant seals breed on the beaches and humpback whales feed in the rich protected waters.

The quickest Antarctic air-cruise itineraries fly from Punta Arenas in Southern Chile to King George Island from where you board your expedition ship to the Antarctic Peninsula. Longer itineraries continue to the Falklands and some also include Elephant Island, which is best known as the place of refuge for Sir Ernest Shackleton's crew after the loss and break-up of the Endurance in 1916. Please note that landings on Elephant Island are difficult and not always possible.

South Georgia

Captain James Cook circumnavigated the island in 1775, made the first landing, claimed it for Great Britain and, for good measure, named it after King George III. South Georgia is 860 miles east-southeast of the Falkland Islands, the greatest breeding and feeding grounds for warm-blooded marine life. The island supports some 5 million fur seals, 100 million sea birds, around half the planet's elephant seals and millions of penguins. The beach at Salisbury Plain alone is the breeding ground for half a million king penguins. Famously, after leaving his men at Elephant Island, Sir Ernest Shackleton reached South Georgia in dramatic journey in an open lifeboat and returned to rescue them. He is buried at Grytviken.





Falkland Islands

Each year a number of expedition cruises include a stop at the Falklands on a journey to South Georgia and/or on to Antarctica. These itineraries usually only stay for a day or two visiting such places as West Point Island, Carcass Island and Stanley. Amongst the birdlife are southern giant petrels, endemic Falkland steamer ducks, kelp and dolphin gulls, black-crowned night herons, red-backed hawks and peregrine falcons. Please contact us to discuss longer tailor-made itineraries to the Falkland Islands, which we book either with flights from RAF Brize Norton or via Chile.

Weddell Sea

The Weddell Sea, on the eastern side of the Antarctic Peninsula, has a colder climate and more sea ice, making for more difficult navigation and unpredictable landings. But the sight of vast tabular glaciers (perhaps up to a mile in length) coming out of Antarctic Sound is truly breath-taking. Weddell and crab-eater seals, humpback whales, killer and Minke whales and Adelie penguins abound.

Polar Circle

Some of the longer trips to the western Antarctic Peninsula aim to navigate through the spectacularly beautiful narrow passage of Lemaire Channel and push further south to cross the Antarctic Circle. Between October and December the sea ice is too dense so such itineraries usually have to wait until January and February.

Sub-Antarctic Islands (New Zealand)

There are some magnificent expeditions which travel between Argentina and New Zealand via the Polar Circle and the Ross Sea taking in some of the remote sub-Antarctic islands. There are other trips from New Zealand to Snares Island, Campbell Islands and to Macquarie Island, 1500km south-south-east of Tasmania, which is regarded as the Galapagos of the South. Macquarie Island provides the breeding grounds for an estimated 850,000 Royal Penguins, some 500,000 pairs of Rockhopper Penguins, 100,000 King Penguins and over 5,000 pairs of Gentoo Penguins.

Remote Islands/Repositioning

From Easter Island in the Pacific to St Helena and Tristan da Cunha in the Atlantic or Manaus in the Amazon, there are expedition ships which call in at remote place or travel further afield whilst they are repositioning vessels at the start and end of each season.

Easter Island is over 2,350 miles from the Chilean mainland and more than 2,500 miles from Tahiti. The nearest land is Pitcairn Island, over 1,100 miles away. The island is triangular in shape with an extinct volcano at or near each corner and covers 63 square miles. It is famous for its stone statues which are dotted around the island. A 2017 census recorded the population at 7,750 of whom some 60% are descended from the original Rapa Nui people. There are regular flights between Santiago, Chile and Easter Island and a weekly flight between Tahiti and Easter Island.

St Helena is the island to which Napoleon was exiled after his defeat at the Battle of Waterloo in 1815. It is a tiny speck of land covering just 47 square miles in the South Atlantic Ocean. It is 1200 miles west of Africa and 1800 miles east of Brazil. For hundreds of years it was a stopping point for ships and controlled by the East India Company. There is now a weekly flight between St Helena and Johannesburg, South Africa, which increases to twice a week between December and April.

Tristan da Cunha is the remotest island on the planet. It is the main island in the Tristan da Cunha Archipelago which includes Gough Island and Nightingale Island. Tristan's only settlement, Edinburgh of the Seven Seas, has a population of around 290. Wildlife includes rockhopper penguins, petrels and various species of albatross.



October 2019

Route	Ship	Departure	Length	Start/End	Twin Cabin
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	20 Oct 2019	23 Days	MVD/USH	from £8,996
Falklands, South Georgia & Antarctica	Resolute	20 Oct 2019	19 Day	PUQ/Stanley	from £15,345
Argentina, Falklands & Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	26 Oct 2019	17 Days	MVD/USH	from £5,567
Chilean Coast & Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	26 Oct 2019	18 Days	VLP/SCL	from £9,052
South Georgia	Voyager	26 Oct 2019	15 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,833
Antarctic Peninsula	Greg Mortimer	30 Oct 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £7,674
South American coast incl. Chilean fjords	Silver Cloud	30 Oct 2019	25 Days	LIM/BUE	from £9,180
Chilean Coast and Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	31 Oct 2019	19 Days	VLP/USH	from £6,201

November 2019

Route	Ship	Departure	Length	Start/End	Twin Cabin
Falkland Islands	Plancius	01 Nov 2019	10 Days	PMY/USH	from £4,495
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	02 Nov 2019	21 Days	PMY/USH	from £14,957
Antarctic Peninsula	Ortelius	03 Nov 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	03 Nov 2019	21 Days	PMY/USH	from £7,597
Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	03 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	05 Nov 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,748
Caribbean, Pacific, Antarctic and Atlantic	Seaborne Quest	06 Nov 2019	43 Days	MIA/BUE	from £17,999
Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	06 Nov 2019	13 Days	USH/USH	from £9,918
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	07 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
South Georgia	Resolute	07 Nov 2019	15 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £11,624
Antarctic Peninsula	Greg Mortimer	09 Nov 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £7,674
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	09 Nov 2019	19 Days	Stanley/USH	from £14,104
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	10 Nov 2019	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £4,948
Falklands & Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	11 Nov 2019	11 Days	PUQ/USH	from £9,500
Antarctic Peninsula in Depth	Expedition	11 Nov 2019	13 Days	USH/USH	from £6,299
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	11 Nov 2019	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £7,672
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	12 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,895
Sub-Antarctic Islands from New Zealand	Spirit of Enderby	13 Nov 2019	19 Days	INV/DUN	from £8,720
Antarctic Peninsula	Ushuaia	14 Nov 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,760
South Shetlands and Weddell	Ortelius	14 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,255
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	14 Nov 2019	20 Days	BUE/BUE	from £13,639
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	L'Austral	15 Nov 2019	16 Days	BUE/BUE	from £11,772
Easter Island, Beagle Channel	Le Boreal	16 Nov 2019	9 Days	IPC/USH	from £1,318
South Georgia and Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	16 Nov 2019	16 Days	USH/USH	from £11,857
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	17 Nov 2019	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,250
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	18 Nov 2019	19 Days	USH/USH	from £14,104
Antarctic Peninsula	Greg Mortimer	19 Nov 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £7,674
Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	20 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £5,658
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	21 Nov 2019	11 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	21 Nov 2019	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £5,339
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	22 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,895
Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	22 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,399
Antarctic Peninsula	Le Boreal	24 Nov 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,810
Falklands, Elephant Island and Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	24 Nov 2019	16 Days	BUE/USH	from £10,440
Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	27 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £9,531
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	27 Nov 2019	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £7,672
Chile, Antarctic Peninsula, Falklands	Seabourn Quest	28 Nov 2019	21 Days	S.Ant/BUE	from £10,999
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	29 Nov 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £5,126
Antarctic Peninsula, S. Georgia, Falklands	Greg Mortimer	29 Nov 2019	21 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	30 Nov 2019	19 Days	USH/USH	from £9,767

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December 2019

Route	Ship	Departure	Length	Start/End	Twin Cabin
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	01 Dec 2019	11 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	01 Dec 2019	13 Days	USH/USH	from £7,199
Macquarie Island (from New Zealand)	Spirit of Enderby	01 Dec 2019	13 Days	DUN/INV	from £6,434
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	02 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,116
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	02 Dec 2019	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £5,711
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	02 Dec 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,748
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	02 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	03 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £9,608
Antarctic Peninsula	Ortelius	05 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Explorer	05 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £8,370
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	06 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,849
Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	06 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £9,531
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	07 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	07 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £11,779
Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	07 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/KGI	from £10,306
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	08 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £9,608
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	08 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £5,486
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	08 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £9,065
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	08 Dec 2019	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,250
Antarctic Peninsula	Le Soleal	09 Dec 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,727
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	10 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £7,740
Antarctic Peninsula	L'Austral	10 Dec 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,210
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	11 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,849
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	11 Dec 2019	11 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,383
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	11 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,600
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	11 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,116
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	12 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	12 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,499
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	13 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £9,608
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Hebridean Sky	13 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £11,624
Sub-Antarctica from New Zealand	Spirit of Enderby	13 Dec 2019	11 Days	INV/INV	from £5,422
Classic Antarctica	Ushuaia	13 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £6,890
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Le Boreal	14 Dec 2019	16 Days	BUE/BUE	from £11,772
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	16 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,849
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Akademik Ioffe	16 Dec 2019	13 Days	USH/USH	from £11,468
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Ortelius	16 Dec 2019	19 Days	USH/USH	from £10,310
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	17 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	17 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £11,779
Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	17 Dec 2019	12 Days	KGI/Stanley	from £12,941
Antarctic Peninsula	Greg Mortimer	17 Dec 2019	13 Days	USH/USH	from £8,682
Falklands, South Georgia & Antarctica includes Elephant Island	Silver Explorer	17 Dec 2019	18 Days	USH/USH	from £14,400
Antarctic Peninsula	Island Sky	18 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,910
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	18 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,836
Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	18 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,550
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	18 Dec 2019	11 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £15,422
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Ocean Diamond	18 Dec 2019	23 Days	USH/USH	from £18,600
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Le Soleal	19 Dec 2019	17 Days	BUE/BUE	from £11,737
South Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula, Chile	Seabourn Quest	19 Dec 2019	24 Days	BUE/S.Ant	from £13,999

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Volunteer Point, Falklands

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Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	L'Aureal	20 Dec 2019	17 Days	BUE/BUE	from £11,737
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	20 Dec 2019	20 Days	BUE/BUE	from £15,190
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	20 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,659
Falklands, Elephant Island & Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	20 Dec 2019	15 Days	USH/USH	from £11,970
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	21 Dec 2019	11 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,539
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	21 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,849
Antarctic Circle	Expedition	21 Dec 2019	14 Days	USH/USH	from £8,999
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	22 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,073
Macquarie Island (from New Zealand)	Spirit of Enderby	22 Dec 2019	13 Days	DUN/INV	from £6,434
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Hebridean Sky	23 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	26 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	26 Dec 2019	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £7,394
South Georgia and Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	27 Dec 2019	16 Days	USH/USH	from £15,732
Antarctic Peninsula	Island Sky	27 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Akademik Ioffe	28 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/KGI	from £11,546
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	28 Dec 2019	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,836
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	28 Dec 2019	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £6,168
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	28 Dec 2019	17 Days	Stanley/KGI	from £16,662
Antarctic Peninsula, S. Georgia, Falklands	Greg Mortimer	28 Dec 2019	21 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Boreal	29 Dec 2019	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,226
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	29 Dec 2019	11 Days	USH/USH	from £7,670
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	29 Dec 2019	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,659
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	29 Dec 2019	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,675
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	31 Dec 2019	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	31 Dec 2019	18 Days	Stanley/USH	from £19,841

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January 2020

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Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	02 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £7,399
Sub-Antarctica from New Zealand	Spirit of Enderby	03 Jan 2020	8 Days	INV/INV	from £4,263
Antarctic Peninsula	Ortelius	03 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Soleal	04 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,395
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Explorer	04 Jan 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £8,820
South Georgia, Elephant Island & Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	04 Jan 2020	15 Days	USH/USH	from £19,530
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	05 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	L'Austral	05 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,409
Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica	Hondius	07 Jan 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £11,744
Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica	Sea Spirit	07 Jan 2020	21 Days	USH/USH	from £11,606
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	07 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,600
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	07 Jan 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula, Weddell Sea, Falklands	Akademik Ioffe	07 Jan 2020	12 Days	KGI/Stanley	from £12,941
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Ocean Diamond	08 Jan 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £9,996
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Boreal	08 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,395
Falklands, South Georgia & Antarctica incl. Elephant Island	Ushuaia	09 Jan 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £14,550
Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	09 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	10 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £9,608
Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	10 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	11 Jan 2020	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £8,951
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	11 Jan 2020	21 Days	USH/USH	from £16,699
Fjords, Antarctic Peninsula, Falklands	Seabourn Quest	12 Jan 2020	21 Days	S. Ant/BUE	from £11,999
Argentina to New Zealand including Polar Circle & Ross Sea	Ortelius	13 Jan 2020	34 Days	USH/BLF	from £22,093
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	15 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £9,608
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Soleal	14 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,199
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	16 Jan 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £13,860
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Ocean Endeavour	16 Jan 2020	14 Days	BUE/BUE	from £10,150
Falklands, S. Georgia & Antarctic Peninsula incl Elephant Island	Silver Explorer	16 Jan 2020	18 Days	USH/USH	from £13,950
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Resolute	17 Jan 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £11,624
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	17 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,910
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	17 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £10,073

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Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	18 Jan 2020	18 Days	Stanley/KGI	from £17,670
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	19 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	Asian Groups
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	19 Jan 2020	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,385
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	19 Jan 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £9,670
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	19 Jan 2020	19 Days	USH/USH	from £11,124
Antarctic Peninsula, Weddell Sea, Falklands	Voyager	20 Jan 2020	13 Days	KGI/Stanley	from £14,104
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	22 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Island Sky	23 Jan 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £16,895
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	24 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula, Polar Circle Air Cruise	Ocean Adventurer	25 Jan 2020	11 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £15,422
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	26 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,910
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	26 Jan 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,836
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	27 Jan 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	Asian Groups
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	27 Jan 2020	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £8,208
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Boreal	27 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,199
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	28 Jan 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,600
Weddell Sea and Antarctic Peninsula	Ushuaia	28 Jan 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £7,660
Antarctic Peninsula, S. Georgia, Falklands	Resolute	28 Jan 2020	18 Days	USH/Stanley	from £19,841
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	29 Jan 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £8,370
Antarctic Circle	Expedition	30 Jan 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £9,199

February 2020

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Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	01 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Voyager	01 Feb 2020	11 Days	Stanley/KGI	from £15,546
Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula, Fjords	Seabourn Quest	02 Feb 2020	21 Days	BUE/S.Ant	from £11,999
Falklands, S Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Le Soleal	03 Feb 2020	17 Days	BUE/BUE	from £12,325
Falklands, South Georgia & Antarctic Peninsula incl Elephant Island	Silver Explorer	03 Feb 2020	18 Days	USH/USH	from £13,320
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	04 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £10,073
Falklands, Weddell Sea, Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	04 Feb 2020	12 Days	KGI/Stanley	from £12,941
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	05 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	05 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	05 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	05 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	06 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £11,624
Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	06 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Explorer	Ocean Endeavour	06 Feb 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,980
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Boreal	06 Feb 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £8,344
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	07 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £8,135
Antarctic Peninsula	Ushuaia	07 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £7,660
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	08 Feb 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £9,810
Falklands, S Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Le Lyreal	09 Feb 2020	17 Days	BUE/BUE	from £12,325
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	World Explorer	09 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,786
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Fram	09 Feb 2020	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,385
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	10 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	10 Feb 2020	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £5,046
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Island Sky	10 Feb 2020	15 Days	USH/USH	from £12,011

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Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Ocean Nova	11 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £11,624
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Voyager	11 Feb 2020	11 Days	KGI/USH	from £10,306
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	11 Feb 2020	21 Days	USH/USH	from £14,999
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	12 Feb 2020	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £8,022
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	World Explorer	14 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,786
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Resolute	14 Feb 2020	13 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £12,632
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	14 Feb 2020	15 Days	USH/USH	from £12,011
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	14 Feb 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £13,639
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	15 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula	Hondius	15 Feb 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,659
Antarctic Peninsula	Sea Spirit	15 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £5,486
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	15 Feb 2020	19 Days	Stanley/USH	from £18,988
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Ocean Endeavour	15 Feb 2020	23 Days	BUE/BUE	from £17,282
Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Plancius	16 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Ocean Diamond	16 Feb 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £9,996
New Zealand to Argentina including Ross Sea & Polar Circle	Ortelius	16 Feb 2020	32 Days	BLF/USH	from £22,093
Antarctic Peninsula & Polar Circle	Ushuaia	17 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £8,425
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Cloud	18 Feb 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £7,830
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	L'Austral	18 Feb 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,810
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	World Explorer	19 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,786
Antarctic Peninsula & Weddell Sea	Le Soleal	19 Feb 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £9,395
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	20 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Antarctic Peninsula	Silver Explorer	21 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £8,820
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	21 Feb 2020	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £4,948
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Voyager	21 Feb 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £12,399
Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica	Island Sky	23 Feb 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £13,174
Pacific, Antarctic, Falklands & Amazon	Seabourn Quest	23 Feb 2020	42 Days	S.Ant/MAO	from £16,999
Pacific, Antarctic, Falklands, Amazon & Caribbean	Seaborn Quest	23 Feb 2020	57 Days	S.Ant/MIA	from £23,199
Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica	Hondius	24 Feb 2020	23 Days	USH/USH	from £11,744
Antarctic Peninsula Air Cruise	Magellan Explorer	25 Feb 2020	8 Days	PUQ/PUQ	from £12,244
Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica	Sea Spirit	25 Feb 2020	23 Days	USH/MVD	from £10,166
Falklands, S. Georgia, Tristan da Cunha	Le Lyrial	25 Feb 2020	22 Days	USH/CPT	from £5,676
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Resolute	26 Feb 2020	12 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £11,624
Antarctic Peninsula	Plancius	27 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £6,279
Antarctic Peninsula	Hebridean Sky	27 Feb 2020	12 Days	USH/USH	from £11,081
Falklands, S. Georgia, Antarctic Peninsula	World Explorer	27 Feb 2020	20 Days	USH/USH	from £18,678
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	28 Feb 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula, Weddell Sea, S Georgia	L'Austral	28 Feb 2020	16 Days	BUE/MVD	from £8,932
Fjords, Falklands, Antarctic Peninsula	Roald Amundsen	28 Feb 2020	18 Days	SCL/SCL	from £7,477
Ushuaia, Beagle Channel, Easter Island	Le Soleal	29 Feb 2020	9 Days	BUE/IPC	from £1,318

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Antarctic Circle	Expedition	01 Mar 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £8,199
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Adventurer	03 Mar 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,895
Antarctic Peninsula	Midnatsol	03 Mar 2020	13 Days	BUE/BUE	from £4,948
Antarctic Peninsula	Akademik Ioffe	04 Mar 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £9,531
Antarctic Peninsula	Voyager	05 Mar 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £9,531
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Endeavour	07 Mar 2020	11 Days	BUE/BUE	from £7,980
Antarctic Peninsula	Ocean Diamond	08 Mar 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	SOLD OUT
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	08 Mar 2020	11 Days	Stanley/Stanley	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula	Expedition	13 Mar 2020	11 Days	USH/USH	from £6,199
S. Atlantic, Amazon & Caribbean (incl Devil's Island)	Seabourn Quest	15 Mar 2020	21 Days	BUE/MIA	from £6,999
Antarctic Peninsula	Ushuaia	17 Mar 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,760
Antarctic Peninsula	Resolute	18 Mar 2020	11 Days	Stanley/USH	from £10,073
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Ortelius	18 Mar 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £6,629
Antarctic Peninsula (whale watching)	Plancius	20 Mar 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £4,534
Antarctic Peninsula	Ushuaia	26 Mar 2020	10 Days	USH/USH	from £5,760
Antarctic Peninsula and Polar Circle	Hondius	27 Mar 2020	14 Days	USH/USH	from £6,628
Chilean Fjords	Resolute	28 Mar 2020	14 Days	USH/VLP	from £6,198
Antarctic Peninsula, S. Georgia, Falklands	Greg Mortimer	29 Mar 2020	21 Days	USH/USH	from £13,720
Argentina to St Helena	Plancius	29 Mar 2020	25 Days	USH/St.H	from £5,581
St Helena to Cape Verde	Plancius	21 Apr 2020	11 Days	St.H/C.V	from £1,395

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Recommended Reading: The Worst Journey in the World by Apsley Cherry-Garrard.

Originally published in 1922, the book has never been out of print. Most recently it has been published by Vintage Classics.

Apsley Cherry-Garrard was a member of the ill-fated Terra Nova Expedition (1910-1913) commanded by Captain Robert Falcon Scott. The title of the book refers to the winter journey he undertook with zoologist Dr Edward "Bill" Wilson and Lieutenant Henry "Birdie" Bowers in July 1911 to Cape Crozier to collect Emperor penguin eggs.

In January 1912, Scott, Wilson, Bowers, Petty Officer Edgar Evans and Captain Lawrence Oates had attempted to reach the South Pole. By mid-April none had returned.

A search party could not set out until after the Antarctic winter. Cherry-Garrard was amongst the group that found the bodies of Scott, Wilson and Bowers on 12 November. Scott's diary revealed that the five had reached the pole on 17 January 1912 but that Norwegian explorer Raoul Amundsen had got there first (5 weeks earlier).

Scott's diary recorded that Evans had collapsed on 16 February and died that night. On 15 March Oates, who was suffering terrible frostbite and did not want to hinder the chances of survival of the others, asked to be left behind. They refused. The following day he left his tent and walked into a raging storm. "He went into the blizzard and we have not seen him since," wrote Scott in his diary entry for 17 March. From the positions of the bodies, they were able to deduce that Scott was the last to die. His last diary entry was on 29 March 1912. It is believed he died shortly afterwards.

Cherry-Garrard was played by Hugh Grant in the seven-part 1985 serial by Central TV, The Last Place on Earth. In the 2007 BBC4 docu-drama, The Worst Journey in the World, Cherry-Garrard was played by Mark Gatiss.

