

# NATURE SKETCHING ADVENTURE TO SOUTH AFRICA

with **CHRISTINE ELDER** and **TROPICAL BIRDING TOURS**

14-Day Tour: Sept 26th – October 9th, 2023



## TRIP HIGHLIGHTS

- \* **Kruger National Park:** 6 days of safari drives viewing Africa's 'big five' and many more.
- \* **Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens:** globally acclaimed and showcasing regional native flora.
- \* **Penguin Colony:** close-up viewing and sketching of these entertaining birds.
- \* **Cape of Good Hope Nature Reserve:** coastal nature reserve featuring ostrich, baboon.
- \* **De Hoop Nature Reserve:** a World Heritage Site famous for basking right whale.
- \* **PLUS:** nature sketching and journaling activities throughout.

## ICONIC AFRICAN FAUNA & FLORA

- \* **Mammals:** lion, leopard, rhino, elephant, hippo, giraffe, zebra, monkeys, hyena, mongoose, and diverse grazers like wildebeest, buffalo, eland, kudu, impala, springbok
- \* **Bird Life:** including endemic secretarybird, flamingos, hornbills, storks, rollers, barbets, kingfishers, turacos, cranes, honeyguides, sunbirds, woodpeckers, weavers and more.
- \* **Rich Botanical Diversity:** Globally unique Fynbos heathland with 9,000 plant species in full bloom during our austral spring visit plus Kruger's vast savannas and woodlands.

## YOUR TOUR GUIDES

- \* **Charley Hesse:** Tropical Birding Tours veteran guide with decades of experience.
- \* **Christine Elder:** Oregon naturalist, educator, science illustrator, and global traveler.

## CHRISTINE'S EXCLUSIVE BONUSES

- \* Access to full library of online wildlife sketching and painting courses (a \$1,200+ value).
- \* Comprehensive travel prepping and packing guide and species lists.

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**Price:** \$6620 double / \$7420 single occupancy.

*Limited to six guests for best wildlife viewing experiences!*

**See full itinerary and get booking information:**  
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