

The Four Kings Island

The Last Paradise on Earth

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Raja Ampat

One of the most biodiverse diving sites on the planet. Here, you will find over 1,400 fish species and 75% of all the coral species that are known to the world. This is what makes it known as the species factory.

The Raja Ampat Islands are an Indonesian archipelago located off the northwest tip of West Papua's Bird's Head Peninsula. Raja Ampat, which consists of hundreds of jungle-covered islands, is renowned for its beaches and coral reefs abundant with marine life. Misool Island is home to ancient rock art and caverns, while Waigeo Island is the habitat of the crimson bird of paradise. Batanta and Salawati are also the archipelago's other main islands.

Four Kings is the English translation of Raja Ampat. The name is derived from a local tale about a lady who discovers seven eggs. Four of the seven eggs hatch into kings who rule four of Raja Ampat's largest islands. Salawati, Batanta, Waigeo, and Misool are among them. In mythology, the other three eggs become a ghost, a lady, and a stone.

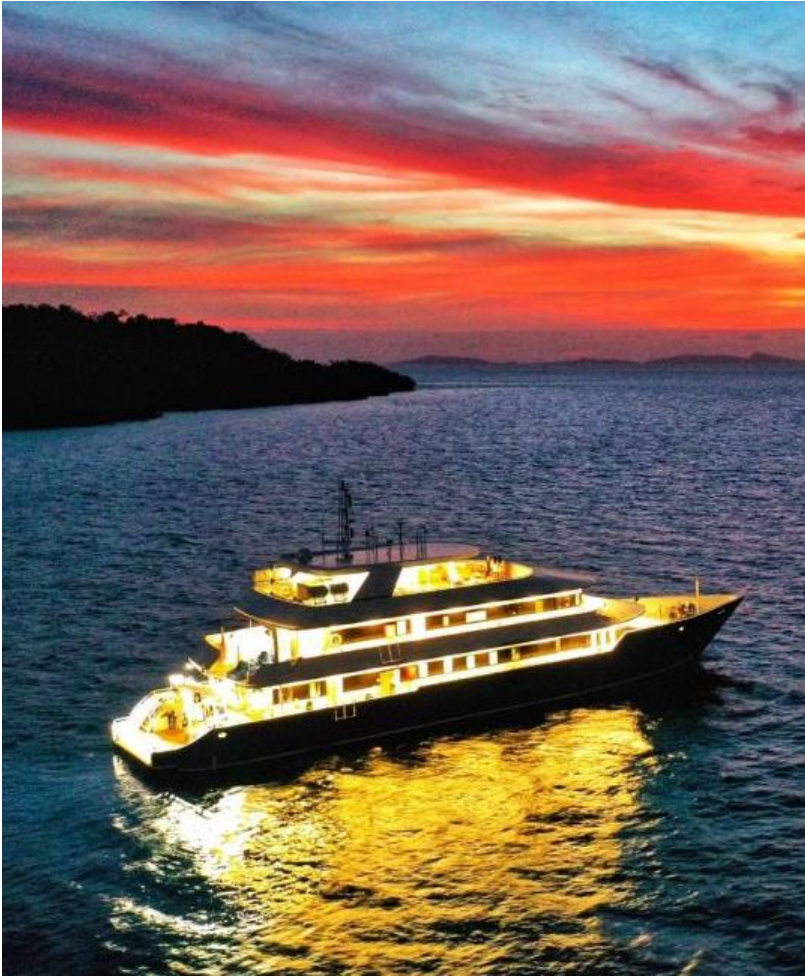
According to history, it was originally a stronghold of the Tidore Kingdom, a powerful Maluku kingdom. Nonetheless, once the Dutch conquered Maluku, the Netherlands quickly seized it. Raja Ampat's residents dwell in tiny towns scattered over the island. Despite the fact that traditional culture is still very much alive and ongoing, people are incredibly friendly to outsiders. Their predominant religion is Christianity, and practically every community has a tiny church.

Raja Ampat is a magnificent archipelago of nearly 1,500 tiny islands. These are home to hundreds of species, some of which are peculiar to the area. It is a very new regency that split away from Sorong Regency in 2004. It covers an area of more than 40,000 km² of land and marine. This area also includes Cenderawasih Bay, Indonesia's largest marine national park. It is a portion of Indonesia's newly called West Papua (province), which was originally known as Irian Jaya.

The biodiversity of Raja Ampat is remarkable, but not unexplainable. The location is situated in the heart of the so-called Coral Triangle. The tropical marine waters form a roughly triangular region. Parts of Indonesia, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, the Solomon Islands, and Timor-Leste are included. It is home to at least 500 different types of reef-building corals.

The Coral Triangle is often regarded as the worldwide epicenter of marine biodiversity. Not only for corals and fish but also for many other marine creatures, making it a global conservation concern. The region accounts for a very minor fraction of the world's oceanic area. Despite this, it is home to the vast majority of all known coral species on the planet. It is home to almost half of all Indo-Pacific reef fishes and nearly half of all reef fishes worldwide. As a result, it has the greatest diversity of coral reef fishes in the world. The Coral Triangle is home to around 3000 different fish species. It also serves as a home for six of the world's seven sea turtle species.

The Cruise





The Itinerary

First Day Arrival | 第一天

Upon arrival at the airport, group transfer to the boat. Meet and greet with the crew members and have a welcome briefing about the journey. According to the sea state, we may do a check dive after departure in the afternoon.

抵达机场后，前往游船。与机组人员会面并打招呼，并就旅程进行欢迎简报。根据海况，我们可能会在下午出发后进行 check dive。

Dive Days | 潜水日

Throughout the journey, we will have 3 to 4 dives each day, including night dive. The convergence of different currents of Raja Ampat archipelago has resulted in an incredible diversity of fauna and flora - all different kinds of sharks, countless schools of fish, incredible coral diversity, specimens for macro fans...everything is there! All you need to do is dive down, cling to a rock, and enjoy the show! On the second last day, 2 dives are only allowed according to flight safety requirements. Divers are required to rest for 24 hours before the flight.

在整个旅程中，我们每天将进行 3 到 4 次潜水，包括夜潜。四王群岛不同水流的汇聚造就了令人难以置信的动植物多样性 - 所有不同种类的鲨鱼、无数的鱼群、令人难以置信的珊瑚多样性、微生物爱好者的标本.....应有尽有！您所需要做的就是潜入水中，抓住一块岩石，尽情享受表演吧！倒数第二天，根据飞行安全要求，仅允许进行 2 次潜水。潜水员必须在飞行前休息 24 小时。

Last Day | 最后一天

After breakfast, check out from the boat and transfer you to airport and take flight home.

早餐后，从船上退房，送您到机场，乘飞机回家。

**** The exact route and sites visited are subject to change based on local regulations, guest experience, weather, and logistics, and are at the captain's discretion. ****

****确切的路线和访问的地点可能会根据当地法规、客人体验、天气和物流而发生变化，并由船长自行决定。****

Departure Date	D & N	Route	The Airport of Dept/Arrival		Cabin	Ground Arrangement –MYR (Per Person)	
						National Conservation Area Tax	Twin Sharing
09-Dec 2023	11D10N	South Raja Ampat - Misool - Ambon	Sorong (SOQ)	Ambon (AMQ)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,400	28,398
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		35,328
01-Jan 2024	7D6N	Raja Ampat	Sorong (SOQ)	Sorong (SOQ)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,050	17,558
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		21,578
09-Jan 2024	7D6N	Raja Ampat	Sorong (SOQ)	Sorong (SOQ)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,050	17,558
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		21,578
17-Jan 2024	7D6N	Raja Ampat	Sorong (SOQ)	Sorong (SOQ)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,050	17,558
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		21,578
25-Jan 2024	10D9N	Raja Ampat - Manado	Sorong (SOQ)	Manado (MDC)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,400	25,568
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		31,788
06-Mar 2024	10D9N	Raja Ampat - Misool	Sorong (SOQ)	Sorong (SOQ)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,250	25,568
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		31,788
18-Mar 2024	10D9N	Raja Ampat - Manado	Sorong (SOQ)	Manado (MDC)	Double Master Cabin with King Size Bed	1,400	25,568
					Super View Cabin with Jacuzzi & Balcony		31,788

The Waters & Islands

Following is a sample of dive sites which we may visit during your time aboard MV SEAISEE I. The safety of our guests is paramount, and the cruise team always do their best to offer diving at alternate locations, should we be unable to visit those sites listed below.

Guests are welcome to suggest preferred dive sites to the Cruise Director. He will be happy to accommodate guests' wishes, providing it is possible and the schedule allows for it.

The Dampier Strait

Fast drift dives and big fish schools characterize the sites in the Dampier Strait. Numerous dive sites are clustered together providing a variety of "Big Fish" dives with currents and more relaxed dives where smaller creatures can be found and photographed. Your dive team will check currents and choose sites based on the optimum conditions each day.

Cape Kri One of the best-known sites in the Dampier Strait, the variety of reef fish is astounding. A world record setter with 374 species of fish seen during one dive, Scribbled filefish, Harlequin sweetlips, Bumphead parrotfish, Pinnate batfish, hawkfish and Napoleon wrasse are all commonly seen. In the blue, myriad Bignose unicornfish and Bluestreak fusiliers are closely watched by giant trevallies and dogtooth tuna, whilst black tip reef sharks, pickhandle barracuda, turtles and pipefish are all regularly spotted as well.

- Manta Sandy
- Blue Magic
- Sardine Reef
- Mike's Point

Misool

There are numerous small islands surrounding the second of the Four Kings, Misool, including Daram, Farondi, Boo, Wayilbatan, Kalig and Warakaraket to name just a few. Each offer some of the most dramatic underwater scenery of the region, from steep walls with huge gorgonian fans to gentler slopes with hard and soft corals

- Andiamo
- Boo Windows
- Gorgonian Passage
- Nudi Rock
- Karang Bayangan aka Magic

Remarks:

- 1) **Seat In Coach tour** Min. GV.2 per booking with English guide.
- 2) Non-refundable **deposit of RM 3,000/Pax** upon booking confirmation.
- 3) Advance open water certification is required.
- 4) Fix date departure based on the list.
- 5) Compulsory pre and post night accommodation on your own arrangement.
- 6) Any unutilized itinerary is NOT refundable.
- 7) 6/7/9 Nights' Luxury Cruise Cabin Accommodations. With Full Board Meal.
- 8) Tipping for guide and dive instructor will paying on spot.
- 9) Tour packages are only applied for Malaysian passport holder.
- 10) Prices are quoted per person in Ringgit Malaysia (MYR) & subject to change without prior notice.
- 11) Hotel rooms are subject to availability. If selected hotel unavailable, others similar accommodation will be provided with different price apply (if any).
- 12) Cruise Cabin check in time subject to arrival. Check out time 11.00.
- 13) Sequence of itinerary subject to local arrangement.
- 14) No services have been blocked under your favor, subject to availability upon your confirmation.

* *All the prices will be subject to change based on availability **

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