

## Ports & Excursions



### San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

Nicaragua is the largest Central American nation and has stunning landscapes, vast cultural treasures, and an intriguing history.

Until recent times Nicaragua was unfortunately known for the civil war (Sandinistas and Contras) that raged from the late 70s through much of the 80s. Today, the soldiers and guerrillas have given way sightseeing in a beautiful country. From strolling the cobblestone streets of colonial Granada on Lake Nicaragua, to exploring one of the many volcanoes, Nicaragua has something for even the most seasoned traveler.

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### Points of Interest

#### 1 Granada

Located amidst the astonishing landscape of volcanoes and lakes, this historic city founded in 1524 features ornate Spanish churches, colorful colonial houses and a vibrant central market.

#### 2 Rivas

Settled by the Spanish in 1522, this popular beach town features beautiful colonial architecture, a museum of pre-Columbian art and a stunning view of volcanoes rising from Lake Nicaragua.

#### 3 Lake Nicaragua

Named "La Mar Dulce" by Spanish conquerors who believed it to be a sea, this massive freshwater lake features a lush volcanic chain, many beautiful islets and thousands of species of exotic plants and animals.

#### 4 Masaya Market

The smell of spices, drama of barter and extravaganza of color all greet you in one of the biggest markets in Central America, offering the best value in local arts, crafts and culture.

#### 5 Volcanoes

Nicaragua is often referred to as "the country of lakes and volcanoes." When you look at a map, you can understand why.

#### 6 Las Isletas

Formed by the volcanic activity of nearby Mombacho Volcano, this archipelago of 365 little islands located in Lake Nicaragua abounds with exotic wildlife and can be enjoyed by a scenic boat cruise.

#### 7 Apoyo Lagoon

In the center of the Nicaraguan Pacific coast, in the middle of the long volcanic chain which runs through the country from north to south, there is a wide and extended crater in a form of an inverted cone, and in the center of it there is one of the most beautiful lagoons in Nicaragua: the Apoyo Lagoon.

#### 8 City of Managua

Capital of Nicaragua and its largest city. Situated on the southwestern shore of the Lake Managua or Lake Xolotlán.

### Special Child Pricing Available!

Children age 12 and younger, savings up to 50%. For actual pricing information, click on tour title or Reserve button.

### Sightseeing & City Tours



#### Granada, Parque Central & Shopping SJ1-100 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit:

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You will see:

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5.75 hours

from \$69.95

Experience the beauty of Nicaragua on this a lovely half-day adventure to the picturesque city of Granada, located on the shore of Lake Nicaragua. Enjoy a guided tour of the local convent, marvel at pre-Columbian statues, explore colorful colonial architecture and take in the stunning view of majestic twin volcanoes.



#### Most Popular Granada, Lake Nicaragua, Las Isletas Cruise & Lunch SJ1-600 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit:

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You will see:

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8 hours

from \$119.00

Step back in time on this active, full-day, guided excursion via air-conditioned transportation to the colonial city of Granada. Visit an ornate cathedral and a convent featuring pre-Columbian statuary. Take a cruise on Lake Nicaragua through an archipelago of hundreds of islets. Enjoy a complimentary lunch at a Granada colonial restaurant.



#### Granada Highlights, Scenic Drive, Shopping & Lunch SJ1-110 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit:

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You will see:

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6 hours

from \$99.95

Get a taste of Nicaragua during this comprehensive sightseeing tour that showcases some of the country's most popular and fascinating attractions. After photo stops in the lush countryside you'll travel through Granada's beguiling streets before stopping for lunch, watching a folkloric performance and a craft show.



#### Explore The Capital City Of Managua & Lunch SJ1-115 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit:

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You will see:

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8.5 hours

from \$99.95

Enjoy a leisurely day sightseeing and exploring the capital city of Managua. Marvel at the panoramic views of Managua's most recognizable landmark. See the ruins of the presidential palace, old cathedral, National Palace, and Lake Managua. And sit down for a tasty lunch before venturing on to Catarina Viewpoint overlooking Apoyo Lagoon.



**Granada Carriage Ride & Boat Tour**  
 SJ1-140 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit: 1 3 6

You will see: 2 5



8 hours

from \$149.95

Discover the irresistible charms of Granada from two totally unique perspectives: the seat of a horse drawn carriage and aboard a boat on spectacular Lake Nicaragua. Marvel at the sight of iconic churches and bustling markets; visit the Convent of San Francisco and view the impressive Mombacho Volcano.

Special Interests



**Rivas, Lake Nicaragua & Scenic Drive**  
 SJ1-120 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit: 2

You will see: 3 5



3 hours

from \$59.95

Discover Nicaragua on this half-day guided excursion to the colonial town of Rivas. Visit the Catholic church, learn the city's history and enjoy a complimentary beverage and snack as you take in the beauty of the twin volcanoes, Maderas and Concepcion, which rise majestically out of nearby Lake Nicaragua.



**Amayo Hacienda Experience, Lake Nicaragua & Lunch**  
 SJ1-210 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will see: 3



5 hours

from \$99.95

For a taste of authentic Nicaragua, take a half-day guided tour to a family-owned estate on the shores of Lake Nicaragua. Swim, explore, listen to live music and even join a milking contest! Enjoy a traditional lunch and take in the view of majestic twin volcanoes rising from the lake.



**Masaya and Mombacho Volcanoes, Vistas & Lunch**  
 SJ1-340 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit: 5

You will see: 1 3 7



8.25 hours

from \$99.95

Enjoy a rigorous full-day guided photo experience to a nature reserve and a national park featuring active volcanoes. Enjoy a lunch, visit a crater lagoon and marvel at stunning vistas of a picturesque colonial city, a massive freshwater lake and majestic twin volcanoes that form an island.

Nature & Wildlife



**Off the Beaten Path**  
**Granada, Masaya Market & Volcano, Lunch & Shopping**  
 SJ1-330 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit: 1 4

You will see: 3 5



8.5 hours

from \$99.95

Indulge in a full-day, moderately active, guided excursion via air-conditioned transportation to shop the world renowned Masaya Market featuring quality crafts. Visit the active Masaya Volcano for an up-close look at steaming fumaroles. Savor a delicious, complimentary lunch at a local restaurant. Explore the colonial city of Granada.

Activities & Adventures



**Mombacho Volcano 4WD and Hike, Vistas & Lunch**  
 SJ1-470 | San Juan del Sur, Nicaragua

You will visit: 1 5

You will see: 3



8.25 hours

from \$149.00

Enjoy a rigorous full day adventure that takes you via 4-wheel drive vehicle atop the majestic Mombacho Volcano for a guided hike along a crater. Enjoy a complimentary lunch in the colonial city of Granada and visit an overlook with stunning views of Lake Nicaragua and twin volcanoes Maderas and Concepcion.