

# Wild Earth Travel

*Small Ships, Big Adventures*

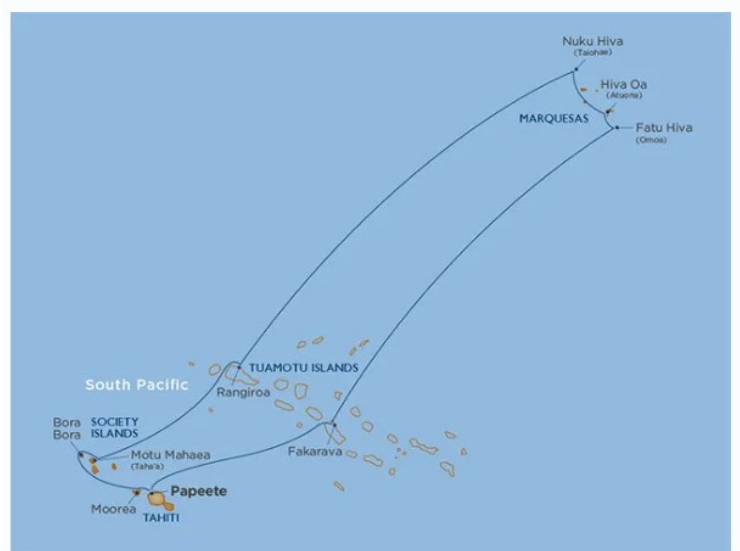


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## TAHITIAN TREASURES & MAGNIFICENT MARQUESAS CRUISE

Go beyond a typical Tahiti cruise during this island odyssey throughout French Polynesia and the remote Marquesas Islands. Follow in the creative footsteps of Symbolist artist Paul Gauguin as you explore his former home on Hiva Oa, then run your fingers along the hand-hewn surfaces of the largest Tiki sculptures found anywhere in the Pacific. Journey to Fakarava's lagoon, a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve teeming with seabirds and vibrant tropical fish. Admire colorful coral gardens from your glass-bottom boat near Tiputa on Rangiroa. Swim with playful manta rays and docile black-tipped reef sharks in Bora Bora's Blue Lagoon prior to a romantic starlit overnight port stay. Trek along Moorea's rolling Opunohu Valley trail past fruit plantations and through an exotic hardwood forest on your way to majestic views of Mount Mouaroa, Mount Rotu and Mount Tohiea—three of the highest summits in the Society Islands.



### ITINERARY

#### Days 1 - 2 Papeete

Relax on sunny beaches, sample Tahitian fare, and take in the effervescent spirit of the city. But whatever you do, save time – and luggage space – for shopping. Black pearls and colorful crafts fill the market and local treasures are so plentiful you'll have trouble making your choices but you won't be bothered with large crowds and big tour groups because French Tahiti is only accessible to small ships like ours.

#### Day 3 Fakarava

Here is a rare opportunity to experience one of earth's most beautiful – and most rare – places. Fakarava, a place so stunning, an ecosystem so diverse it has been named a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. This diver's paradise welcomes you to a world of magnificent cauliflower coral, sleek grey sharks, and neon schools of tropical fish. This "Island of Dreams" is home to rare species of nesting birds and rare marine life living in tranquil harmony.

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## Day 4 At Sea

## Day 5 Omoa, Fatu Hiva, Marquesas

Known as the Island of Tapa, a long-forgotten art elsewhere, Fatu Hiva, with its 650 inhabitants, has a remarkable coastline full of rich vegetation. The locals here live mainly on fishing, coprah producing and growing nono, a fruit with medicinal virtues. Meet the local artists and learn about their time-honored traditions

## Day 6 Atuona, Hiva Oa, Marquesas

The final home and resting place of painter Paul Gauguin and singer Jacques Brel, Hiva Oa is watched over by many large stone tiki statues and boasts the tallest peak in the Marquesas, Mount Temetiu at 3,980 feet. Relax on black-sand beaches or try the diving or snorkeling, said to be among the best or find the Tehueto Petroglyphs.

## Day 7 Taiohae, Nuku Hiva, Marquesas

The second largest island in French Polynesia, this remote island is full of natural beauty in its deep bays, lush valleys, rocky peaks and narrow cliffside roads where you might come upon wild ponies. Giant banyan trees are found around ancient marae temples and ceremonial stone platforms as well as tiki statues outside huts. Find the 40-foot-tall Tiki Tuhiva sitting atop Mount Muake. Another interest is Tohua Koueva Archaeological Site with detailed restoration of ancient Marquesan life.

## Day 8 At Sea

## Day 9 Rangiroa

Some people call this place heaven. You will call it perfect. The huge lagoon surrounded by beautiful coral and filled with colorful fish, rays, and dolphin is a diver's dream. Explore, with an optional tour, in a glass bottom boat, take a dive that matches your level of expertise, or enjoy the magic of drift snorkeling. This is a place like no other on earth.

## Day 10 At Sea

## Day 11 Motu Mahaea (Tahaa)

We will spend the day on a private island complete with swaying palm trees and white-sand beaches. Swim, snorkel and enjoy a variety of water sports in

the crystal-clear waters. There will be a delicious barbecue lunch and tropical drinks waiting for you. Explore Tahaa with optional excursions to discover the vanilla plantations and sacred sites of the island.

## Days 12 - 13 Bora Bora

Our stay here allows plenty of time to capture the beauty in photographs – and you'll want plenty. These stunning waters will show a different kaleidoscope of blue in each frame. You'll have lots of options for exploration, whether you prefer the access provided by a 4-by-4, or the thrill of riding in the open air. Stretch out on stunning white-sand beaches, dive and swim in brightly colored seas, or sail among the tiny islands and lagoons. But the highlight here will be the Windstar Exclusive Destination Discovery Event on a private mote complete with fird dancers. This is the stuff that dreams are made of and available to small ships.

## Day 14 Moorea & Papeete

Welcome to paradise, where your stunning surroundings soak up superlatives and call for more. In our stay here you'll have plenty of time to do it all. Be sure to consider the opportunity to hone your photography talents on an optional tour of the island in the company of a professional photographer. Your choices here are endless. Hike the majestic Three Coconut Trail. Visit dolphins in their native habitat. Or spend your time swimming and kayaking from Wind Spirit's Watersports Platform as we lay at anchor in these beautiful sapphire seas.

## Day 15 Papeete

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## YOUR SHIP: STAR BREEZE, STAR LEGEND & STAR PRIDE

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| <b>YOUR SHIP:</b>          | <b>Star Breeze, Star Legend &amp; Star Pride</b> |
| <b>VESSEL TYPE:</b>        | <b>Small Ship</b>                                |
| <b>LENGTH:</b>             | <b>522 ft (159 meters)</b>                       |
| <b>PASSENGER CAPACITY:</b> | <b>312</b>                                       |
| <b>BUILT/REFURBISHED:</b>  | <b>1988 / 2007</b>                               |



Star Breeze, Star Legend & Star Pride are large enough to pamper and entertain you, yet small enough to tuck into delightful tiny harbors and hidden coves that others can't reach. These all-suite yacht completed renovation as part of the \$250 Million Star Plus Initiative to provide more of what our guests love. New public areas, including two new dining venues, a new spa, infinity pool, and fitness area. The yachts also boast all new bathrooms in every suite and a new category of Star suites, featuring a new layout. With ocean views and at least 277 square feet of comfort, Star Breeze, Star Legend & Star Pride are the perfect yachts to watch glaciers and fjords drift by from the serenity of your suite.

Carrying only 312 guests, Star Breeze, Star Legend & Star Pride still tuck into small ports like Sanary-sur-Mer and Wrangell or narrow waterways like the Corinth Canal and Keil Canal.

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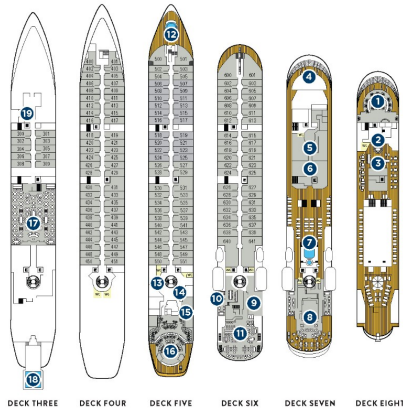
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## INSIDE YOUR SHIP

### STAR BREEZE STAR LEGEND

TRANSFORMED BY THE \$250  
MILLION STAR PLUS INITIATIVE  
ONBOARD SPACES

- 1 Yacht Club Cafe & Library
- 2 Star Bar
- 3 Star Grill by Steven Raichlen
- 4 Bridge
- 5 World Spa by Windstar
- 6 Fitness Center & Motion Studio
- 7 Pool and whirlpool
- 8 Veranda/Candies
- 9 Star Boutique
- 10 Quadro 44 by Anthony Sasso
- 11 Compass Rose
- 12 Whirlpool
- 13 Reception
- 14 Destination Office
- 15 Screening Room
- 16 Lounge
- 17 Amphora Restaurant
- 18 Watersports Platform
- 19 Medical Facility
- E Elevator
- WC Public Restroom



Cabin. From



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## PRICING

**19-Jun-2025 to 03-Jul-2025**

**Cabin. From 6999 USD pp**

**18-Sep-2025 to 02-Oct-2025**

**Cabin. From 6999 USD pp**

**26-Mar-2026 to 09-Apr-2026**

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