



The protected wilderness of the Lower Zambezi Valley in Zambia measures over 4,000 square kilometres and is home to over 2,200 African Elephant, one of the most intriguing animals found in the wild. During the dry season, when these majestic creatures concentrate on the banks of the Zambezi River, join world renowned Elephant expert and veterinarian **Dr Johan Marais** on a 4-day workshop to explore their complex social structures, behavioural patterns, genetics, their importance to wildlife areas and other mammal species, whilst gaining an insight into the management of elephants in fenced reserves.

Accompanied by our experienced guides, we observe these impressive mammals by motorised boat, canoe and from the comfort of a game drive vehicle in the diverse habitats offered in the Lower Zambezi Valley. Our fully equipped boardroom is the ideal venue for Johan’s lectures, interactive presentations and further discussion on this fascinating topic.

**Rates:** USD 3,370 per participant sharing  
**Dates:** 28 June – 02 July 2016

1. **Rates include:** 4 nights’ accommodation at Baines’ River Camp, all meals, workshop under professional guidance of Johan Marais, return flight Lusaka/ Baines/Lusaka (inclusive of all taxes and fees), all safari activities, Lower Zambezi National Park entry fees, community and conservation levies, daily laundry service, limited wireless internet connectivity, statutory service charge and VAT.
2. **Rates exclude:** Beverages, private use of game drive vehicles, boats or other facilities at Baines’ River Camp, angling tackle, any transfers other than specified under 1, purchases of a personal nature, beauty treatments.
3. **Conservation contributions:** the package rate covers a **US\$ 200** donation to Conservation Lower Zambezi and Saving the Survivors ([www.conservationlowerzambezi.org](http://www.conservationlowerzambezi.org), [www.savingthesurvivors.org](http://www.savingthesurvivors.org)).
4. **Essentials to pack:** binoculars, camera, sunglasses, sun block, wide brimmed hat, comfortable shoes, clothing in neutral colours that can be layered, a warm jacket for the early mornings and evenings.
5. **Rates:** Rates are quoted on a sharing basis. Supplementary charges of US\$ 400 apply to single travellers .
6. **Terms & Conditions:** These packages cannot be combined with other special offers or discounted rates. Please see our *General Terms & Conditions* for full details.

Meet your expert guide and host:  
**Johan Marais**



Johan grew up in Namibia’s Etosha and has an unusual passion for elephants since his childhood. When he is not lecturing students, he leads rescue operations as co-founder of Saving the Survivors and travels across Africa to research, promote and implement the least invasive ways to manage elephant herds in fenced wildlife areas. His extensive research and photographic skills resulted in the bestseller “*Great Tuskers of Africa*” [www.johanmarais.com](http://www.johanmarais.com)



