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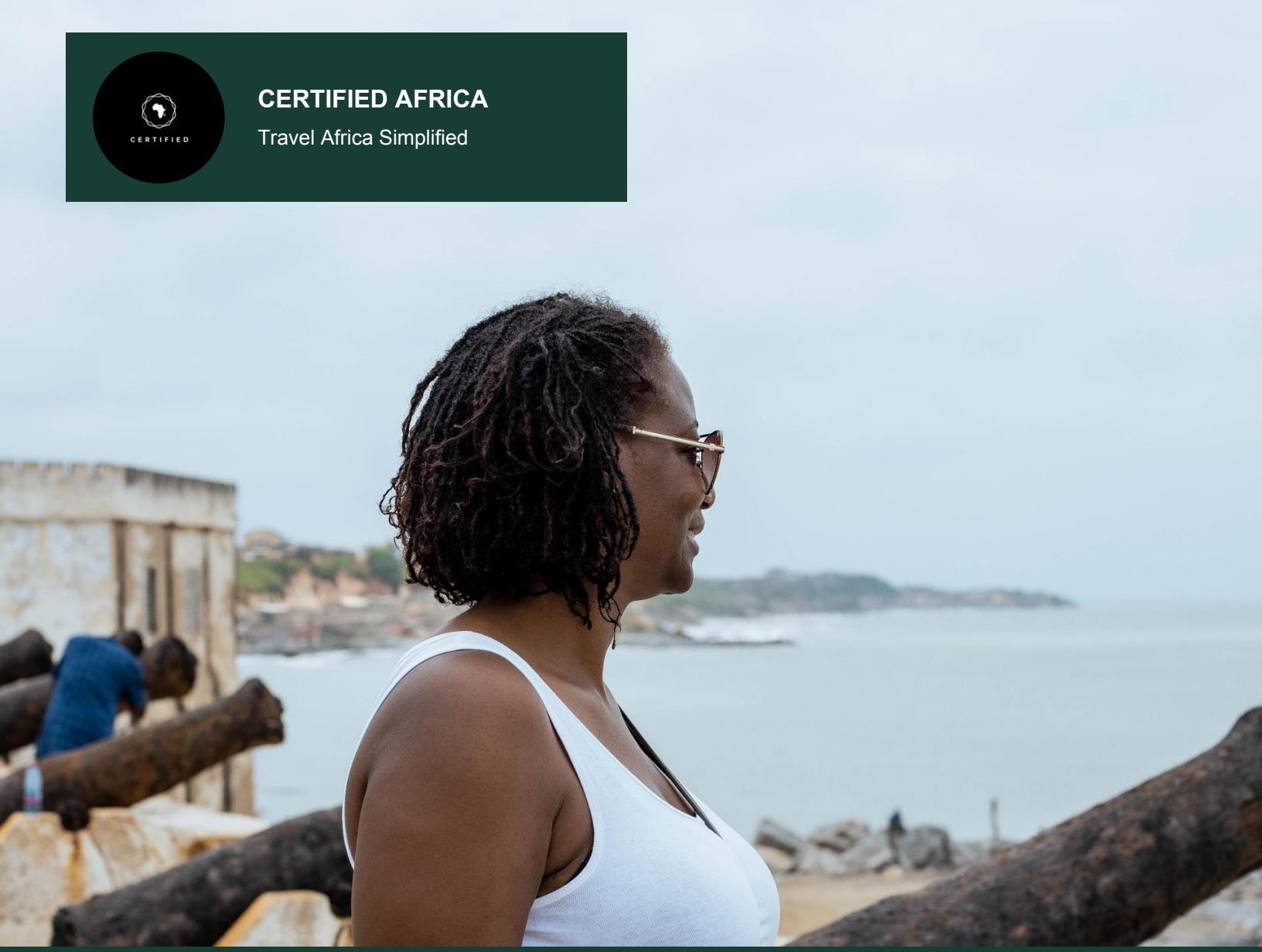

A SEASON OF HERITAGE, CULTURE & CONNECTION

GHANA NEW YEAR'S

Experience 2027

DECEMBER 27, 2027–JANUARY 3, 2028

8 days / Accra · Assin Manso · Cape Coast

Remember your roots. Discover your rhythm.

HERITAGE • CULTURE • NEW CONNECTIONS

A meaningful journey.
A season to remember.

More than a holiday.
A sense of belonging.

Experience Ghana with the Certified Africa Ghana team: moments of remembrance in the Central Region, a traditional naming ceremony, and the energy of Accra. Discover music, food, fashion, and local craftsmanship, with time to unwind and connect. This eight-day experience spans the close of 2027 and the beginning of 2028.

01

Remember

Assin Manso, Cape Coast Castle, and space for reflection.

02

Discover

Accra's history, Ghanaian flavors, music, fashion, and artisans.

03

Connect

A naming ceremony, shared experiences, and new friendships.

YOUR JOURNEY • WELCOME & REMEMBRANCE

Akwaaba.
A return to your roots.

DAY 01

A warm welcome to Ghana

Arrive in Ghana for a warm welcome and the beginning of your cultural journey. Airport pickup and accommodation are included, with the Certified Africa team supporting your experience.

DAY 02

Assin Manso, Cape Coast & your Ghanaian name

Journey to Assin Manso Slave River for solemn remembrance, libation, prayers, and quiet reflection. Explore Cape Coast Castle with a local guide, including the dungeons and Door of No Return, followed by candlelit reflection. Receive a Ghanaian name from local elders through cultural prayers, drumming, libation, and blessings.

Recommended attire: All white, in respect for remembrance and spiritual grounding. Discuss any symbolic offering with the team so it can be arranged respectfully.

YOUR JOURNEY • FLAVORS, RHYTHMS & STORIES

Taste the culture. Discover the capital.

DAY 03

Taste the Culture — a Black Star Experience

Discover traditional drumming, highlife, Afrobeats, and contemporary Ghanaian sounds. Taste dishes such as jollof, waakye, banku, fufu, kelewele, and groundnut soup. Meet chefs, artisans, and designers; explore kente, adinkra, and contemporary fashion.

DAY 04

Your day, your way

Rest at your accommodation, explore the neighborhood, or shop for souvenirs. The Certified Africa team is available for support and recommendations. Breakfast is included; independent activities are at your own expense.

DAY 05

Certified Africa’s exclusive Accra city tour

Explore Independence Square, Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park, W.E.B. Du Bois Museum, and Arts Centre Market, with scenic stops and storytelling along the way. Discover the history, creativity, crafts, and textiles of Ghana’s capital.

YOUR JOURNEY • LEISURE & CELEBRATION

Your time. Your rhythm. A new chapter ahead.

DAY 06

Free day & optional AfroFuture

Enjoy a leisurely day to rest, explore, or revisit favorite places. AfroFuture participation is optional: confirm festival dates, availability, ticket costs, and transport with Certified Africa. Admission is not stated as included.

DAY 07

Shopping & celebration preparations

Browse Accra’s craft markets and boutiques for Ghanaian fashion, textiles, and souvenirs. Take time to relax and prepare for the festivities. Breakfast is included. The final placement of this activity needs confirmation.

DAY 08

Celebration & departure — timing to confirm

The source describes New Year’s Eve options at Bella Afrikana or Pram Pram, with music, dancing, and an airport transfer based on flights. Confirm celebration timing, venue, costs, and transfers before booking flights.

Schedule note: The listed trip runs Dec 27, 2027–Jan 3, 2028, but the source places New Year’s Eve on Day 8 and says “Ring in 2027.” New Year’s Eve in this travel period is Dec 31, 2027, welcoming 2028. Day order and celebration timing require organizer confirmation.

MAKE THE JOURNEY YOURS

Your place in the experience.

Rates are per person in USD. International round-trip flights are not included.

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

$3,000

Share a room with one person.
One bed available upon request.

$200 deposit per person

SINGLE OCCUPANCY

$4,000

A single-occupancy room.
Your own space to unwind.

$200 deposit per person

Included in your journey

- Airport pickup and drop-off
- Scheduled ground transportation
- Accommodation
- Guides and support team
- Entry fees
- Cape Coast Castle ceremony
- Accra city tour
- Traditional naming ceremony

Plan separately

International round-trip flights; visa; yellow fever vaccination; travel medical insurance; incidentals; tips and gratuities; non-itinerary activities; and some meals. Optional add-ons cost extra.

Breakfast is explicitly listed on Days 4 and 7 only. Confirm all other meal coverage, festival tickets, and celebration admission before booking. Rates and availability may change before confirmation.

MAKE IT PERSONAL • OPTIONAL ADD-ONS

More ways to discover. Plan the details with care.

KUMASI DAY EXPERIENCE

$350

$50 deposit

Add a day experience in Kumasi, with transportation and a round-trip flight to Kumasi listed in the add-on. Confirm the date, detailed activities, and availability with Certified Africa before purchasing.

VISA ON ARRIVAL

$350

An optional visa-on-arrival service is listed. Confirm eligibility, required documents, advance arrangements, and processing directly with Certified Africa. Do not assume this replaces pre-travel authorization or applies to every passport.

BEFORE YOU TRAVEL

Arrive prepared. Travel with peace of mind.

01

Dates & flights

The listed dates are Dec 27, 2027–Jan 3, 2028. The source's New Year's Eve placement conflicts with these dates. Confirm the final daily schedule, celebration timing, festival availability, and airport transfer windows before buying flights.

02

Documents & health

Travelers are responsible for passports, visas, and correct travel documents. Names must match passports exactly. Verify Ghana's current entry and health requirements with the relevant authorities. Visa and yellow fever vaccination costs are excluded from the base package.

03

Required insurance

Travel medical insurance must include emergency medical coverage, emergency medical evacuation, and repatriation of remains. Proof is due 60 days before departure. U.S. health insurance will most likely not meet these requirements.

04

Activity & respect

Certified Africa requires travelers to walk at least 5 miles each day independently. Consult your physician about fitness to travel. Follow local guidance during remembrance and naming ceremonies; all-white attire is recommended for Day 2. Itinerary details and suppliers may change.

THOUGHTFUL PLANNING

Know before you book.

Refunds & cancellations

Cancel within 48 hours of booking for a full refund. After 48 hours, the deposit and all future payments are non-refundable. Refunds can only be processed once funds have settled; payments may take approximately 4 business days or more to arrive.

Payment plans & final payment

Plans require automated monthly card payments beginning the month after booking. Date changes must be requested at least 72 hours before payment. A third failed payment attempt incurs an interest fee; two missed monthly payments may lead to cancellation. Reinstatement is available within 7 calendar days by paying all past-due amounts. Final payment is due as stated in your confirmation: after 3 business days late, a $100 penalty applies; after 7 business days, Certified Africa may cancel.

Roommates, transfers & changes

Roommate matching is a courtesy, not a guarantee. If unmatched 90 days before departure, the single supplement is required and may be paid over the final 3 months. Transfer to another traveler by email carries a $199 fee. Prices may change before confirmation; post-booking occupancy changes use current prices. Itineraries may change due to availability or vendors, with equivalent substitutions for major changes.

Protect your journey

Comprehensive trip-cancellation insurance, including a “Cancel for Any Reason” option, is strongly recommended. Coverage and reimbursement depend on your policy. Trips canceled for reasons beyond Certified Africa’s control may be rescheduled; refunds for travelers unable to attend new dates are not guaranteed. Participation includes photo/video-use permission under the booking terms.

Policy summary only. Review the full booking terms, including liability provisions and traveler responsibilities, before purchasing. By purchasing, you are bound by those terms.

Your next chapter begins in Ghana.

View availability & book your journey

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