



Kuyay Travel



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CHILEAN PATAGONIA EXPRESS - 9 days

This customizable tour showcases the **Best of Chile's Southern Reaches**.
You will be amazed at what you can experience in such a short time!



- Each program includes the following:
- Internal airfare from Santiago,
 - All airport and hotel transfers,
 - Excursions mentioned in itinerary, and
 - Lodging w/ breakfasts in hotels per selected program.
 - **Daily departures Nov-Mar, weekly Apr-Oct**



Base Program

US\$ **1,890** p/p
\$400 single supplement

Lodging for Base Program	
Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Montecarlo
Puerto Varas	Terrazas
Puerto Natales	Glaciares



Viña del Mar
Valparaiso
Day 2

Santiago
Days 1, 3, 9

with Lodging Upgrade A

US\$ **2,290** p/p
\$600 single supplement

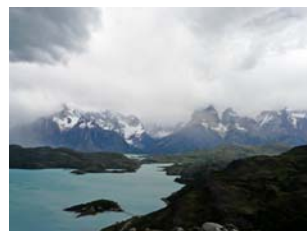
Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Diego de Velazquez
Puerto Varas	Cabanas del Lago (Standard)
Puerto Natales	Indigo (Standard)



with Lodging Upgrade B

US\$ **2,690** p/p
\$900 single supplement

Destination	Hotel
Santiago	Kennedy
Puerto Varas	Cabanas del Lago (Superior)
Puerto Natales	Indigo (Suite)



Puerto Varas
Days 4, 5

Puerto Montt

Torres del Paine
Day 7

Puerto Natales
Days 6, 8

Punta Arenas

Trip Itinerary

may be tailored in any way

Day 1

Santiago

Arrive into **Santiago's** International Airport, where a private transfer will be waiting to take you to your hotel for the next 3 nights. This afternoon you have the chance to see Santiago in detail through an **afternoon City Tour** visiting all the key sites, ending with an optional **"Pisco Sour"**, Chile's national drink. Transfer back to your hotel.

Day 2

Santiago

After breakfast you will take a **day trip to Chile's coast**, passing through the **Curacavi** and **Casablanca valleys**, the latter known for the production of award winning wines. Then you will continue on to the legislative capitol of the country, the hillside port city of **Valparaiso** with its winding streets, and then on to the beach resort city of **Viña del Mar**, visiting its casino and beaches. You will get to enjoy a seafood lunch (price not included in program) before returning to Santiago.

Day 3

Santiago

Today you'll have a **half day tour of 1 of the largest wineries** in Chile. The tour will give you the opportunity to learn about the history of winemaking in Chile, as well as that of the families who built these enterprises from the ground up. You will also get to taste just what makes their wines so successful. Tonight you can enjoy an **Easter Island themed Dinner Show**.

Day 4

Puerto Varas

Private transfer to the airport for your morning flight to the southern city of **Puerto Montt**. Transfer for the short drive to **Puerto Varas**, the "City of Roses", where you will check in your hotel with a view of the lake and volcanoes. You will have an **afternoon trip up the Osorno Volcano** or a **tour around the west side of Lake Llanquihue**, Chile's 2nd largest lake, giving you an insight into the daily lives of the original German immigrants who began settling in this far region during the 1850s. You will visit the lakeside towns of **Frutillar** with its open-air museum and **Puerto Octay** on the northern corner of the lake where you will have lunch. Then you will return and have the remainder of the afternoon and evening free.

Day 5

Puerto Varas

Today you have several options to choose from, including: (1) **Full day trip to the island of Chiloe**, where you will experience the unique culture and architecture, including the construction of houses over the water known as "palafitos", (2) **Full day trip through the Perez Rosales National Park, Petrohue Falls and on to Lake Todos Los Santos**, where you will take a catamaran across the lake, with views of both the **Osorno** and **Puntiagudo Volcanoes**, to **Peulla**, where you can have an optional lunch and activities, (3) **Whitewater rafting** (level III) on the Petrohue River, (4) **Canyoning** down some of the many waterfalls in the area, (5) **Various full day trekking trips** among other activities.

Day 6

Puerto Natales

Transfer to the airport outside Puerto Montt for your flight down to **Punta Arenas**, where you will have a shared transfer of approximately 3 hours to the port city of **Puerto Natales** on the **Last Hope Sound**, and check into your room for the next three nights. You will have the **remainder of the afternoon free** to recharge your batteries for your next adventure.

Day 7

Puerto Natales

Today you will have a **full day in the monumental Torres del Paine National Park**, declared a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. You will be immersed in a special microclimate filled with unique flora and fauna, witnessing **Patagonian foxes, guanacos** (American camels) and huge **condors**, all amid numerous lakes at the foot of the immense Towers and Horns.

Day 8

Puerto Natales

This morning you will take a **day cruise from Puerto Natales through the Bernardo O'Higgins National Park to visit the Balmaceda and Serrano glaciers**. After approximately 4 hours of navigation, you will have the chance to disembark and hike through native forest to arrive at a lagoon filled with icebergs at the foot of the Serrano Glacier. Optional lunch in the Estancia Perales. Late afternoon transfer to Puerto Natales.

Day 9

Santiago - Home

Transfer to the airport just outside Punta Arenas for your flight back to Santiago, or wherever your destination might be!

Why should I book a tour with Kuyay Travel ?

- We are a **Gay-Owned and Operated** Tour Operator and Vacation Planner located in beautiful Puerto Varas, Chile. (Kuyay means "brotherly love" in Quechua.)
- We are the owners and operators, so planning, decision-making and problem solving are quick. We pride ourselves on the level of **Personalized Service** we offer our clients. Our #1 priority is to give you the best travel experience of your life!
- There are no "middlemen", so by keeping our overhead low and working only with local operators, **our prices are nearly as amazing as Patagonia itself!**
- **Get outdoors again**, hike through some of the last remaining temperate rainforests on the planet, fill your lungs with pure air and witness Patagonia!

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Want to **extend** your Patagonian vacation?

- Explore **Torres del Paine** in more detail
- Walk on the **MOON** (the Moon Valley) in **San Pedro de Atacama**
- Fly out to **Easter Island** and stand among the Moai
- Live it up in **Buenos Aires** with the gay nightlife and shopping
- Witness the amazing beauty of **Iguassu Falls**
- Hit the amazing beaches in **Rio de Janiero**