

# Have Three Weeks for a Vacation? There Are Trips for You

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On the Alaska and Canadian Rockies Tour. John Hall's Alaska

Sometimes, a week of vacation just isn't enough, and travelers who can spare the time for a longer getaway have plenty of choices: Travel companies today are increasingly offering itineraries that span three weeks or more.

Down Under Answers, for example, has a [22-day tour](#) of New Zealand that starts in Christchurch and includes visits to Queenstown, Auckland and Stewart Island in the country's far south. Prices begin at \$8,825 a person inclusive of accommodations, tours and most meals. Departure dates are available throughout the year.

More than twice as long is the 47-day [Great Silk Road Adventure](#) from Wild Frontiers; the trip takes a major branch of the Silk Road from Beijing to Istanbul. Departs Sept. 11, 2017; £10,000 a person is all inclusive except for

flights.

Those who want to mix a land trip with a cruise can consider the [23-Day Alaska and Canadian Rockies Tour](#) from John Hall's Alaska. During the 16-day land portion, travelers take in the landscape of the Canadian Rockies from a luxury motorbus and also tour Denali National Park and Preserve in Alaska. Then there's a seven-day Royal Caribbean cruise where they can see the majestic Hubbard Glacier. Travelers can join the waiting list for a tour in 2018. Prices start at \$8,100 a person.

Europe is part of the mix too. On the private three-week [Adventure and Romance Tour of Italy](#) and Greece, travelers take a moonlit gondola ride in Venice, explore the seaside terraced villages of Cinque Terre and relax on the beaches in Santorini. Prices are from \$6,600 a person inclusive of some meals.

These extended getaways aren't just for retirees and the deep-pocketed, said Susan Sparks, a travel adviser at [Points of Interest Travel](#) in Aspen, Colo. "Even younger people can take longer breaks because it's so easy today to work when you're on the road," she said. "Also, while there are plenty of high-end multiweek trips, there are as many affordable options too."

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