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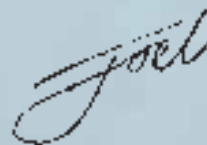
Austravel have been providing travellers to Australasia with tailor-made holidays since 1977, and pride ourselves on our insider knowledge and unrivalled expert service. All our Travel Designers have travelled extensively and are keen to share their 'Austravel Secrets' with you.

Australia, New Zealand and the South Pacific offer their visitors a wide array of holiday choices – from stunning beaches to vibrant cities; from island escapes to luxury cruises - and so much more. Choosing where to go, how to get there, and what to do whilst there can be a daunting task – so allow Austravel to help you along the way.

Austravel 'Journeys' is our new guide to help provide that extra inspiration to create a once in a lifetime holiday - just as you want it. As well as the iconic holidays, we have included ideas for those who are looking to include an island getaway, get close to nature, or a taste of local culture. Travel styles for all are included, whether you prefer to join an escorted tour, board an epic train or travel more independently.

A journey is not just a means of getting from A to B, but a trip which will stay with you forever. Let Austravel piece together your dream trip!

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Joel Saunders  
Managing Director



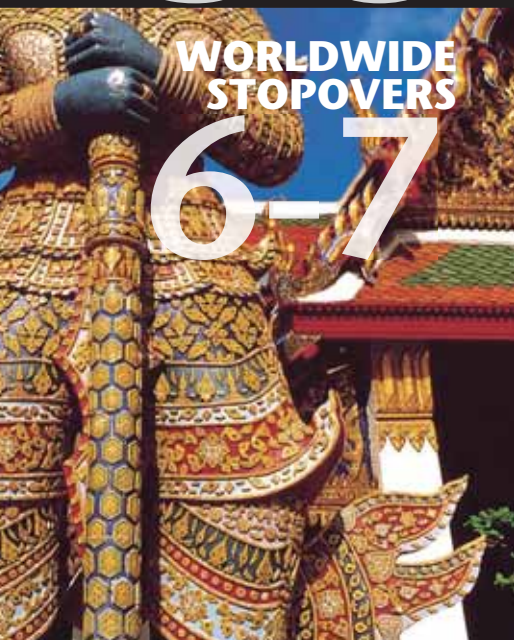
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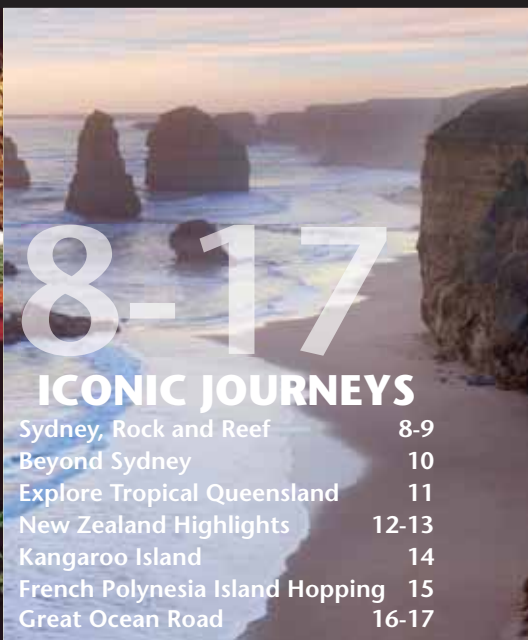


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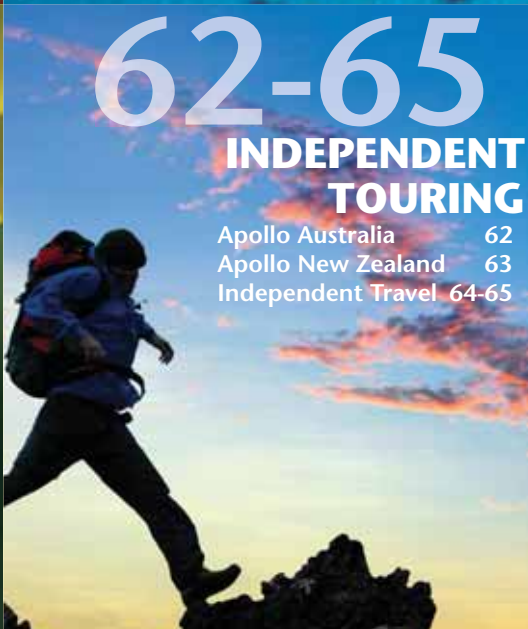
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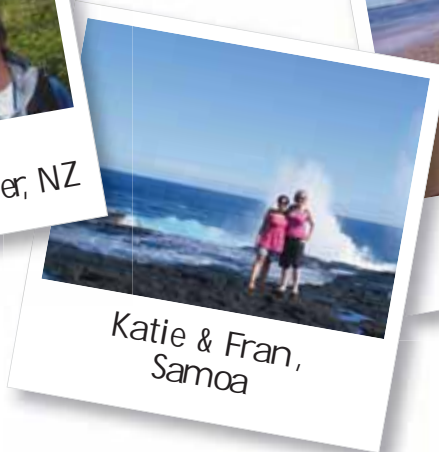
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Austravel has been awarded Tourism Australia's Travel Company of the Year three times in recent years, recognising our expert knowledge of Australia. There is no better endorsement of our passion and commitment than that. Being Australia and New Zealand specialists you can rest assured that our teams will use their intimate knowledge of these wonderful countries to best suit your preferences and budget. Offering an unbiased, informed opinion with a professional attitude our Travel Designers are passionate about travel, ensuring that

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Dan,  
Franz Josef Glacier, NZ



Katie & Fran,  
Samoa



Simon,  
Fraser Island, AUS



#### LUXURY

Perfect for a romantic escape or the trip of a lifetime, from luxurious lodges to private spa pools.



#### ADVENTURE

Get off the beaten track with touring options which explore the vast landscapes of Australasia.



#### SELF DRIVE

Explore scenic countryside, rugged coastlines and wild outback at your own pace.



#### TRAIN

Iconic Outback to stunning coastal landscapes, take a train journey and sit back and enjoy the view.



#### CRUISE

With miles of untouched coastline, cruising provides a great way to explore a multitude of destinations.



#### ESCORTED TOURING

Get the most out of your trip with an escorted tour, experienced guides showing the best attractions on offer in every destination.



#### FAMILY

As a year round destination, whenever you travel downunder you'll find activities and experiences for the whole family.



#### FLIGHTS

Catch a domestic flight within Australia or New Zealand to maximise your trip, or island hop in the South Pacific.





## KEY PARTNERS

Here at Austravel we have worked hard to build special relationships with all of our partners and we continue to work hard in a commitment to providing you with the very best prices. Our continued success means we have a significant buying power allowing us to be totally confident in offering you complete value for money.



Whether you fancy hiking through the Kimberley or sipping a latte in Wellington, APT will provide a portrait of Australasia, not just a snapshot. Choose from a range of touring options to ensure you experience your dream holiday.



With a multitude of depots across both Australia and New Zealand, plus a fantastic range of vehicles available to suit all budgets and road trips, Avis are the best choice for your self drive adventure downunder.



As a proudly Australian, family owned company, Apollo Motorhome Holidays strives to exceed your expectations with award winning service. Offering a wide range of top quality motorhomes and campervans for hire, this is a great way to discover Australia and New Zealand at your own pace.

## GREAT SOUTHERN RAIL



An alliance between Australia's major tourist orientated rail operators, including the iconic Indian Pacific and Ghan, which travel through the heart of Australia.



For more than 145 years Queensland Rail has been part of the iconic Queensland landscape. The Sunlander has been chosen as one of the world's top 25 journeys – see the stunning coastline evolve from the comfort of your seat.

