

FROM HELSINKI: COASTAL ELEGANCE TO LAPLAND'S NORTHERN SKIES

# Arctic Finland Highlights & Northern Lights

Helsinki | Rovaniemi | Saariselkä  
7 Days | 6 Nights

Travel style:  
Guided highlights with independent leisure time



## Why You'll **Love** This Trip

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Discover the magic of Finland in winter as you travel from the vibrant streets of Helsinki to the peaceful wilderness of Lapland. This journey combines culture, Arctic nature, and unforgettable Northern Lights experiences, offering a perfect balance of guided adventures and relaxed free time. With scenic train journeys, iconic winter activities, and unique northern stays, this is a true Finnish winter escape.

## What You'll Experience

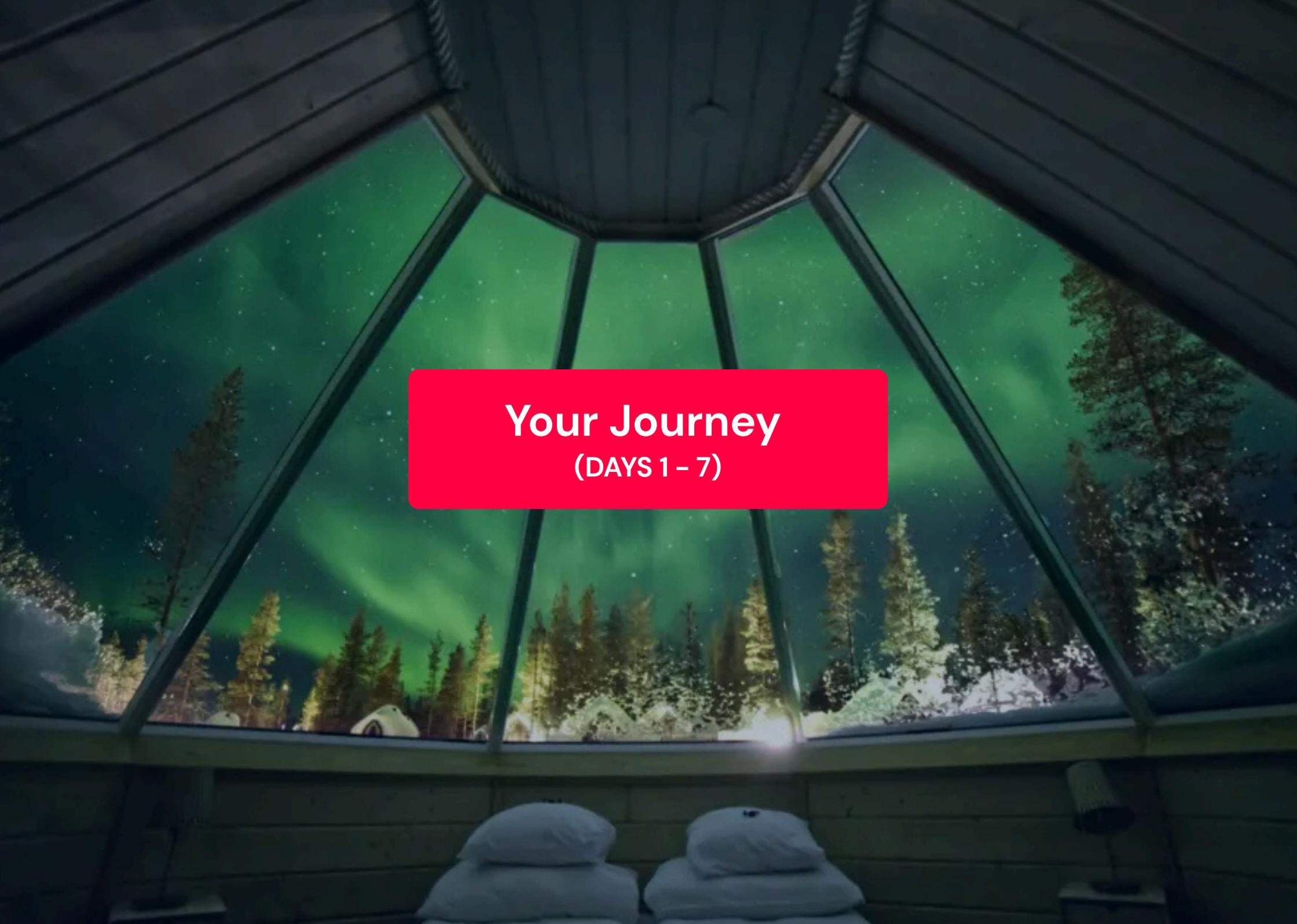
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This winter itinerary takes you deep into the heart of Finnish Lapland while showcasing the country's most iconic highlights.

You will:

- Explore Helsinki's landmarks on a guided walking tour
- Travel north on the overnight Santa Claus Express train
- Enjoy multiple guided Northern Lights hunts
- Visit reindeer and husky farms and Santa Claus Village
- Discover Arctic wildlife in natural surroundings
- Stay overnight in a Northern Lights cabin in the Lapland wilderness





**Your Journey**  
(DAYS 1 - 7)



## DAY 1 – HELSINKI

Enjoy your first introduction to Nordic culture, design, and atmosphere

- Arrive in Helsinki and make your own way to your accommodation
- Check in to your centrally located hotel
- Spend the rest of the day at leisure exploring the city



## DAY 2 – HELSINKI

Discover Helsinki's key highlights before beginning your memorable journey north toward the Arctic Circle.

- Join a guided walking tour highlighting Helsinki's most well-known landmarks
- Enjoy free time to explore the city at your own pace after the tour
- Make your own way to Helsinki Central Station
- Board the overnight Santa Claus Express to Lapland, travelling in a private sleeper cabin

## DAY 3 – ROVANIEMI

Arrive in Rovaniemi and discover Lapland's winter scenery and Arctic experiences under the northern skies.

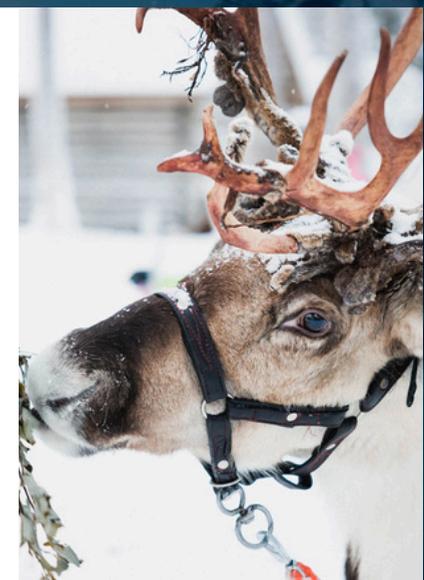
- Arrive in Rovaniemi and make your own way to your hotel
- Check in and enjoy free time during the day
- Head out in the evening on a guided Northern Lights chase



## DAY 4 – ROVANIEMI

Take part in Arctic experiences by day, with Northern Lights viewing in the evening.

- Set out on a full-day Arctic experience visiting reindeer and husky farms
- Enjoy free time at Santa Claus Village on the Arctic Circle
- Return to Rovaniemi for leisure time
- Join a small-group Northern Lights hunt in the evening





## DAY 5 – ROVANIEMI

Observe Arctic wildlife in its natural environment in Ranua Wildlife park and enjoy the calm rhythm of Lapland life.

- Join an Arctic wildlife excursion to observe native animals in natural surroundings
- Over 50 Arctic animals to be seen
- Spend the rest of the day at leisure in Rovaniemi



## DAY 6 – SAARISELKÄ

Travel deeper into Lapland's wilderness for a truly remote northern stay surrounded by Arctic nature

- Transfer independently to the bus station and travel through scenic Lapland landscapes
- Travel through scenic Lapland landscapes to Saariselkä by coach
- Check in to your Northern Lights cabin accommodation
- Enjoy leisure time surrounded by Arctic nature

## DAY 7 – DEPARTURE

Conclude your Lapland winter journey, taking home unforgettable memories.

- Enjoy breakfast at the resort
- Transfer independently to Ivalo Airport
- Depart Finland



# What is Included

- **6 nights accommodation** in hotels and a Northern Lights cabin
- **Daily breakfast** and selected meals
- **Overnight Santa Claus Express train** in a private sleeper cabin
- **Guided city walking tour** in Helsinki
- **Multiple Northern Lights excursions**
- **Reindeer and husky experiences**
- **Arctic wildlife visit**
- **Winter clothing** on selected activities
- **Professional local guides**



# Make it Even More Special

Make your journey even more special with optional add-ons such as:

- Day cruise to Tallinn, Helsinki port transfers included
- Snowmobiling adventure at the Arctic Circle
- Polar Explorer Icebreaker cruise with ice floating
- Guided hike to frozen waterfalls in Lapland



# Good to *Know* Before You Go

- The Northern Lights are a natural phenomenon and cannot be guaranteed
- Winter temperatures can be very cold, especially in Lapland
- Daylight hours are shorter during the winter months
- Some activities may be subject to weather conditions

# Is This Trip *Right* for You?

- Want multiple chances to see the Northern Lights
- Enjoy a mix of guided experiences and free time
- Are comfortable traveling in winter conditions

# General *Information*

## Best Time to Travel

- This itinerary is best enjoyed between November and March, when winter landscapes, snow-based activities, and Northern Lights conditions are at their best.

## Accommodation Style

- Stay in a combination of comfortable, centrally located city hotels and atmospheric Arctic accommodations. In Lapland, you'll enjoy a unique overnight stay in a Northern Lights cabin, offering comfort, privacy, and excellent opportunities to experience the Arctic night sky.

## Pace & Physical Level

- This journey is designed at a comfortable, moderate pace, combining guided activities with free time. Suitable for travelers with normal mobility and an interest in winter experiences.

# What is *Not Included*

- Flights, unless otherwise stated
- Airport taxes, city taxes, and local tourism fees payable on-site
- Optional activities and upgrades not listed as included
- Personal expenses such as meals, drinks, and souvenirs not mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel insurance and personal insurance
- Tips and gratuities, unless explicitly stated