

# DAY ONE

Arrival in Brazil transfer from airport to hotel for lunch and time to relax in the afternoon.

Sunset golden cocktail at Sugar Loaf Mountain

Evening: Dinner at Fogo do Chão, a churrasco restaurant in Botafogo with views of Sugar Loaf and the Guanabara Bay.



# DAY TWO

Breakfast at hotel.

Jeep tour to the Corcovado and Tijuca Forest - a day for exploring Rio's ecological treasures!

Drive by jeep to Corcovado before continuing up to the **statue of Christ the Redeemer**.

Corcovado is one of the "musts" of any visit to Rio. The route passes along Rio's beautiful beaches and round the Rodrigo de Freitas lagoon to olde-worlde Cosme Velho and its historic mansions.

Travel on to Tijuca Forest - the largest "city forest" in the world. Lunch at Os Esquilos, a colonial style restaurant set in the middle of the rainforest. Return to hotel mid-afternoon.

Evening: Informal dinner and dancing at Lapa district.

# DAY THREE

Breakfast at hotel.

Tropical Island Schooner Cruise.

Drive through the fields and plantations on the way to the fishing village of Itacuruca before boarding a “saveiro” schooning vessel for a relaxing cruise on the green waters of Sepetiba Bay on the way to the tropical Regente Feijo Island.

Stop along the way for a swim before enjoying a tantalising buffet luncheon on the Island. After lunch, explore the island, take a swim or play beach soccer or volleyball before the refreshing cruise back to Itacuruca.

Return to Rio for dinner at Marius for a seafood buffet.

# DAY FOUR



Breakfast at hotel & morning at leisure.

Horse racing and a visit to Maracanã Stadium.

A visit to the world-famous Maracana football stadium, followed by a 3-course lunch at the Photochart Restaurant at the Jockey Club before the start of the afternoon's racing.

Farewell gala dinner at Casa das Canoas an cosy colonial house which was formerly a coffee farm.

Casa das Canoas is a great venue for cultural, social events, private functions .

## Day 5

Transfer to airport.