



## THE ZAMBEZI QUEEN & THE CHOBE PRINCESSES

Mantis is proud to announce the joining of forces of the renowned Zambezi Queen luxury river boat with the smaller Ichobezi Safariboats, including The Pride of the Zambezi. The three safari boats, renamed the Chobe Princesses, now form part of the Mantis Collection of privately owned boutique and luxury eco escapes.

The ever elegant Zambezi Queen and her three Chobe Princesses make up the ZQ Collection. Located on the great Chobe River, conveniently close to Kasane, these luxurious boats capture the spirit and adventure of a bygone era in a contemporary African setting.

Explore up to 50 kilometres of the remote Zambezi and Chobe riverine ecosystems. The Chobe River borders the 1.4 million hectare Chobe Game Reserve, and the ZQ Collection offers the unique opportunity to experience superb game viewing from on board the boats rather than a standard safari in the back of a game viewing vehicle.

Chobe is famous both locally and internationally for fantastic game viewing, most notably its huge herds of elephant. Other members of Africa's Big 5 (lion, leopard and buffalo) can also be seen, along with giraffe, zebra, wild dog, hippo and a multitude of antelope species. The birdlife too is equally impressive with over 420 bird species spotted on a regular basis. Enjoy unobstructed views as the boats cruise under the wide blue sky; gliding past herds on the riverbanks. Both the Zambezi Queen and Chobe Princesses have their own small, easily manoeuvrable tender boats which get right up to wildlife at the water's edge and are fantastic for photographic safaris. The Chobe River is also a premier fishing destination for bream and Tiger, one of the world's most sought after fighting fish.

Between all these activities guests can make the most of their stylish surroundings on board - a pair of binoculars close at hand. There really is no better way to relax and enjoy a 5-star river safari.

The 3 Chobe Princesses have all recently undergone a major refurbishment. The entertainment decks has been completely revamped, air-conditioning has been added to all the suites, and the boats now have a contemporary look and feel that's similar to the much-loved Zambezi Queen.





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Reservations for the Chobe Princesses will be handled at our Johannesburg contact addresses until further notice, and the Zambezi Queen can be booked from our offices in Cape Town.

**Ichingo Chobe River Lodge** does not fall within the Zambezi Queen (ZQ) Collection, but is now part of Mantis. The lodge has not undergone extensive changes, but over the year some minor upgrades will be affected in order to ensure it maintains its reputation as a beautiful, intimate retreat providing wonderful accommodation on the Chobe River.



ZAMBEZI QUEEN  
LUXURY AFRICAN RIVER SAFARI

CHOBE 1 PRINCESS

CHOBE 2 PRINCESS

CHOBE 3 PRINCESS

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