

BACK TO THE PAST



In February 1541 Francisco de Orellana a Spanish adventurer left Quito (Ecuador) heading East in search of the Eldorado. After crossing the Andes with great difficulty he reached a river, where two improvised brigantines were built. Then, in December 1541, 60 men, started to sail downstream over

Amazon's Indians were at stone age in 1542 Ecuadorian, Peruvian and Brazilian rivers. In June 1542 short after sailing over the

Meeting of the Waters, they entered the territory of the Amazons where a violent skirmish with these warrior women took place. In August 1542, with few men on a single boat, Orellana's expedition finally reached the Atlantic Ocean, after an amazing 19 months journey.



Yanomami boy

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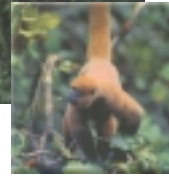
Departure in motorized canoe to visit riverbanks and flooded forest.

Wildlife cries can be easily heard while on board.

Jungle Trek



Labyrinth of dense equatorial plants and trees



A jungle survivor expert, will lead you through a trail deep in the forest. Exotic birds and even monkeys may be observed.

Sunset tour

Just take a boat at 17:00.



Meeting of the Waters

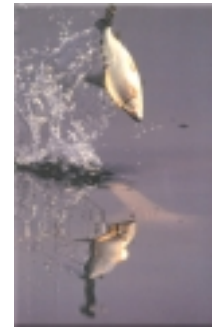
Take a riverboat to ride up the dark waters of the mysterious Rio Negro. Just a few miles further the mighty Solimões river and the Rio Negro meet, forming the Amazon river.



River banks are separated by span of 11 miles (18km)

Fishing

An experienced fishing guide will take you where there are many large and delicious fish like pintado, tucunaré, jaraqui and the voracious piranha.



Tasty jaraqui tries to scape from pink dolphin

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Breathtaking picture of 400 islands in Rio Negro.

Alligator spotting



Caiman may weight up to 680 pounds (300kg)

What about catching an alligator at evening armed only with a flashlight and bare hands? Impossible? Take the tour and you will know how.

Visit to local's house

Learn about the way of life and integration with nature of native inhabitants descendants of the Indians.



Caboclo's dwelling

Manaus city tour

Your scenic drive takes you through interesting buildings and places including the Customs House, Opera House, Indian Museum and Military Zoo.



Baby capybaras at Zoo