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MORE THAN JUST A PRETTY FACE





Krka National Park



Octopus salad



Nikola Bašić's *Sun Salutation* is one of the most unique attractions in Zadar



A walk along the Adriatic coast is highly recommended

Pit stops are the make-or-break points of a road trip, and one of Munjal and Taneja's favourites was in Zadar, a 40-hectare peninsula framed by the Adriatic sea—a small city that's big on history. Walks here unravel medieval towns, Roman ruins and the fishing ports of Dalmatia. "At the restaurant Pet Bunara, try Dalmatian specialities like octopus salad," suggests Taneja.

Alfred Hitchcock praised Zadar for having one of the most beautiful sunsets in the world. Munjal and Taneja agree, and recommend evening strolls by the Adriatic coast and mornings spent exploring the Plitvice and Krka nation-

al parks, home to stunning waterfalls, extensive forests and unforgettable views. "The lakes change colour with the position of the sun," says Taneja. Like many European cities, public art in Zadar thrives. Case in point, Croatian architect Nikola Bašić's *Sea Organ* and *Sun Salutation*. "It's the world's only organ powered by sea waves, while *Sun Salutation* is a circle of solar panels that light up in patterns. They are supremely fascinating," says Munjal. —As told to Devika Manghnani

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Your friends are raving about the great migration in the Serengeti in Tanzania. Your cousin just ticked off the big five in Kruger. Your aunt's neighbour cruised through Botswana's Okavango Delta and can't stop Instagramming it. While a safari anywhere in Africa guarantees gasps and goosebumps, there's one wildlife experience that still tops them all: gorilla trekking in Rwanda.

Hiking through the emerald forests of Volcanoes National Park in search of the gentle giants isn't easy, but the reward is priceless: an encounter so close that you can reach out and snuggle them (but please don't). This bucket-list experience comes with the ultimate bucket-list lodge: Singita's Kwitonda Lodge in Rwanda. After an arduous day in hot pursuit of gorillas, returning to the cossetting confines of this luxury camp feels like a dream. Its sleek suites are awash in an earthy palette of ochre, lava black and olive, accented by vivid splashes of crimson and orange. And the entire extended family can join, as Singita's four-suite Kataza House villa has plenty of room. How can your aunt's neighbor compete with that? Singita.com



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Sign up for an under-explored safari experience in Rwanda, suggests Sarah Khan

Singita Kwitonda Lodge comprises eight sleek suites

