

CONTRASTS OF THE CARIBBEAN

5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS



DAY 1 – ARRIVAL IN GUADELOUPE

Departure from Paris at the end of the morning.

Arrival in **Guadeloupe** under the tropical sun in the afternoon.
Transfer from the airport to one of **the hotels of Des Hôtels & Des Îles**.
Welcome cocktail, check in to rooms.

Dinner in the hotel restaurant and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2 – DISCOVERY OF GRANDE-TERRE

Breakfast at the hotel.

A 4-wheel drive adventure..

Departure from the hotel with your driver guide.

« Between sky and sea, discover this region in a 4-wheel drive car: authentic Grande Terre with its small country roads winding through sugar plantations and magnificent golden sand beaches bordered by palm trees. Take trails that lead you to old sugar mills, to idyllic beaches where you will stop to swim in the turquoise waters. Pointe des Châteaux, cliffs of la Grande Vigie, Anse Bertrand, Port Louis... ». Lunch in the restaurant.

Visit of the **Damoiseau Distillery and rum tasting**.

Return to the hotel at the end of the afternoon.

Buffet cocktail and creole market.

Overnight at the hotel.

DAY 3 – AUTHENTIC GUADELOUPE

Breakfast at the hotel

Departure from the hotel by coach with your guide and transfer to Bergevin harbour station.

After a crossing of about 45 minutes on the scheduled shuttle service, arrival in Marie Galant in Grand Bourg opposite the church and its magnificent architecture. You will walk through the market with its exotic smells before joining the coach for a tour around the island.

On the program :

- The discovery of the ruins of the **Habitation Murat**, former sugar plantation dwelling dating back to the end of the 18th century and the middle of the 19th century.

- A **manufacture of « Sirop Batterie »** : the pure sugar cane juice is boiled for hours in a recipient called "batterie"

- A **distillery** where the different steps of making rum will be explained followed by a rum tasting.

Lunch at the restaurant.

You will end the day on one of the most beautiful beaches on the island.

Embark at about 1600 and return to Guadeloupe, then transfer to your hotel.

Seafood dinner.

DAY 4 – TROPICAL WATERFALLS

Breakfast at the hotel

Departure from the hotel with your guide and direction **Basse-Terre**.

*« After 20 minutes' walk, you arrive in a natural paradise : **the Acomat waterfall**...*

Return to the higher ground and discover the Lovers Waterfall : its evocative name comes from the charm it has on couples who fall in love here.

*Continuation in the direction of the south of the island to discover the wild **Bradford Waterfall**. Your efforts will be rewarded by a good meal washed down with a t'punch to get your strength back.*

*The afternoon for digestion, a hike for the discovery of the **paradise pool**, a more strenuous hike but open to everybody.*

And then obviously a dip in the pool... »

Return to the hotel in the afternoon.

White evening on the beach.

DAY 5 – TEAM SPIRIT

Breakfast at the hotel.

In the morning **water sports** from the hotel's beach : jet-ski, stand-up paddle, kayak, banana boat...

Lunch at the hotel.

Free time then pick up the luggage and transfer to Pointe à Pitre airport.