

# Serpent Isle



# Welcome to the Serpent Isle

Once thought lost forever in the mists of time, the former Lands of Danger and Despair now lie open for an intrepid adventurer to discover. Let Travel Britannia, the pioneers of luxury travel, take you across this fascinating continent in comfort and style.

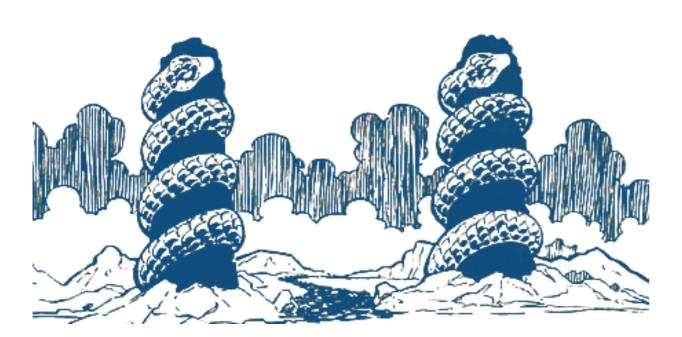
In the resplendent south, the three great cities of Monitor, Fawn and Moonshade are rich with distinctive culture and history. Follow in the wake of the early Sosarian explorers and immerse yourself in the world of unique traditions, arts and architecture on our comprehensive land tour.

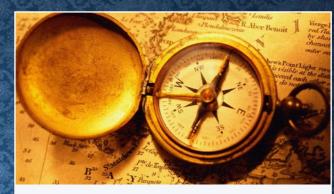
In the pristine north, the frozen planes echo with the cries of the ice dragons, and the silent ruins of the mysterious Ophidian civilization captivate all who venture inside the magnificent temples and underground cities. Sail through the icy cerulean waters and explore the vast natural beauty, intriguing fauna and centuries of history onboard our luxurious small expedition ship.

I look forward to sharing the world beyond the Serpent Pillars with you.

Lady Myra

Travel Britannia Owner





# About Us

Travel Britannia was founded by Britain's Lady Myra 10 years ago. From its humble beginnings as a coach company offering day trips from Trinsic to Britain, it has grown since to become Britannia's leading travel company on land and sea, offering luxury escorted touring to the travellers from Britannia and other worlds.

- Travel Britannia was named **Britannia's Best Tour** by the Brommer's Britannia travel guide last year, and won for **Best Multiverse Tour Operator** at the annual travel industry awards.
- We take care of everything, including transfers, tipping, meals and sightseeing.



# Travel in Style

On your land journey, relax as we take you across the Serpent Isle in safety and comfort.

- Our spacious travel coaches are truly the finest in the land. They feature extra leg room, reclining seats and large windows for giving you the best views of the stunning countryside.
- Our guides take you on a journey through their home cities, sharing the kind of insights only a local would possess. Their knowledge and genuine enthusiasm makes each place come to life.
- During your journeys on land and sea, we enlist the services of the best-trained Monitorian Knights to ensure your safe passage. A skilled mage is also onboard throughout the trip.



# Onboard The Osprey

#### The ultimate expedition ship.

Named after the original ship bearing the emigrants from Sosaria, The Osprey is the perfect vessel for navigating the northern coast of the Serpent Isle. Relax in your spacious suite, enjoy a drink of Moonshade's finest ice wine at the bar, or watch the awe-inspiring scenery from the comfort of your ship's deck.

- The Osprey is equipped with the latest navigation and safety equipment, as well as magic stabilisers to minimise the motion.
- Join your fellow passengers on shore excursions onboard the small boats, observing the majestic landscapes and the amazing fauna up close.
- Our captain and crew are the finest Fawn-raised sailors, handpicked for their experience. Your enjoyment and safety is their highest priority.
- Travel Britannia is happy to provide you with the quality expedition gear, to keep you comfortable and warm at all times.

# The Great Cities of the South

Venture through the heart of the Serpent Isle on our Jewels of the South trip, and discover the incredible history and culture of Monitor, Fawn and Moonshade.



### Monitor

Tracing its origins to twin cities of Montor in Old Sosaria, Monitor is a city of warriors dedicated to the principle of Courage. The Knights' bravery and prowess in battle saved the cities of the mainland from the Goblin threat many times over. Though shunning magic, the fascinating rites of the Monitorians have a deeply mystical aspect. Discover the city of Bears, Wolves and Leopards with Travel Britannia.



## Fawn

Named for the beautiful Lady Fawn, who is said to have founded an ancient Sosarian city of the same name, it's no wonder that the City of Beauty is known as one of the most attractive and sought-out destinations in the multiverse. Built atop the azure waters, Fawn dazzles all visitors with its splendid white marble architecture and stunning gardens. Fawn also boasts a formidable fishing fleet and bountiful seafood produce.

# Moonshade

Magic and ambition is the lifeblood of this vibrant city, heir to the Old Sosarian city of Moon. It is also home to the talented artisans trading in woodcraft, gems, glass and pottery. Moonshade's contrasts, energy and spirit of innovation make it one of the most fascinating places you are likely to see in your lifetime. No visit to Moonshade is complete without tasting the famous ice wine, an included experience with Travel Britannia.



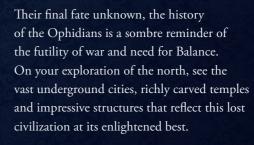


# The Northern Frontier

The Northern Regions of the Serpent Isle, inaccessible to most, is a frozen wonderland of glacial scenery, unique wildlife and age-old mysteries. Immerse yourself in this remote wilderness on our Northern Adventure.

### Ophidian Mystery

When the dissidents of Old Sosaria landed on the shores beyond the Serpent Pillars, they had planned to name the land "New Sosaria". But the strange serpentine symbols, covering the ruins scattered across the continent, soon convinced them to choose a better name.





# Jewels of the South & Northern Adventure

16 Day Tour





Welcome to the Serpent Isle! Upon arrival you will be met by our friendly team and make your way to the City of Courage, where you'll transfer to The Sleeping Soldier, a historic inn dating to the foundation of the city. Tonight, you will enjoy a Welcome Dinner at The Slashing Sword, Monitor's best pub.

Two Night Stay: The Sleeping Soldier.

#### DAY 2 - MONITOR SIGHTSEEING

Today, a former Knight of the Leopard Command will take you on an in-depth tour of Monitor, where you will learn more about its warrior culture and visit the major sites. See the solemn Crematorium, and the Crypts where the Ashes of the Dead rest. Watch Monitor's best fighters hone their skills at the famous List Field, and take a walk outside the city walls to the site of Knight's Test.

The rest of the day is yours to spend as you wish. Those with a strong stomach may visit the macabre exhibition of Goblin artifacts and listen to the harrowing story of the Knight who escaped from the Goblin camp. Or you might take a private lesson from one of the city's best trainers (own expense, we recommend booking in advance).

If your journey with us includes the northern expedition, Travel Britannia guests enjoy a discount at the local furrier.

In the evening, a special event awaits you at the Banquet Hall, where you will feast on the local delicacies. The more adventurous may try the infamous Fawnish Ale!

#### DAY 3 - FAWN

After breakfast we say goodbye to Monitor and travel along the Serpent Highway to Fawn, the breathtaking City of Beauty.
A guided tour will take you along its white marble streets, finishing at the magnificent Temple of Beauty where, if lucky, you might hear a revelation from the sacred Oracle. In the evening, you'll be treated to a special dinner, with the selection of the freshest seafood caught locally in Fawn.

Two Night Stay: Broken Oar Inn.

#### DAY 4 - FAWN

Enjoy a full day in Fawn. You might wish to spend time admiring the opulent palace, or visiting the shops. If you prefer to spend time outdoors, head out to the sea on an organised fishing trip, or join the full-day hike along the coast to the Gorlab Swamp.

#### DAY 5 - INN OF THE SLEEPING BULL

In the morning we travel back south to the famed Inn of the Sleeping Bull, the oldest establishment in New Sosaria, with the origins shrouded in legend. A gateway to Moonshade, this busy and picturesque inn is a destination in itself. For the active, there is an option of exploring the ruins of an abandoned castle to the south, or taking a scenic walk to the lighthouse up the coast.

Alternatively, spend a day relaxing at the inn, sharing a drink with the colourful characters passing through and listening to the popular tunes played on the magical music player.

Stay: Inn of the Sleeping Bull.

#### DAY 6 – TRAVEL TO MOONSHADE

Our privately charted ship takes us across the channel to Moonshade. On the way, we stop for a picnic lunch at Claw, an uninhabited tropical island adorned with the large statues of cats. After reaching the Isle of Beyond, we settle into the Blue Boar Inn, the namesake of Britain's famous Blue Boar Tavern. Tonight over dinner, enjoy the performance by the inn's own musical group of automatons.

Three Night Stay: Blue Boar Inn.









#### DAY 7 – MOONSHADE

Embark on a walking tour of the City of Mages, visiting the decadent Palace of the Magelord and the Seminarium, where young students of magic are schooled in the arcane arts. Our local guide will take you past the grand mansions of the most powerful mages, and you will enjoy a wine tasting at the home of the Rangers, Moonshade's city guards.

In the evening, perhaps take a romantic boat trip on the still waters of the Lake of Enchantment. Those interested in magical arts may visit a local Necromage, who conducts seances communing with the spirits of the dead\*.

\*Limited numbers apply. Travel Britannia warns that the nature of seance is highly unpredictable and may cause personal distress. This activity is at the passenger's own risk.

#### DAY 8 – MOONSHADE

Today we farewell the passengers whose time with us ends in Moonshade, and welcome the guests who join us on the Northern Adventure. For the rest, explore the city of Moonshade further on your own. You may wish to visit the local craftsmen and artisans and peruse their wares. If you're feeling adventurous, join the local Rangers exploring the upper level of the Furnace, or head out towards the Mountains of Freedom for a nature hike.

#### DAY 9 – MONK ISLE

Our Northern Adventure begins today!
Board your luxury expedition ship, The Osprey,
and relax on board as we sail towards the
Monk Isle. Though we sadly cannot stop
at Mad Mage Isle, we hope to catch a glimpse
of the giant turtle that frequents these waters.

Pay visit to the order of the Xenkan monks, as their strict daily routine takes them from the monastery to the Bell Tower and the Place of Visions. In the evening, the monks invite you to share their humble meal, and learn more about the prophecies of Xenka.

Seven Night Stay: The Osprey.

#### DAY 10 - AT SEA

In the morning, visit Shamino's Castle, a setting for the tragic tale of love and heartbreak. Then, settle in and admire the stunning scenery with a hot drink in hand, as our ship makes its way along the coast towards the icy plains of the north.

#### **DAYS 11-14**

On arrival to the Northern Regions, your itinerary becomes flexible in order for you to get the best experience of this incredible corner of the world. The land of ice and water is home to many wondrous creatures, and your course will be based on the most exciting sightseeing opportunities. You will make regular excursions

for a chance to see the snow leopards, colonies of penguins, the fearsome frost serpents, and, most rare and wonderful of all, ice dragons.

If time and weather permit, you will enjoy a visit to the Gwani village, where you'll have a chance to meet these peaceful creatures who choose to live in harmony with nature.

You will also have opportunities to explore the remnants of the Ophidian civilization, depending on the favourable ice and weather conditions. The highlights include the Temple of Enthusiasm with its striking floor tile work, the Order city of Spinebreaker and its Chaos counterpart, Skullcrusher, and the Temple of Discipline, where the ultimate warriors of Order were created. Enjoy the entertaining and informative onboard lectures on the Ophidian culture and history, and perhaps try your hand at the Ophidian writing.

#### DAY 15 – ISLE OF CRYPTS

Our last stop on the way back south, Isle of Crypts is the final resting place of the Great Hierophants and one of the holiest places in the Ophidian world.

#### DAY 16 - FAWN

Our tour concludes this afternoon once we dock in the city of Fawn. Transfer to the inn of your choice, or travel on to Monitor.

### Dates & Prices

#### 16 Day Jewels of the South & Northern Adventure

Date	Price per person
May 15	950
June 3, 25	1,050
July 14	1,025
August 5, 24	995

#### 8 Day Jewels of the South (See Days 1 to 8)

Date	Price per person
May 15	350
June 3, 25	450
July 14	425
August 5, 24	395

#### 9 Day Northern Adventure (See Days 8 to 16)

Date	Price per person	
May 22	650	
June 10	750	
July 2, 21	725	
August 17, 31	695	

Prices are in Britannian gold coins and include accommodation as specified, all meals, sightseeing, tipping and entrance fees. Disruption to cruising and itinerary may occur.

### Tour Notes

#### **Travel Insurance**

Travel insurance is compulsory on this tour and passengers may not continue the trip without providing the details to Travel Britannia prior to the departure date.

#### Currency

There are several currencies on Serpent Isle: Monetari (Monitor), Filari (Fawn) and Guilders (Moonshade). Gold coins are only used at the Inn of the Sleeping Bull. Money and other valuables can be converted into a different currency in all major cities, but doing this incurs a fee.

#### **Transfers**

We offer a complimentary transfer to the guests arriving from Britannia through the Serpent Pillars. Please notify us of the time and location of your arrival at least two days prior to the start of your trip. We will also arrange a transfer to Monitor from Fawn after the cruise.

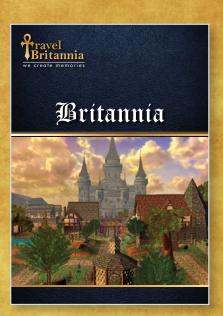
#### IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ

The possession, sale or purchase of the illegal magical substance known as blood spawn is strictly prohibited by Council of Mages. The offenders will be incarcerated in the Mountains of Freedom.

Clothing made from Gwani pelts is commonly sold in the south, but is not acceptable on our trips. Check carefully if buying locally.



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