

Australia's Natural Wonders

Synopsis

This is a series of trips to discover Australia's Natural Wonders created throughout evolution, extraordinary geological formations, ancient forests, breathtaking cliffs, rugged mountains, slow running rivers, waterfalls, peaceful lagoons, the Outback. No wasting time with hosts or interviews or getting into cities, each episode is filled up with a great videography the Author already portrayed in many other South American Series with a conducting narration showing the Places, some Geology, Natural History, Fauna and Flora of the region, all this with a great music and direct sounds.

1-Tasmania, Beyond Imagination

In this documentary we explore the unspoilt beauty of Tasmania, the wonders Nature created throughout evolution: extraordinary geological formations, ancient forests, breathtaking cliffs, rugged mountains, slow running rivers, peaceful lagoons, a dreamy coastline with bays and inlets that defy imagination, crystal clear turquoise waters, a flora that goes back to Gondwana and a unique fauna that does not fear man. The travel include the East Coast, the Freycinet Peninsula, the Tasman Peninsula, Bruny Island, Mt. Field, Stanley and The Nut, Rocky Cape National Park, Dip Falls, Tamar Valley and finally Tasmania's central wilderness, the Cradle Valley and Cradle Mountain

2-Granite Belt Country

Queensland has it all, tropical rainforests on the north, great beaches and the Great Barrier Reef, the Outback and the Great Divide Range housing some of the most varied fauna and Flora in Australia, with spectacular tropical and subtropical forests, great waterfalls and volcanic peaks and ranges that shape the south of the state and give rise to wonderful natural treasures that will be shown on this documentary, such as the Carlo Sand Blow and the coloured sands at Rainbow Beach, the jagged peaks of House Glass Mountains, the Natural Bridge, Tamborine Mountain, Springbrook and Girraween Natural Park.

3-Australia, A Haven for Birds

The driest continent in the world has a rich and varied avifauna with over 800 species, among which the unique emues and cassowaries stand out for many reasons, two different stories, flightless and massive birds unique to the country, one on the outback and the other inhabiting tropical forests. Spectacular other birds are also shown on this documentary, among which the parrots and cockatoos stand from the crowd with its outstanding colours and behavior and then there is the Eclectus Parrot the only species polyandric and polygamic in the world. Over a hundred species are described in its natural environments, with a great photography and amene narration, no scientific names, no insert names, great to watch en enjoy. A list is available to birdwatchers

4-Kangaroo Island, Wild and Untamed

Kangaroo Island is famous for its untamed wildlife species and natural beauty. With a surface of 4500 sq km, the island has very few feral species allowing animal and bird populations to thrive. We can see Koalas dozing in lofty eucalypts, sea lions basking in white sandy beaches or rocky cliffs, black swans on shimmering lagoons, abundant bird life and kangaroos and wallabies day and night... everywhere. The famous Seal Bay, Kelly Hills Cave, Remarkable Rocks, Admirals Arch, the New Zealand Fur-seal at Cape du Couedic, the wildlife in Flinders Chase National Park, American River, the north coast and Cape Willoughby with the oldest lighthouse is South Australia. Kangaroos, Wallabies, Cape Barren geese among many wildlife species.

5-From the South Seas to the Red Centre

Four world class destinations are visited in this documentary, starting with the Great Ocean Road, outstanding scenes of the 12 Apostles, Loch Ard Gorge, Island Archway, Razor Wall, the Grotto and many more, ending with two magnificent waterfalls in the Otway National Park. Going north we arrive to Coober Pedy, the world's capital of Opal, a peculiar mining town supplying 80% of the opal in the world, the peculiar way of living in dug out tunnels under the rock mountains, the marvels of The Breakaways, in the middle of the desert. Going into North Territory we will visit the Devil's Marbles and tour the Katherine gorge to en up in the Uluru-Kata-Tjuta National Park, the jewel of the Red Centre with its spectaculars sunrise and sunset over The Rock.

6-Clowns of the forest

A small group of passerines are taking central stage in this documentary showing its unique behavior, sparkling plumage, notable songs and calls, all of them live up to the title of Clowns of the forest. First we go thru the bowerbirds behavior on courtship and the bower, an interesting narration with outstanding images of the Spotted Catbird, Satin, Greater, Regent and Western Bowerbirds. Other Clowns of the Forest included are the fairy-wrens, honeyeaters, fantails, pardalote, whipbird, bell miner, whistledbird and finches.

7-Tropical Paradise

Serene waterfalls, towering trees, bizarre birds, unique ancient fauna, rocky and sandy beaches, contrast against a tapestry of farms along self-drive trails to timeless. Stretching for over 500 kilometres along North Queensland's coastline, Australia's Tropical Rainforests are the oldest continually surviving rainforests on earth and once covered the entire Australian continent. The trip starts in Brisbane and has numerous stops to visit the Atherton Tablelands, the Daintree Forests, animals, birds, butterflies, reptiles, a myriad of waterfalls, gorges, caves.

8-Natural Marvels

This documentary travels throughout the east part of Australia, from South to North bringing to us the great Landmarks this Island Continent offers to the visitor, all reachable by anybody by car, ferry or or airplane, outstanding and unique places on Earth. The second part gives us an insight of the mammals of this Land of Oz, only living in this part o the world, Platypus, Echidna, Koala, Tasmanian Devil, kangaroos and many more, a Kaleidoscope of stunning images to cherish forever.

9- CARNARVON GORGE, A Walk throughout Time

Towering white sandstone cliffs forming a spectacular steep-sided gorge, lush side gorges, a boulder-strewn creek continuously winding thru the gorge, the home of ancient plants, animals and above all a wealth cultural and natural heritage.....this is Carnarvon Gorge, a natural monument to the power of water, wind and time. There are near 90 Km of trails around the Gorge, a world of discovery in this ancient landscape, a walk throughout time. When we hit the trails, we are going back many thousands of years over the steps of the ancient owners of the land, we will be trekking or hiking one third of the trails to be immersed into the beauty and grandeur of this natural treasure.

10-Wilderness in the City

Industrial Revolution on the XXVIII century changed forever the way man has has lived in this World before that. The population multiplied nine-folds in 250 years, bringing countless problems in overcrowded cities, in the Natural World the extincion of species accelerated, those that survived had to adapt to man in many ways, from the simplest way of developing a tolerance to take advantage of the man's waste. In Australia, though the driest Continente on Earth, 10 % of the land is protected, these areas are the sanctuaries for the fauna, especially those living on their ancient land, now part of a city. This documentary shows where to go and what to see in Brisbane and outer suburbs areas, where animals still roam free, adapted to modern life.