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**Navigating to the Top
of the World**

Sail across the frozen ocean to the geographical North Pole aboard the world's largest and strongest nuclear-powered icebreaker, and take a polar plunge.

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**Into the Realm of
Arctic Blue**

Venturing into the icy heart of Arctic Europe when the sun stays just below the horizon and the remote islands of Svalbard are blissfully bathing in an enigmatic blue light.

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**A Road Adventure to the
Northernmost Tip of Europe**

The Baltic Sea Circle Rally is 8,000 km (5,000 mi.) of solitude in the wintry depths of Scandinavia and the Baltics. Icy roads, tranquil fjords, snowy forests; from Hamburg to the North Cape — and back.

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**Golden Eagle Hunting
in the Far West of Mongolia**

In a forgotten corner of the Altai Mountains, join the berkutchi at the Golden Eagle Festival, to celebrate a unique tradition that dates back to the days of Genghis Khan.

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**Unexpected Discoveries in
a Sealed-Off Nation**

Buzzing with nationalist zeal, North Korea is fearsome and fascinating in equal measure. Come for the Arirang Mass Games, stay for the communist architecture and a glimpse of rural life.

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**A Slow-Paced Ramble
into the Heart of Abruzzo**

Drink, sleep, and eat like an Italian shepherd during the transumanza, a slow-paced, seasonal migration of sheep and goats into the heart of Abruzzo, where old traditions thrive.

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**Immersive Travel through
the Lost Kingdom of Lo**

Follow an ancient Himalayan salt trade route into the dusty Kingdom of Lo, a spectacle of pristine and picturesque landscapes hidden behind 4,000-metre (13,000 ft.) mountain passes.

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**A Wild Exploration of
the Last Terra Incognita**

Between active volcanoes and dreamy Pacific shores, experience an incredible diversity of tribal cultures, a natural world still largely unknown to science, and a thriving city covered in ash.

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**St Helena,
an Atlantic Island Refuge**

Take an eccentric and unpredictable flight over the fierce Atlantic Ocean to the world’s most remote inhabited island. A rocky gem for lovers of solitude and quirkiness.

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**Old-School and Classic
Safari in the Okavango Delta**

In Botswana, join the legendary wildlife guide Ralph Bousfield on his deep explorations of the world’s greatest inland river delta, and sleep alfresco under starry skies.

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**Into the Saddle
and Out of This World**

For a breathtaking perspective on emerald lakes and knife-edge mountain passes, mount an Argentine Criollo horse and follow a real gaucho guide into the Patagonian wilderness.

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**A Private Escape
to Antarctica**

Break the ice along the edge of the White Continent aboard the only private icebreaker superyacht. An over-the-top exclusive experience at sea.

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