



ON DESTINATION TO

Spice Islands & Raja Ampat

Ambon to Sorong

8 DAYS & 7 NIGHTS

ABOARD AQUA BLU



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A seven-night expedition from the historic Spice Islands of Banda to the reefs and lagoons of Raja Ampat: Banda Neira's forts, the reefs of Koon, Wayil and Misool, Penemu, Arborek, Yangeffo and the birds of paradise of Waigeo.

Season: December. Route: Ambon to Sorong.

DAY

01

Ambon – Embarkation

Arrive to a warm welcome in Ambon. Board Aqua Blu and enjoy a delicious dinner on board, curated by renowned chef Benjamin Cross. Settle into your cabin and bid farewell to the harbor as you set sail along the scenic northern coast of Ambon.

Included: dinner.



DAY

02

Banda Islands & Banda Neira

Approach the Banda Islands at sunrise, greeted by kora-kora war canoes at the harbor. Stroll through history at the Dutch Fort Nassau on Banda Neira, once the most hotly contested island in the world in the 16th and 17th centuries, and walk through ancient passageways now bustling with modern life. After lunch, head out snorkeling or diving, and end the evening with a sundowner at Fort Belgica.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



DAY

03

Pulau Koon

Spend the day exploring some of the finest reefs on the planet. Off the remote island of Koon, divers and snorkelers can look forward to “Too Many Fish,” an aptly named site with plenty of reef fish, as well as occasional visits by leopard sharks and hammerhead sharks.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



DAY

04

Wayil & Misool

The Wayil region of Raja Ampat features a number of uncharted islands, each harboring pristine beaches and secret lagoons. Enjoy kayaking among the reefs, or head out swimming and snorkeling in the crystal-clear water. Next, stop at Misool, one of the four major islands of Raja Ampat, for an easy trek to small sandy coves and land-locked lakes, with options to swim, snorkel or kayak in its many blue pools.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



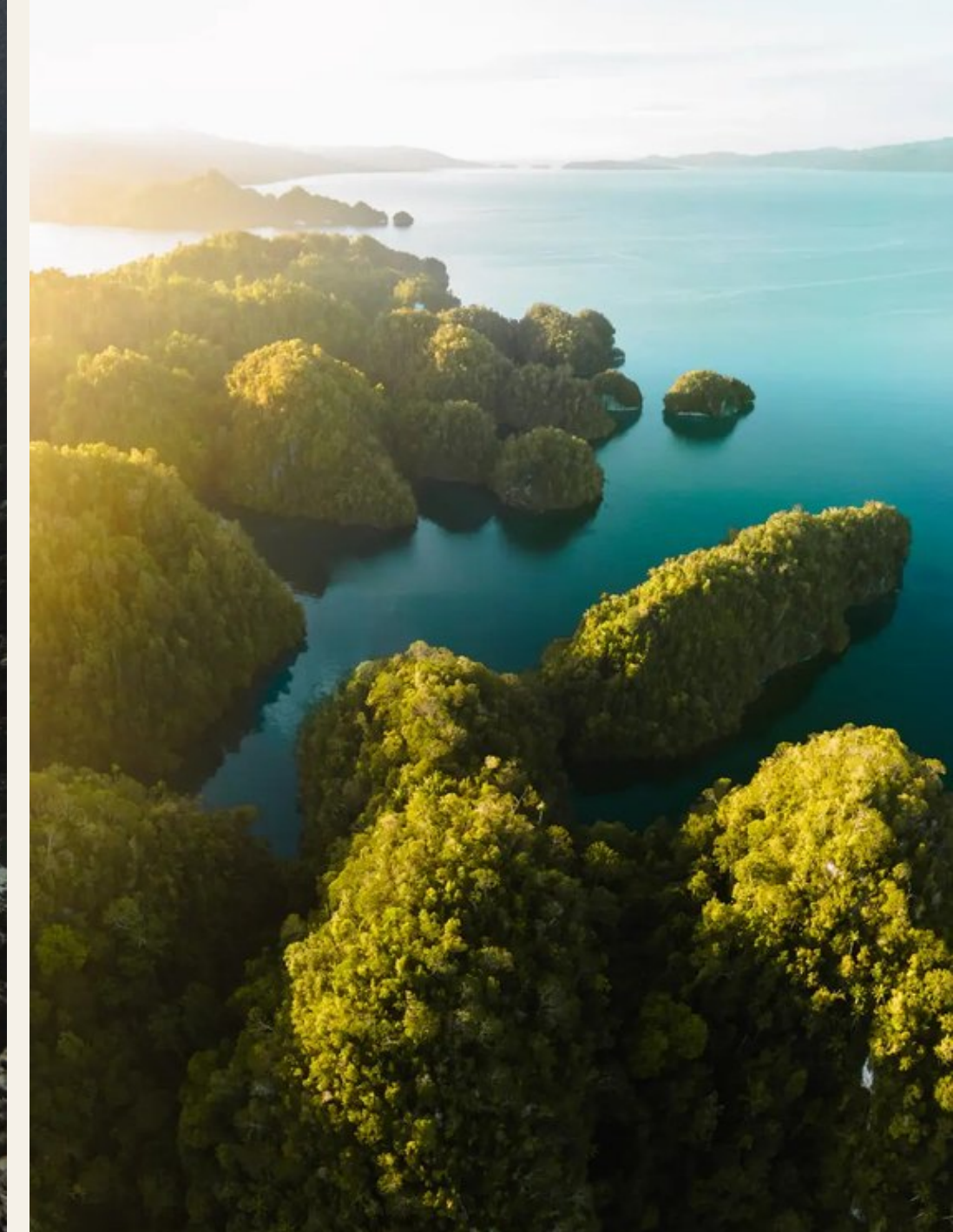
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Penemu Island & Arborek Island

Wake up to the breathtaking beauty of Penemu Island, home to the renowned Melissa's Garden, an iconic dive and snorkel site surrounded by a hard coral garden teeming with marine life. In the afternoon, set out in search of manta rays near the charming island village of Arborek, and in the evening take a leisurely stroll through the village.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



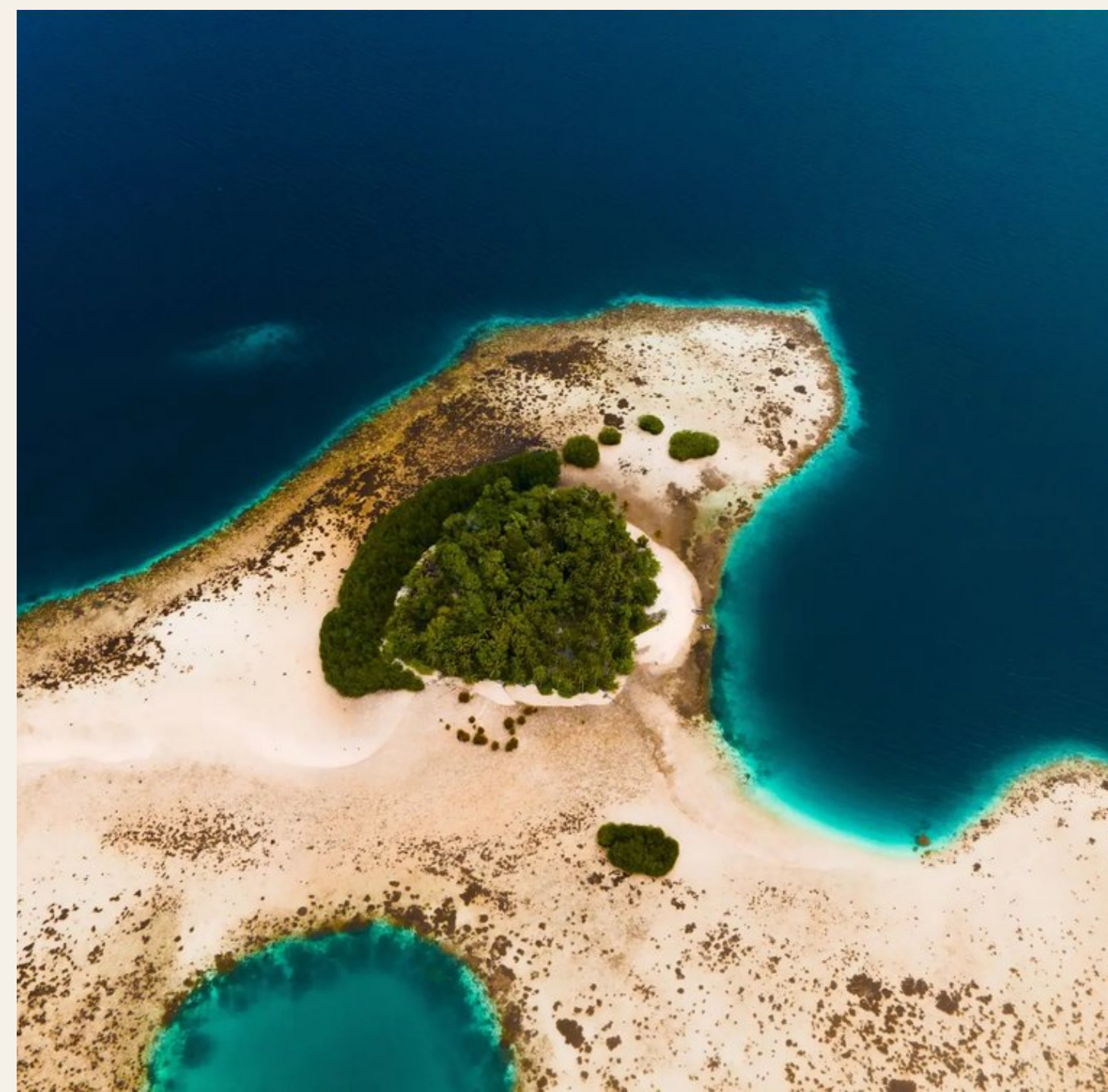
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06

Yeben & Yangeffo Bay

Yeben Island is a hidden treasure of Raja Ampat, known for its clear water and beautiful beaches. Spend the morning exploring the island and its marine life, then head back on board while sailing to Yangeffo Bay. There, dive the renowned Mayhem reef or snorkel the mangroves at Citrus Ridge, and watch the sunset from a tender ride out at sea.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



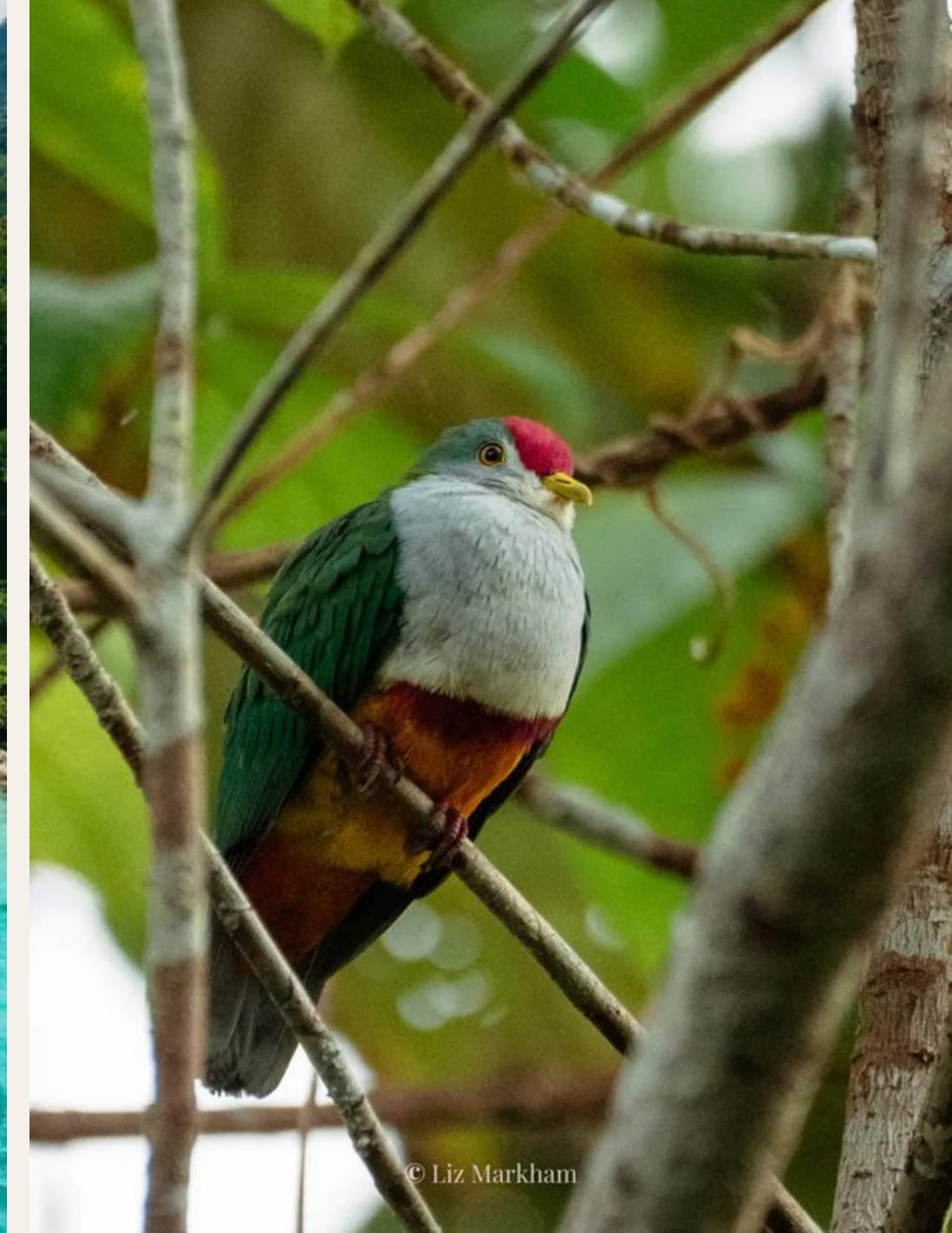
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Mayalibit Bay

Rise before the sun for a spectacular excursion to spot the rare birds of paradise on Waigeo. After breakfast, enjoy a relaxed snorkel at Friwinbonda Island. In the afternoon, head inland on a local canoe before a refreshing swim down the shimmering blue Kali Biru river.

Included: breakfast, lunch and dinner.



DAY

08

Sorong – Disembarkation

Enjoy a final breakfast on board in Sorong before your outbound flight.

Included: breakfast.

All itineraries are subject to change due to weather and other conditions.





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