

LAKES OF PATAGONIA ITINERARY (Brief itinerary)

FRIDAY, DAY 1:

Fly from U.S. to Santiago, Chile.

SATURDAY, DAY 2: Arrive in Santiago in the morning and transfer to the flight to Balmaceda. (2.5 hours with ½ hour stop over in Puerto Montt). Arrive in Balmaceda in the afternoon and meet the Earth River guide. Take a gorgeous 3 hour drive through central Patagonia, passing ice capped peaks and turquoise lakes to the Lakes of Patagonia trailhead at a farm at the end of the road where we Camp.

SUNDAY, DAY 3 – FRIDAY DAY 8:

For the next week, we will explore the three stunning lakes by sea kayak and foot, witnessing calving glaciers and avalanches. (A detailed description of the individual lakes, camps and what you'll see on the trip can be found on our web site.)

Note: The order in which each lake is visited will depend upon the wind and weather.

FRIDAY, DAY 8:

This afternoon we will hike out of the lakes and take the four hour drive to the wonderful, small Chilean city of Coyhaique where we have a farewell dinner and spend the night in a hotel.

SATURDAY, DAY 9:

The early morning is free to explore the town/city. In the late morning we transfer to the Balmaceda Airport for late morning flight back to Santiago. Arriving in Santiago, we transfer to our international flight.

SUNDAY, DAY 10:

This morning we arrive back in the Unites States.