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Adventurers and conservationists will love Deeper Africa's explorer safari, Keeping Zimbabwe Wild, which provides the inspiring opportunity to be directly involved with conservation and antipoaching initiatives. Zimbabwe remains an emerging safari destination, but it offers rich wildlife encounters that represent a major victory in the battle between conservationists and ranchers. In Hwange National Park, see the innovative ways that locals safeguard their crops and livestock from elephants and predators, without harming either — drums, trumpets and cattle pens are effective deterrents for the hunting lions. Walking safaris and drives provide chances to see the Big Five and other large animals, while a visit to the Painted Dog Conservation Center offers access to the experts who are doing important research on saving Africa's endangered wild dogs. Head off on patrol with an antipoaching unit in Bumi Hills wildlife sanctuary at Lake Kariba and help defend the local elephant population by tracking the animals, looking for evidence of poachers and removing snares and traps. For the past two years, not one elephant poaching has occurred in the area, proving their efforts have been successful. End the trip at Chilo Gorge Safari Lodge in the remote Gonarezhou National Park. This true wilderness — home to thousands of elephants, cheetahs, lions, leopards, antelope, zebras and more — is so healthy largely due to the community-led program Campfire, founded by internationally recognized conservationist Clive Stockil, who has spent his life finding ways to engage the Shangaan people in protecting their beautiful land and its wildlife. From \$10,759 per person for nine days, based on double occupancy. Contact info@deeperafrica.com, +1 303 415 2574, deeperafrica.com



