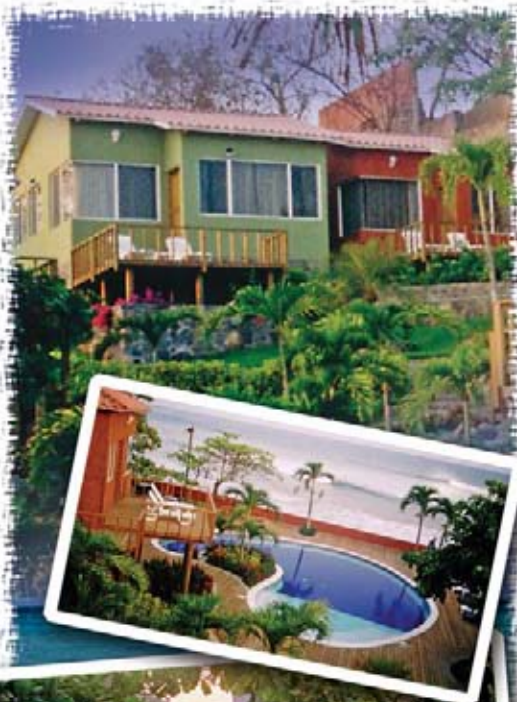


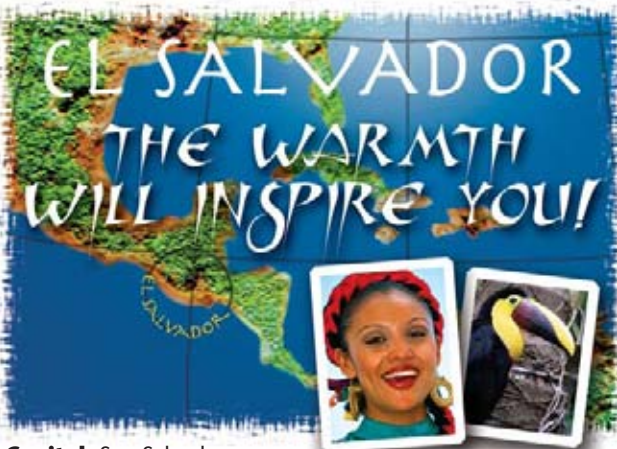
REST & RELAX



Hotel Casa de Mar is located just steps from the beach in a secluded spot among the rocks and overlooking the Pacific Ocean. This Boutique Hotel offers 11 suites designed in cosmopolitan style. Each has individual charm and personality and is equipped with air-conditioning, hot water, dining room, living room and a wooden deck. No phones or TVs guarantee serenity. The Hotel offers an exquisite restaurant "Café Zunzal", and a swimming pool bar.

Rates from \$120 USD (plus 13% taxes) per room per night include breakfast. Accommodations for 3 adults or 2 adults & 2 children.

For an incredible beachfront experience visit Casa de Mar – experience a different world.



Capital: San Salvador

Currency: Colón; U.S. dollar.

Language: Spanish, Nahua (among some Amerindians).

Government: Republic.

Geography: On the Pacific coast of Central America, Guatemala to the west and Honduras to the north and east and the Pacific Ocean to the south. Most of the country is on a fertile volcanic plateau about 2,000 ft (607 m) high. Coffee is grown in the highlands, sugar in the lowlands and cotton on the coast. Predominately lush, green and cloud-misted hills. You may see quetzals, toucans, monkeys, white-tailed deer and lots of butterflies. Extinct volcanoes dot the country.

Annual Climate: 30°C (86°F) – 34°C (93°F). The coastal lowlands are warmer than the rest of the country.

History: Evidence of the Olmec dates from at least 2000 BC. Other groups include Chorti, Lenca, Mayan and Pokomam. The Pipil Indians, descendants of the Aztecs and Toltecs, likely migrated here in the 11th century. In 1525, Pedro de Alvarado, a lieutenant of Cortés, conquered El Salvador. Independence from Spain was declared on Sept. 15, 1821.

Industries: Textiles, coffee, sugar, beverages, petroleum, chemicals, fertilizer, textiles, furniture, light metals, cotton.

Visas: US and Canadian citizens do not require a visa but must buy a tourist card upon arrival, valid for 90 days.

Electricity: 115V, 60Hz

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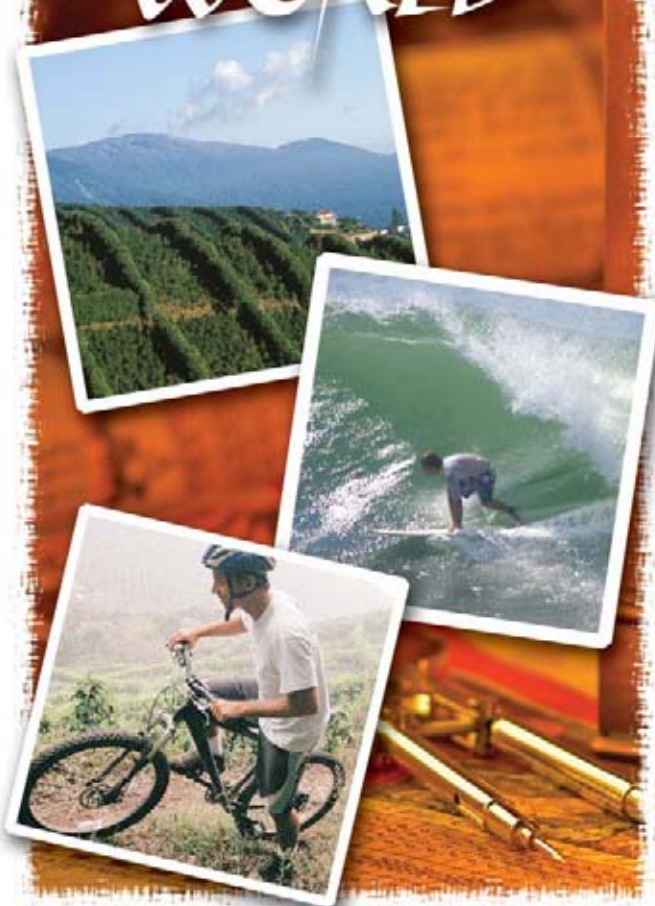
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Arrive in El Salvador, and visit:

In El Salvador: Joyas de Ceren – the Pompeia of America: a Mayan city covered by the eruption of the Calderas Volcano in the year 600 (declared a world heritage city by Unesco in 1993). **San Andres:** a Mayan archeological site and museum. **Santa Ana:** a picturesque city with an old world architecture. **Barra de Santiago:** an ecological reserve with species of birds and animals never seen in North America.

In Honduras: Copan: echoes of a glorious age. One of the best preserved sites of Mayan culture in Central America.

In Guatemala: Antigua City: with a history of more than 500 years you will feel that you have travelled back in time.

You will also be able to relax and enjoy a day on the beach before you come back to reality!

Rates from \$1699 CAD per person, including airfare, 2 meals per day and admission to all sites.



SURFING



El Salvador is simply a surfer's paradise. It is the best kept surfing secret of the American continent. Year round consistency, warm water, abundant point breaks, and secluded spots. They are blessed with lots of southwest swells generated from storms off New Zealand, especially between March and November. It rarely stays flat for more than a couple of days and when its pumping, believe us, it's really pumping.

With three package options starting from \$60 CAD per night including a specialized guide as well as transportation from and to the airport, El Salvador has become a very attractive alternative.

Our on-site tour operator will provide you with recreation options on flat days such as kayak, catamaran, fishing alternatives, etc.



BIKE & BEACH



This 7-day bike and beach tour will keep you in shape! Starting with three nights on a mountain in a coffee plantation hotel close to a volcano, you will enjoy the real Salvadoran country! Ride horses, climb the volcano hills, bike in the mountains and enjoy excellent coffee brought to you right from the plantation field.

To rest up, you will relax for the next few days on an excellent beach where surfing, catamaran, and other recreation will fill your adventurous desires.

This whole tour is designed bed-and-breakfast style in picturesque houses and lunch in Salvadoran style. A real Salvador experience!

Rates from \$1599 CAD per person include airfare, 3 meals per day, accommodation and all recreation.

