

# Grenada

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## *Best of the southern Caribbean!*

Grenada, the Spice Island, way down at latitude 12, is home to beautiful beaches, spice plantations, rum distilleries, and colorful coral gardens. Relatively undiscovered, the southern Caribbean is the premier winter getaway. Bordered by white and black sand beaches, this verdant island has for centuries been a major source of nutmeg, cloves, ginger, cinnamon and cocoa.



The nearby Windward islands of the southern Caribbean offer superb tradewind sailing conditions, year-round temperatures in the 80's, crystal clear warm water, world-class snorkeling, a sea-turtle sanctuary in the Tobago Cays, and a variety of enchanting islands to discover and explore.



We will first fly non-stop from Miami down to Grenada, where we'll spend two nights in a luxury hotel, located right on the powder white sand beach, recovering from the flights and acclimating to the tropical island lifestyle. Explore the waterfalls and crater lake at Grand Etang, tour a spice plantation or rum distillery, maybe indulge in a local organic chocolate factory, or just relax on the beach and swim in the warm waters.

Next, we'll transfer to the charter base and board our waiting, luxury yachts. Most

everything we could need or want is already on board, from snorkeling gear to a fully equipped galley to linens for the beds to a dinghy and outboard. A few minutes by dinghy takes you to a nice supermarket for provisioning. After that you can follow the group, go your own way, or a little of both- the itinerary is up to you. Just make sure to return at the end of our week, as hard as that will be!

You may sail to the islands of Bequia, Mayreau, Carriacou, Canouan, Petit Martinique, and Union Island, part of St. Vincent and the Grenadines. Enjoy the towns and shopping and night life one day, then the pristine beach and coral reef of a deserted island the next. Dine at local restaurants, or maybe organize a fish BBQ. No matter your preference, you are sure to enjoy every minute of these fantastic, far reaches of the Caribbean.

After reluctantly returning the boats, we'll transfer back to our luxury hotel for one more night of relaxation and fun, then fly non-stop back to Miami the following morning. Your time here will feel like a world away, the long sunny days stretching into warm starry nights. Peace, tranquility, a warm interaction with nature, good food and new friends... This is what a sailing vacation is supposed to be!



## So what's the deal?

The trip costs just \$2,495 per person, and includes pretty much everything:

- ✓ Round trip airfare from Miami to Grenada
- ✓ 3 nights in a luxury hotel
- ✓ 8 days and 7 nights aboard the yachts
- ✓ All ground transfers
- ✓ A special welcome dinner celebration

The only thing you'll need to buy is food and drink, and maybe a souvenir.



## How does it work?

You are welcome to participate in sailing the boat, or you can just relax and enjoy the ride. If you have your ASA Bareboat certificate and would like to skipper one of the boats, that may be possible, too. We

will have plenty of modern boats to choose from, all with 3 and 4 cabins, but the choices are first come, first served, so sign up soon!



A deposit of \$495 per person will hold your spot, with an additional deposit of \$1000 due by July 15th, and the balance will be due by November 15th. Visa/MC and checks are fine, and payment plans are available, too. But space is limited on this trip, so don't delay-sign up today!

We welcome couples, families, and flexible singles, and work very hard to ensure everyone has an absolutely great time.

Tradewinds is again partnering with David Kory and Omar Fulton of AVI Nautica, who have done so many of our fabulous trips throughout the years. This is a great opportunity to get a feel for bareboat chartering, without the responsibility and uncertainty of doing it all on your own. And better yet, you'll enjoy it with great people- other Tradewinds members!

For answers to your questions, or if you are ready to join us, email us directly at:

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\* The price listed includes all taxes and fuel surcharges as of April 25, 2015. If the world goes crazy again and the airlines add new fuel surcharges or invent new taxes, we may have to pass these on to you. I don't expect that to happen, but I have to warn you just in case.