



# Hidden Trails

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*Equestrian Vacations  
- on & with Hidden Trails*

## About Hidden Trails

Hidden Trails is owned and operated by nature enthusiasts who love horses and adventure activities. We have been involved with riding and other outdoor vacations for over 20 years.

With our partners Voyage du Cheval (France), Pegasus (Germany) as well as Equitour (Switzerland and France) we have collected the best riding destinations all over the world in some hidden places we would like to share with you.

These rides are about galloping on endless beaches, forging rivers, cantering through forests, trotting along age-old trails, gazing at beautiful vistas and encountering foreign cultures. But most of all, these trips are about getting away from the cycle of too much work and never enough free time.

Escape from the rituals, which long ago froze our nights and days into little more than routine and away from the worries of our new tense times. It is so satisfying when we take the plunge of adventure - it's unfortunate that we invent so many reasons to put aside living our dreams of adventure. It is sometimes a tangled web that we weave through life. Some of the threads reveal a work-a-day world of commitments, duties and obligations. Other threads are of a quiet fabric of hope, responsibility and refreshment.

On our adventures you see the real country, its back country and meet the locals. The love for horses has no boundaries but possesses a common language we all speak and understand. The majority of the overseas rides are from inn to inn, some from castle to castle and a few are camping rides.

You will experience new countries and their customs and make new friends. The Hidden Trails trips are the best you can find.

They have been tested by our staff or associates and received our stamp of approval. If you are considering a special riding vacation anywhere in the world, call us first and let our experienced consultants match the perfect trip with your dream.

We will listen to you and give you objective advice to help you choose the best destination and adventure.

Your vacation is the most precious time of the year and we are committed to making it the most memorable time of your life. Wherever you go, have a great time and bring back some peace of mind.

Thank you for your continued support.

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# Colombian Coffee Trails - Colombia, South America

Tour Code: IT-COL15

3 days / 2 nights ~\$1,020.00

Dates: All year

Trip Rating : ●●●●●

Difficulty : ●●●●●

Lodging : 🏠 BASIC

**Tack:** Custom-made saddles (similar to western...

**Horses:** Colombian Criollo, Appaloosa, Appaloos...

**Pace:** Moderate  
5-6 hours in the saddl...  
Walk, Trot, Canter,

**Airport:** Matecaña International Airport in Pereira



## Introduction

Coffee Zone, Colombia

This spectacular 3-day horseback adventure takes you to some of the most beautiful spots in the department of Risaralda.

You will ride from the "green capital of Colombia" – Marsella, and up into the Colombian Andes, an area rich in wildlife. Pass coffee farms and endless breathtaking views and enjoy nights around camp fires, under starlit skies.

The trail covers over 50 miles in 3 days, during which you will be immersed in Colombian culture. You'll experience the exhilaration and freedom of riding in these awe inspiring mountains.

## Accommodation

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This is a progressive ride, so nights are spent in different locations.

### Description

Throughout your trip, you'll stay in a combination of comfortable farm houses or haciendas all carefully selected.

Most rooms have their own bathrooms though you may be asked to share bathrooms on one or two nights.

Accommodation Itinerary - *subject to changes based on availability*

Night 1: Hacienda near Marsella

Night 2: Coffee Farm

### Room Occupancy

Single supplement is mandatory if we cannot find another rider to share.

### Meals

All meals are included in the trip.

Meals feature a good mix of traditional and international food.

Lunch is generally picnic style although we do have a couple of stops where we pass small "restaurants" where the horses can also accompany us.

### Dietary Restrictions

We can cater to most dietary restrictions with prior notice.

## Riding

### Horses

We have over the years built a team of horses that we are extremely proud of. Each one of our horse brings something different. We have horses to suit all riding abilities and tastes.

Here at the ranch, we have a mixture of Appaloosas, Colombian Criollo, Quarter horses, Paso Fino and Andalusian horses. All have been trained to respond to English and Western riding styles and each has their own custom-made saddle ensuring they and you are comfortable throughout your trip.

### Riding Pace & Experience

The pace varies with the terrain and altitude but overall is moderate to slow. There will be some good chances to canter along wide dirt tracks but there are some steep climbs, and you are often riding on narrow winding paths or where the vegetation is thick, and the pace must be slow. The horses are sensible, calm and responsive but you are expected to be a competent rider, secure and well balanced in the saddle at a walk, trot and canter, and with experience riding over different types of terrain. You should also be comfortable getting on and off and handling a horse from the ground.

### Insurance

All riders MUST have private travel insurance and a copy of this must be sent prior to your arrival. Insurance must include cover for horse riding activities and cover for medical expenses and repatriation costs should you become too ill to continue your trip. We reserve the right to cancel your tour if we are not satisfied that you have adequate insurance in place prior to departure.

## Itinerary

**Sample itinerary** - *subject to changes*

*This ride is suitable for those who are confident cantering and have a sense of adventure. Our trails have been created using the knowledge of local guides to take you to the most unspoilt and untrodden parts. All luggage will be transported between overnight stops for you.*

### Day 1: Marsella - Green Capital of Colombia

Your riding adventure starts in the picturesque town of Marsella. We will meet for coffee in the historic town centre before heading out on trail as we circle the Green Capital of Colombia. Enjoy your first taste of true trail riding, before arriving at your first night's accommodation, a charming traditional hacienda.

*Overnight at Hacienda near Marsella*





#### Day 2: northern tip of Risaralda

Your horse will be groomed and tacked up for you, but feel free to join in and help. We'll be out on trails all day, making our way to the most northern tip of Risaralda. Take in the endless views as you climb your way through the Andes. Tonight, we arrive at a traditional coffee farm with over 200 years of production history.

*Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner  
Overnight at Coffee Farm*

#### Day 3: Ride back to Marsella

Today we make our way back to Marsella. This is a full day's ride through an area steeped in history, once home to the Quimbaya. You'll see petroglyphs dating back thousands of years. This area due to its protected status is renowned for its abundant birdlife.

*Meals: Breakfast & Lunch*

### Other Info

**Meeting:** Marsella

**Airport:** Matecaña International Airport in Pereira

**Transfer:** Pereira

Transfers are included between Pereira and Marsella on the first and last day of the tour.

**Tack:** Custom-made saddles (similar to western)

**Horses:** Colombian Criollo, Appaloosa, Appaloosa crosses & Paso Fino

**Pace:** Moderate  
5-6 hours in the saddle per riding day

Walk | Trot | Canter |

**Level:** 🐾🐾🐾🐾 (3 to 5 out of 5) Intermediate +

**Age:** Min 18

**Weight:** 200 lbs / 90 kg

**Riders:** Min 4 riders Max 6 riders

## Rates and Dates 2026 - IT-COL15

Rates include: Accommodation, All meals, Transfers to/from Pereira & Riding as described in itinerary

### Packages and Options

Season	Description	~US\$
A 2026	3 day trip	\$1020

Gratuity: 10 %

### Transfer Option

#### Description

2026	Transfers from/to Pereira included	
2026	Non-Riders welcome - please inquire for rates	
2026	Single supplement \$30 per night	\$30
2026	Extra night at the ranch, dbl, pp	\$120

#### Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates		
A 2026	07/03/2026 - 07/05/2026	3d / 2n	3 day trip

Min/Max: 4/6

Rates do not include: Gratuities

# Reservation Form

**Tour :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Code #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **from:** \_\_\_\_\_ **to :** \_\_\_\_\_

The Travelers (Last Name, First Name)	Male Female	Single room / or tent	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Height	Weight	Special diets												
						Special diets	Beginner	Novice	Intermediate	Strong Intern.	Advanced	ride English	ride Western	mostly arena	mostly hacking			
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Special Diets: \_\_\_\_\_

Your fitness level: Excellent  Moderate  Poor  How long have you been riding? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you ride? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been on other riding tours? No  Yes  last trip when? \_\_\_\_\_

If Hidden Trails offers a transfer from the local airport/station: I would like the transfer to be included: YES  NO

In an emergency, name and phone number of contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Attention: Please, if there is more than one participant, all have to sign the reservation form - make copies if needed

With my signature I confirm my reservation of the listed program(s) under the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions. I'm aware, and I made all participants aware of the risk involved with these outdoor adventure activities. All participants have read and agree with the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions and the Hidden Trails Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement in this brochure or as listed on the Internet.

I (we) will sign and forward the Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement at least 10 weeks before trip starting date.

Last Name and First Name (The Traveler) \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postal/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (wk) \_\_\_\_\_ (hm) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature (mandatory) 1. \_\_\_\_\_

Please, charge a 25% deposit (minimum \$ 350 per person) now and full payment 10 weeks before the travel date to my credit card.

For payments by VISA  or Mastercard  (no debit cards)

Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ 3 digit Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp.Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address for Credit Card (if different than mailing address):  
\_\_\_\_\_

I have enclosed a check for the deposit

Additional Signatures:

2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

**Travel Cancellation Insurance** Credit Card required

Sign me (us) up  initial \_\_\_\_\_

No, we will provide our own  initial \_\_\_\_\_

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