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Matetsi Victoria Falls earns coveted spot on Travel + Leisure's 2025 T+L 500 list of the Best Hotels in the World

The realisation of one family's dream to showcase everything exceptional about their home country.

(Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe) April 2025 – Rising from a deep-rooted love for Zimbabwe and a commitment to showcasing its unparalleled beauty, Matetsi Victoria Falls has been recognized among the world's finest, earning a place on Travel + Leisure's prestigious 2025 T+L 500 list of the best hotels.

This remarkable achievement is a direct reflection of the unwavering dedication and tireless efforts of the entire Matetsi team. Each thoughtfully curated detail, every instance of heartfelt service, and every unforgettable guest experience is a testament to their collective passion for creating a truly exceptional destination. This accolade celebrates not just the luxurious offering, but the profound commitment of a team that pours its soul into every aspect of the Matetsi experience.

The Travel + Leisure 500, an esteemed compilation derived from the discerning feedback of readers through the 2024 World's Best Awards, highlights properties that consistently deliver extraordinary quality, service, and amenities. Matetsi Victoria Falls' inclusion underscores their relentless pursuit of excellence and their ability to craft transformative journeys that resonate deeply with travellers.

"This incredible recognition is a profound honour and a powerful affirmation of the immense dedication of our entire Matetsi family – our dedicated team," says Sara Gardiner, co-founder of Matetsi Victoria Falls. "Every element of Matetsi, from our thoughtfully designed spaces to the breathtaking wilderness that surrounds us, is brought to life by the tireless work and genuine care of our team. Their commitment to providing exceptional and deeply meaningful experiences for our guests is the heart and soul of Matetsi, and this award is a true reflection of their extraordinary passion and hard work."

Featured in the May 2025 issue of Travel + Leisure, Matetsi Victoria Falls stands as an emblem of authentic Zimbabwean hospitality, inviting the world to witness the magic created when passion, dedication, and the beauty of nature converge.

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About Matetsi Victoria Falls:

[Award-winning Matetsi Victoria Falls](#) is a family-owned and independently operated luxury safari lodge comprising 16 suites, two family suites and a safari villa, located on the banks of the Zambezi River in Zimbabwe. Situated within its own 136,000-acre private game reserve, the lodge offers an unparalleled blend of exclusive safari with [remarkable wildlife encounters](#), tranquil river experiences, easy access to the spectacular Victoria Falls, and warm, authentic Zimbabwean hospitality. With a deep commitment to conservation and community, Matetsi Victoria Falls provides guests with transformative and meaningful travel experiences.

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