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## 3 SPECTACULAR NATURE JOURNEYS

### UNBEATABLE ONCE AGAIN ALPINE WILDFLOWERS 10 DAYS

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E** Porters Pass  
Little Mount Peel  
Hooker Valley, Mt Cook  
Ben Ohau Range  
Old Man Range  
The Remarkables  
Upper Hollyford  
Eglinton Valleys  
Ultramafic Region

Along the Southern Alps the flora is as spectacular as the scenery. Join us amidst the alpine plant communities of the South Island during the main flowering period in mid summer. Special emphasis is on gaining an insight into NZ alpine vegetation with ample opportunity to study the ecology of alpine meadows, cushion vegetation, and tussocklands.

Tours depart Christchurch on December 5, 1987 and January 19, 1988.

### NEW TOUR NORTHERN ALPINES 10 DAYS

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E** Seaward Kaikouras  
Inland Kaikouras  
Richmond Range  
St Arnaud Range  
Cobb Valley (2 days)  
Lewis Pass  
Hanmer Orchids  
and more

Building on the success of the southern alpine wildflowers trips we now offer a northern alternative. The South may have the mountains but the diversity of mountain flora in the northern South Island is unsurpassed. Alpine plants thrive at near sea level in the Kaikouras. In NW Nelson over half NZ's plant species occur and here the Cobb Valley is the mecca for most botanists. To this add the unique vegetation and many now rare species of Marlborough and the Mineral Belt near Nelson.

Tour departs Christchurch January 6, 1988.

### SELLOUT LAST YEAR UNSEEN FIORDLAND 9 DAYS

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& Dusky Sounds  
Follow in footsteps  
of Captain Cook  
Whalers, Sealers &  
Goldminers settlements  
The most remote coast  
in NZ  
The most diverse fiords  
in the world

This must be the trip of a lifetime. Explore whalers, sealers, and goldminers' settlements in Chalky and Preservation Inlets. Then follow in the wake of Captain Cook as he explored Dusky Sound, a sound steeped in earliest European history; all in comfort on board our charter vessel. Believe it or not we go in winter when the weather is at its most settled. Departures July and August



### Trip Features

Southern Heritage Tours undertakes extensive background research prior to each trip departure. This ensures tours are of the highest standard combining learning and leisure, small group travel (max. 13) in luxury coaches, and experienced tour leaders. All include quality meals and twinshare accommodation. Prices are all inclusive.

More than just a holiday each tour is an enjoyable learning experience.



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