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HELI SKIING TRIPS

Imagine pristine slopes while surrounded by majestic mountains as you ski fresh powder – **Global Voyager** can bring you there! **Global Voyager** can send you on a heli-skiing vacation to New Zealand, Italy, Spain, Canada, the USA, Argentina, or Chile. You can ski or snowboard with **Global Voyager** all year long.

Heli-ski where the sport began; Heli-skiing began in Banff Canada in the 1960s when fixed wing aircraft took skiers with in trekking distance to fresh powder slopes not normally accessible to skiers – helicopters can now bring you directly to the slopes. The Canadian Rockies will give you a premiere heli-skiing experience.

Heli-ski the USA from Alaska to Wyoming - **Global Voyager** can arrange your adventure! The United States offers heli-skiing in several states: Alaska; Colorado; Idaho; Montana; Nevada; Oregon; Utah; Washington; and Wyoming.

Try heli-skiing with a European flair in Italy. With world-class slopes, glaciers, and good food for après ski, a skier can expect a memorable vacation. Ski Spain from Pyrenees to Europe's most southern resorts in the Penibetic mountain range. Enjoy a heli-skiing vacation with a Latin accent. The season generally opens from early December to the end of April.

Ski the Andes in Argentina or Chile from late June to the end of October. Imagine gazing at the splendor from a top of the Andes with endless powder spread before you. A unique South American heli-skiing adventure can be yours with **Global Voyager!**

New Zealand's Southern Alps offers skiers and boarders a multitude of mountains that provide heli-skiing services. New Zealand's heli-skiing season usually runs from early July to early October.

Heli-Skiing, not for everybody!

Unfortunately heli-skiing is not for everybody - most heli-ski outfitters require that you are at least a strong intermediate skier or snowboarder, some even require that you are an expert in the sport. Since heli-skiing demands a strong ability in skiing powder and because of the remote location it would not be wise for a beginner to attempt this activity.

Heli-Skiing Equipment

Modern fat skis are considered to be essential for all but the most accomplished skiers. Fat skis are better for powder and the most recent models are considered superior because they give better control than earlier models over firm snow where edging and carving are important. Snowboarders are well equipped, since the wide base of a snowboard is ideal for powder snow conditions.

Clothing is generally the same as for any ski outing. Many recommend that one should dress in layers allowing you to adapt to changing conditions as you descend the mountain. A good idea is to wear one piece, waterproof ski suit over your layered clothing with proper ski gloves to prevent snow from getting in. Sun glasses and sunscreen are a must, especially in spring skiing conditions. Many heli-ski experts agree that bringing a hydration backpack is a good idea. One should also bring proper ski goggles and a warm ski hat - baseball caps are not suitable since they can easily be blown off. Snow boarders may also find that collapsible ski poles that can be stored in a knap sack may prove useful - it is possible that a bit of trekking may be necessary to find suitable snowboarding runs.

Global Voyager Heli-Skiing Trips - Custom Made

A **Global Voyager** heli-skiing trip is custom made. Our customers will be additionally furnished with an information kit. The kit contains necessary details about the destination place such as: geographical information, political situation, visa requirements, vaccinations, currency and exchange rates, time, electricity, credit cards, American and Canadian embassy addresses and telephones, transportation, local telephones, local holidays, health, food, natural and recreational hazards, local maps, dangers and annoyances and much more.