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If you're traveling by choice or necessity, there's a couple of destinations out there that should not be passed up. Take a moment and enjoy what there is to offer if you happen to travel to any of the following locales.

1. Muskoka Cottage Country, Ontario, Canada

This 2,500 square-mile, hidden treasure is bordered by 8,699 miles of awe-inspiring shoreline, including seventeen historic towns, and is located outside of Toronto. To the east, you'll see the Algonquin Provincial Park, home to scores of waterfalls, mountains and other natural marvels. Home to more than 30,000 separate islands that look almost painted on the landscape, the Georgian Bay Islands National Park lays to the west.

2. Patagonia, Argentina

Covered in crisp snow from mid-June until the end of September, this is Argentina's largest ski area. One of the nation's most regal places, [private jet charter](#) will take you through the planet's tallest mountain ranges outside of Asia, allowing you to really appreciate the amazement that is the Southern Andes.

3. San Juan Islands, Washington

This serene spot is perfect for whale watching is only a 30-45 minute [executive jet charter](#) out of Seattle. You could travel back and forth to each of the four islands that comprise the chain by ferry, and experience all they have to offer.

4. Minneapolis, Minnesota

Home of the Mall of America, this city truly is the heart of the mid-west. This town livens up with an assortment of events and cultural festivities all season long when they do not see snow in the brief summer season.

5. Glacier Bay National Park, Alaska

27% of the 3.2 million-acre park is covered in glaciers, and while exploring this awe-inspiring location, you might also see any of a wide assortment of the native animals, including bears to porpoise, moose, and humpback whales, making the trip one to remember.

6. Cardiff, Wales

Hosting castles and no shortage of modern entertainment all at the same time, the capitol city of Wales doesn't disappoint. All well within your reach, museums and outdoor activities such as white-water rafting are all there. The city is also preparing to hold the 2012 Summer Olympics football matches in its modern Millennium Stadium.

7. Stockholm Archipelago, Sweden

The "Garden on the Rocks" contains nearly 25,000 individual islands, and only 1,000 of them are inhabited, making this a terrific location to traverse and take in the 62 mile reach by boat, helicopter, kayak, or any number of choices at your disposal.

8. Azores, Portugal

These 9 islands are mostly undeveloped, to preserve their natural essence, and are close to a thousand miles off the mainland. You may see everything ranging from volcanoes to scenic villages, windmills included, as you take in this quiet place.

9. Roatan, Honduras

Offering excitement for the whole family, this shallow-water, live coral reef is located about 30 miles off the coast of the mainland. You could spend the day fishing, explore the reef, or even swim with dolphins.

10. Istria, Croatia

Awarded the prestigious Blue Flag for superior water quality and environmental maintenance standards, this 333 mile-long coast features more than 40 beaches. This place has been a summer hotspot for ages, and the rich history can still be felt there currently.

Wherever you decide to enjoy your time, be sure to take in what you experience around you. You may still take a bit of time out for yourself to spoil yourself and have memories to hold dear for the rest of your life; the world is home to limitless beauty.

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