

NOTABLE TRAVELERS

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As a very adventurous traveler, I usually do not do tours, but Spiekermann is the exception because they have been able to get me to places where no other source could, which has enabled me to visit every nation and write my best-selling book, *Around the World in 50 Years, My Adventure to Every Country on Earth*. In addition to having an amazing network of knowledgeable, important, and exclusive connections that facilitate travel off the beaten path, Spiekermann also has top-quality guides, comfortable accommodations, interesting travel companions, fair prices, and a caring management team that will promptly respond to any request before, during, and after travel. I like Spiekermann so much that I have recently enlisted their aid on my latest project: visiting every one of the 12 unrecognized countries in the world -- some truly gnarly places -- and bringing me back in one piece!

