



BARTH BALLI

“ Nothing but breathing the air of Africa, and actually walking through it, can communicate the indescribable sensations. ”
- William Burchell

Guiding Experience: *Barth has been accompanying and guiding guests for 13 years.*

Regional Knowledge & Expertise: *Northern Botswana and Namibia.*

Ideal for Accompanying: *French speakers or travellers with a keen interest in conservation.*

Areas of Special Interest: *Wildlife, conservation, family safaris, family adventure and incredible nature-based holiday experiences.*

Qualifications:

- *Over 10 years of hands-on conservation work.*
- *Specialist in cheetah rehabilitation, providing rare, behind-the-scenes understanding of one of Africa's most iconic predators.*
- *Extensive guiding experience.*
- *Barth resides in Paris when not in the bush, and speaks fluent French.*

Languages: *English and French*

Currently Lives: *Paris, France*

OPERATES IN NORTHERN BOTSWANA AND NAMIBIA

French speakers keen to discover Mother Africa in their mother tongue will find a suitable guide in Barth Balli.

Barth's own life path was set during his first safari, which ignited a deep and enduring passion for wild animals and wild places, and it's this profound connection to Africa that drives his guiding.

In addition to his guiding experience, Barth has spent more than a decade in Namibia where he worked in conservation across the vast dunes of the Namib Desert to the northwest's wildlife-rich concessions. His deep understanding of animal tracking, desert-adapted species, and ecosystem dynamics allows him to reveal the subtle rhythms of the wild that few get to experience.

Since 2015, he has been actively involved in cheetah and wild dog rehabilitation, gaining rare, hands-on insight into the behavior and conservation of two of Africa's most iconic species. This unique experience allows him to offer privileged access to the stories behind the wildlife, elevating each safari into something truly meaningful.



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