# Voyages to the Far South and Far North Latitudes of Our Planet

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ms Veendam



ms Amsterdam

#### So Where Are We Going First?

- Far South Latitudes
  - Grand World Voyage (GWV) of 2012 on ms Amsterdam
  - Falkland Islands, Antarctica and Tierra del Fuego
  - 1st of 4 GWV cruises each 113-118 days
    - John and Carolyn Shoosmith cruised with us

#### Falkland Islands, British Overseas Territory











#### Stanley, Falkland Islands









The statue in front of church is constructed from the ribs of Blue Whales

#### **Stanley Views**



# Falkland Islands - Penguins





Penguins were attracted by Marty's bright yellow hat

#### **Volunteer Point**

**Magellenic Penguins** 





**King Penguins** 

# Antarctica - map



#### **Antarctica – Ice Arches**





# Antarctica – Icebergs





#### **Antarctica – the Continent**





#### **Antarctica**

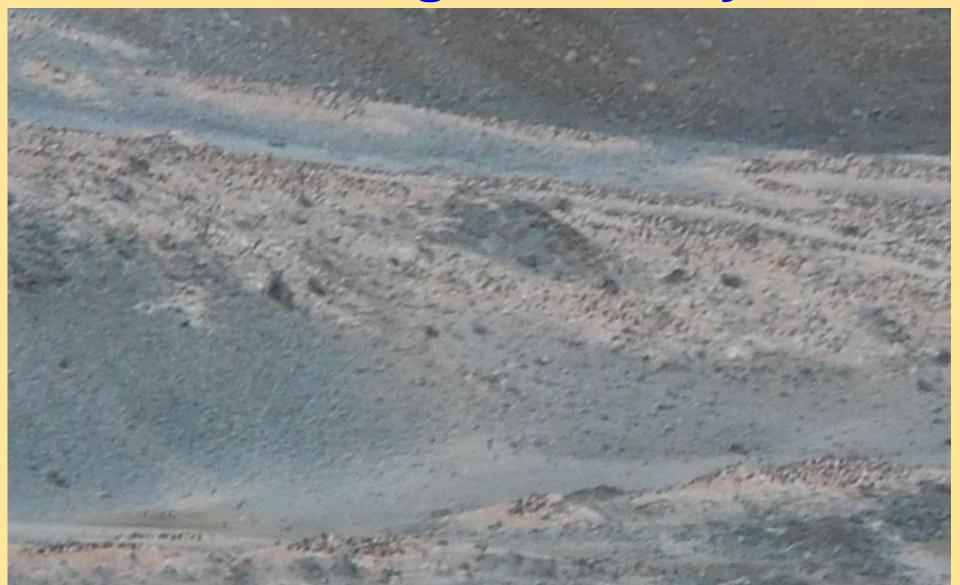


# **Antarctica - Penguins**





# **Antarctica – Penguin Colony**



#### **Antarctica – Seals and a Whale**





# Antarctica – Research Vessel & Camp





# Antarctica – Sunset



#### Tierra del Fuego – Argentina & Chile

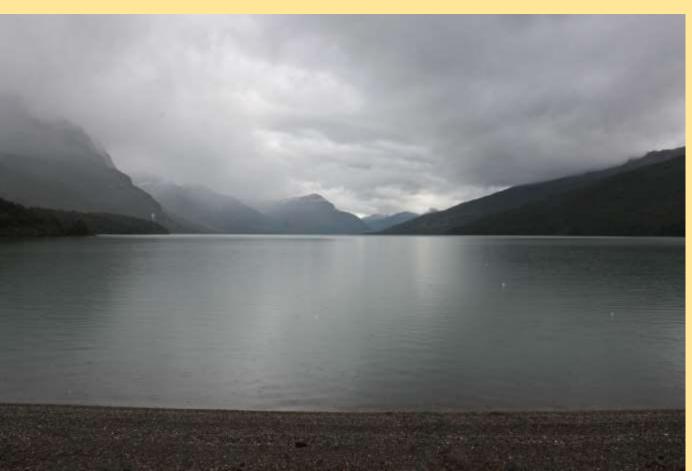


## Tierra del Fuego – National Park





# Tierra del Fuego Drake Passage



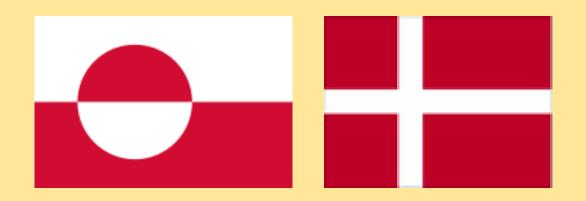


#### So Where Are We Going Next?

#### Far North Latitudes

- Voyage of the Vikings in 2015 on ms Vendam
- Greenland, Iceland and Faroe Islands
- 3<sup>rd</sup> of 3 medium length cruises each 35-38 days
  - John and Peg Shoosmith cruised with us

#### Greenland (Kalaallit Nunaat), Denmark





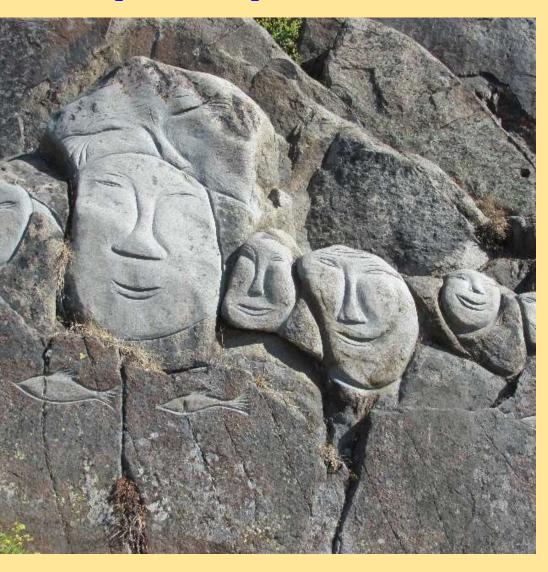


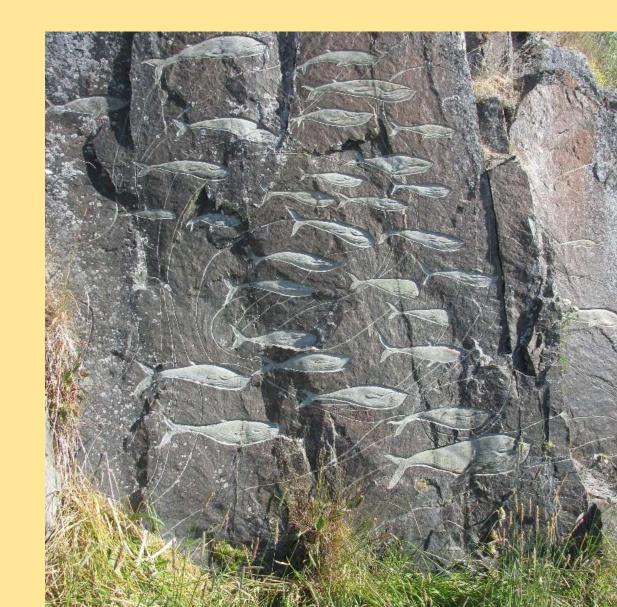






# Qaqortoq, Greenland





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**Thai Restaurant** 

#### Qaqortoq, Greenland



These machines had just been introduced at LFCU



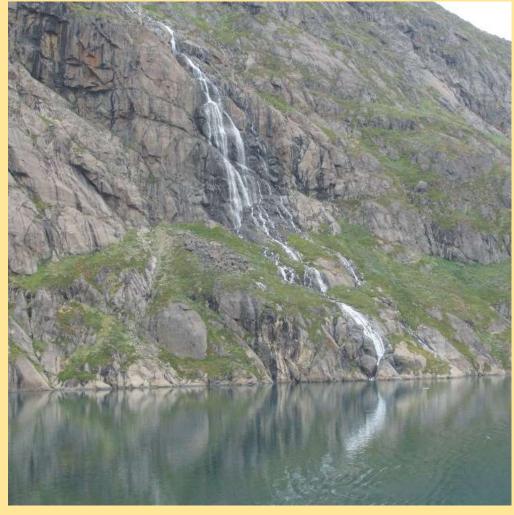
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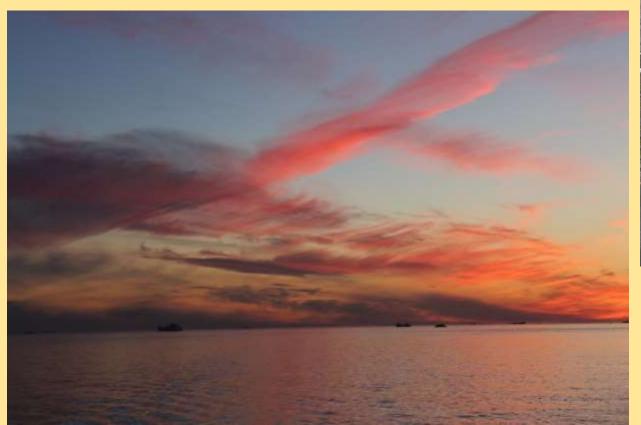
**Bergy Bits** 

#### Prince Christian Sound, Greenland





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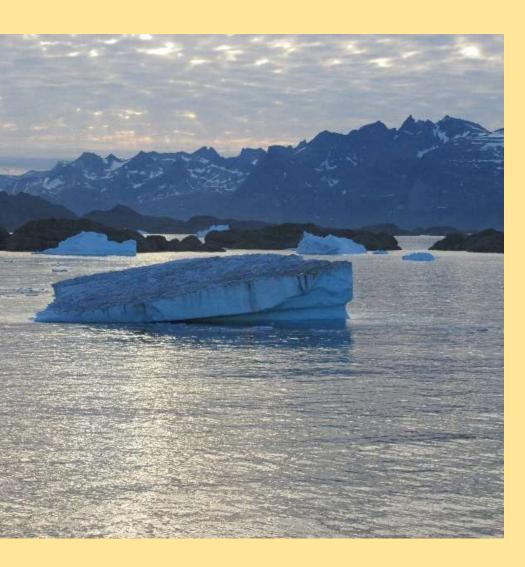


#### **Prince Christian Sound**





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#### Nanortalik, Greenland







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#### **Iceland**













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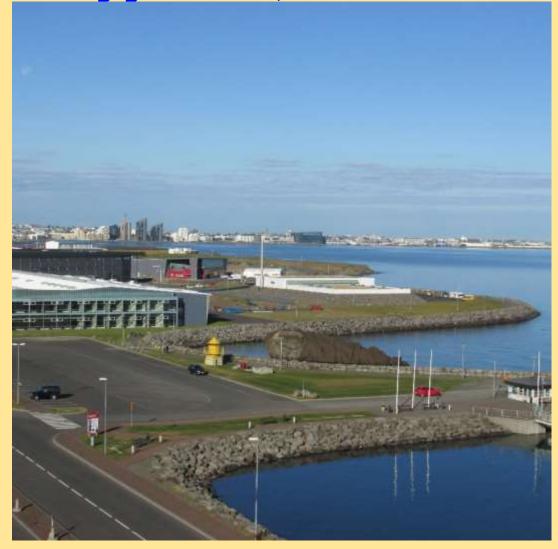
#### **Iceland**







### Reyjkavik, Iceland

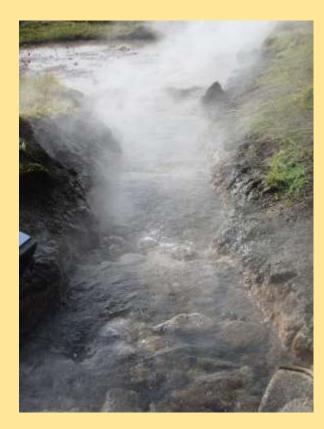




# **Geothermal Activity**







# **More Geothermal Activity**





The Blue Lagoon – popular thermal spa

**Geysir** 

#### Iceland's Ice Sheet – 3<sup>rd</sup> largest in the world

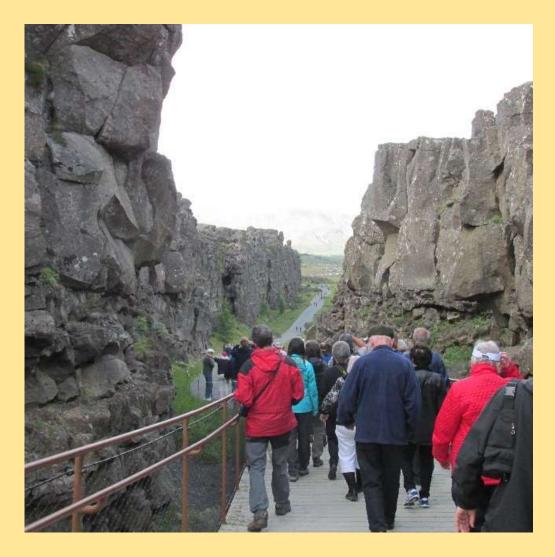


# Iceland Sits on the Mid-Atlantic Ridge





#### Where N. American & European Plates Meet





# Akureyri & Isofjordur, Iceland





#### Isofjordur, Iceland



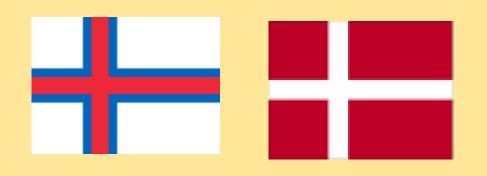


# Replica of 14th Century Fishing Hut





## **Faroe Islands, Denmark**







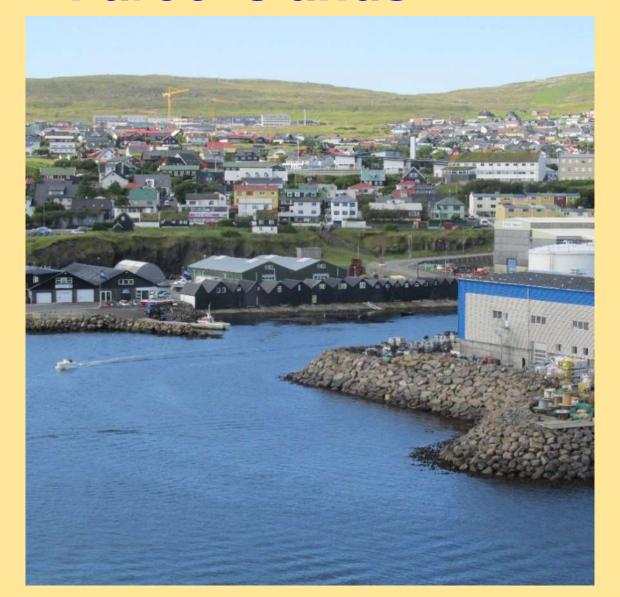


#### **Torshavn, Faroe Islands**





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