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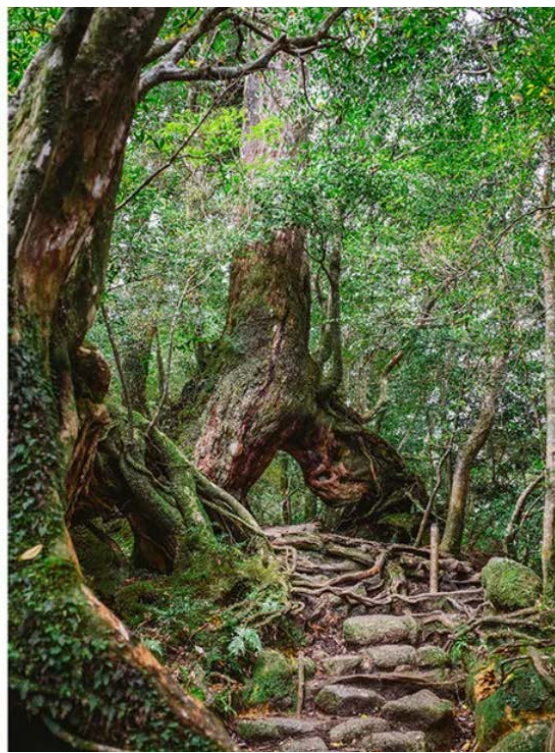


Yakushima © K . P . V . B

The least traveled island

From the moss-covered primeval forests of Yakushima to the volcanic landscapes of Unzen, experience the power of the earth on this comprehensive route. Seamlessly use planes, trains, and ferries to access the best scenery in Kyushu, which has been shaped by powerful natural forces since ancient times.

[Day 1: Yakushima: Japan's Least Traveled Island](#)



Day 2: Canoeing and Kagoshima



Day 3: Kagoshima and Kumamoto: Culinary and Historical Memories



Kagoshima Fish Market ©Todd Fong



Kumamoto Castle

[Day 4: Soaking in Nagasaki's Hot Springs of Hell](#)



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Bokuya Guide (Grassland Trail Walk/Grassland Bike Ride)

Aso is a vast grassland that stretches as far as you can see. The grassland has been maintained for millennia by our ancestors, who cultivated rice and other agricultural products, raised cattle and horses, and produced fertilizers essential for agriculture. The beautiful landscape has been preserved by local people who continue to graze cattle, gather grass, and burn fields as a means of livelihood. This progress has been recognized as GIAHS (Globally Important Agricultural Heritage Systems). Visitors can enjoy the grasslands of Aso through the "Bokuya Walk," a walking tour with a guide, and the "Bokuya Ride," a mountain bike (E-bike) tour with

a guide. Through these tours, you will experience all that the grasslands have to offer that are normally inaccessible.

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Mynavi Tour de Kyushu 2026 - October 9 - 12



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The Tour de Kyushu is a UCI (Union Cycliste Internationale) sanctioned cycling road race, established by the Kyushu Regional Strategy Council, which comprises top economic organizations in Kyushu and the governors of each prefecture. This event was decided to be held as a symbol of the sustainable legacy of the Rugby World Cup, the promotion of cycle tourism in Kyushu, and the recovery from recent natural disasters that have struck the region. This year, the event will be held over four days, from Friday, October 9, to Monday, October 12.



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Kyushu, the Large Island of Southwestern Japan

Kyushu, with its seven prefectures, is a land full of energy, from its vibrant people to its famous volcanoes. Close to the rest of Asia and easily accessible from Tokyo, Kyushu has welcomed new ideas and cultures for over a thousand years. Experience the dynamic landscapes, relax in the many hot springs, and enjoy the warmth of genuine hospitality.

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