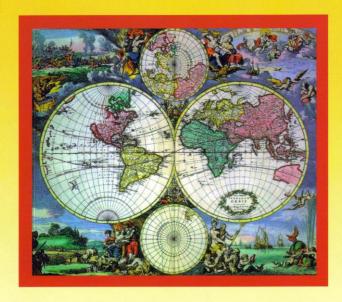


# The Most Traveled Man on Earth



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- ✓ Just published
- ✓ Non-fiction
- My travels to 181 countries & territories
- **√** \$16.95
- ✓ www.themosttraveled.com

## Today we will cover 4 topics:

- The most traveled people
- The "rules"
- Tips from the MTM
- My adventures catching up:
  - ✓ Finding the real Bali Hai
  - **✓ Joining the Knights Templar**
  - **✓ Other stories**

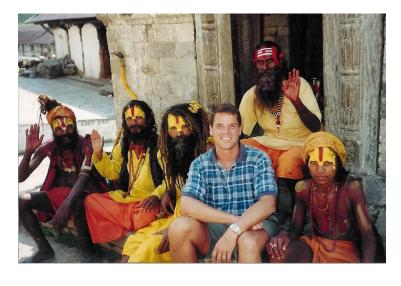


#### The World's Most Traveled Men:



#### **John Clouse**

- Guinness MTM 1991-2001
- Divorce attorney
- Evansville, IN
- 81 years old
- Married 6 times, divorced 6 times



## **Charles Veley**

- Claimed MTM in 2005
- Dot-com millionaire
- San Francisco, CA
- 43 years old
- Married once





### **Other Contenders:**



Bill Altaffer Mammoth Lakes, CA Ski instructor



Jeff Shea Mountaineer Gig Gwin, Most Traveled Travel Agent



Robert & Dorothy Pine of Boulder, CO



Lynn Stephenson of Raleigh, NC Ad executive



## What's a country?













192 UN **Members**  193 "Common-Sense" Countries

265 **Countries Countries** & difficult islands

315 & "Sovereign Territories" 673 Countries, regions, territories, etc.

3978 Provinces, states

e.g. **Timor** Leste

e.g. Vatican, **Taiwan** 

e.g. **Bouvet** Island

e.g. Guam

e.g. e.g. DC Guantanamo













## What are the rules? ✓



TCC: just touch down, no proof required







Guinness: touch the ground, proof required







ITN: use your conscience, honor system





## Tips from the Most Traveled Man (?):

Best hotel: The Oriental, Bangkok







Best country: US, then France





**Best city: Paris** 



Best airline: Singapore Airlines



Best beer: Weisse beer of Berlin

Worst country: Equatorial Guinea



How to pack: "Go with an open mind and don't take a suitcase full of crap"



## Some of my adventures:

- ✓ Finding the real Bali Hai
- ✓ Joining the Knights Templars
- ✓ Other stories











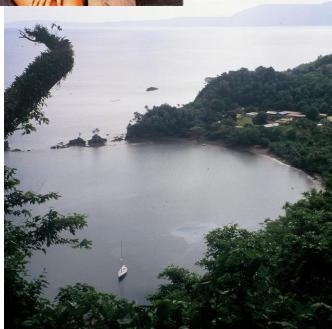
## **Bali Hai**



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South West Pacific



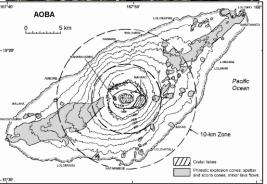


Brisbane













## The Knights Templar

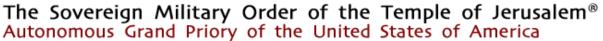












#### **Projects:**

- Built the first high school for girls in Kabul
- Medical assistance in Ethiopia
- Train for worship and medical aid in Russia
- Protecting holy sites in Palestine
- Assisting street children in Iraq
- www.smotj.org



#### Other stories include:

#### **Recruited by the KGB**

Life on Pitcairn Islar





Running with the bulls

- the inner game



Sailing tall ships across three oceans



Ballerina, spy, First Lady of E. Timor







## The true story of *Out of Africa*

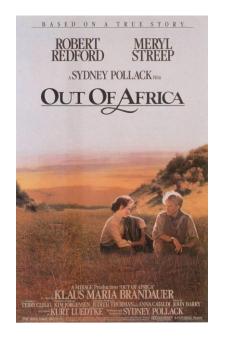
### **Burmese leg-rowing**

The real Robinson Crusoe island



The Queen of the Nile

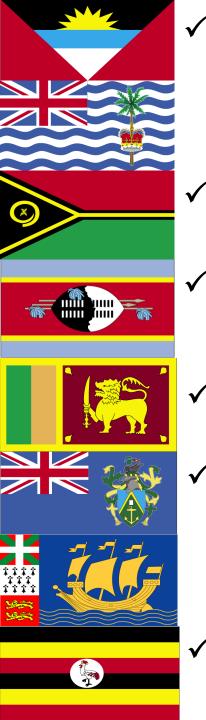




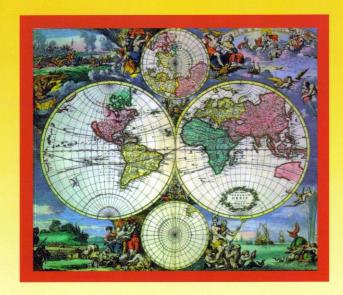
# Sailing down the Shannon







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