



SOUTH AFRICAN COUPLE WINS THE TOP WONDERS OF THE WORLD COMPETITION.

Tuesday, March 10, 2009 - A 28-year old Boksburg man and his new bride are off to see the top wonders of the world - including the USA's Grand Canyon, Peru's ancient city of the Incas, the Colosseum in Rome, Britain's Stone Henge, China's Great Wall, the Pyramids in Egypt and the Great Barrier Reef in Australia – after winning a competition sponsored by Valpré on South African Broadcasting Corporation (SABC) 3 on Saturday, March 07.

The prize trip, which includes R20 000 spending money, business class air travel, and five-star hotel accommodation, was won by Timothy and Tanya Strydom of Boksburg with compliments of Valpré - one of South Africa's leading natural spring water brand. The weekly travel television show, TOPTRAVEL,TM was sponsored by Valpré.

It will be the first overseas trip ever for Timothy and Tanya Strydom of Jansenpark, Boksburg. After getting married late last year, this couple went to Pilgrim's Rest in Mpumalanga for their honeymoon. "Valpre' has just given us an opportunity for what you can call a second honeymoon," remarked Timothy.

“This trip is definitely worth waiting for. In fact some people wait a lifetime and never get the chance. We have only dreamt about visiting places like the top wonders of the world and we are incredibly excited that this is now going to be a reality,” Timothy added.

The competition called “Worth the Wait” celebrates the fact that quality cannot be rushed. Elizabeth Moroldo, Valpré’s brand manager said, “Slow, perfected and crafted by nature over time, Valpré Spring Water epitomizes that the best things in life are Worth the Wait™.”

“Valpré Spring Water takes up to 15 years to filter naturally through the earth and emerge from underground springs. This process cannot be rushed or manipulated in any way. Nature works at its own pace, perfecting the water along the way,” Elizabeth went on to explain.

Valpré Spring Water and Top Billing teamed up last year to produce TOPTRAVEL™ a weekly travel television programme which took viewers around the world in search of all things premium and rare. The series were screened on Saturday evenings at 18H00 on SABC 3, from September 2008 and the viewers’ feedback was that they couldn’t wait for the next week’s instalment, each time they watched the programme.

They featured many of the Wonders of the World, Top Ski Resorts, islands, fine dining experiences, places to have high tea, walking and diving destinations, whiskies and wines.

Viewers were given the opportunity to win all expenses paid trips weekly to international destinations including Singapore, London, Dubai and the Seychelles as well as local trips to places like Tiffindale, the Cradle of Humankind in Gauteng and the Ivory Lodge at the Kruger National Park.

The series culminated in the lucky draw of this once-in-a-lifetime grand prize trip worth R600 000.



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