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**Title :** Madagascar, the Island of Joy in Simplicity

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**Abstract :** Located in the Indian Ocean off the southeastern coast of Africa, Madagascar is home to approximately 33 million people. The island is renowned for its extraordinary biodiversity, with nearly 90% of its plant and animal species being endemic: such as lemurs, chameleons, and baobab trees. Malagasy is the language spoken in daily life, while French is primarily used in administrative and academic settings. Malagasy society places strong value on fihavanana (solidarity) and firaisankina (unity). Joy is found in the simplicity of everyday gestures, communal living, and a deep connection to nature.

