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## OUTDOOR ADVENTURES

For a brief few months each year, warm weather, long days, and generous vacation time conspire to open up a world of travel possibilities. From climbing to the top of remote mountains to exploring breathtaking river gorges to biking quiet back-country roads, *Sherman's Travel* has selected 10 spectacular adventures. And to make sure there's a trip to suit every taste, we've included a splurge option (for those who absolutely must have the most exotic and/or pampered voyage) as well as a great value (for those who don't mind roughing it). **BY KATE SEKULES**

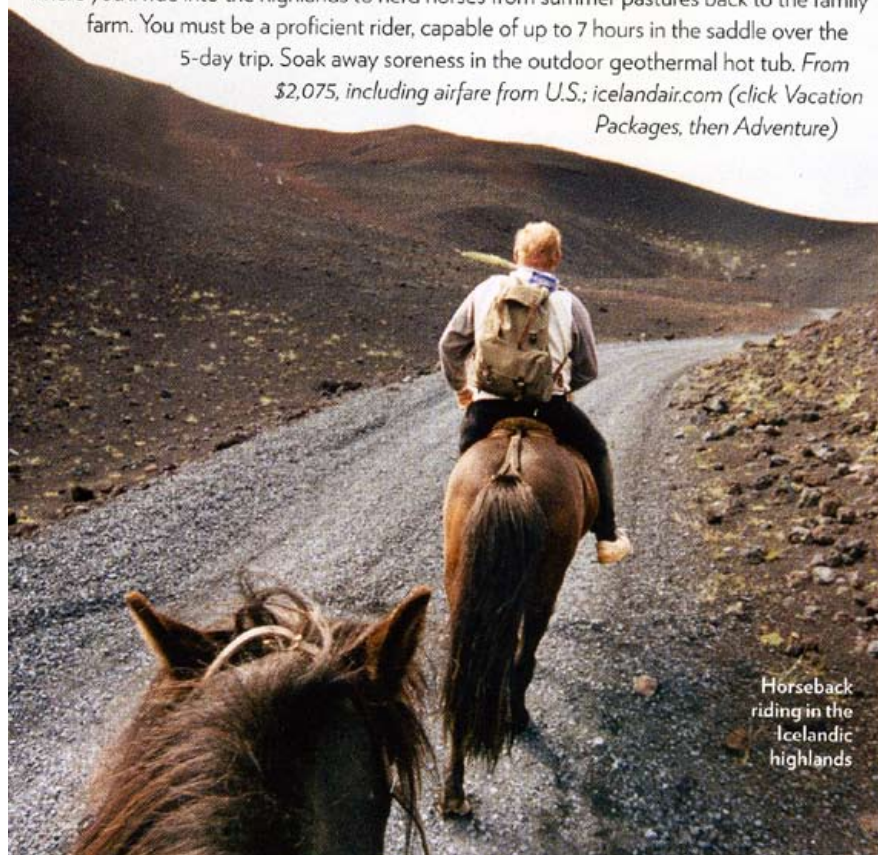
# Horseback Riding

## GRANBY, COLORADO

**SPLURGE** A haven in the high Rockies for over 60 years, **C Lazy U Lodge** offers fine home-cooked feasts served family-style, comfy cowboyish lodges just shy of luxurious, and the hospitality of an extended family. Horses and instruction are exceptional, with classes at any level in indoor and outdoor arenas and all-day trail rides. At week's end, show off your teamwork at the (slightly) competitive rodeo. *From \$2,350 for 7 days; clazyu.com*

## ICELAND

**VALUE** Discover Iceland's cowboys—or sheep boys, which is close enough—at **Sveinsstadir**, where you'll ride into the highlands to herd horses from summer pastures back to the family farm. You must be a proficient rider, capable of up to 7 hours in the saddle over the 5-day trip. Soak away soreness in the outdoor geothermal hot tub. *From \$2,075, including airfare from U.S.; icelandair.com (click Vacation Packages, then Adventure)*



Horseback riding in the Icelandic highlands