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The Best Travel Shoes to Make Every Trip Lighter and Easier

No matter the destination, these shoes will get you there

Remote travel slip-ons



VANS

Classic Sneaker, Unisex

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The best kind of shoe for travel to some of the more remote parts of the world, says **Mark Lakin**, the New York City-based founder of **The Legacy Untold**, is a reliable classic. **The Vans Unisex Slip-ons**—he likes the checked black and white—are easy to slide in and out of in airports, are perfect for impromptu adventures on the beach and complements many different types of travel. They’re “inexpensive, washable, great with or without socks,” he says of the versatile pair. He wears his Vans while traveling by boat and on trips to rivers and lakes in remote destinations.

Safari walker



MERRELL

Moab Speed Mid GORE-TEX, Men's

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Safari travelers, says **Lakin**, are typically limited to between 33 to 44 pounds of luggage due to aircraft regulations, so shoe weight is essential. He recommends the “super lightweight” **Merrell Men's Moab 3 style**, a technical shoe that clocks in under three pounds and is “breathable yet waterproof,” with protective toe-caps for walking safaris. The black colorway, **Lakin** says, is an added bonus; it “goes with anything from daytime activities to casual dinners.”