

# Summary

## Collection: Flags of the World

### Collector's Name : Mihnea Raducu, Romania

The collection is arranged alphabetically

It contains 237 Unique FOTW's (Flags of the World) received postally and 26 postcards blank – not received from origin – but it is a “live” collection.

In the following pages are the Flags (FOTW) that I have received sent via Postal System. Some of them I received more than once, in that case I scanned and added the most visible Postmark Cancellation.

In some cases there can be more than one Flag for one country – either adopted a new one, either postmarks is interesting or some other reasons – they are mentioned in special remarks.

The list used to arrange alphabetically is the one available on Postcrossing (<https://www.postcrossing.com/explore/countries>) and usually is with English names.

Where I don't receive a flag sent from that country I added a scan of another postal item that I have – Postcard or Cover – in those cases when I had such item – for Somalia or Yemen - they have no postal service.

3 Antarctic Territories (Ross Dependency, AAT and BAT) do not have any FOTW Printed.



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(\*) Special region, dependent territory or special areas of geographical interest.

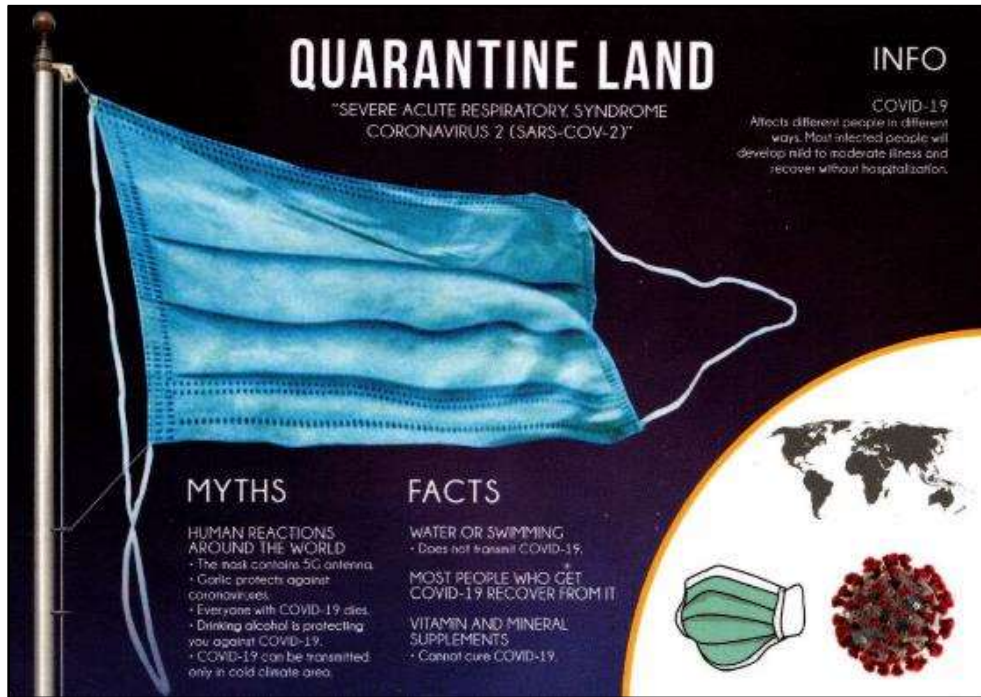
(\*\*) Union or Constituent parts of Sovereignty

(\*\*\*) Special made postcards

Special note: 5 mentioned are not issued by Postcardsmarket: 3 Antarctic territories, Western Sahara and U.S Minor Outlying States

# Quarantine Land

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Special Remarks:

Sent from Brazil in 22 January 2021, Fantasy Flag COVID-19

# Postcrossing Meeting MD-RO

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Special Remarks:

Postcrossing Meeting in Chisinau – 29 July 2017

# Afghanistan Flag (up to 15 Aug. 2021)

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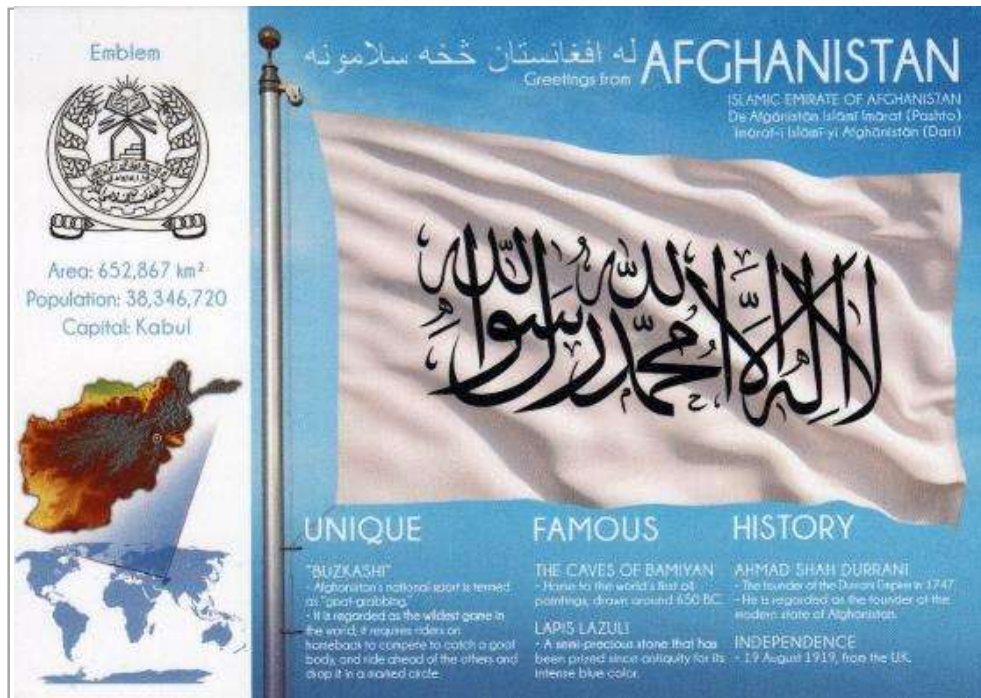


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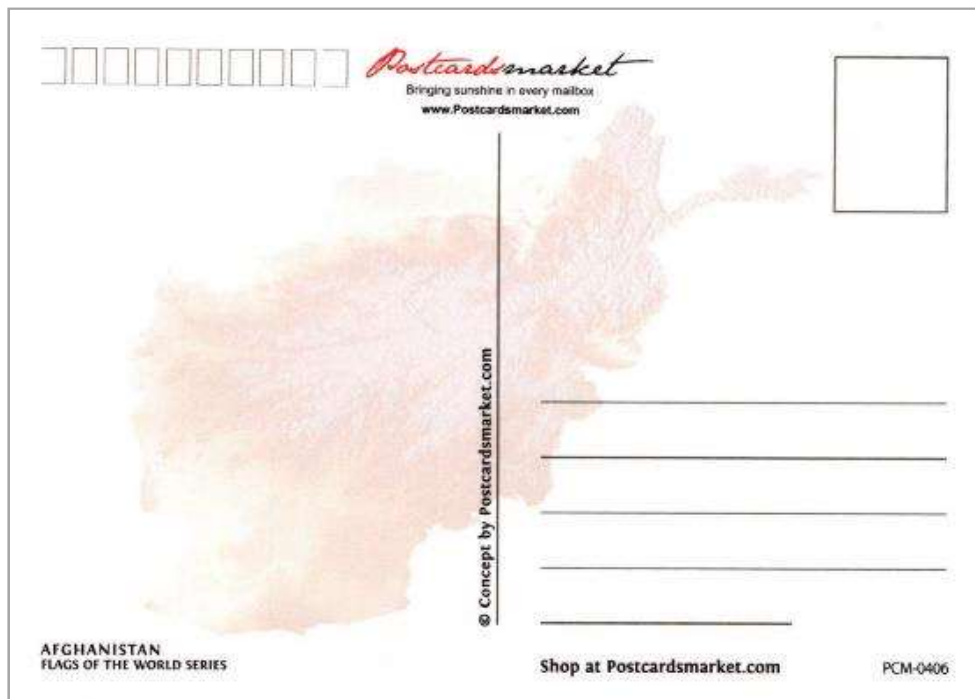
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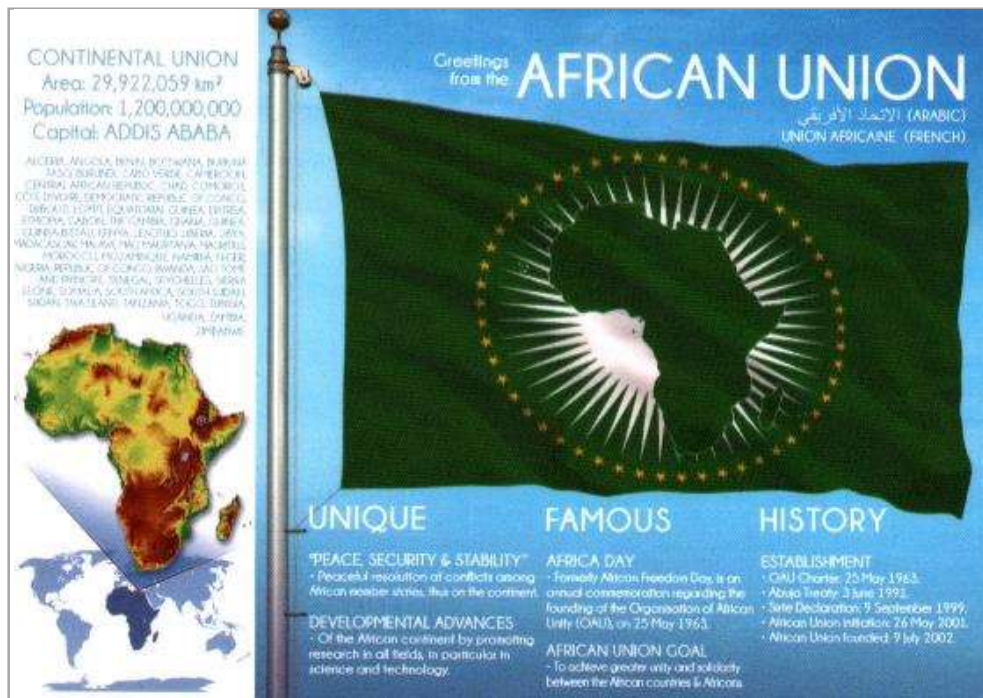
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# African Union Flag

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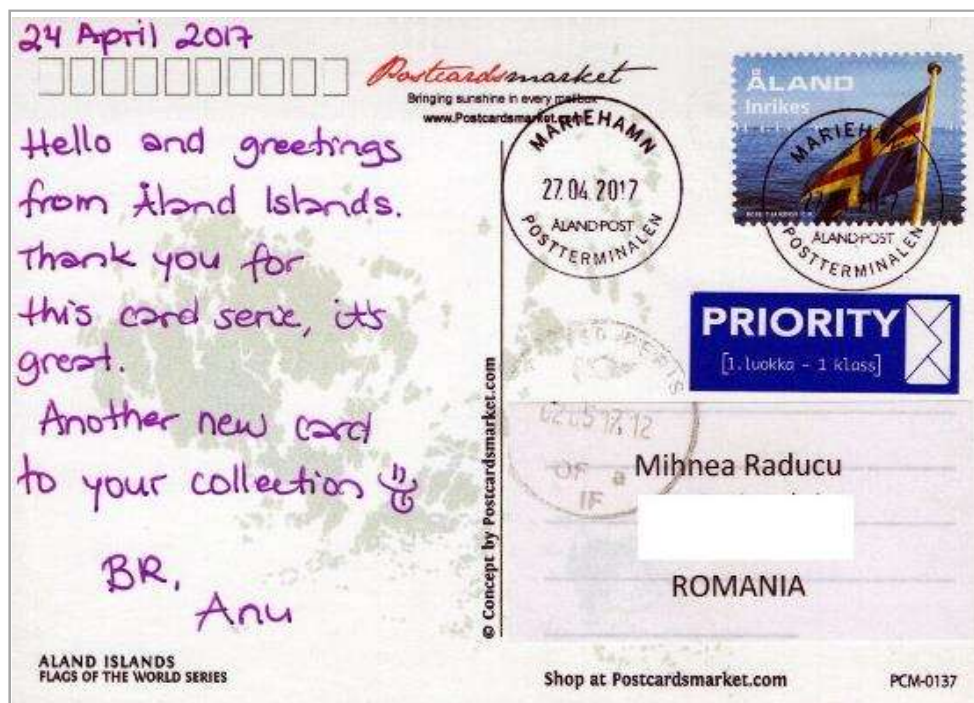
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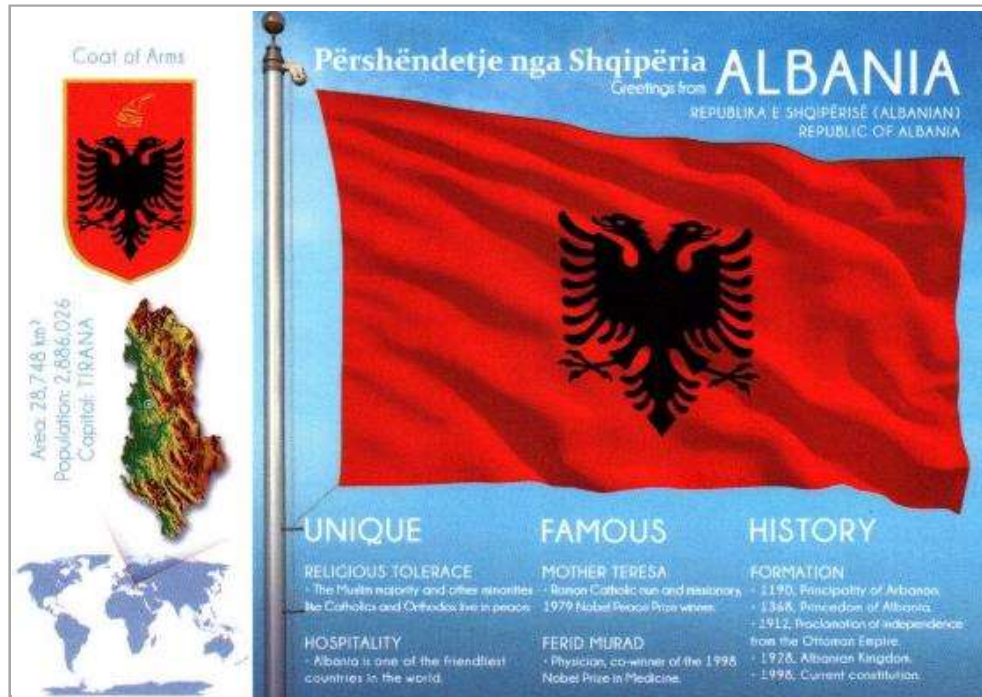


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# Albania Flag

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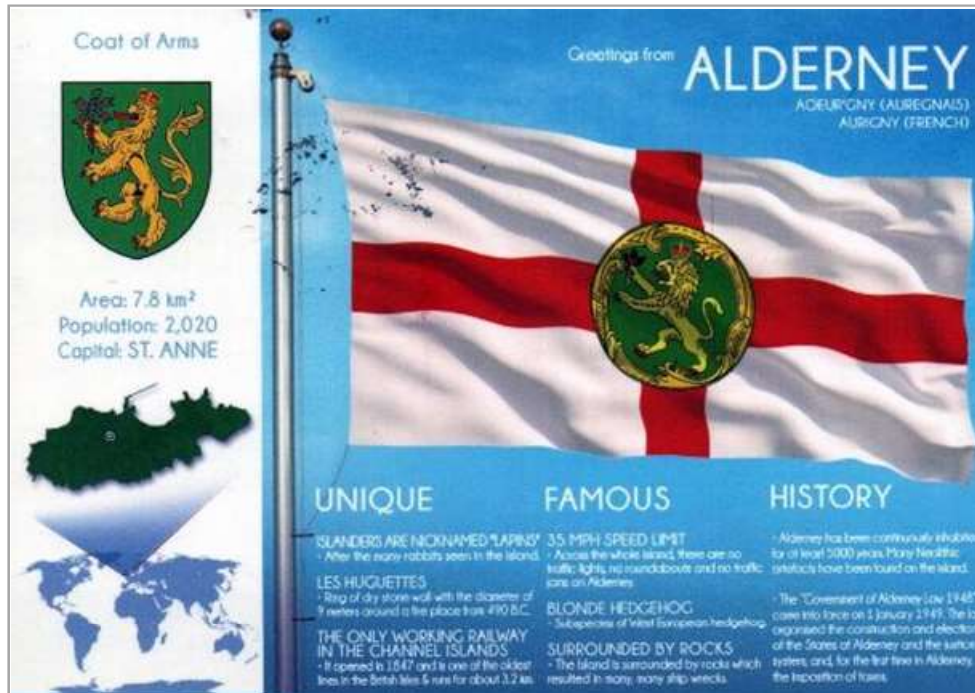


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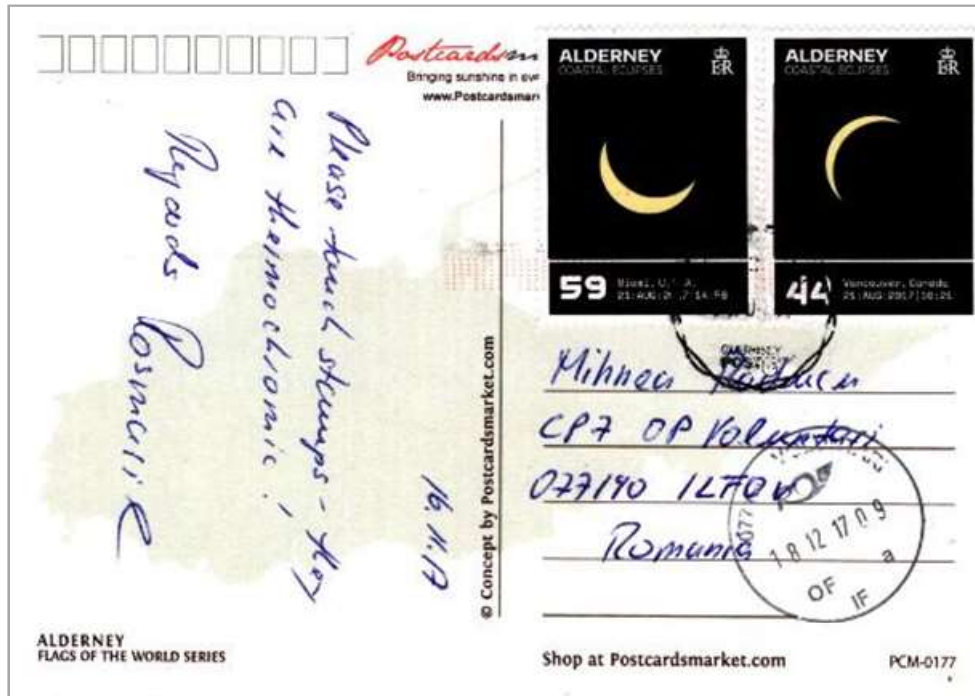
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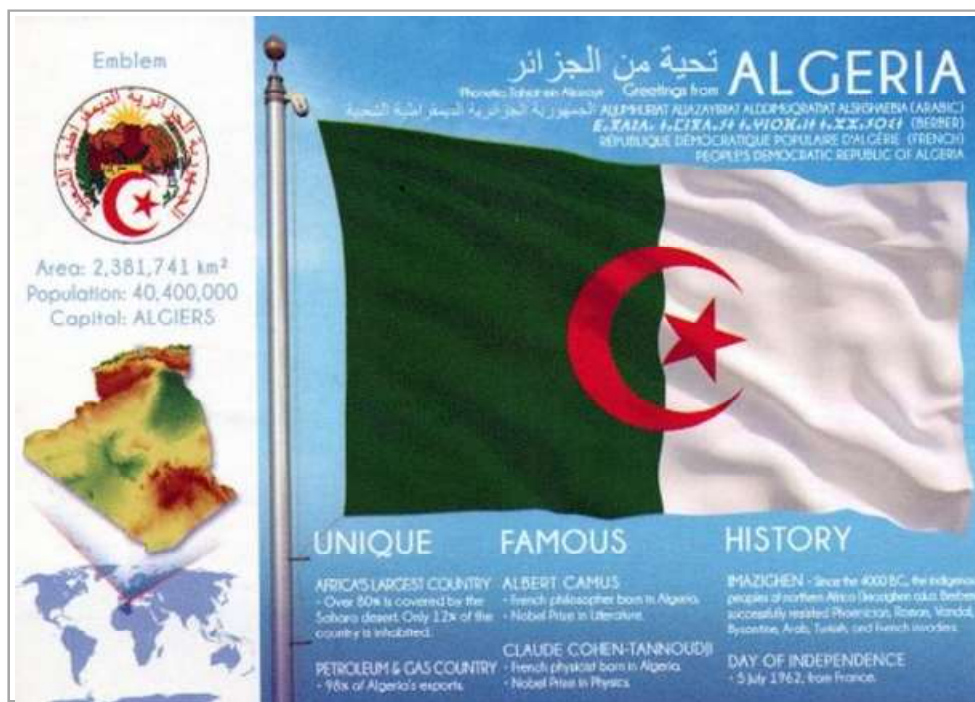


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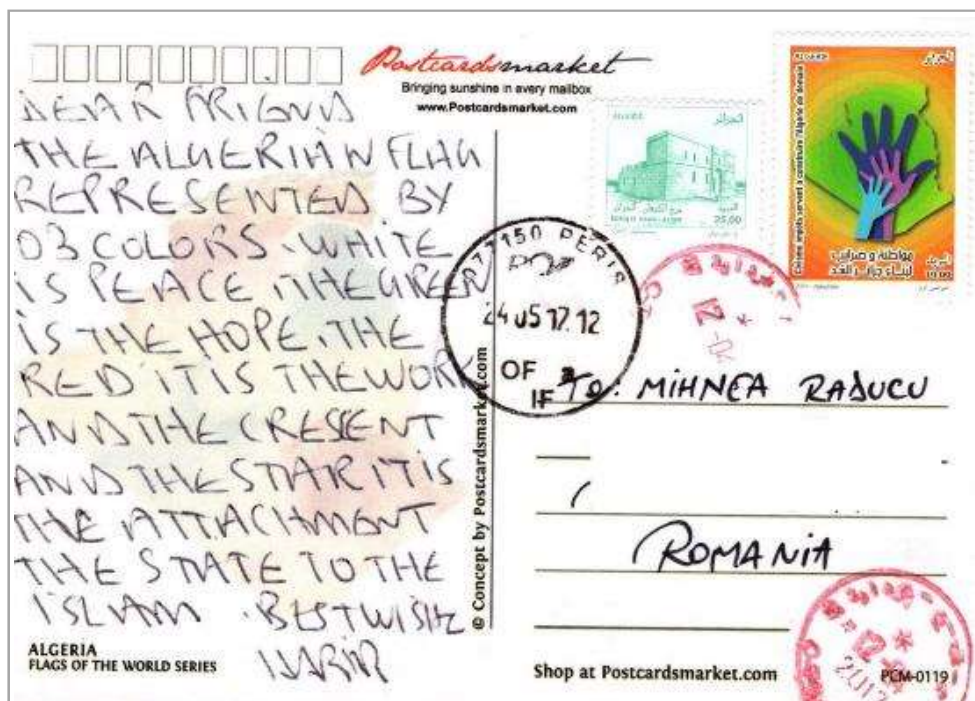
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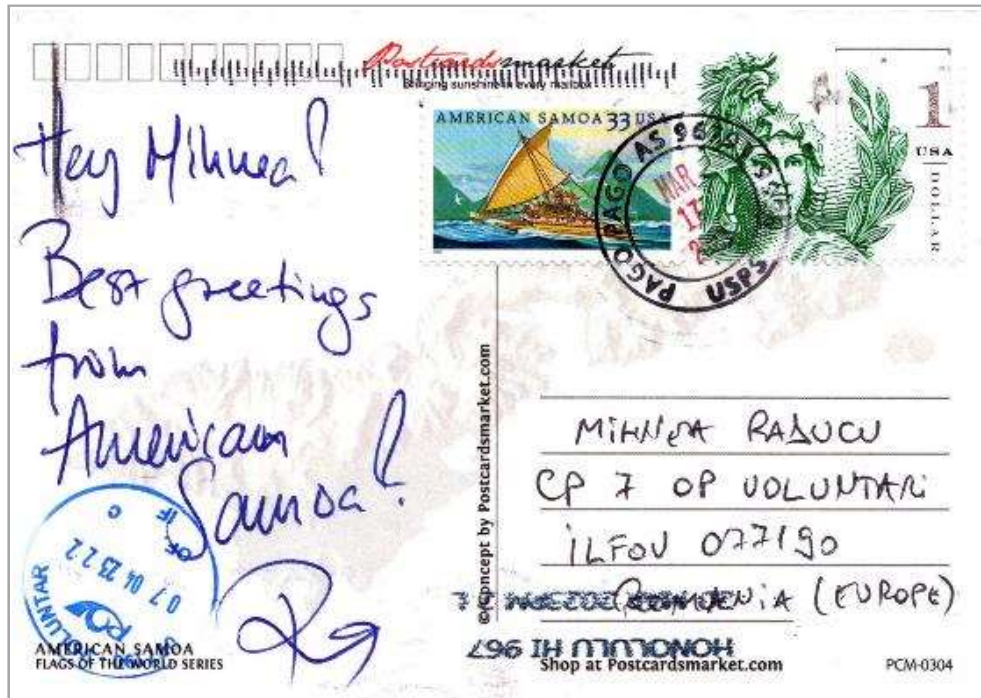
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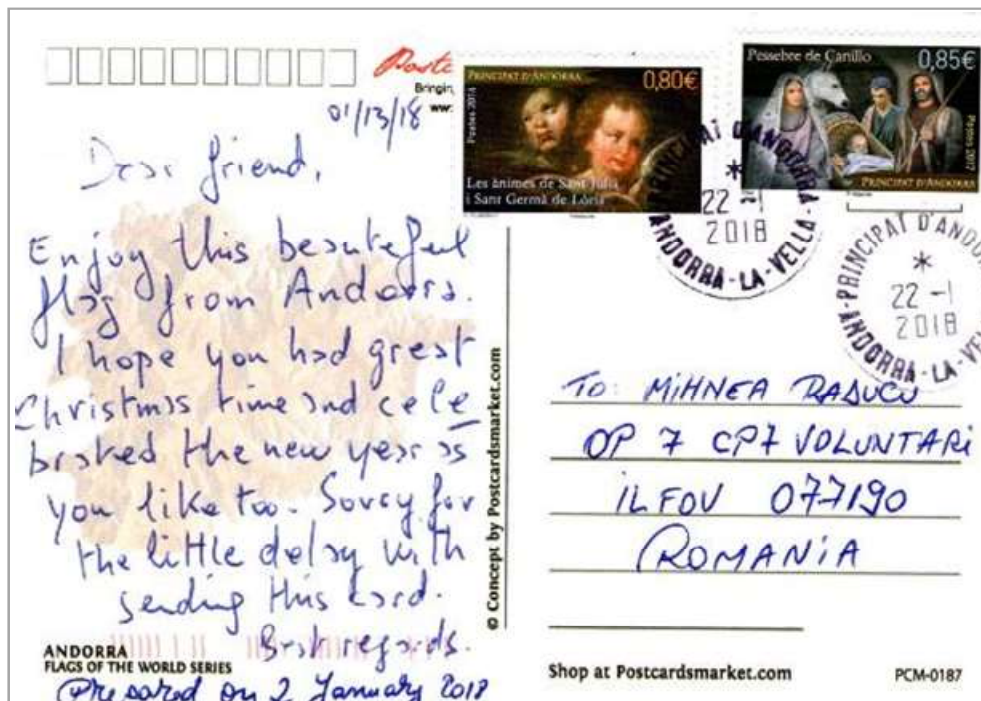
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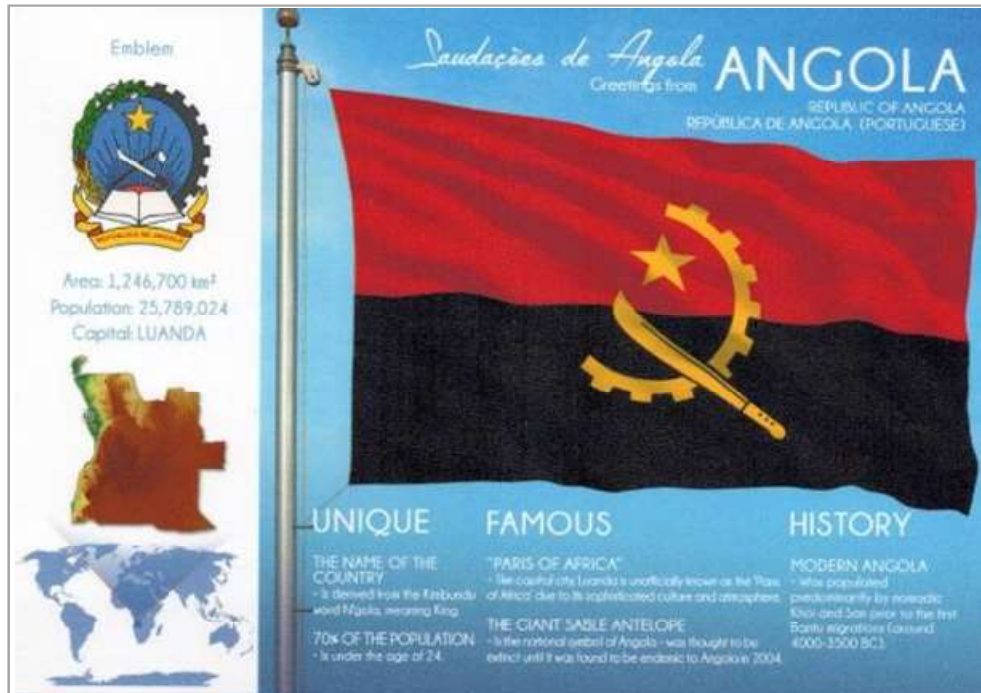


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# Angola Flag

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# Anguilla Flag

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# Antigua and Barbuda Flag

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# Argentina Flag

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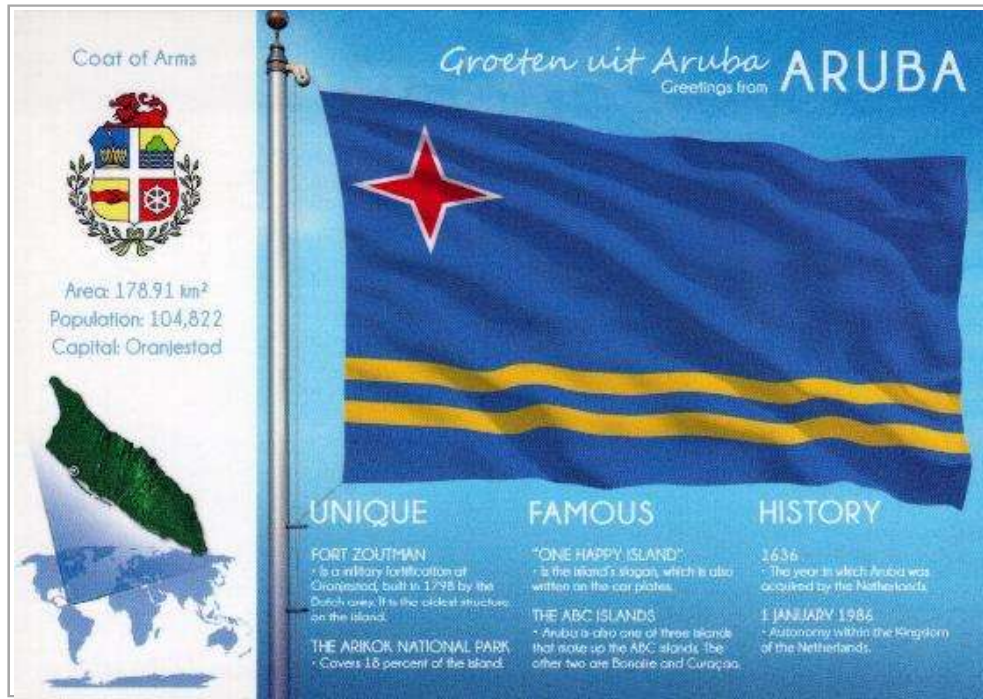


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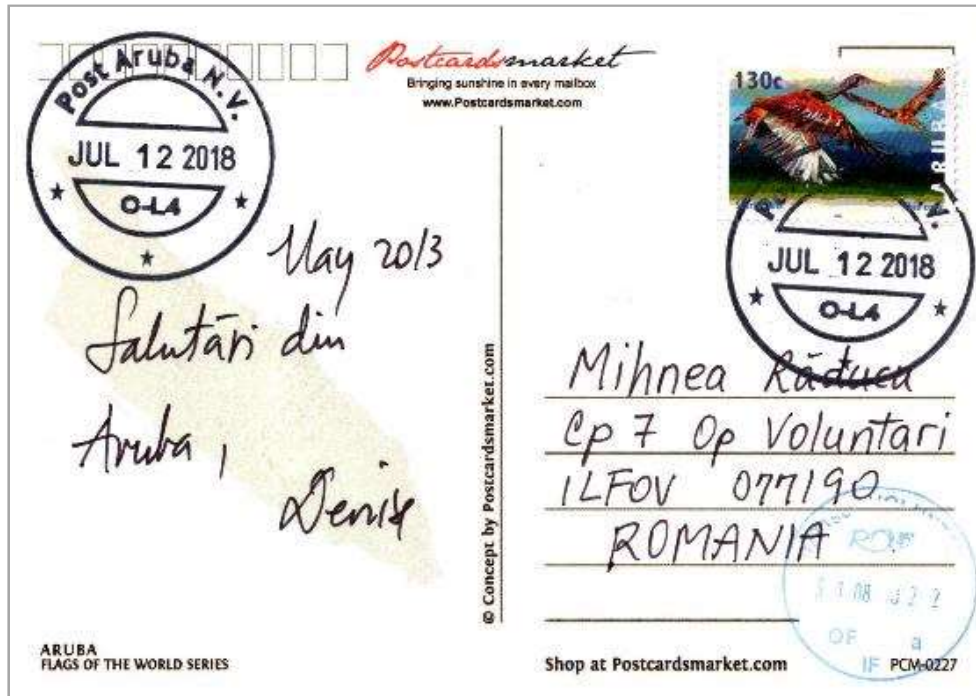


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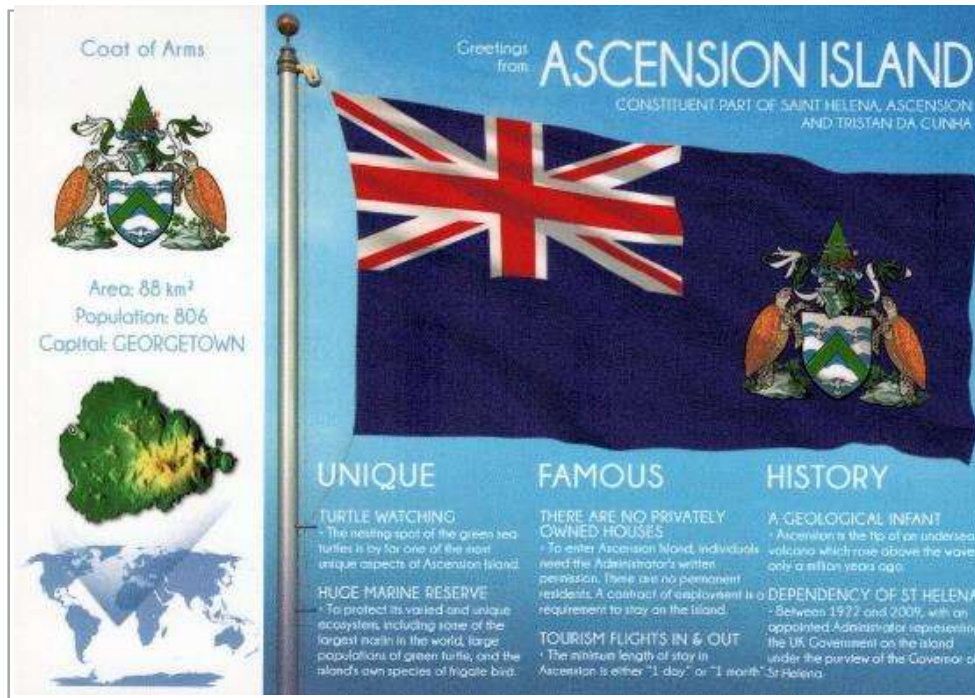


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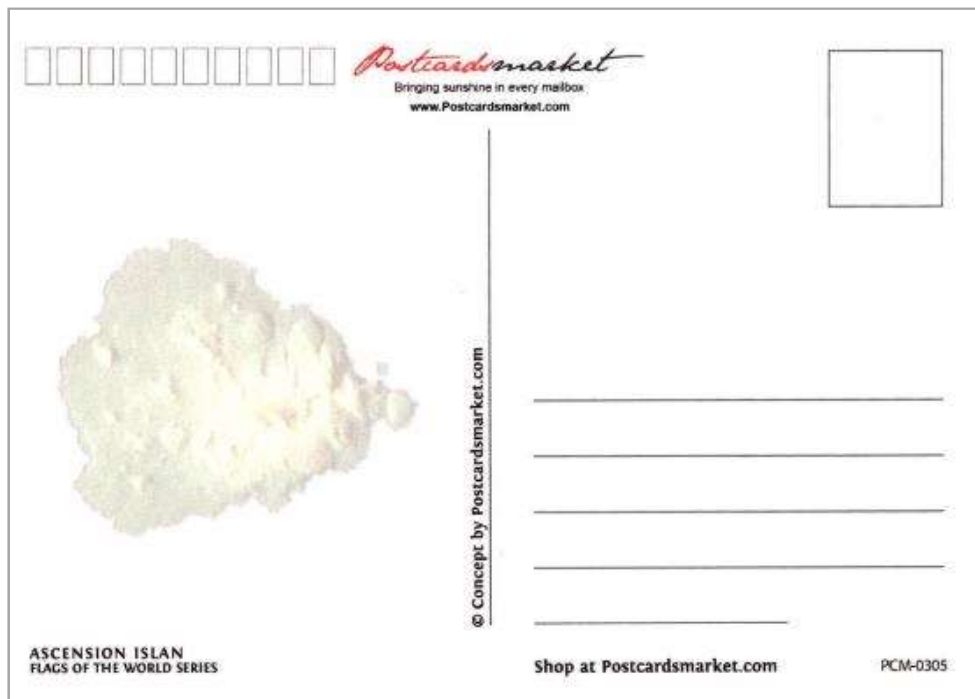
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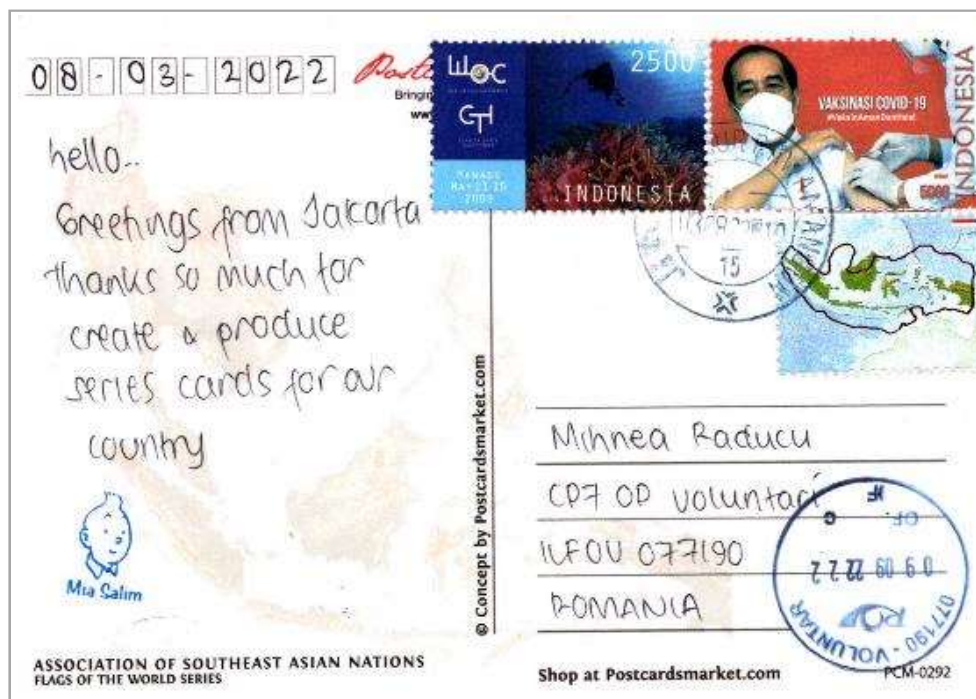
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# ASEAN Flag (Association of SouthEast Asian Nations)

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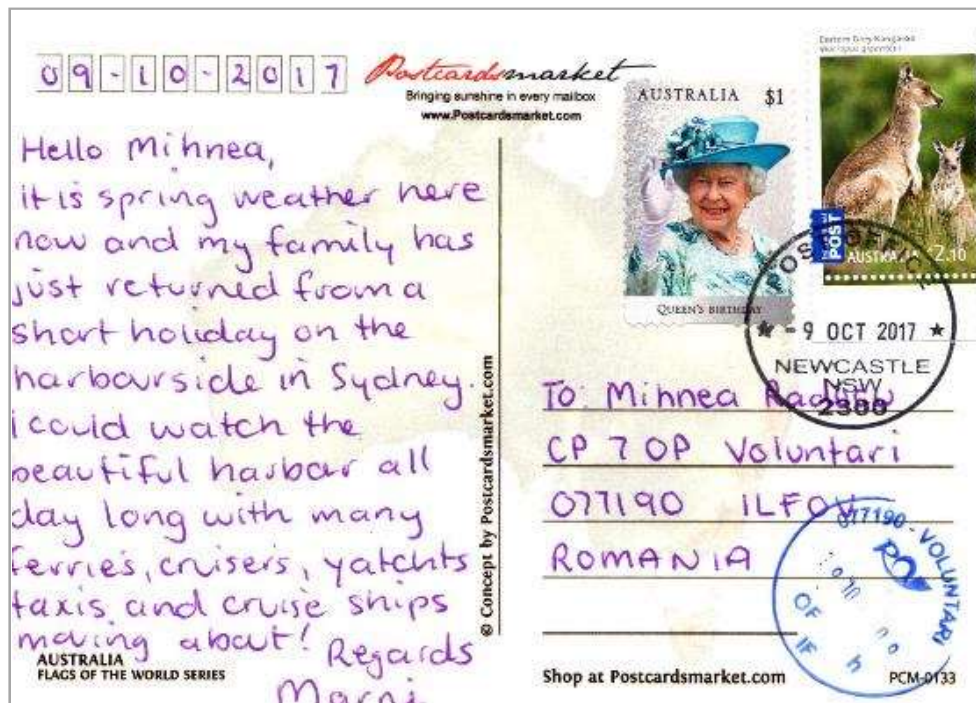


# Australia Flag

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# Austria Flag

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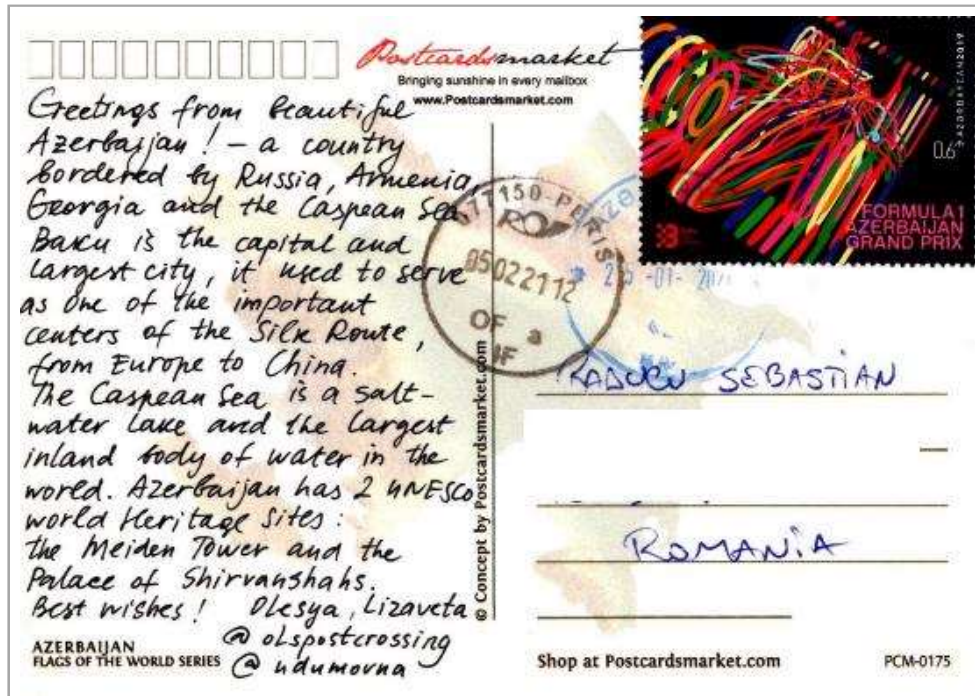
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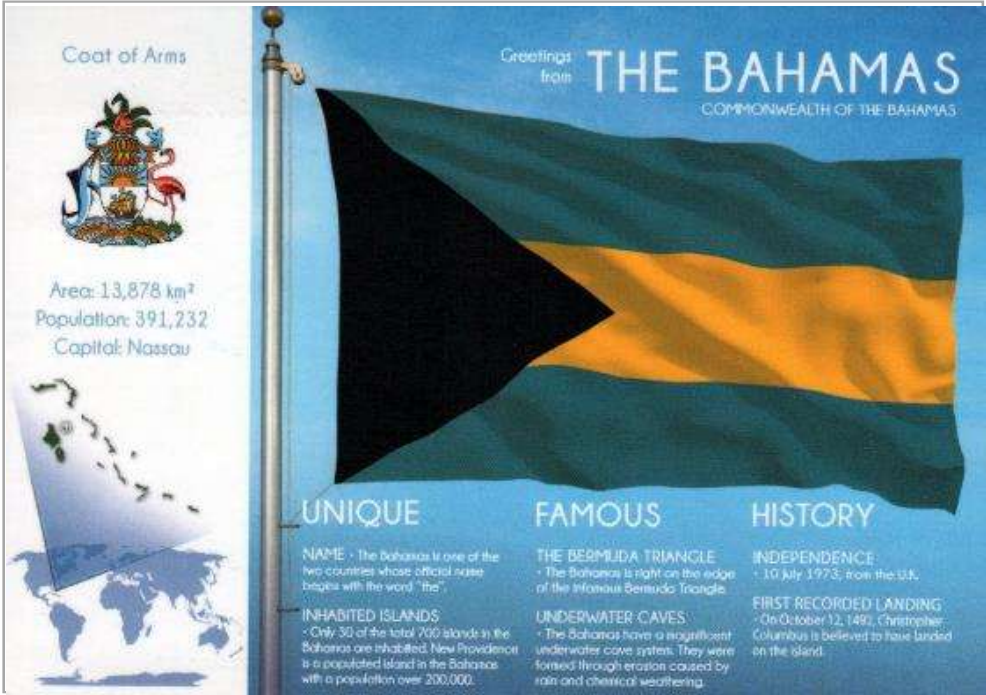


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# Bahamas Flag

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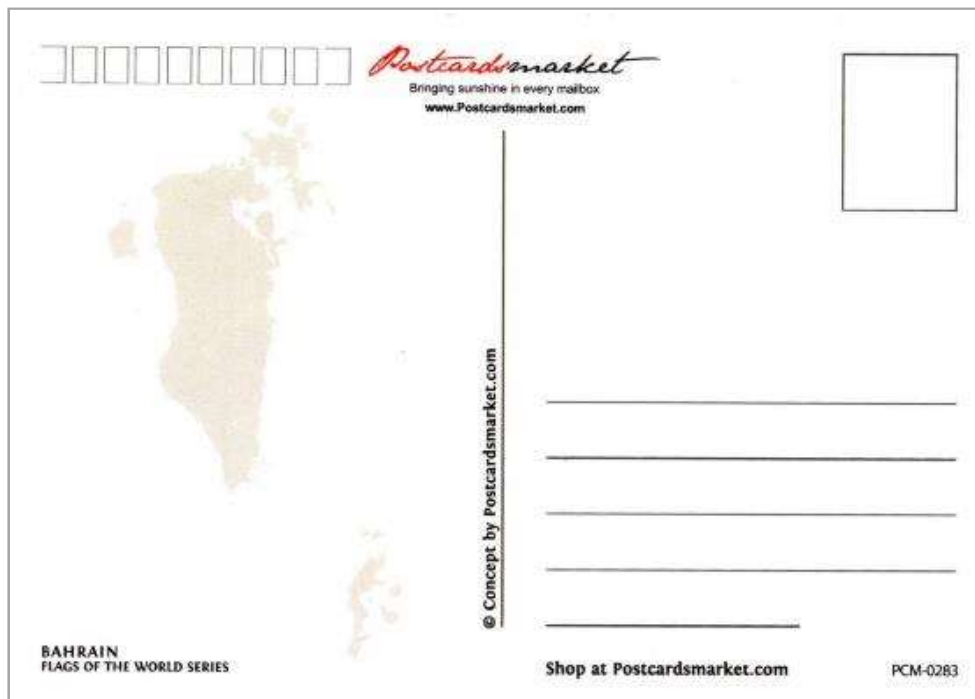
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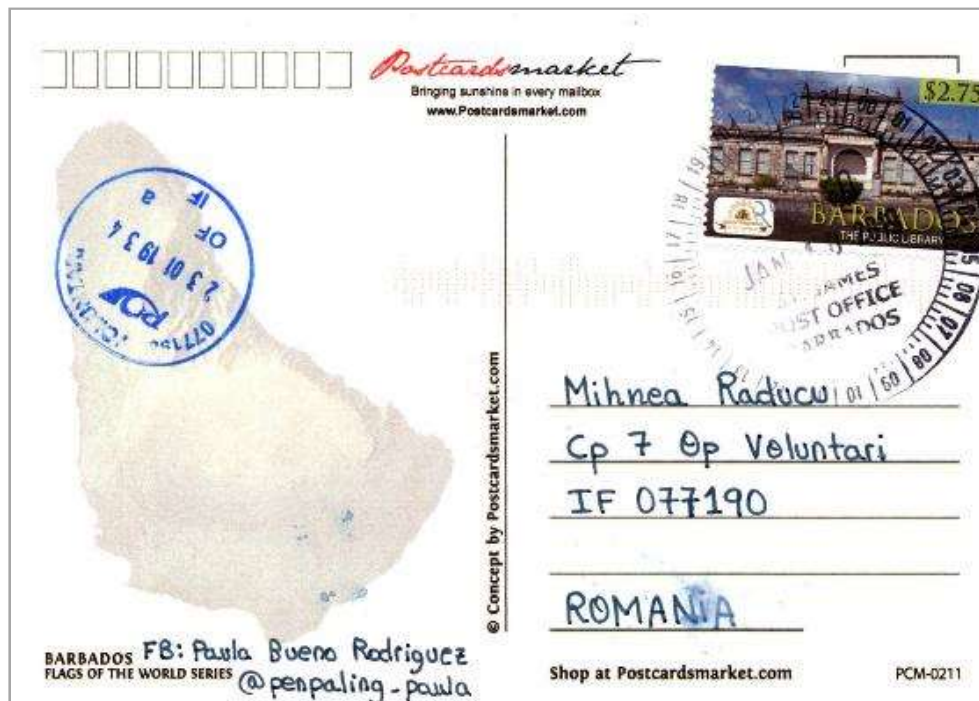


# Barbados Flag

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# Belarus Flag

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# Belgium Flag

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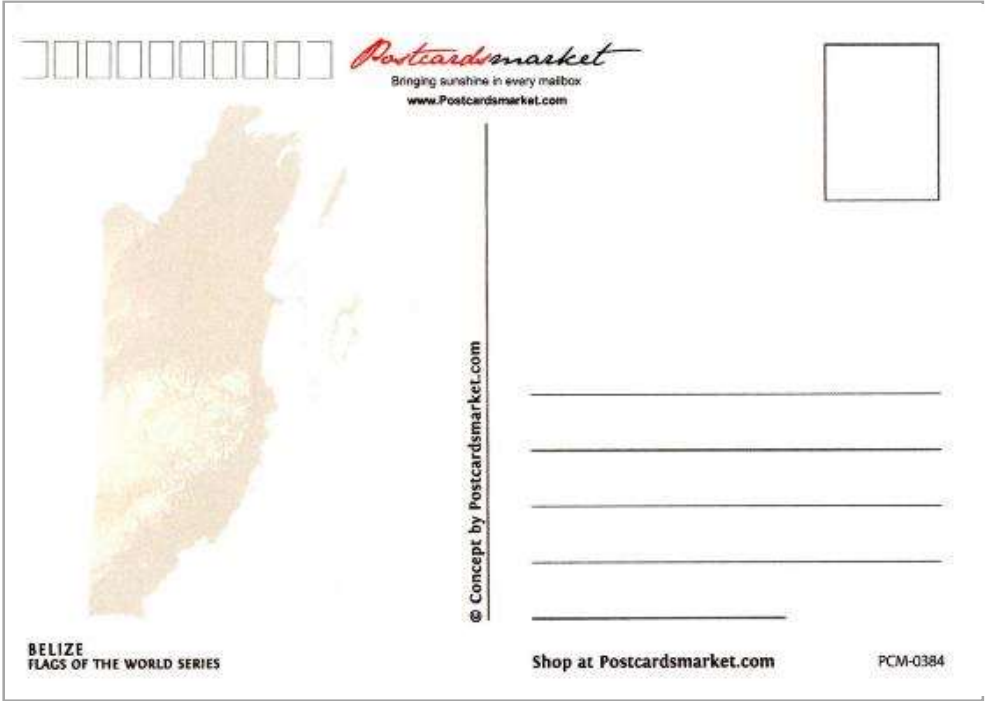
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# Belize Flag

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# Benin Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



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# Bermuda Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 53.2 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 63,779  
Capital: Hamilton

Greetings from **BERMUDA**

**UNIQUE**

**ST. GEORGE'S**  
- Is oldest continuously inhabited English town in the New World.

**HAMILTON**  
- World's highest cost of living index.

**THE COAT OF ARMS**  
- Features a the Sea Venture's wreck.  
- In 1609 all aboard the boat survived, resulting in the settlement of the island.

**FAMOUS**

**THE BERMUDA TRIANGLE**  
- Is a region in the western part of the North Atlantic Ocean, where a number of aircraft and ships are said to have disappeared under mysterious circumstances. Most reputable sources dismiss the idea that there is any mystery.

**BRITISH OVERSEAS TERRITORY**  
- Bermuda became a British colony in 1707, it is now the oldest and most populous remaining British Overseas Territory.

**HISTORY**

**JUAN DE BERMÚDEZ**  
- The first person known to have reached Bermuda was the Spanish sea captain in 1503, after whom the islands are named.

**BERMUDA SHORTS**  
- So named because of their popularity in Bermuda where they are considered appropriate business attire for appropriate kinds of suit-like, knee-length and worn with knee-length socks, a dress shirt, tie, & blazer.

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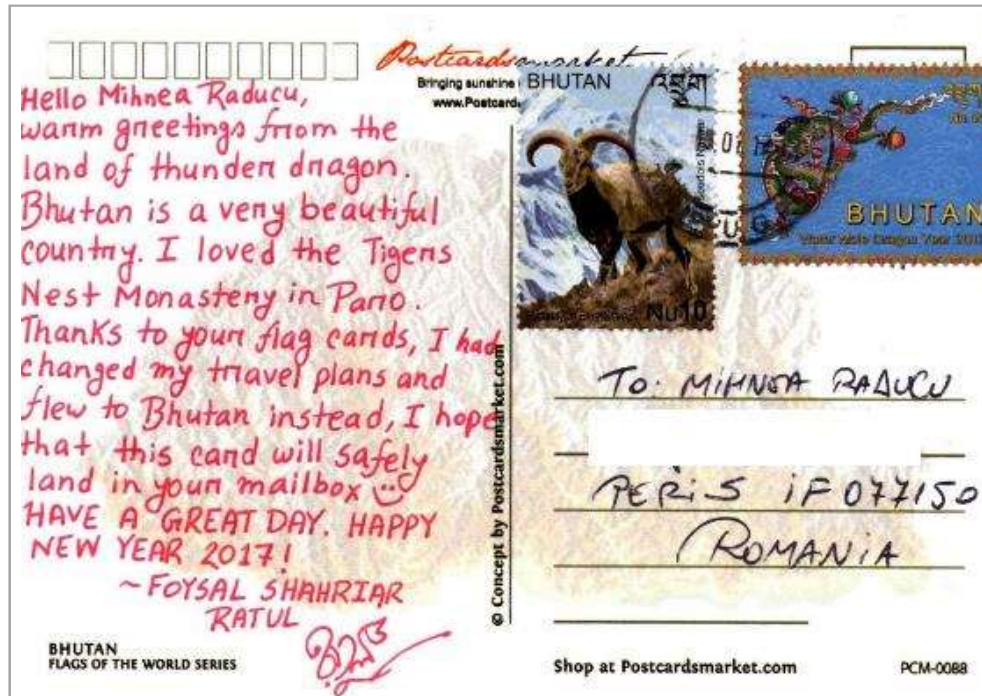
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# Bhutan Flag

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Special Remarks:

# Bolivia Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 1,098,581 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 11,410,651  
Capitals: SUCRE & LA PAZ

Saludos desde Bolivia **BOLIVIA**  
Greetings from  
ESTADO PLURINACIONAL DE BOLIVIA (SPANISH)  
BULWYA MAMALLAQTA (QUECHUA) · WULWYA SUYU (AYMARA)  
PLURINATIONAL STATE OF BOLIVIA

**UNIQUE**  
SALAR DE UYUNI  
- The world's largest salt flat - 10,582 km<sup>2</sup>

**FAMOUS**  
LAKE TITICACA  
- On the border with Peru, it's the highest commercially navigable lake in the world.

**HISTORY**  
AYMARA PEOPLE  
- Arrived in the region some 2000 years ago. They associate themselves with the advanced culture of Tiwanaku, which after 650 became an important regional power.

36 OFFICIAL LANGUAGES  
- The Constitution of Bolivia recognizes 36 official languages besides Spanish.

BOLIVIA HAS TWO CAPITALS  
- Sucre is the constitutional capital while La Paz is the seat of government and is also considered as the highest administrative city in the world.

6 AUGUST 1825  
- Bolivia declared its independence from Spain.

5.4 MIL CUBIC TONNES OF LITHIUM  
- Which represent 50-70% of world reserves.

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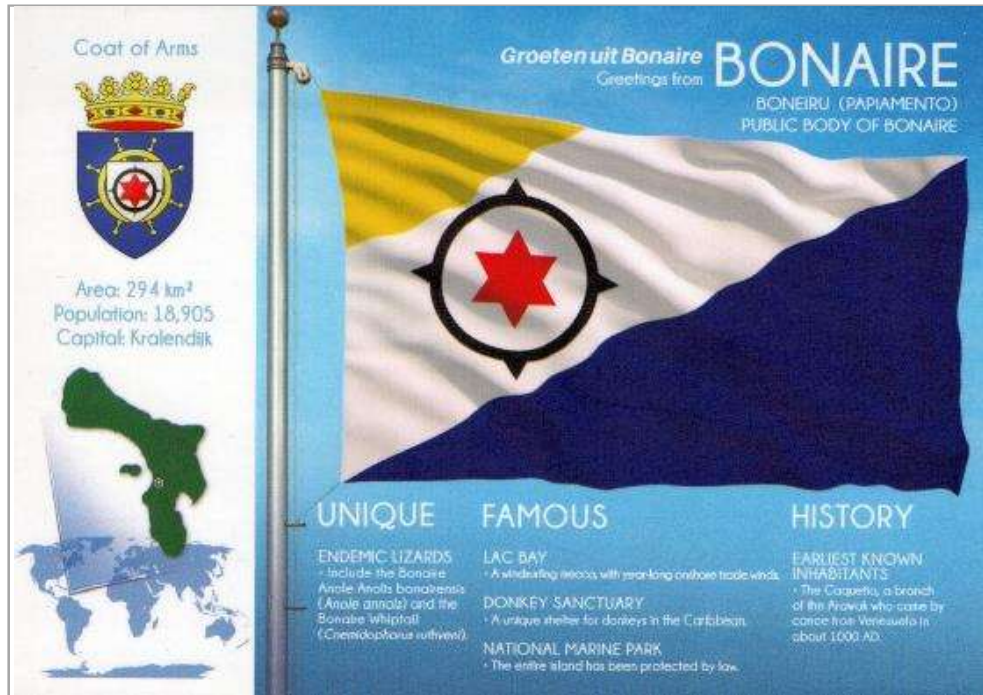
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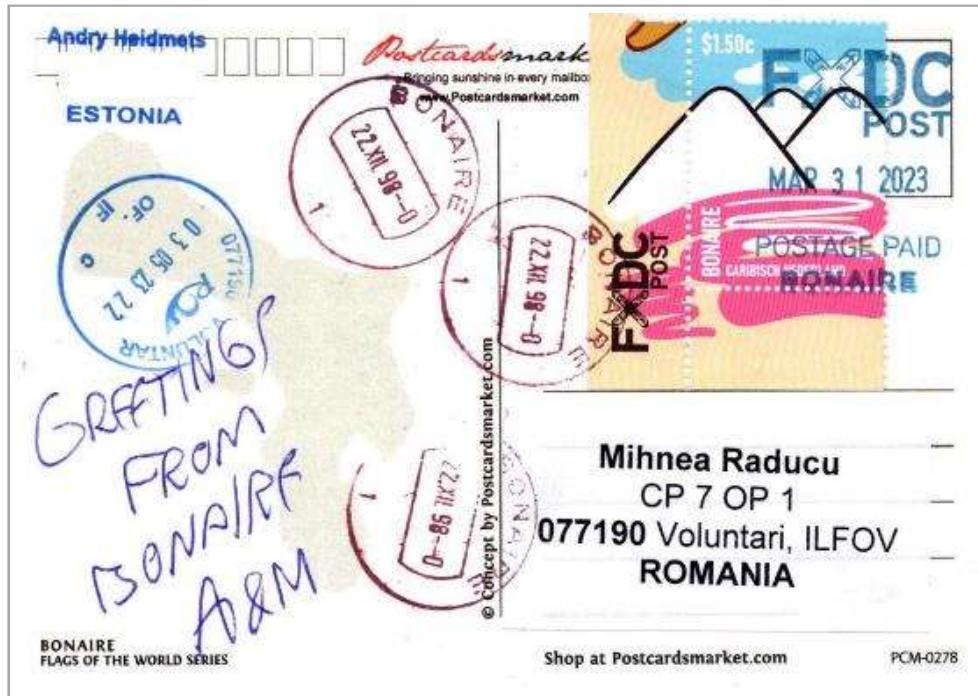
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# Bonaire Flag

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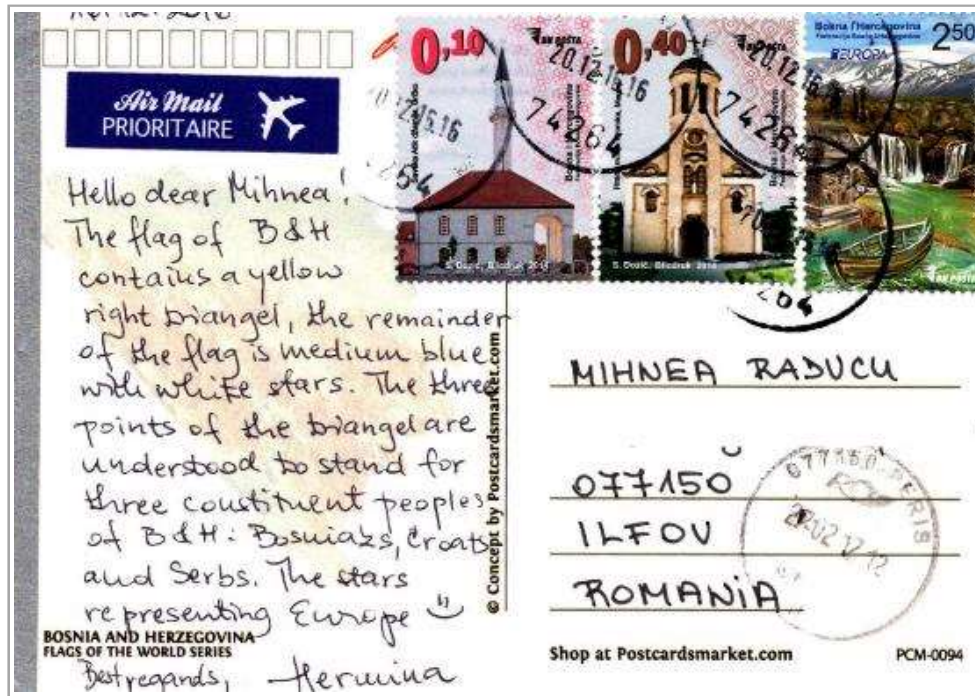
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# Bosnia and Herzegovina Flag

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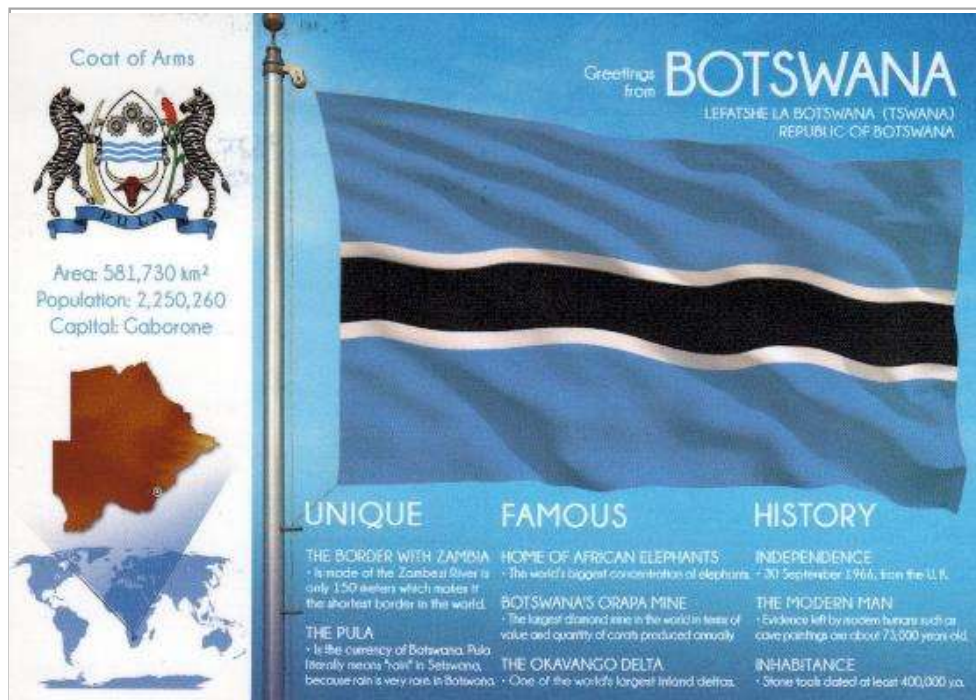
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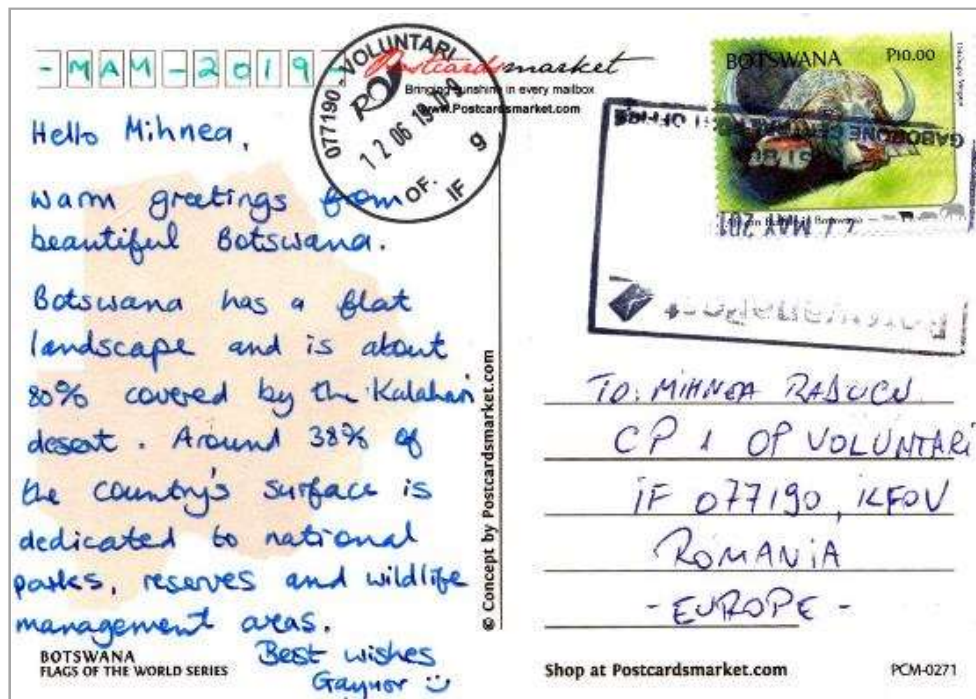


# Botswana Flag

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# Brazil Flag

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# British Indian Ocean Territory Flag

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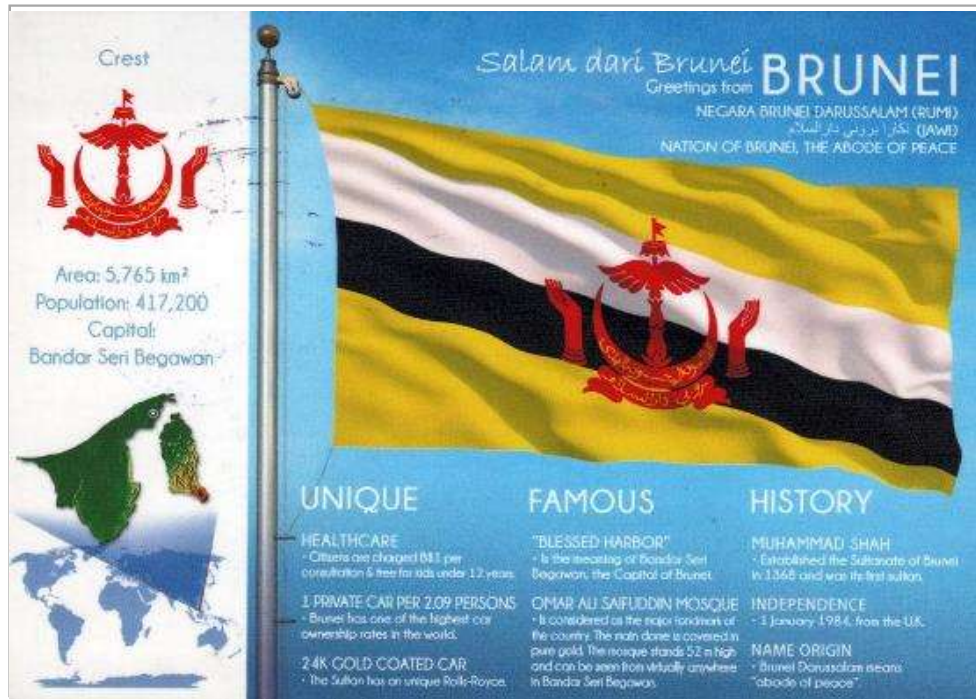


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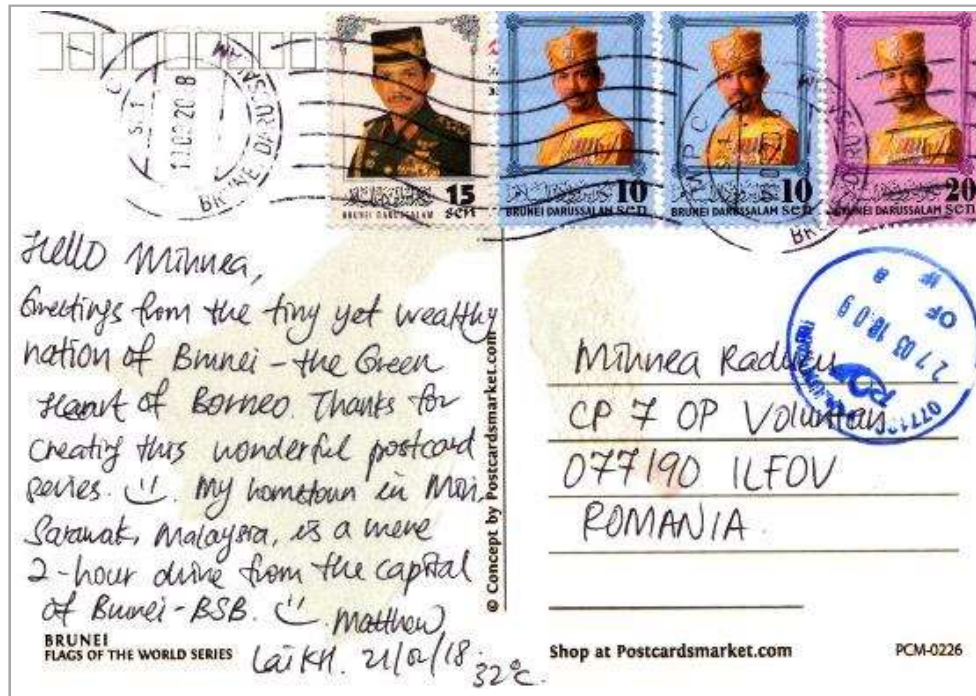
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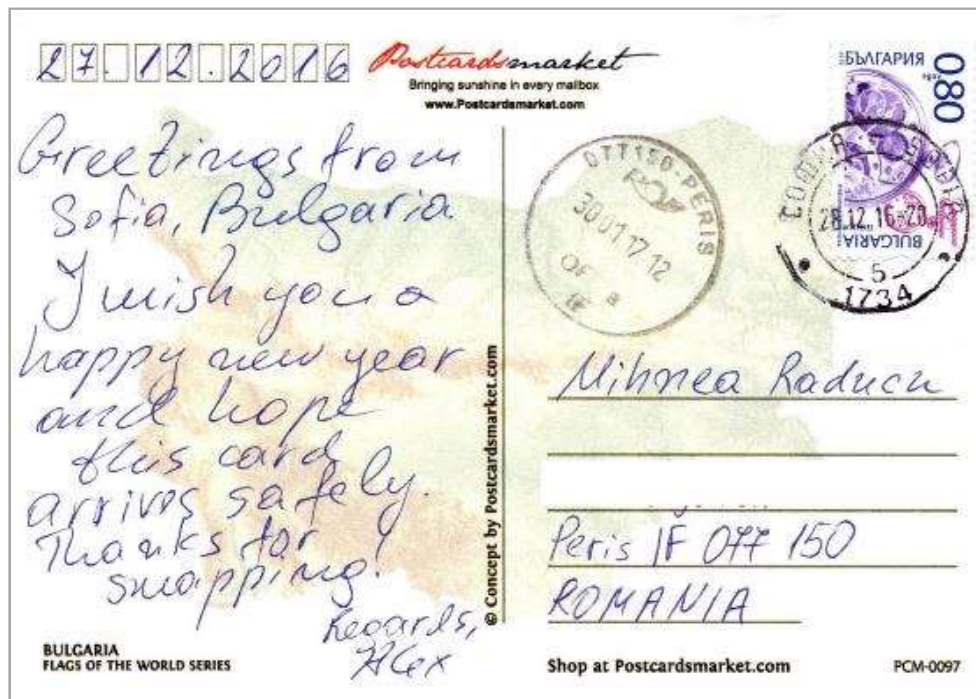
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# Bulgaria Flag

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# Burkina Faso Flag

Front Side:

**Salutations du Burkina Faso**  
Greetings from **BURKINA FASO**  
BURKINA FASO (FRENCH)

**Coat of Arms**  
Area: 274,200 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 17,322,796  
Capital: Ouagadougou

**UNIQUE**  
**WOMEN'S GOLD**  
Burkina Faso has the largest number of shea trees which are called "women's gold" as the nuts produce shea butter (used for cooking, manufacturing chocolate and cosmetics).

**FAMOUS**  
**DEUX BALES NATIONAL PARK**  
It is the home of the largest elephant population in West Africa.  
**CINEMA FESTIVAL**  
The Pan-African Film and Television Festival of Ouagadougou (FESPACO) is the largest cinema festival of Africa.

**HISTORY**  
**INDEPENDENCE**  
5 August 1960, from France  
**NAME ORIGIN**  
On the 4<sup>th</sup> of August 1984, the country's name was changed from Upper Volta to Burkina Faso, which means "land of the upright people".

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# Burundi Flag

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# Cabo Verde Flag

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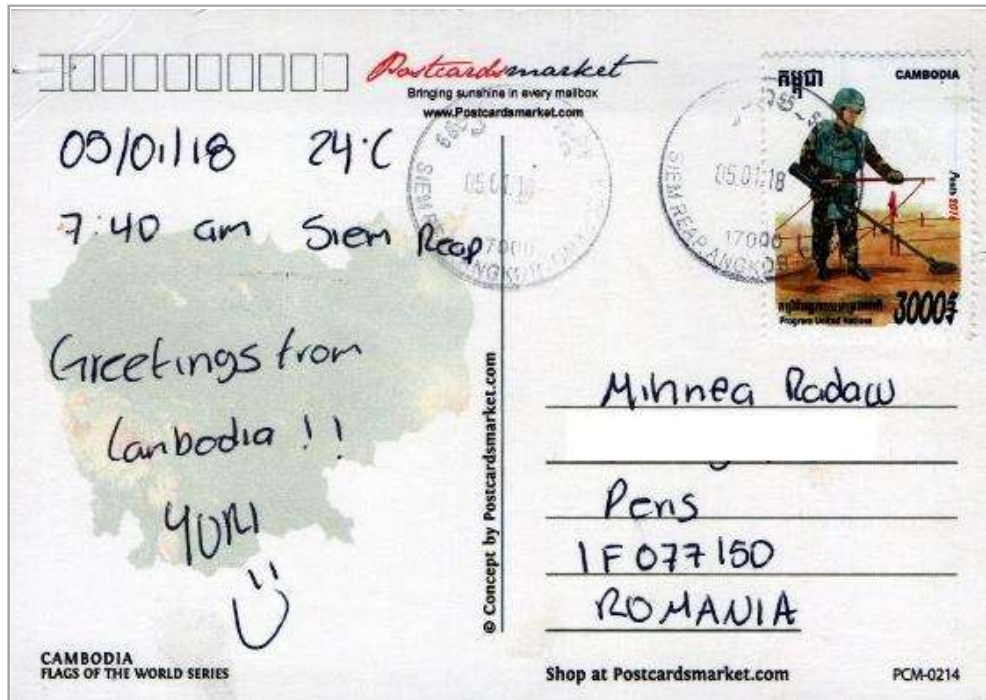


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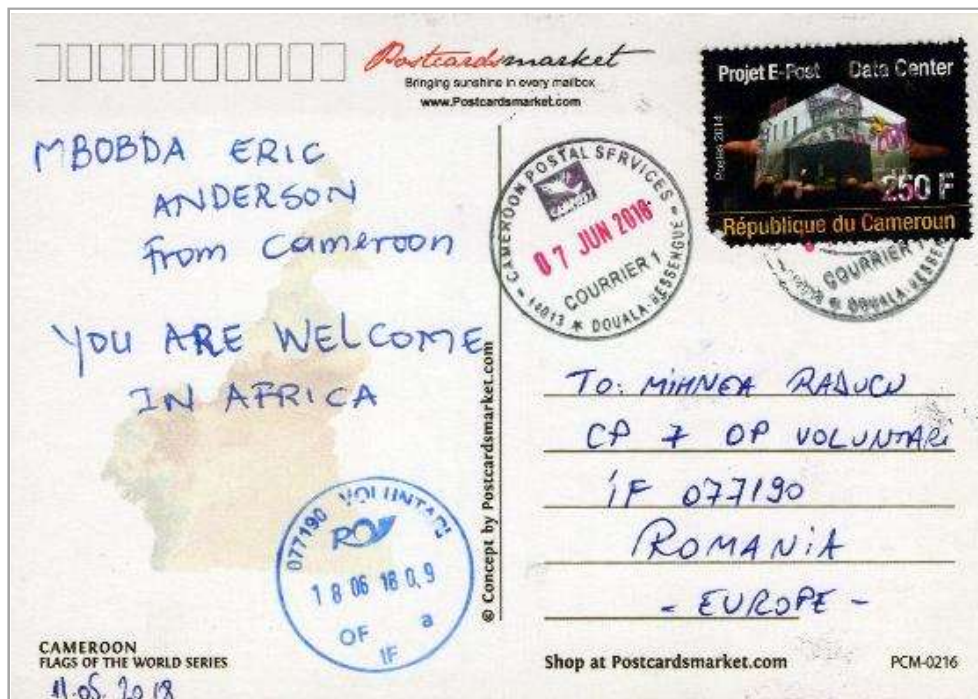
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# Cameroon Flag

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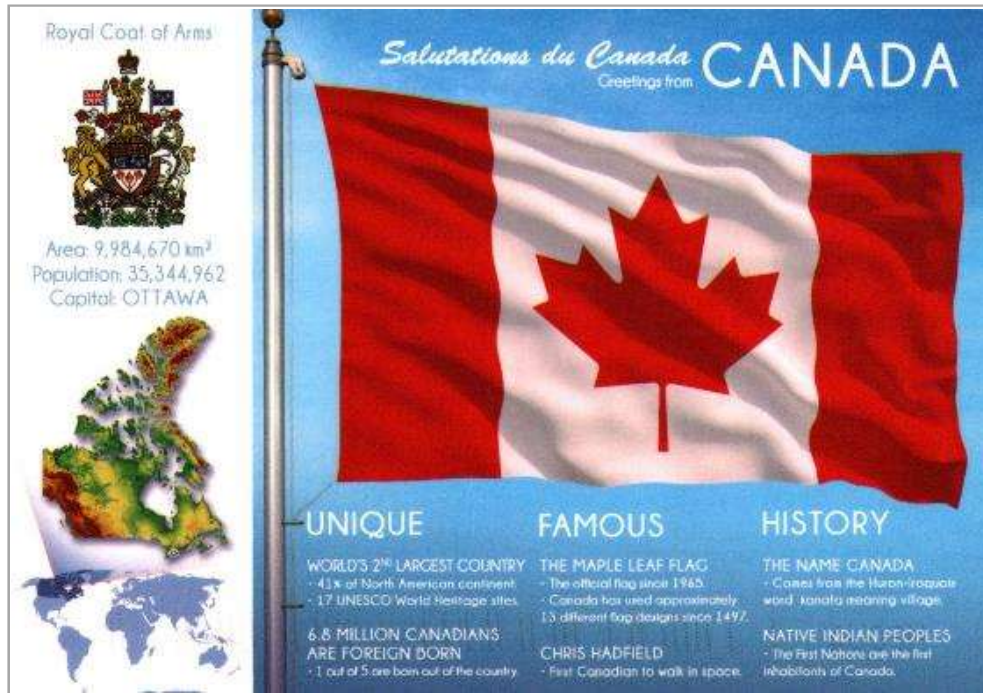


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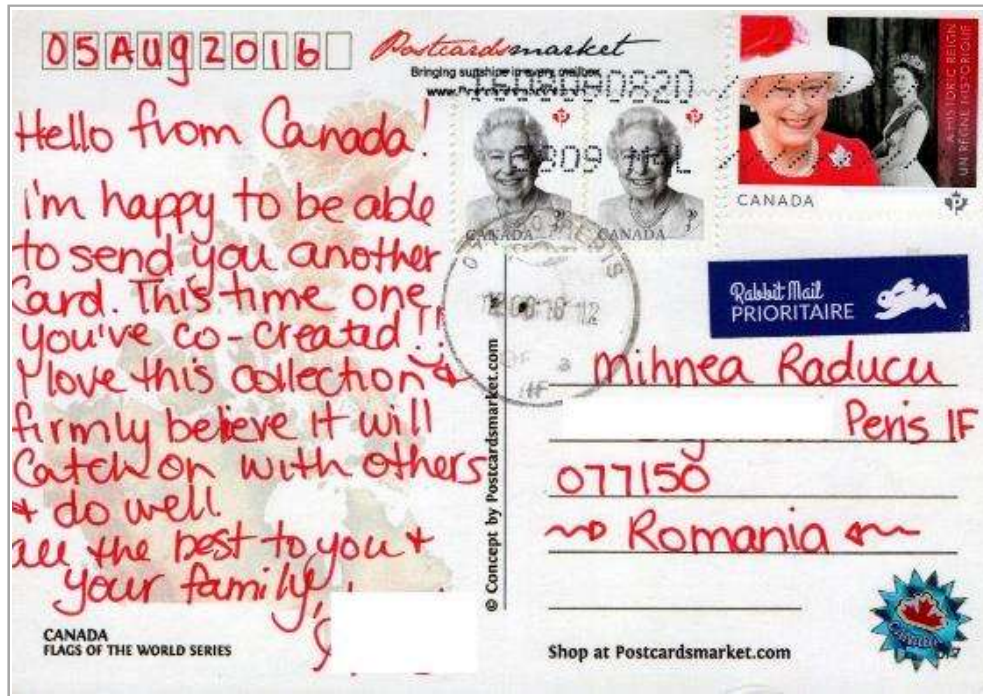
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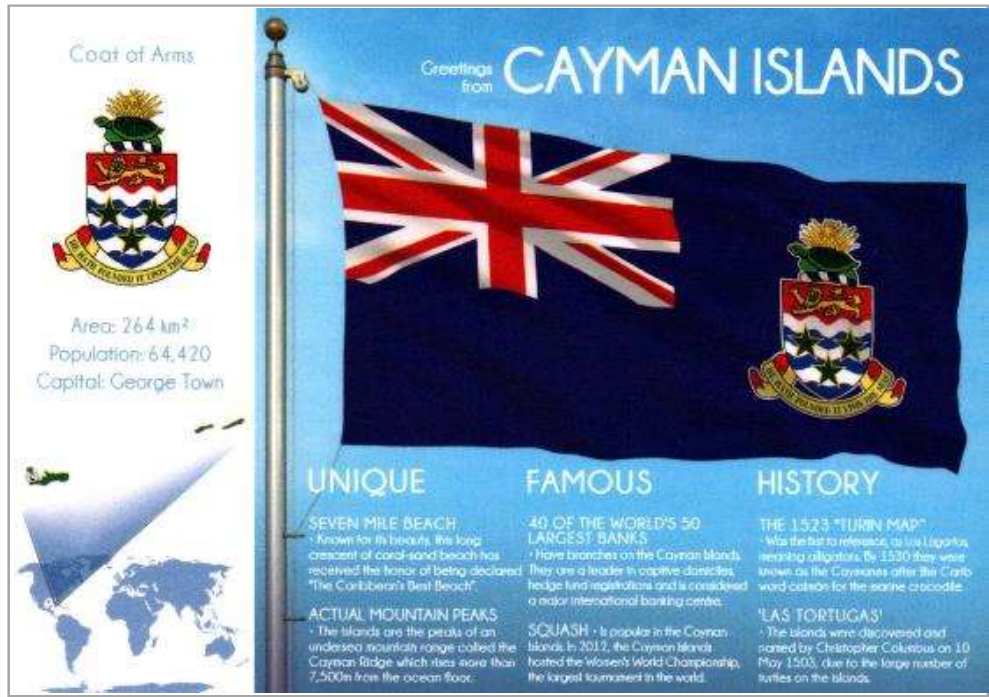


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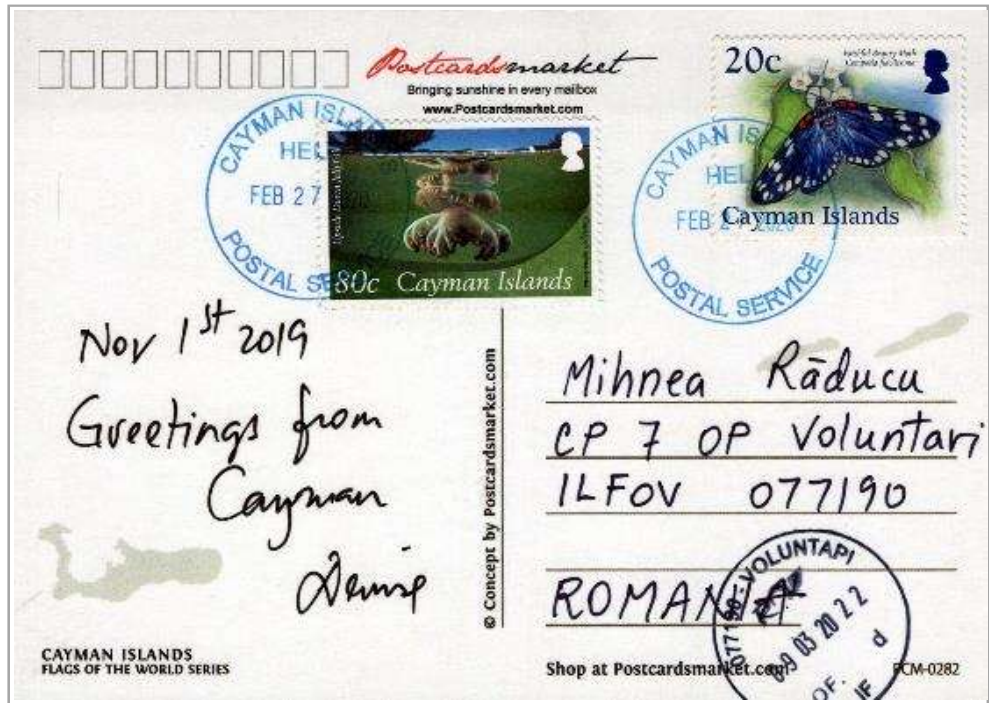
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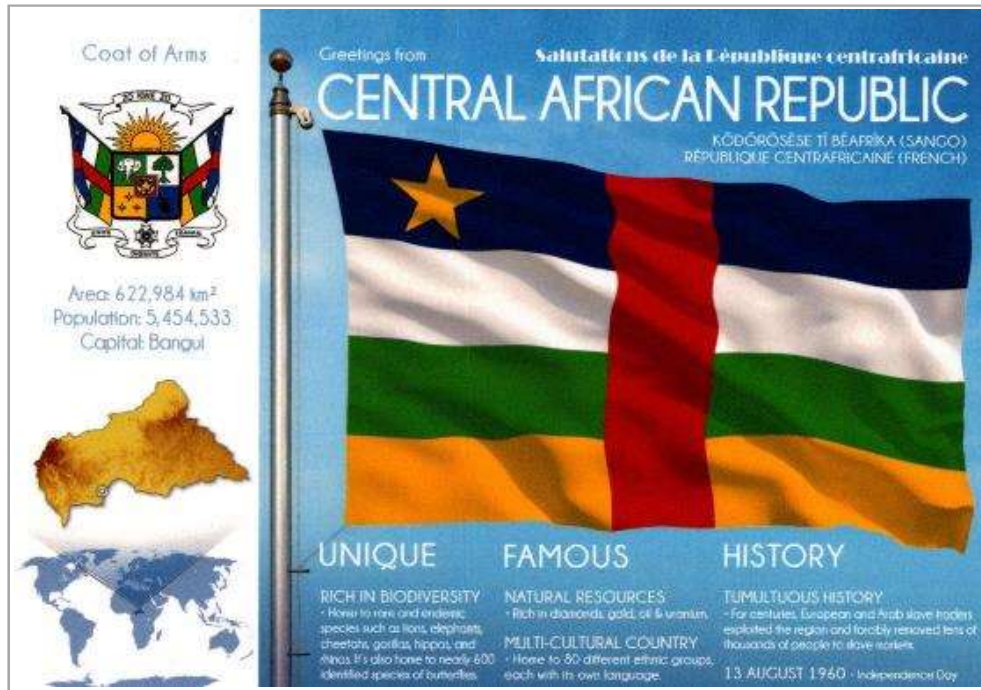


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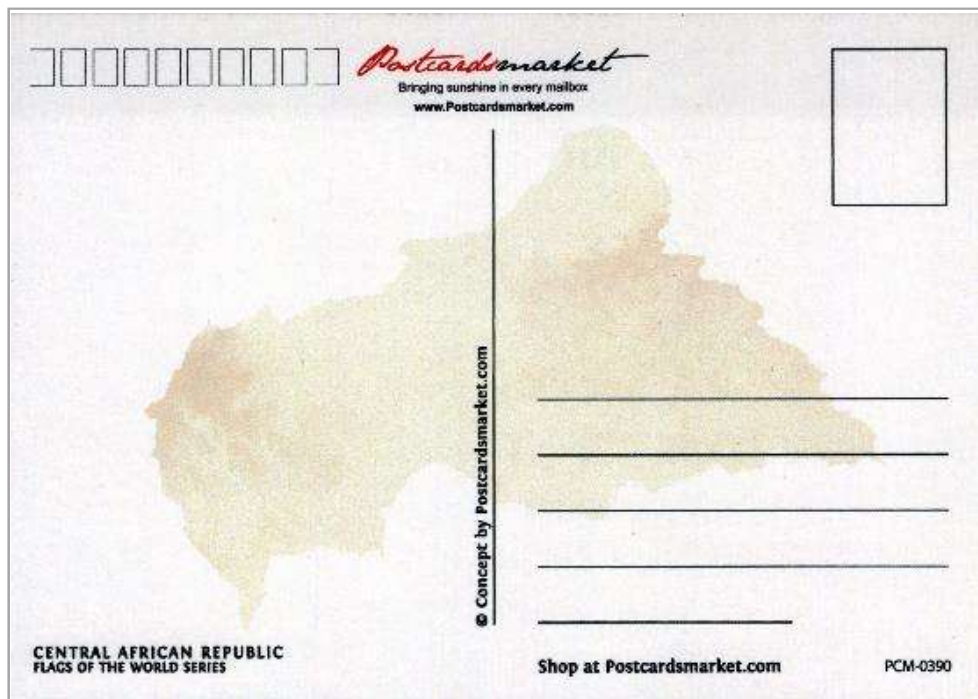
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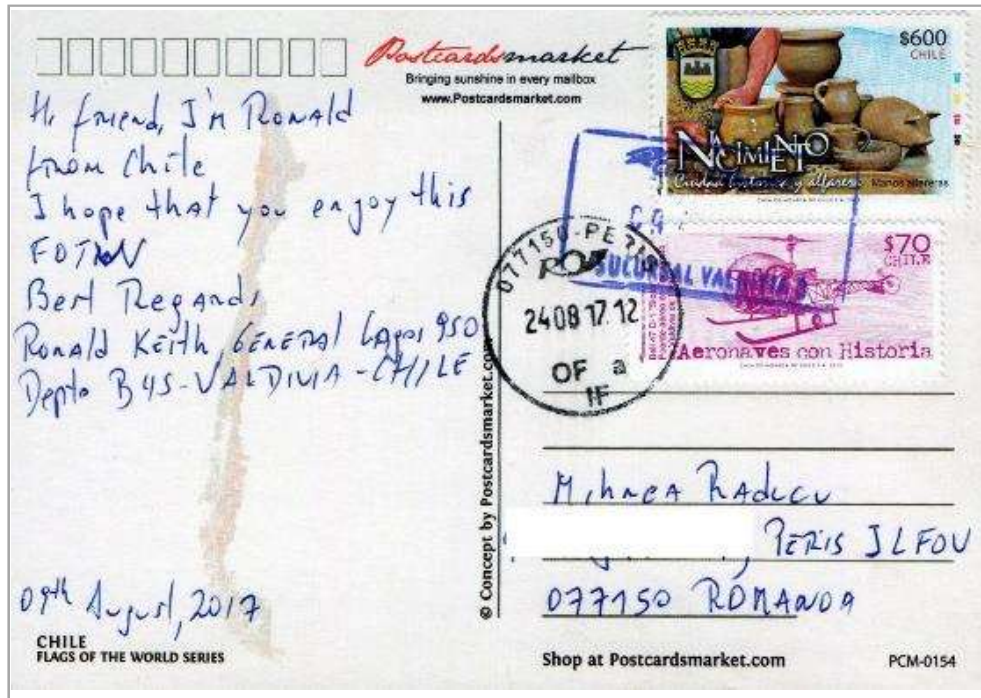
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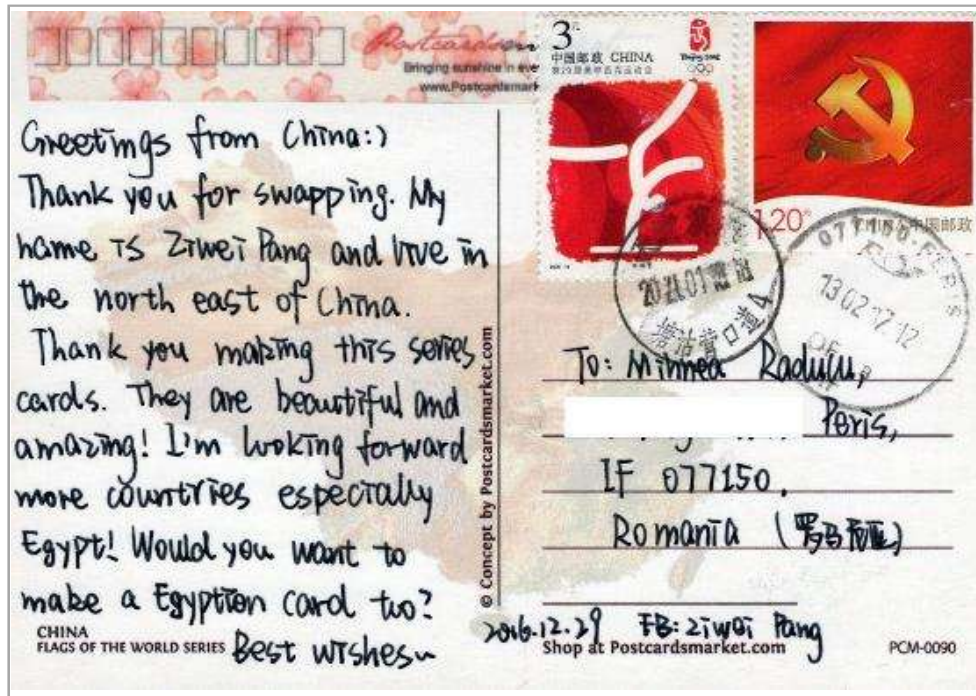
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# China Flag

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# Christmas Island Flag

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# Cocos (Keeling) Islands Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**  
 MAJU PULU KITA

Area: 14 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 544  
 Capital: WEST ISLAND

**COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS**  
 PULU KOKOS (KEELING) (COCOS ISLANDS MALAY)  
 WILAYAH KEPULAUAN COCOS (KEELING) (MALAY)  
 TERRITORY OF COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS

**UNIQUE**  
**THE NEAREST NEIGHBOURS**  
 - The Maldives and Sri Lanka to the northwest, Singapore to the northeast, Christmas Island to the east and Australia to the southeast.  
**GEOLOGICAL FORMATION**  
 - The islands are of fairly flat and made up of low lying coral.

**FAMOUS**  
**NO NATIVE MAMMALS**  
 - There are, however, two rodent species, two reptile species (including a blind snake) and many beautiful bird species.  
**NO MILITARY**  
 - As an Australian territory, Cocos Islands has no military, although it does have a 5 member strong police force.

**HISTORY**  
**INHABITANTS OVER TIME**  
 - Although the islands were discovered by Captain Milne Keeling in 1608, they were not inhabited until the 19th century.  
**ISLANDS NAMES OVER TIME**  
 - Cocos Is (from 1622), the Keeling Is (from 1703), the Cocos-Keeling Is (once James Hovsbagh in 1805) and the Keeling-Cocos Is (19th century).

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Handwritten text:  
 The beautiful thing about learning, is that no one can take it away from you!  
 Hugs,  
 Marie  
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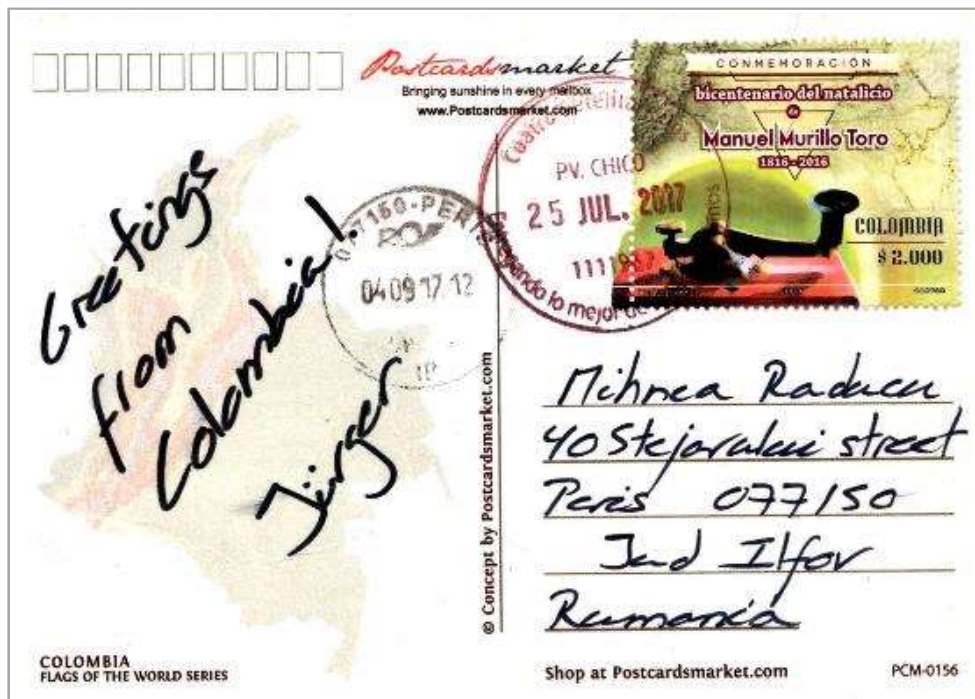
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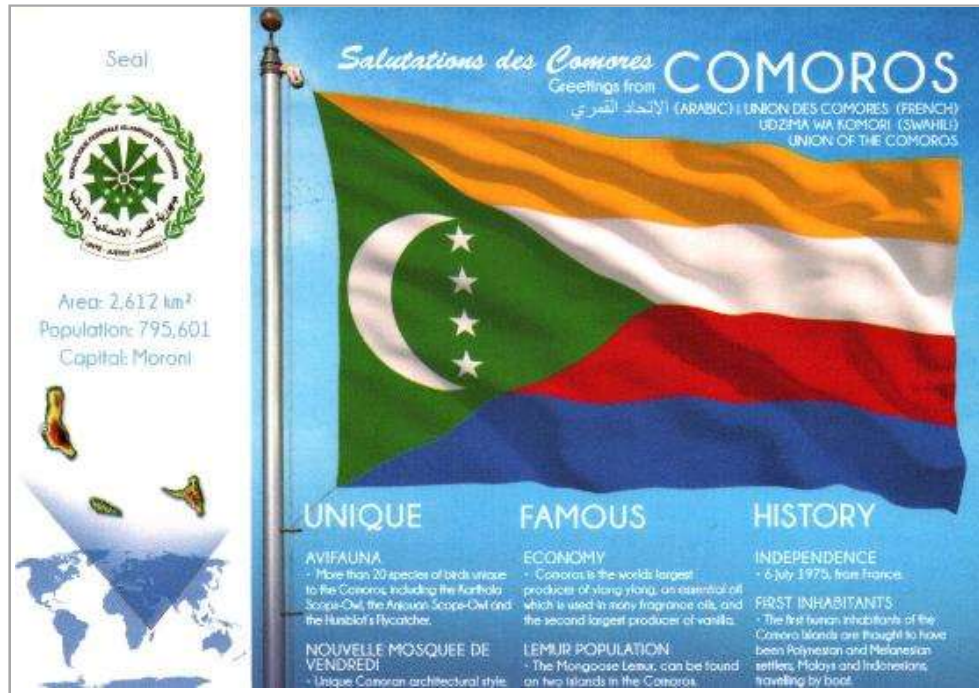


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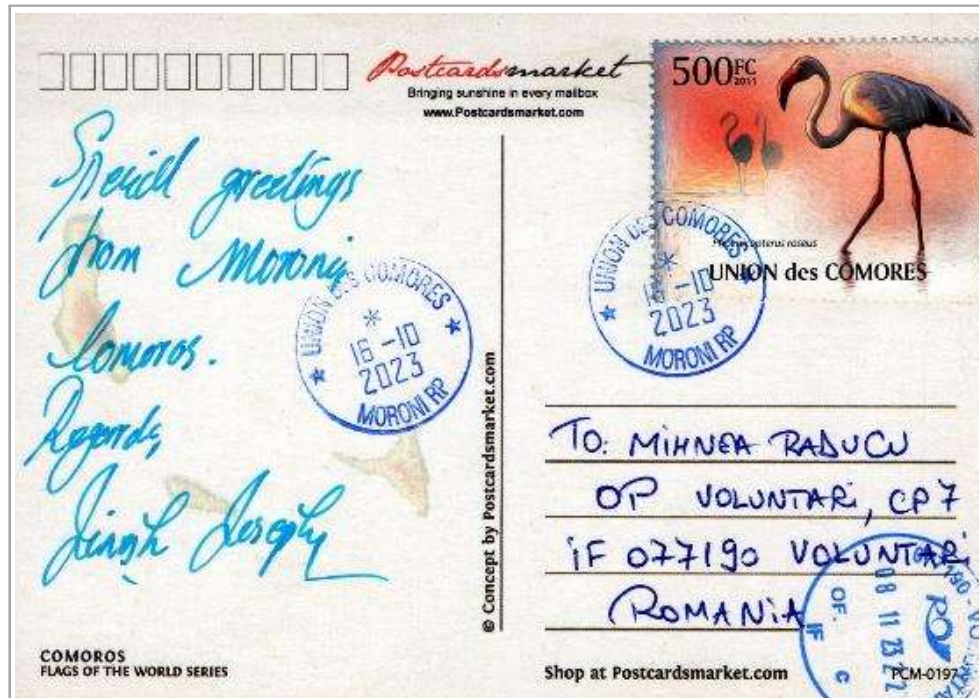
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# Comoros Flag

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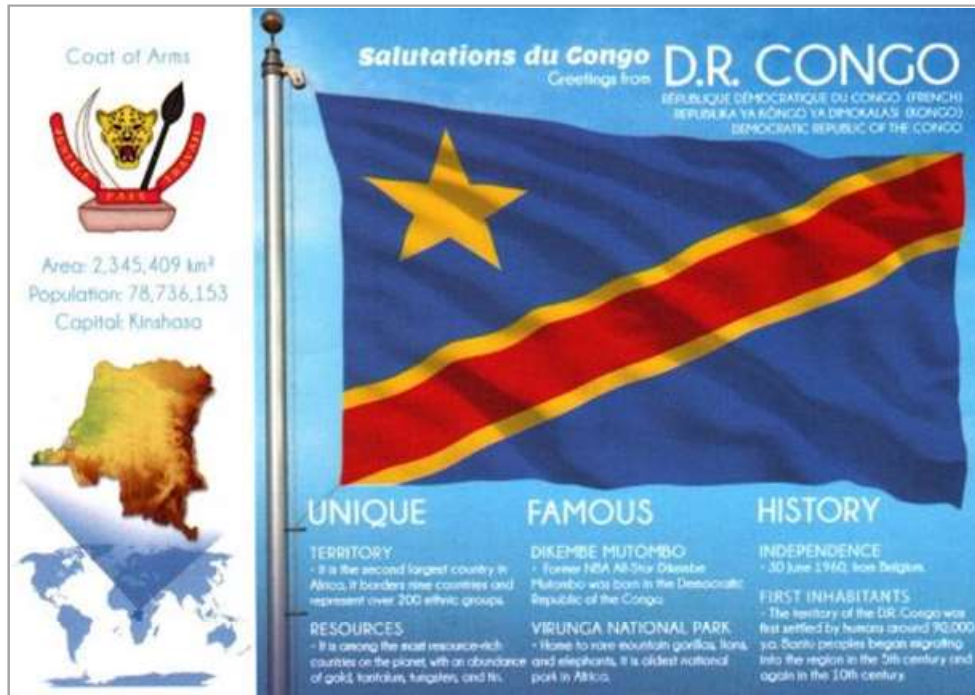


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# Congo (Dem. Rep.) Flag

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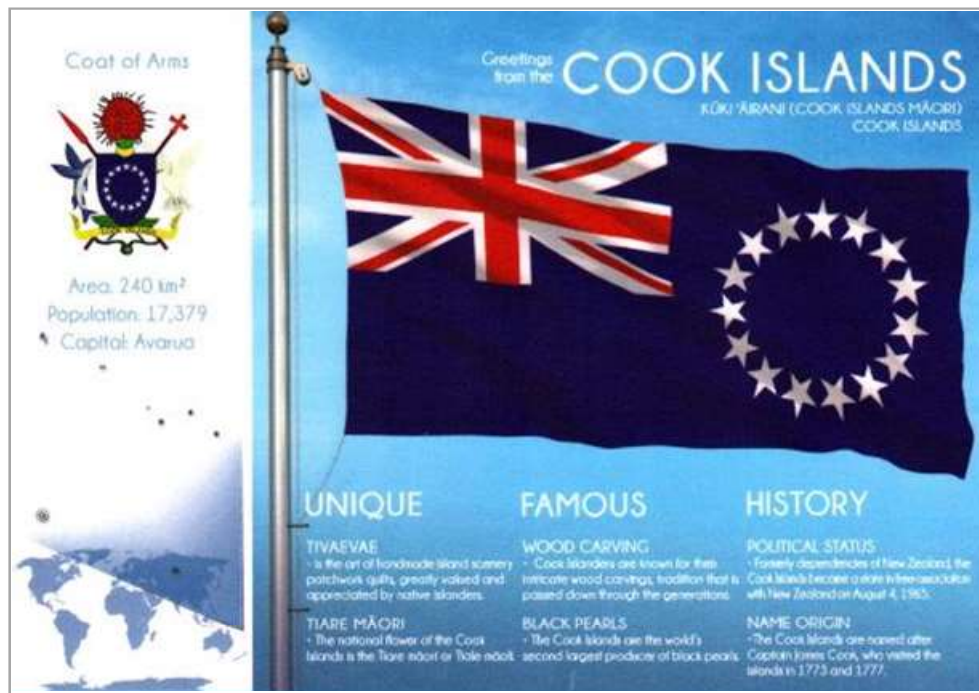


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# Cook Islands Flag

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# Costa Rica Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 51,100 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 4,586,353  
Capital: SAN JOSÉ

Saludos desde Costa Rica **COSTA RICA**  
Greetings from  
REPÚBLICA DE COSTA RICA (SPANISH)  
REPUBLIC OF COSTA RICA

**UNIQUE**  
THE GREATEST DENSITY OF SPECIES IN THE WORLD  
• And has the largest percentage of protected areas in the world.

**FAMOUS**  
ÓSCAR ARIAS SÁNCHEZ  
• Former Costa Rica president, won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1987 for his work in trying to end the civil in Central America.

**HISTORY**  
THE DIQUIS CULTURE  
• Pre-Columbian indigenous culture of Costa Rica that flourished from 700-1530 AD.

**GREENEST AND HAPPIEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD**  
• According to the New Economics Foundation (NEF).

1821 - Independence from Spain.  
1949 - New constitution guaranteeing social justice and the dismantling of the military.

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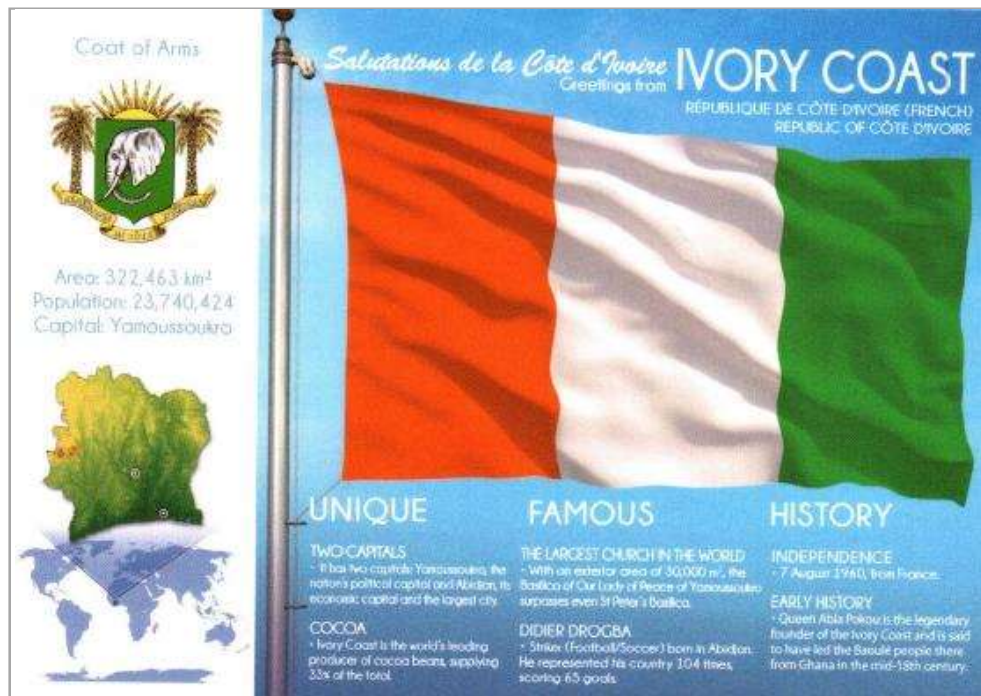
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# Croatia Flag

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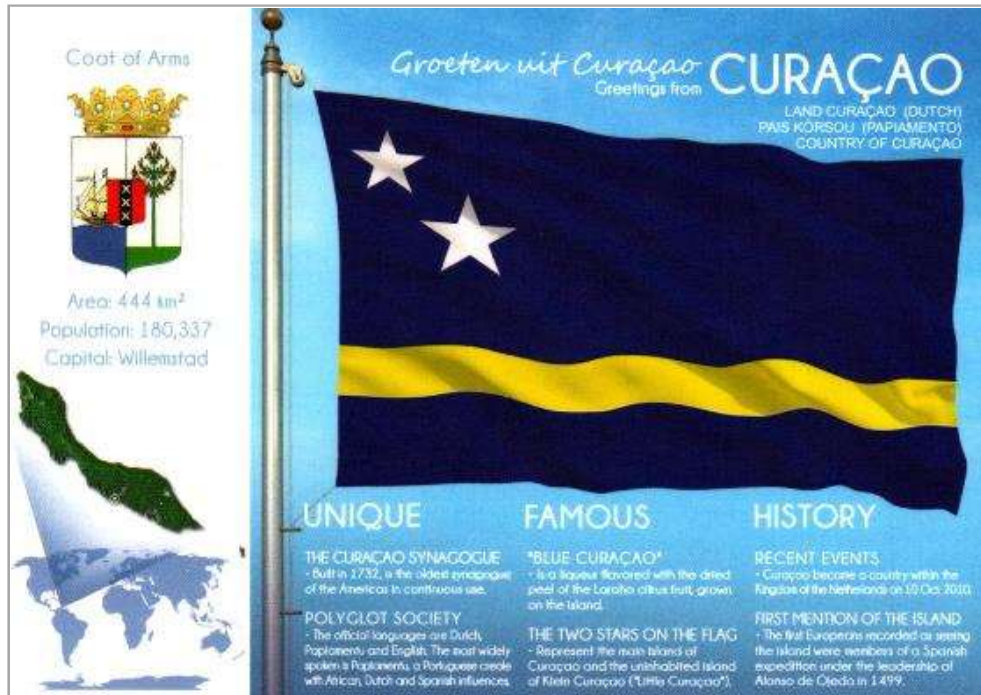


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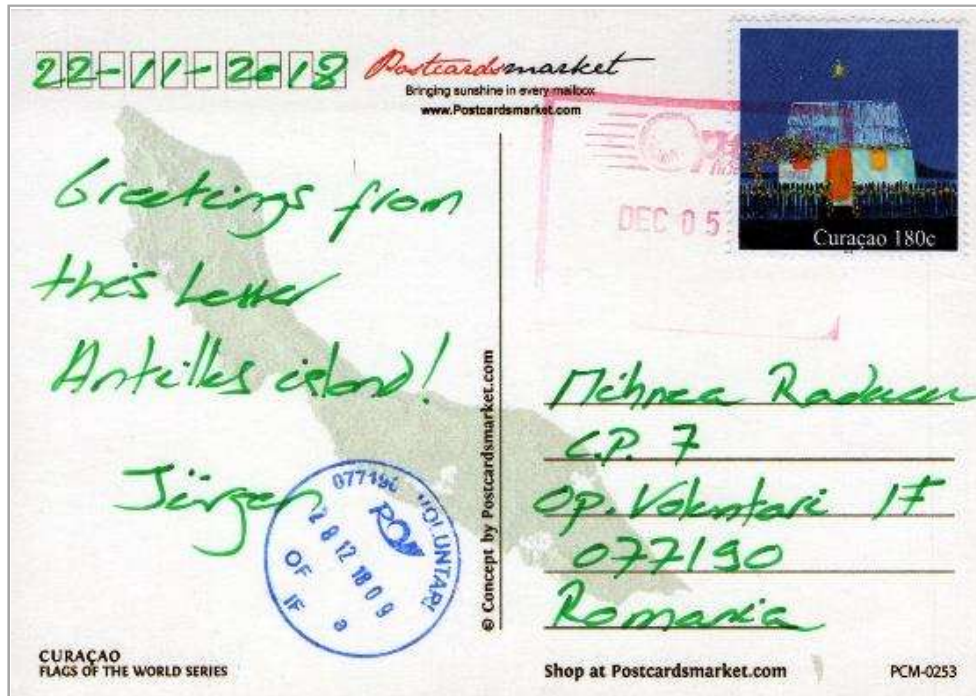
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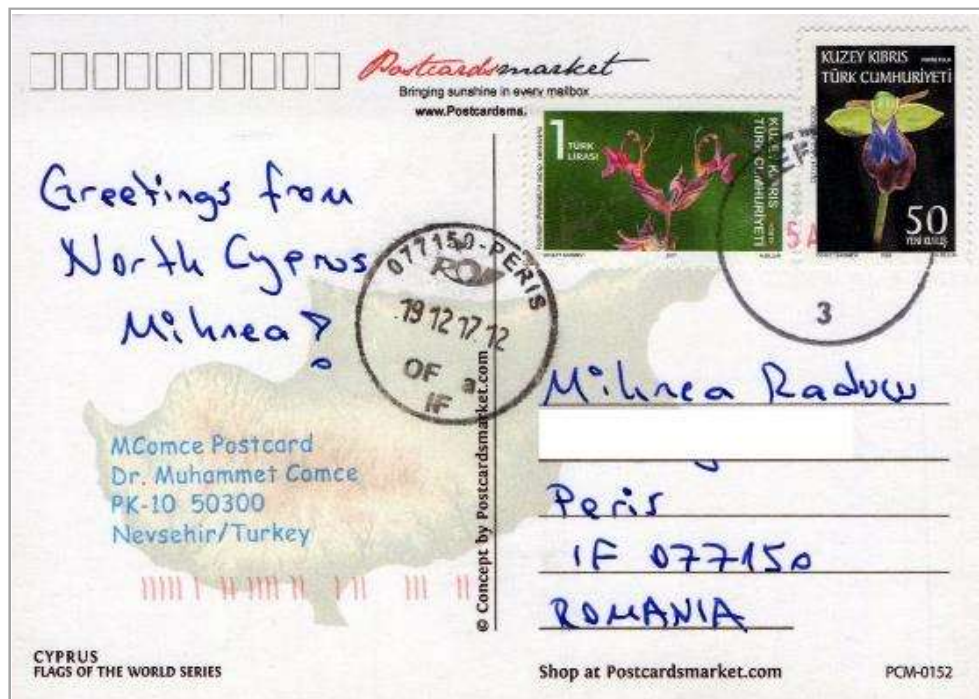
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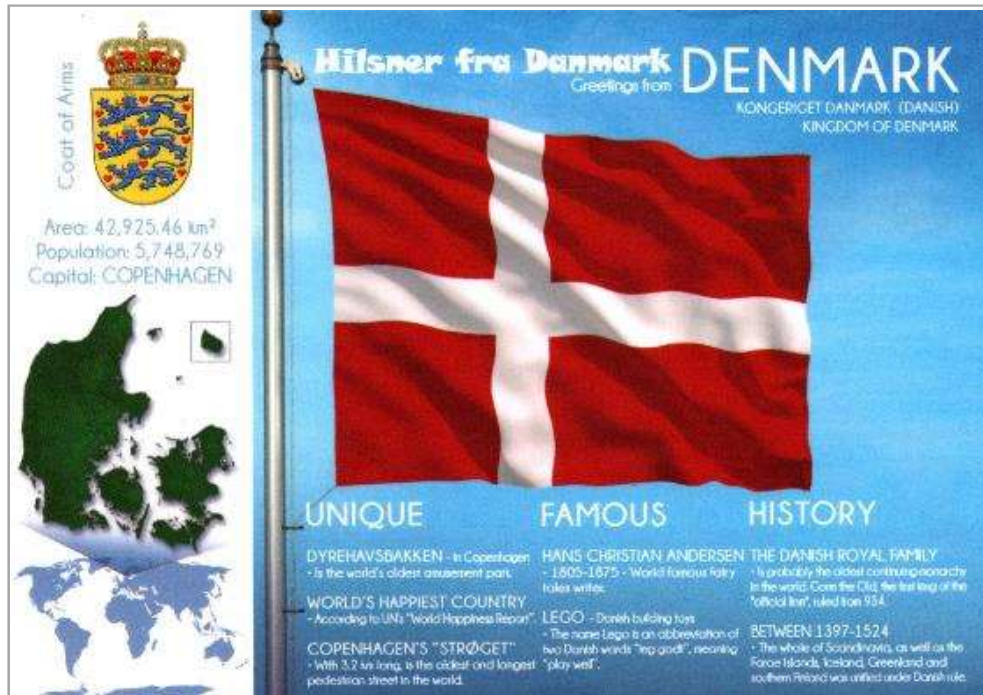


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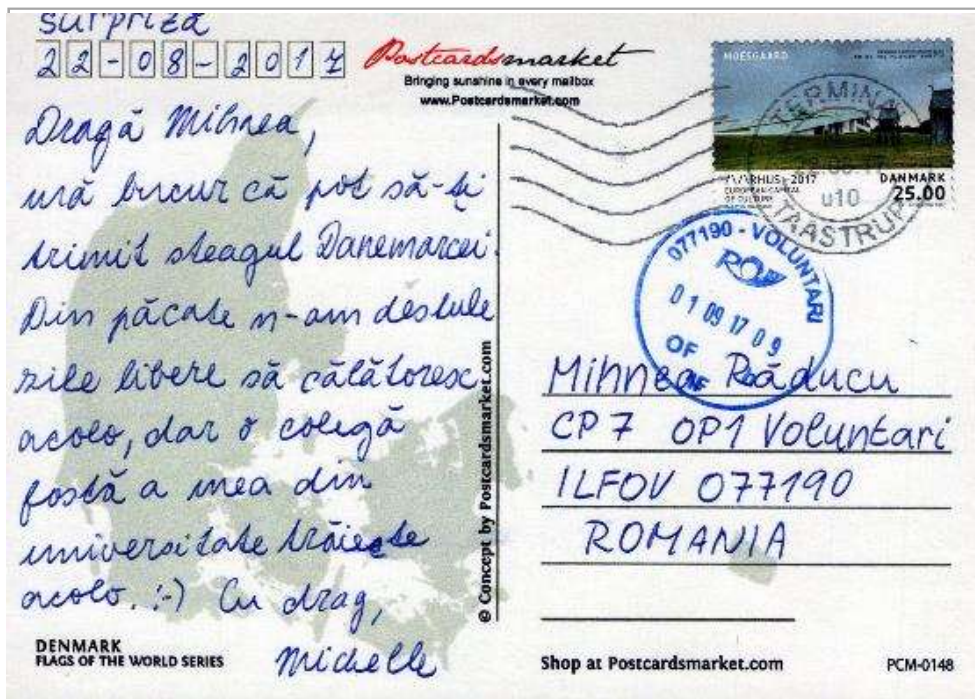
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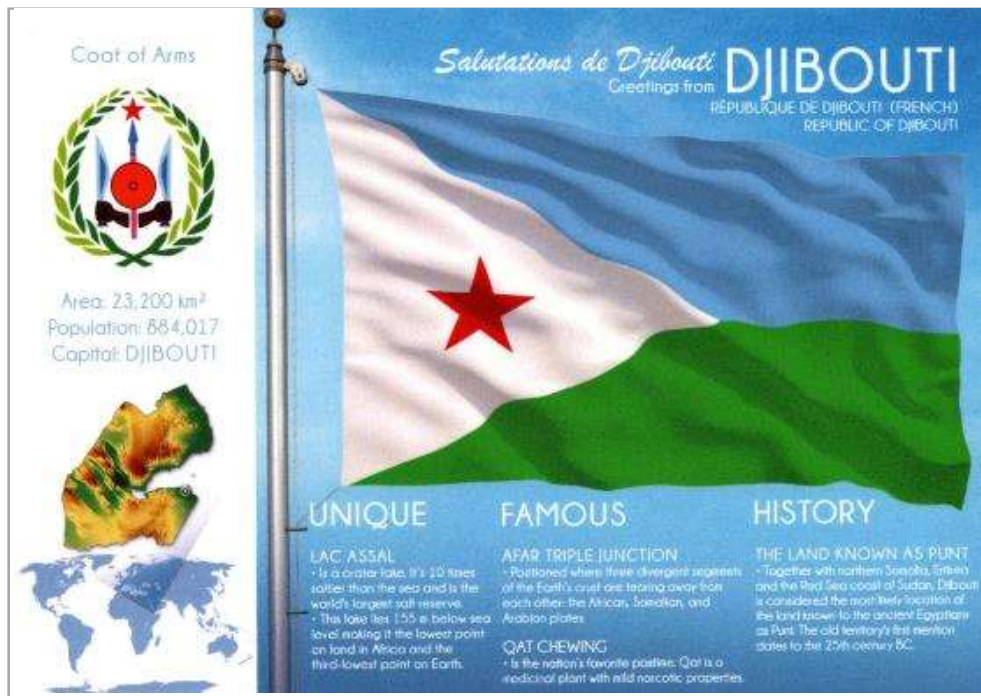
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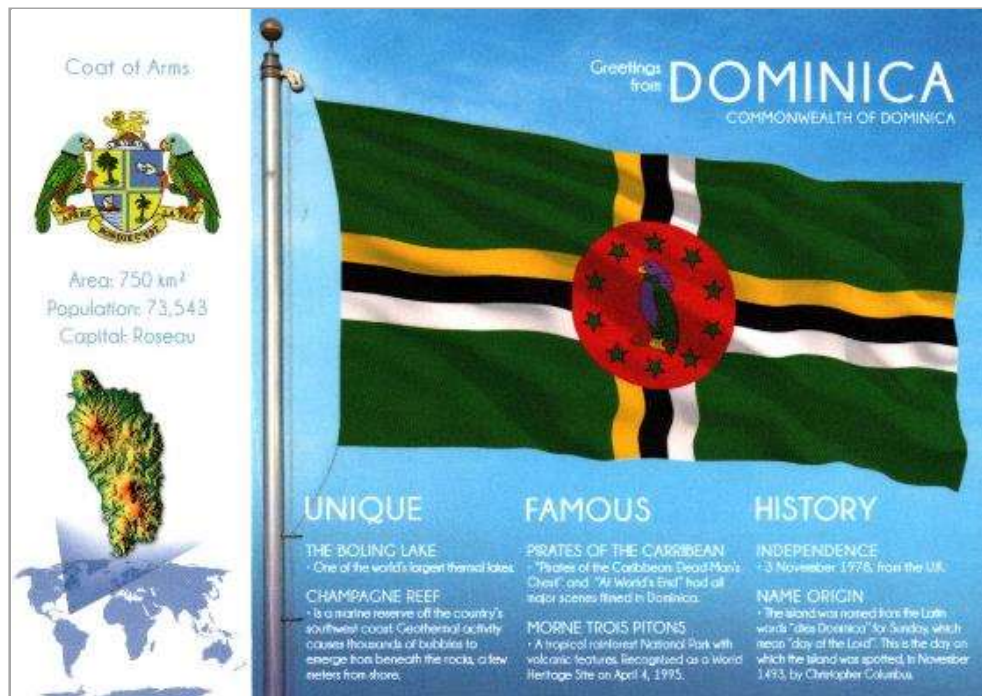


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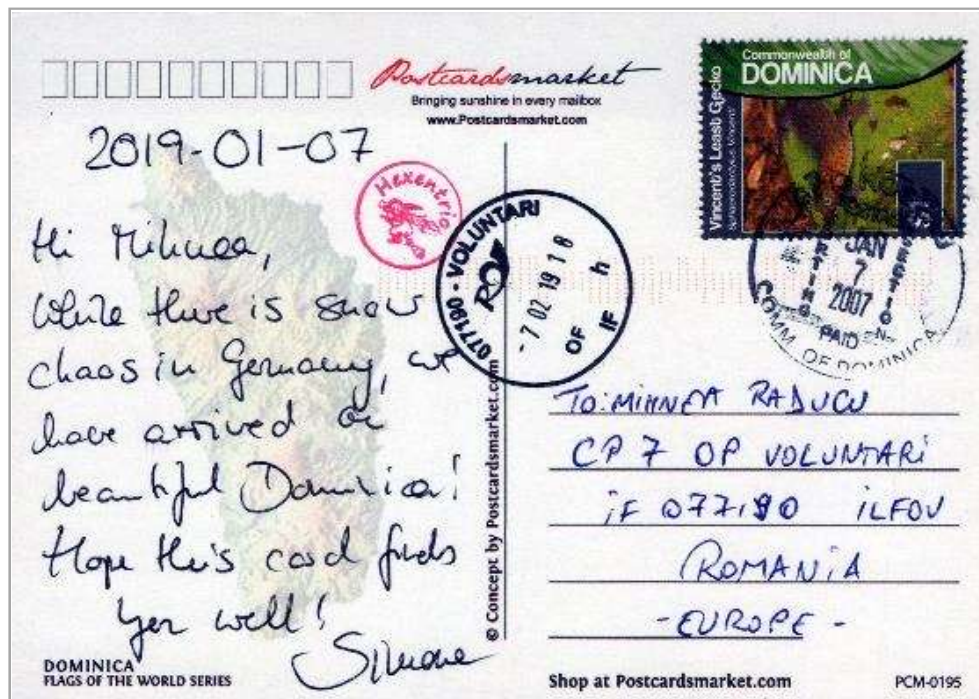
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# Dominica Flag

Front Side:



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# Dominican Republic Flag

Front Side:



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Special Remarks:

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# Easter Island Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Ecuador Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 283,561 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 16,385,068  
Capital: Quito

SALUDOS DESDE ECUADOR **ECUADOR**  
Greetings from  
REPUBLICA DEL ECUADOR (SPANISH)  
REPUBLIC OF ECUADOR

**UNIQUE**  
ACTIVE VOLCANOES  
- Ecuador's Cotacachi is the highest active volcano in the world. The country also has one of the greatest densities of volcanoes on earth.  
NAME ORIGIN  
- It is the only country in the world named after a geographical feature (Ecuador).

**FAMOUS**  
UNESCO  
- The world's very first and oldest UNESCO World Heritage Sites are in Ecuador. The Galapagos Islands is the number one and the capital city of Quito is the number two.  
BANANAS  
- Ecuador is the world's largest exporter of bananas.

**HISTORY**  
INDEPENDENCE  
- 10 August, 1809, from Spain.  
CONSTITUTION  
- The 1830 Constitution of Ecuador was the first constitution governing the Republic of Ecuador. It was written by the 1830 Constituent Congress that met in the city of Riobamba.

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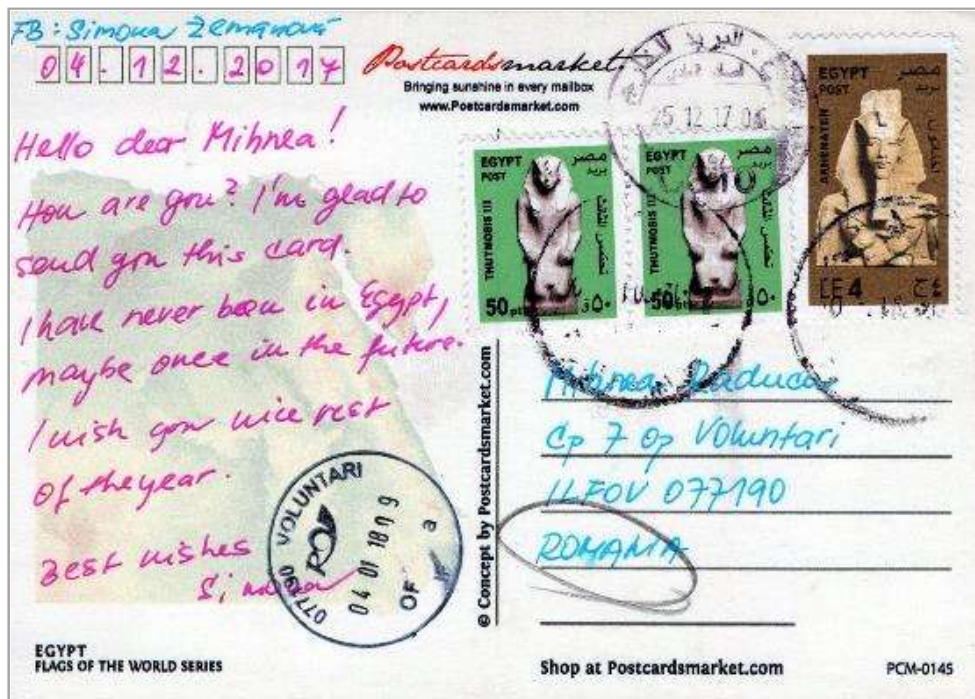
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# Egypt Flag

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# El Salvador Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

Saludos desde El Salvador **EL SALVADOR**  
Greetings from REPÚBLICA DE EL SALVADOR (SPANISH)  
REPUBLIC OF EL SALVADOR

Area: 21,041 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 6,420,746  
Capital: SAN SALVADOR

**UNIQUE**

**4 OUT OF 6 SEA TURTLES**  
There are eight species of sea turtles in the world, four of them nest on the Salvadorian coast: the leatherback turtle (*Dermochelys coriacea*), the hawksbill (*Eretmochelys imbricata*), the green sea turtle (*Chelonia mydas*) and the olive ridley (*Leptochelys olivacea*).

**FAMOUS**

**THE MONUMENT TO THE DIVINE SAVIOR OF THE WORLD**  
Consists of a statue of Jesus Christ on a top of a globe. The monument located in San Salvador is a symbol that identifies and represents both El Salvador and Salvadorans throughout the world. This monument is featured on the car plates and the 200 colon banknote.

**HISTORY**

**NAME ORIGIN**  
Conquistador Pedro de Alvarado named the new province for Jesus Christ - El Salvador ("The Savior"). The full name was "Provincia De Nuestra Señora Jesus Cristo, El Salvador Del Mundo" ("Province of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Savior of the World"), which was subsequently abbreviated to "El Salvador" ("The Savior").

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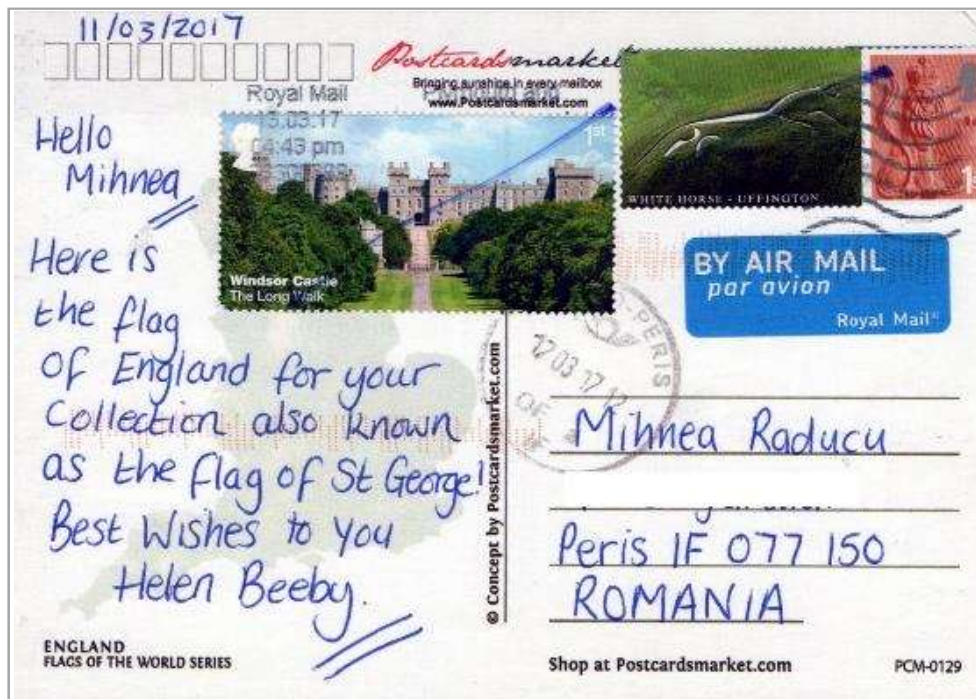
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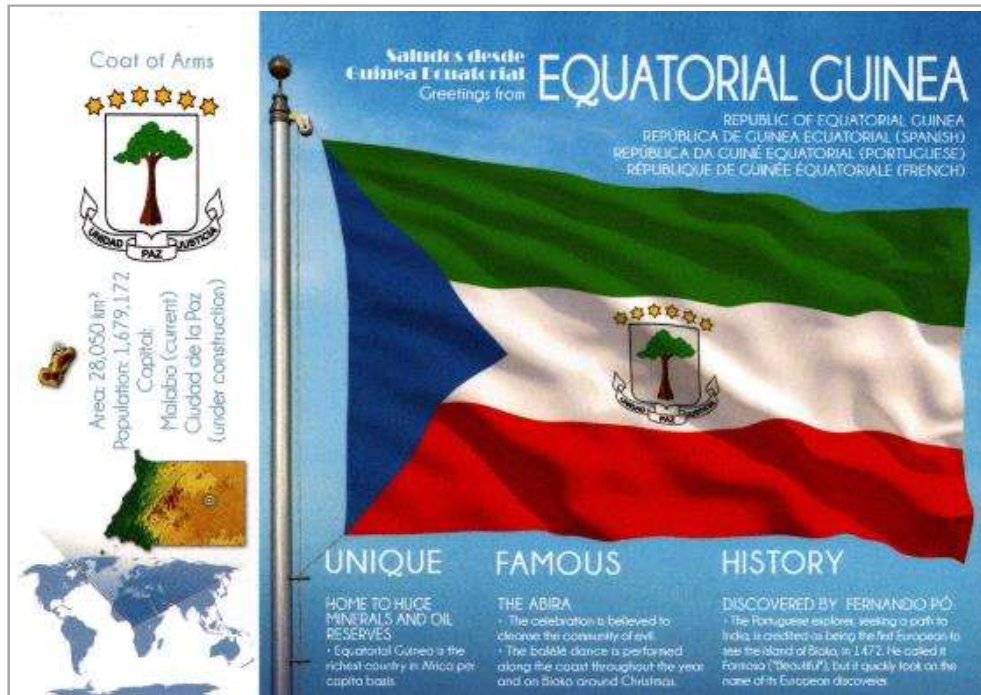
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# Equatorial Guinea Flag

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# Eritrea Flag

Front Side:

Emblem

Area: 117,600 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 5,750,433  
Capital: ASMARA

Greetings from **ERITREA**  
STATE OF ERITREA

**UNIQUE**

**THE NAME ERITREA**  
- Is derived from the ancient Greek name for the Red Sea, Erythra Thalassa.

**NO OFFICIAL LANGUAGE**  
- However, Tigrinya, Arabic, and English are the most commonly spoken in Eritrea.

**FAMOUS**

**AFAR DEPRESSION**  
- One of the hottest places on Earth.

**COAT OF ARMS**  
- On the Eritrean flag and in Coat of Arms composition is an olive wreath, a symbol of peace and harmony.

**HISTORY**

**INDEPENDENCE**  
- 24 May 1991, from Ethiopia.

**THE NAME ERITREA**  
- Was first formally adopted in 1890, with the formation of Italian Eritrea (Columbia Eritrea). The name persisted over the course of a subsequent British and Ethiopian occupation.

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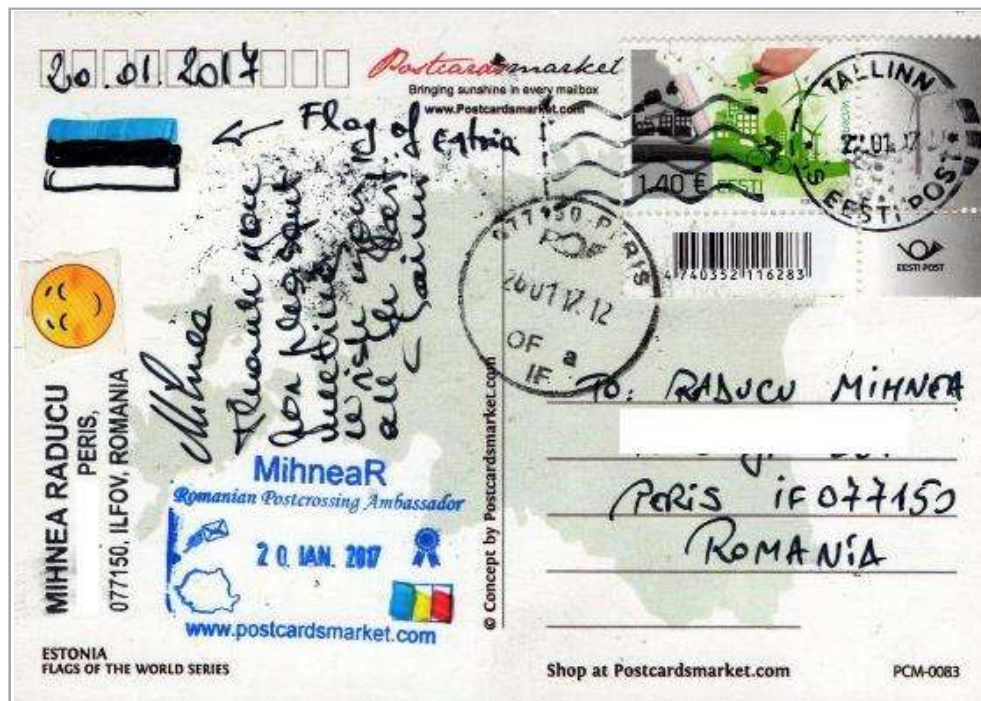
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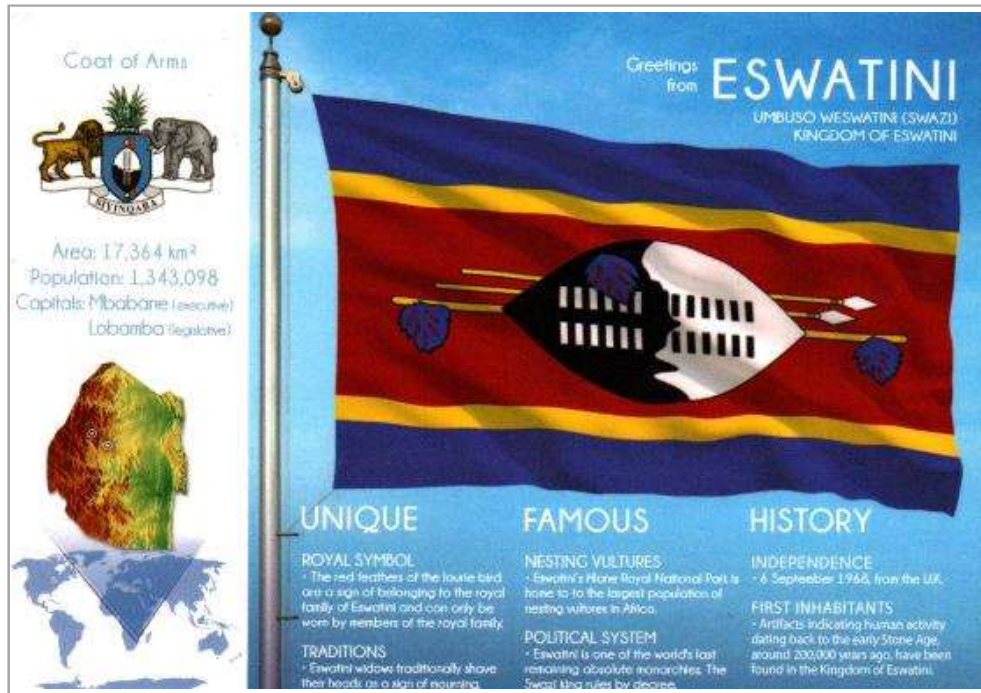


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# Eswatini (Swaziland) Flag

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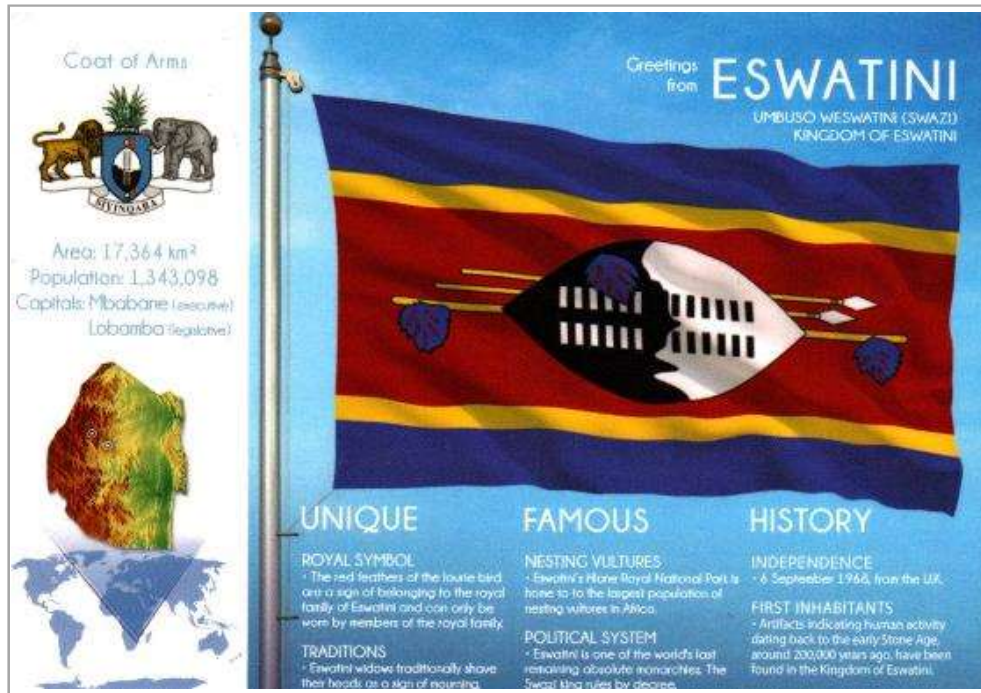


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# Eswatini (Swaziland) Flag

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# Ethiopia Flag

Front Side:

**Emblem**

Area: 1,104,300 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 102,374,044  
Capital: ADDIS ABABA

**ETHIOPIA**  
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YE ITYOPPIYA FEDERALAWI DEMOKRASİYAWI RİPİBLİK (AMHARIC)  
FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA

**UNIQUE**  
THE ETHIOPIAN CALENDAR  
- Has 13 months and 8 to 10 days behind the Western calendar.  
FOUNDED IN 980 B.C.  
- Ethiopia comes from the Greek words "ethnos" and "gria", which together mean "land of men".  
WORLD'S HIGHEST AVERAGE ANNUAL TEMPERATURE  
- 34 °C in Dadda (Eastern part of the country).

**FAMOUS**  
ANCIENT GEEZ SCRIPT  
- Also known as "Ge'ez", it is one of the oldest alphabets still in use in the world.  
ARABICA COFFEE  
- Coffee is the most important export product of Ethiopia, where Arabica coffee originates.  
ABEBE BIKILA - Won the 1960 Olympic marathon in Rome while running barefoot.

**HISTORY**  
- Ethiopia is the only African country to defeat a European colonial power and retain its sovereignty.  
- Stone tools recovered in 1992 were 252,000 years old, the oldest tools ever discovered anywhere in the world.  
- The Ethiopian Empire, also known as Abyssinia, existed between ~1137-1974.

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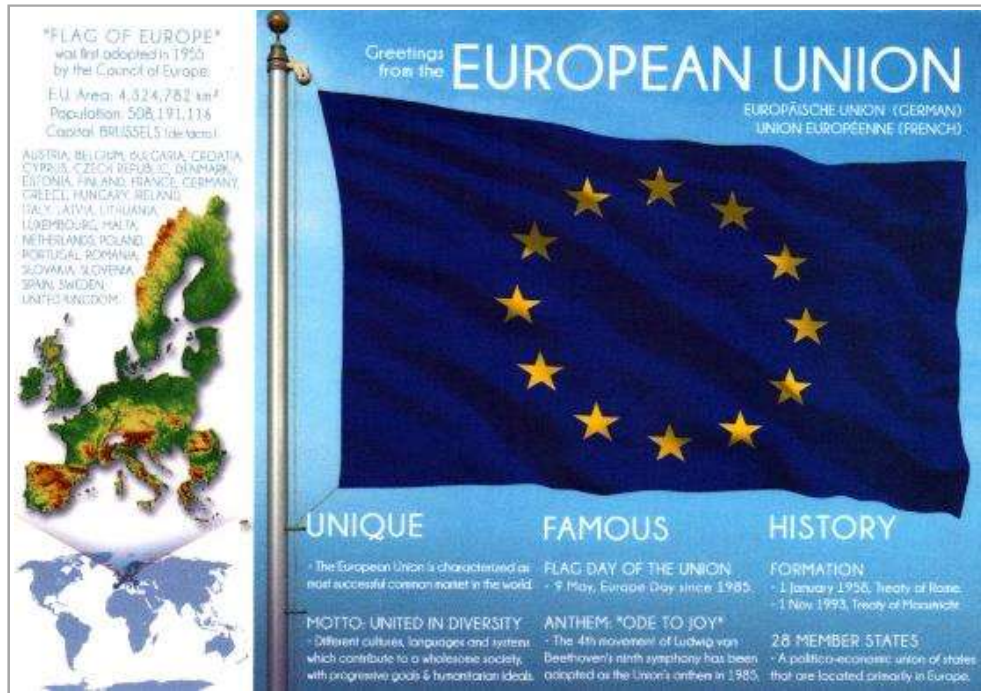
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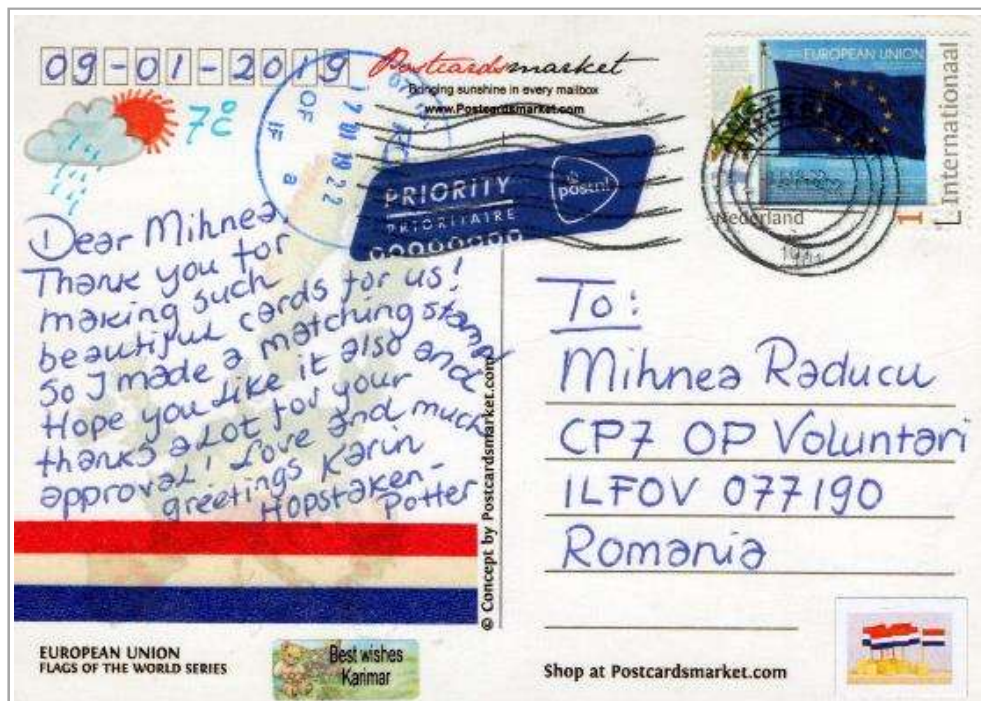
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# European Union Flag

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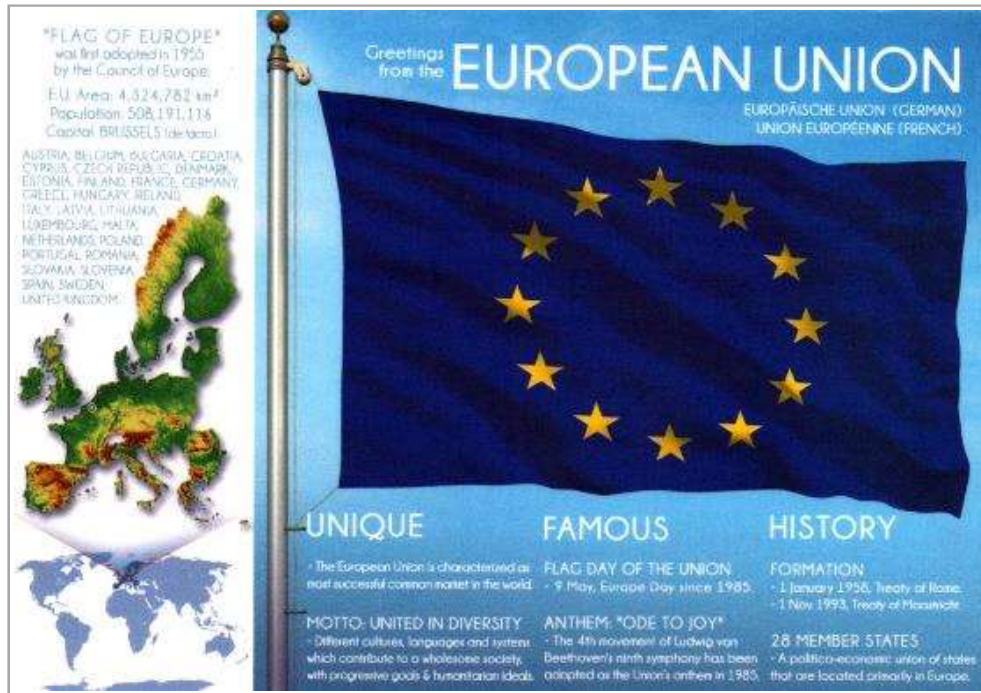


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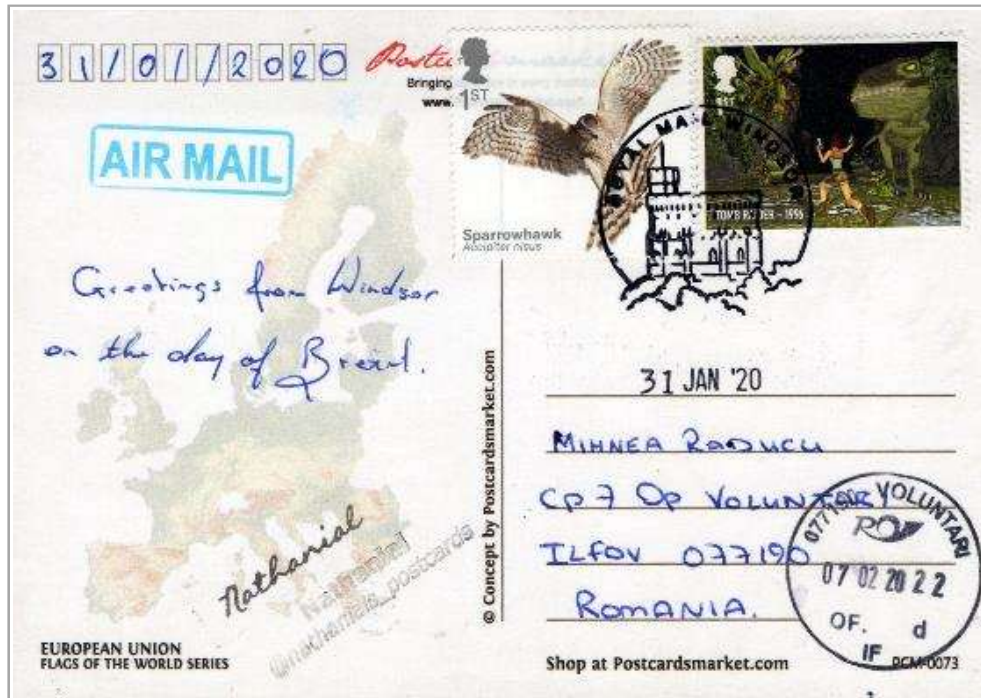
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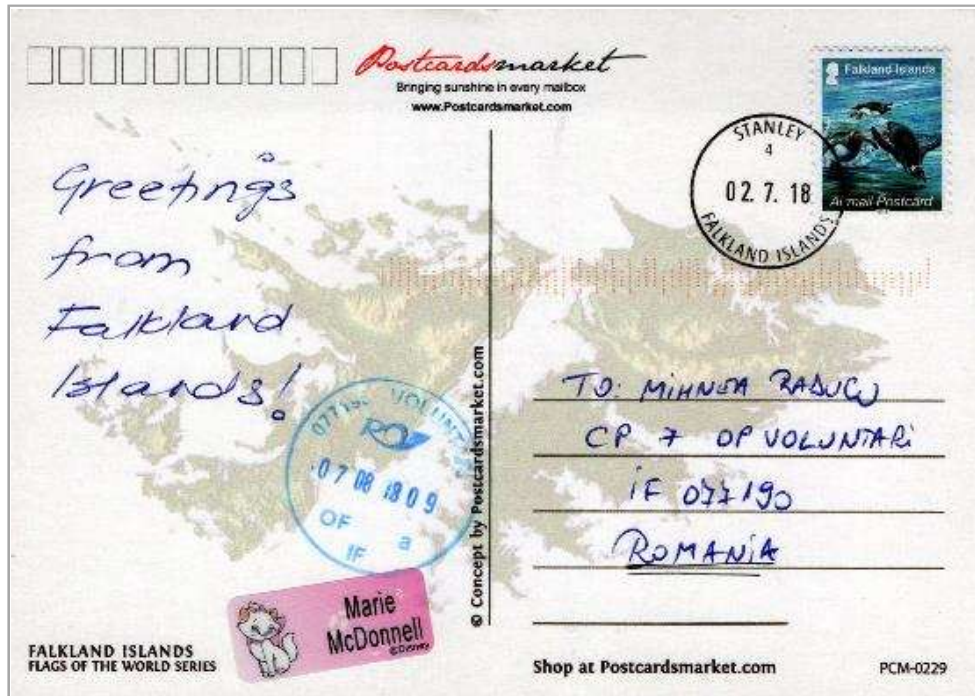


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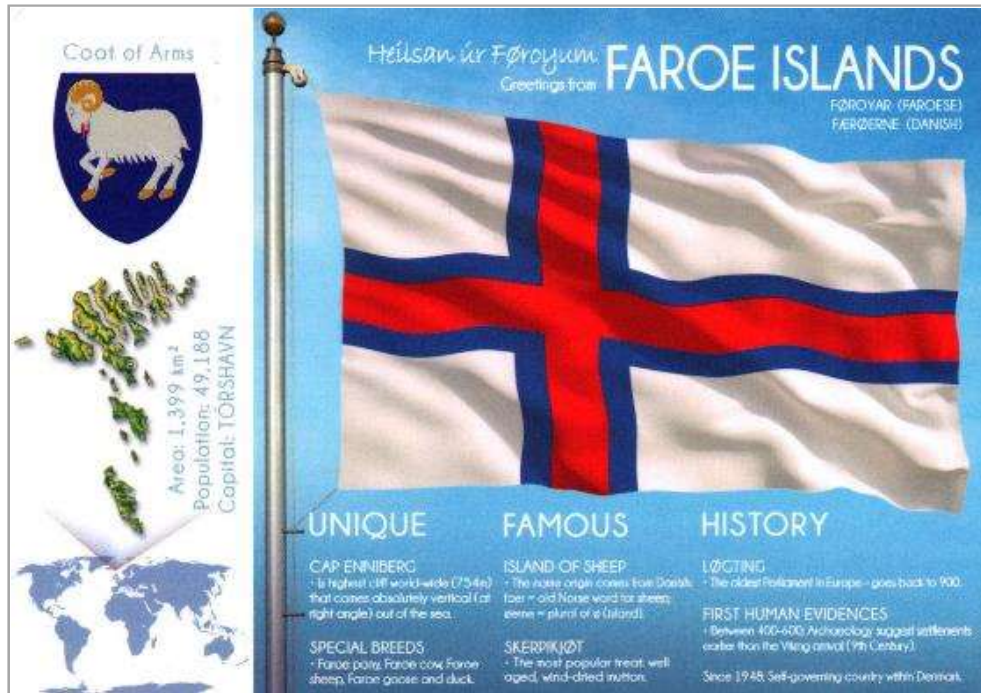


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# Faroe Islands Flag

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# Fiji Flag

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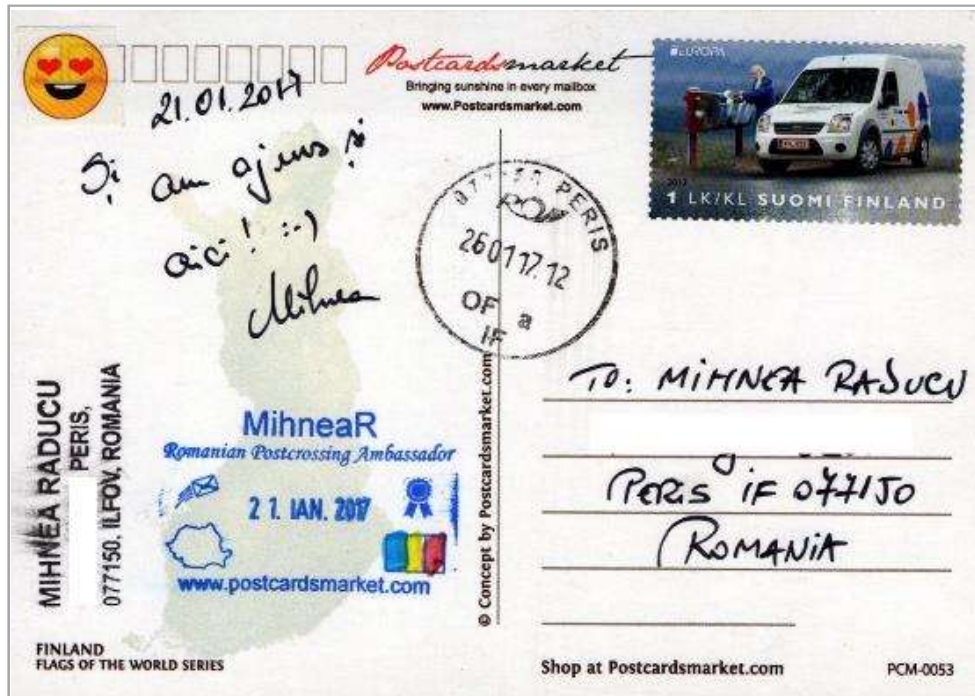
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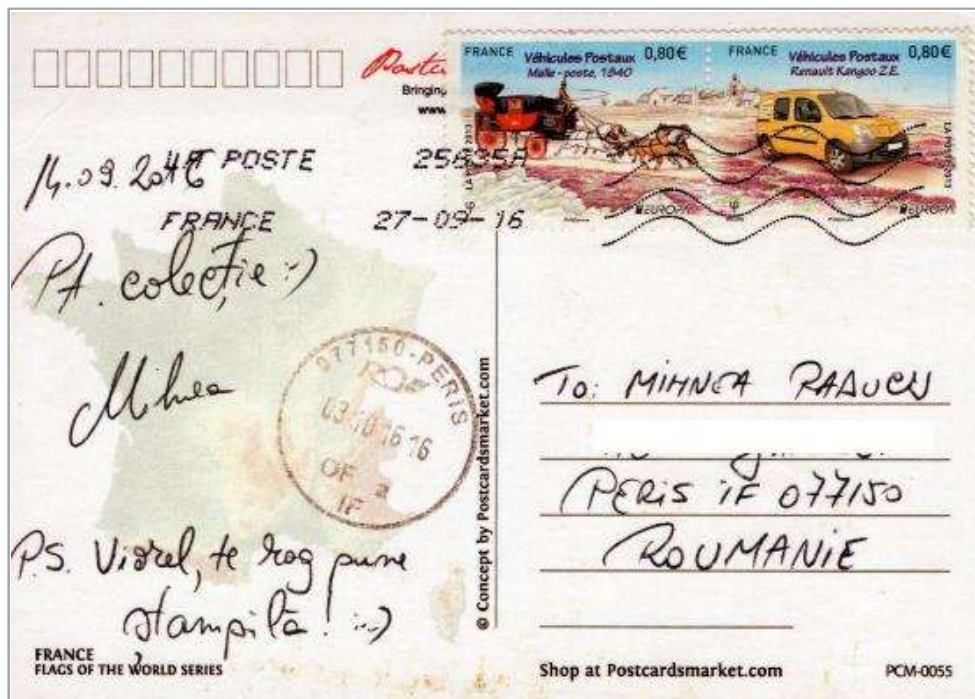
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# France Flag

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# French Guiana Flag

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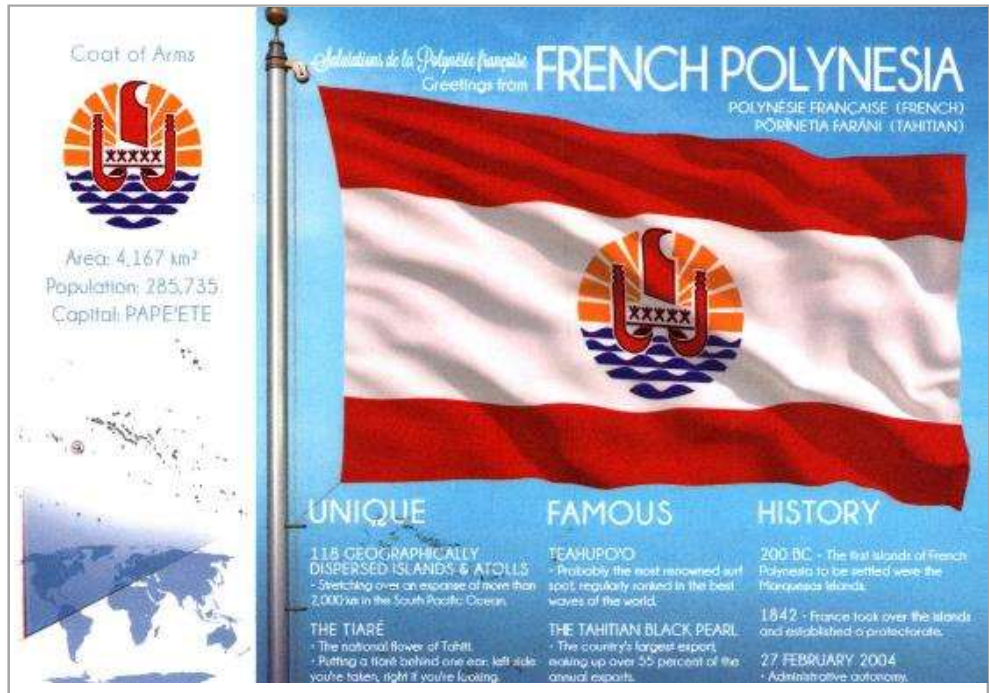


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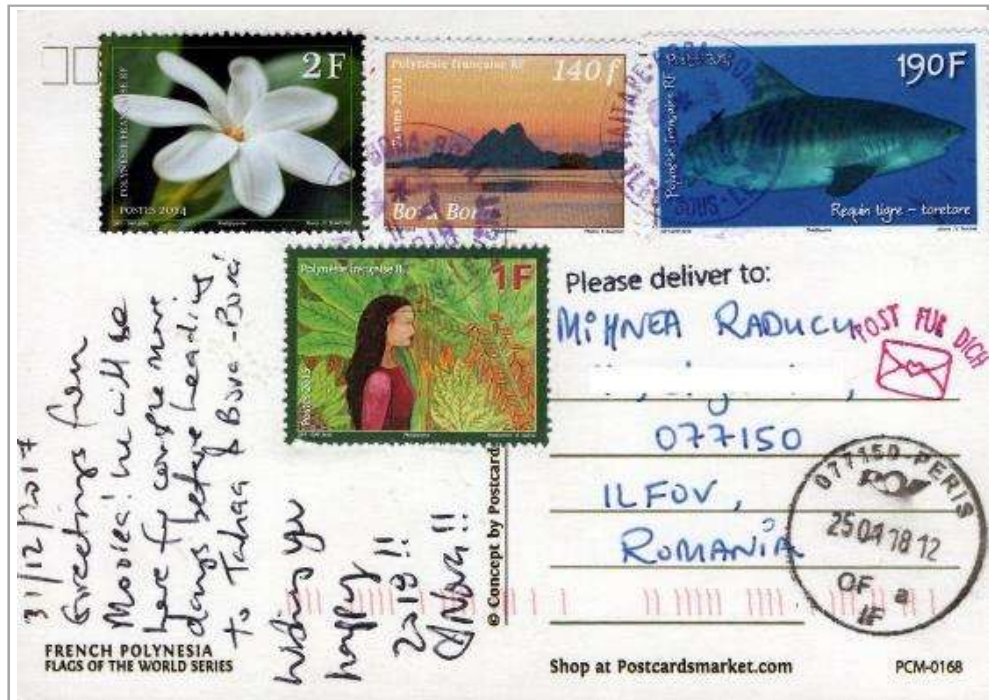
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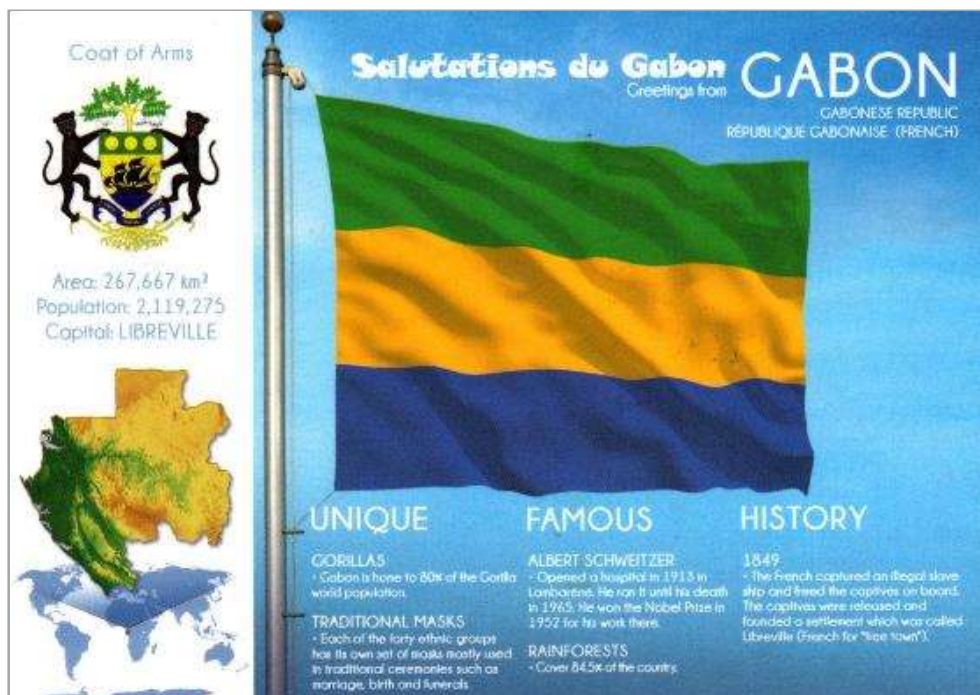
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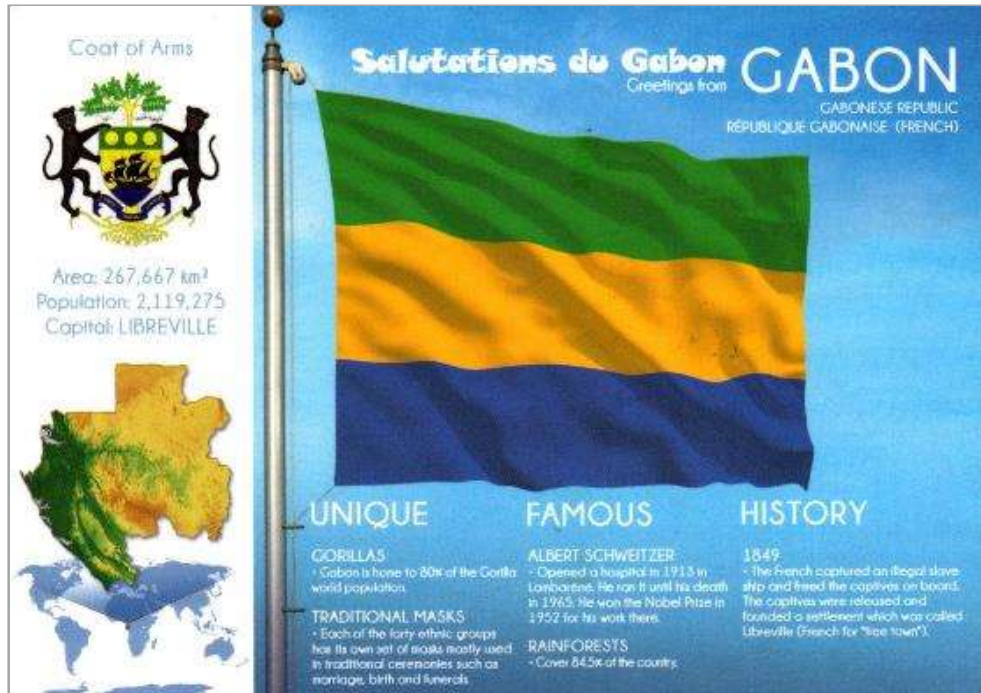


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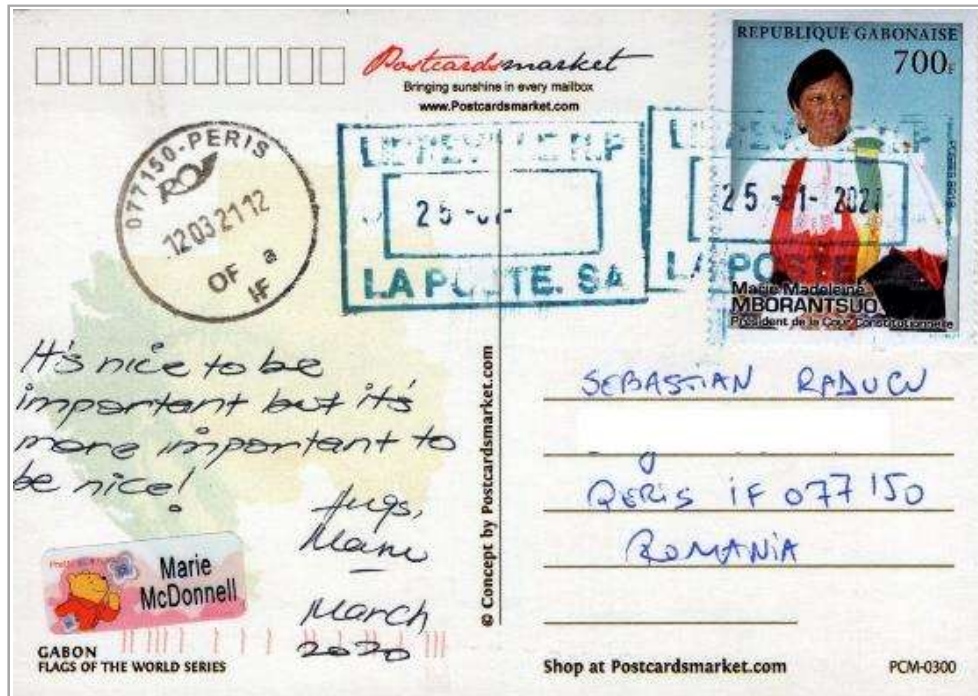
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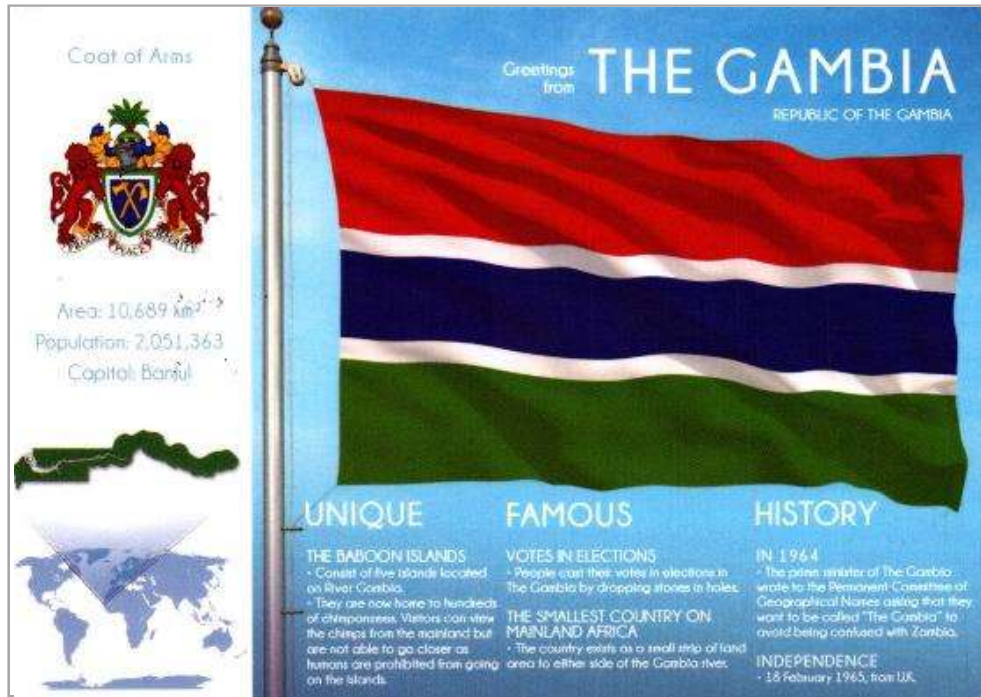


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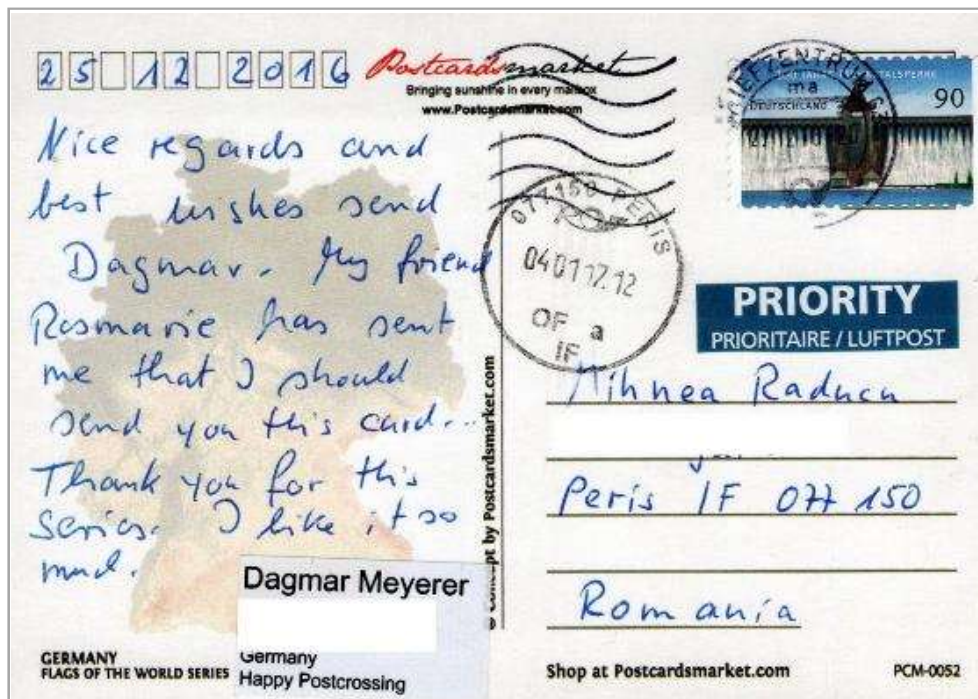
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# Germany Flag

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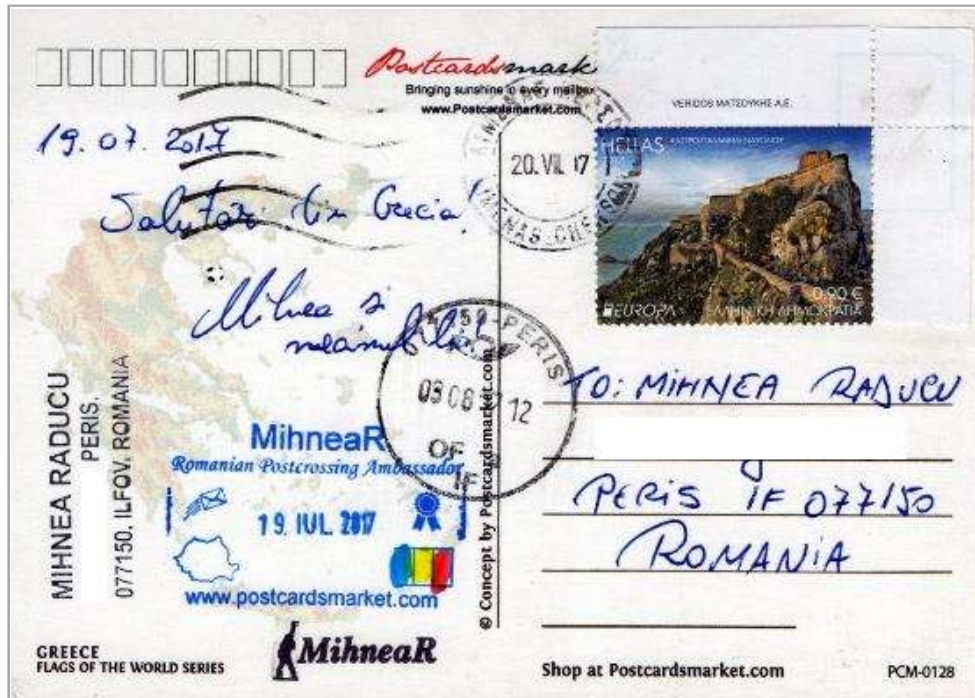
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# Greece Flag

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# Greenland Flag

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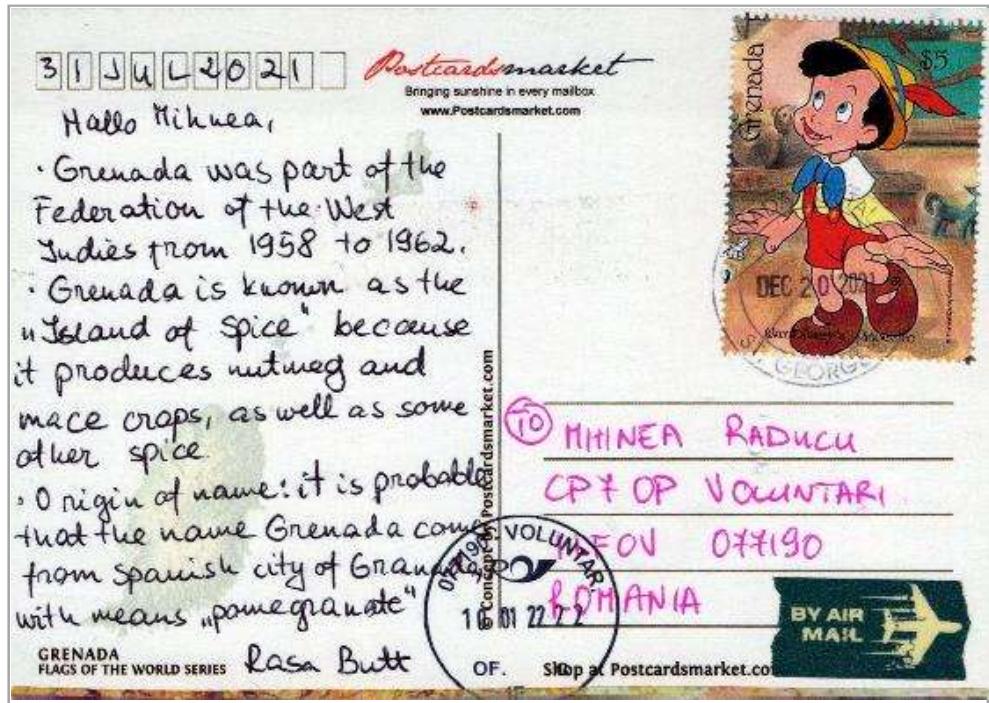
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# Grenada Flag

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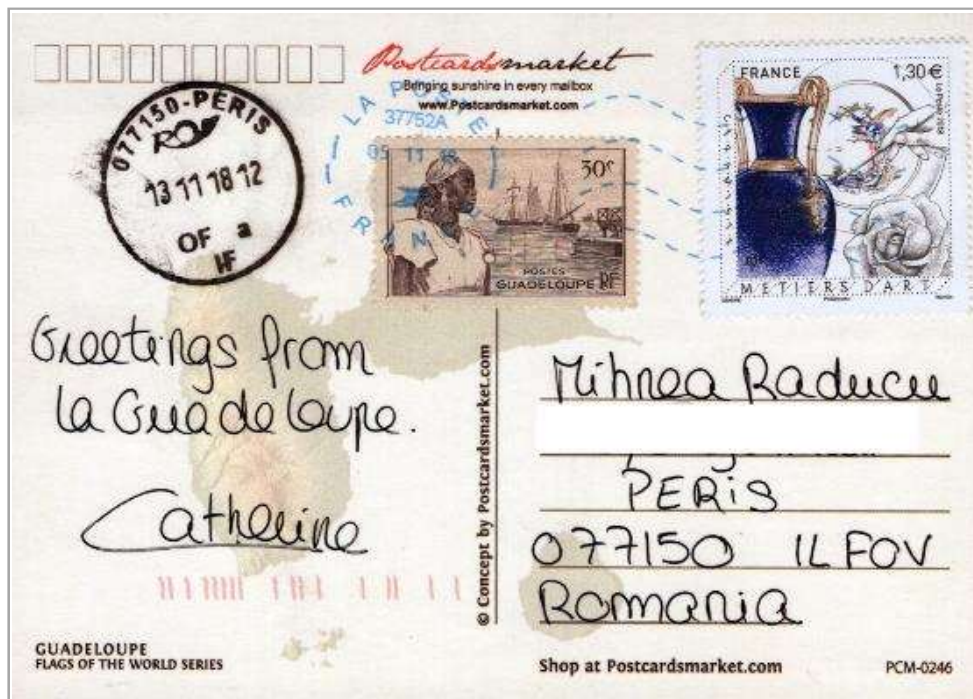
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# Guadeloupe Flag

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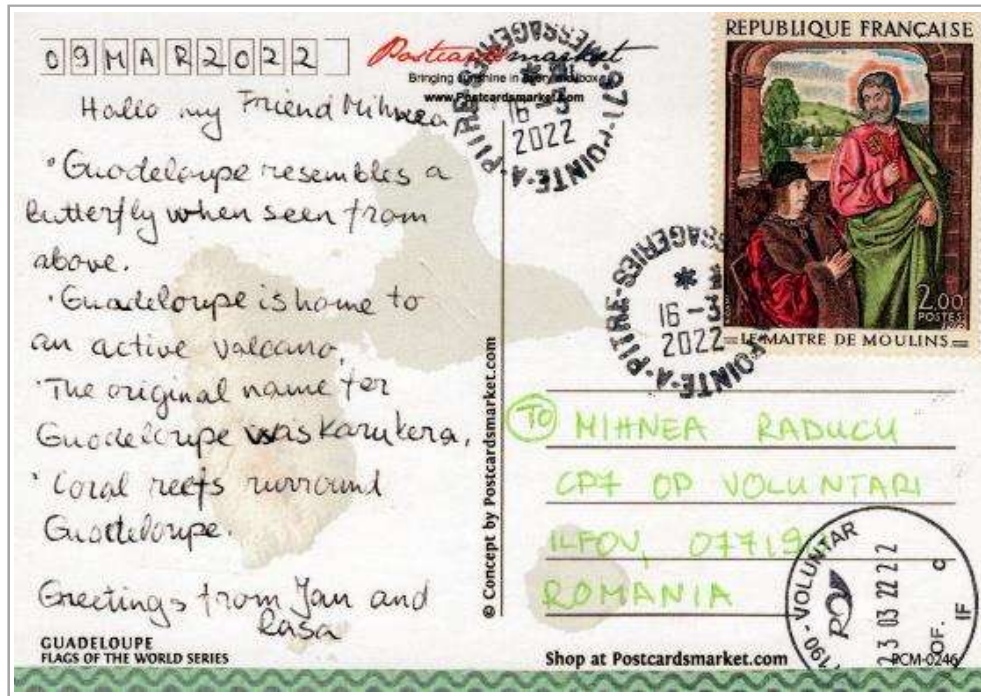
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# Guadeloupe (unofficial) Flag

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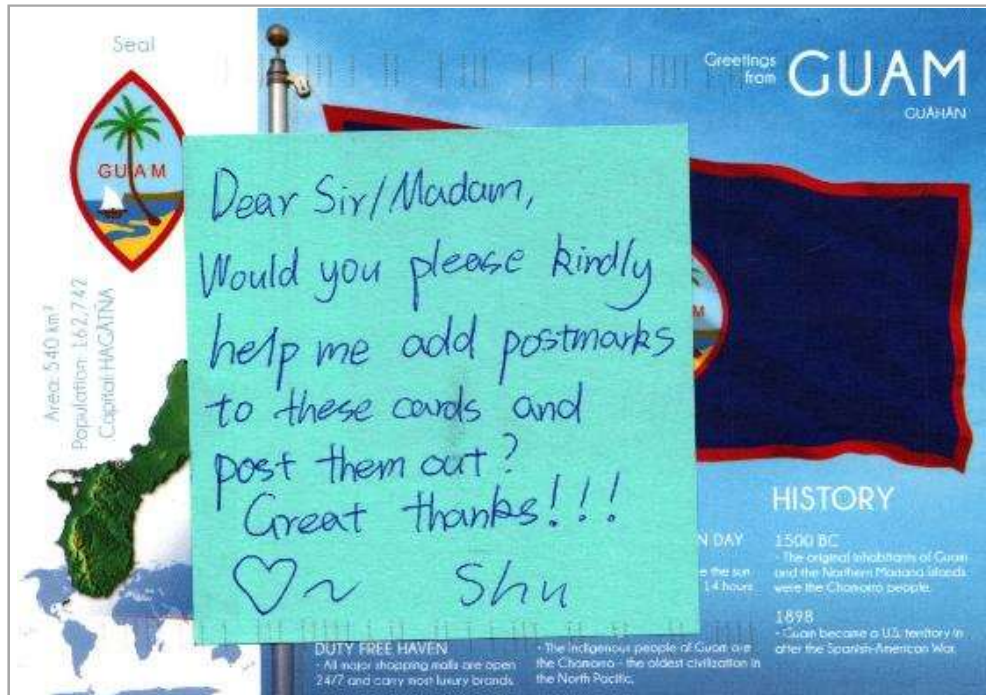


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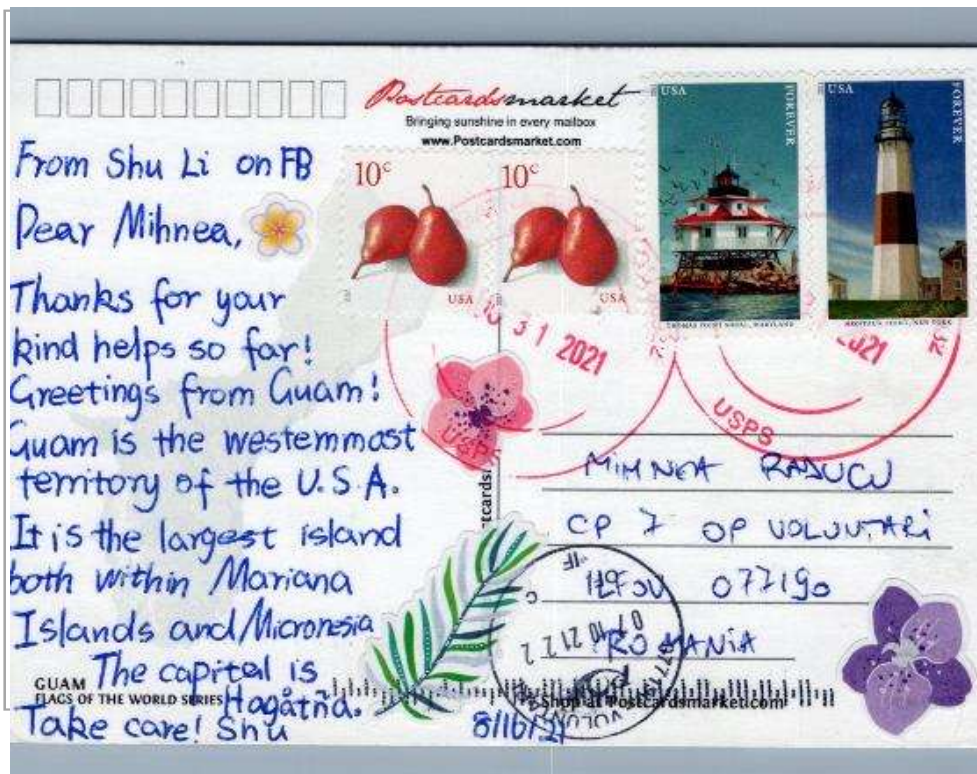
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# Guam Flag

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# Guatemala Flag

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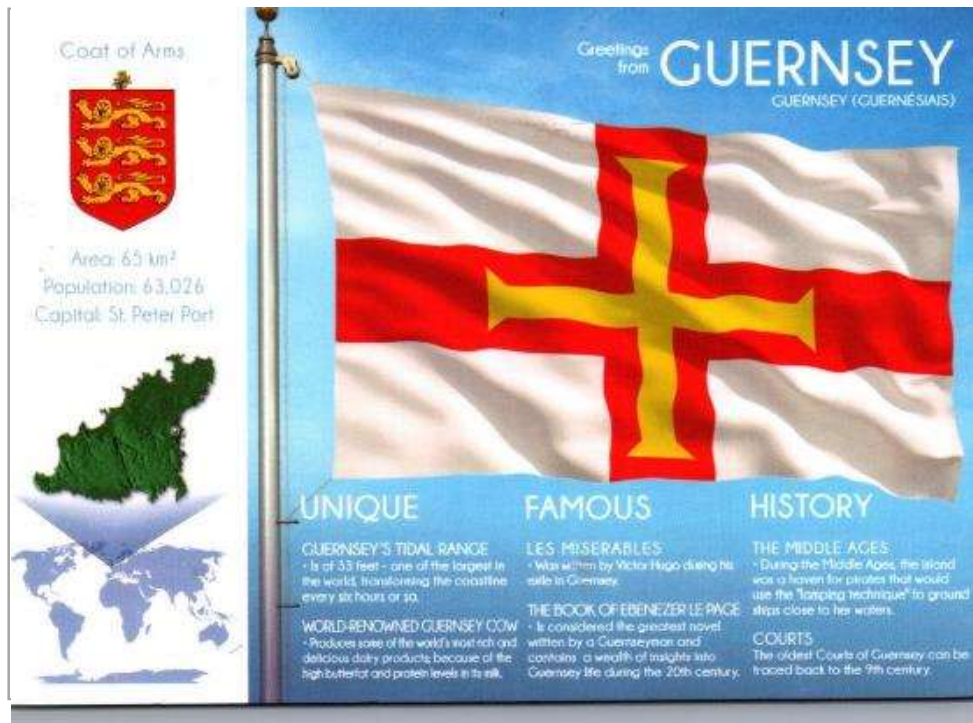


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# Guernsey Flag

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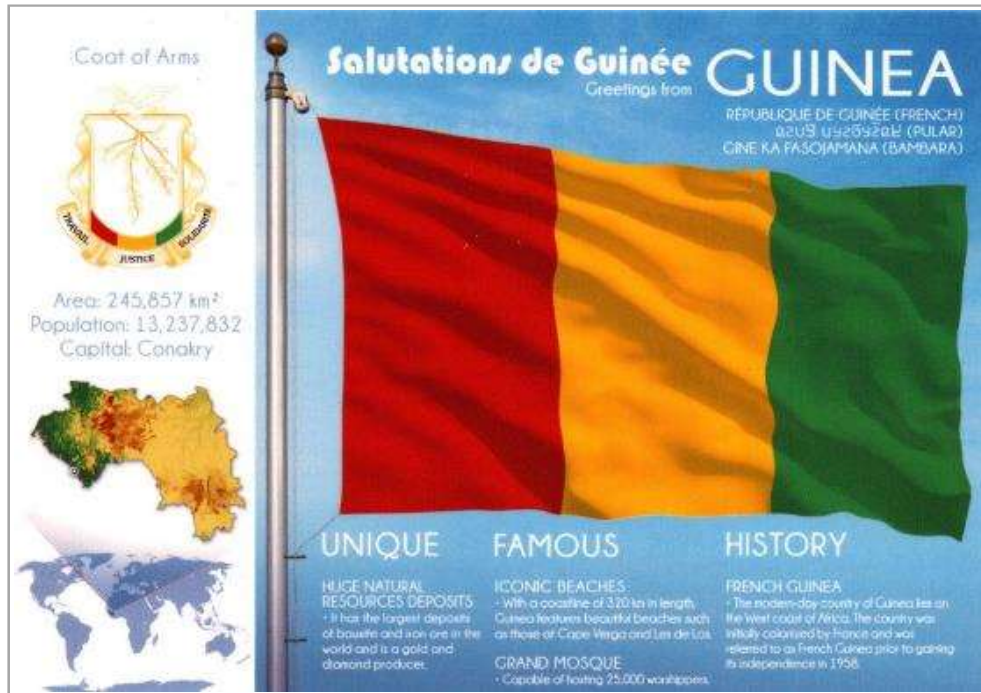


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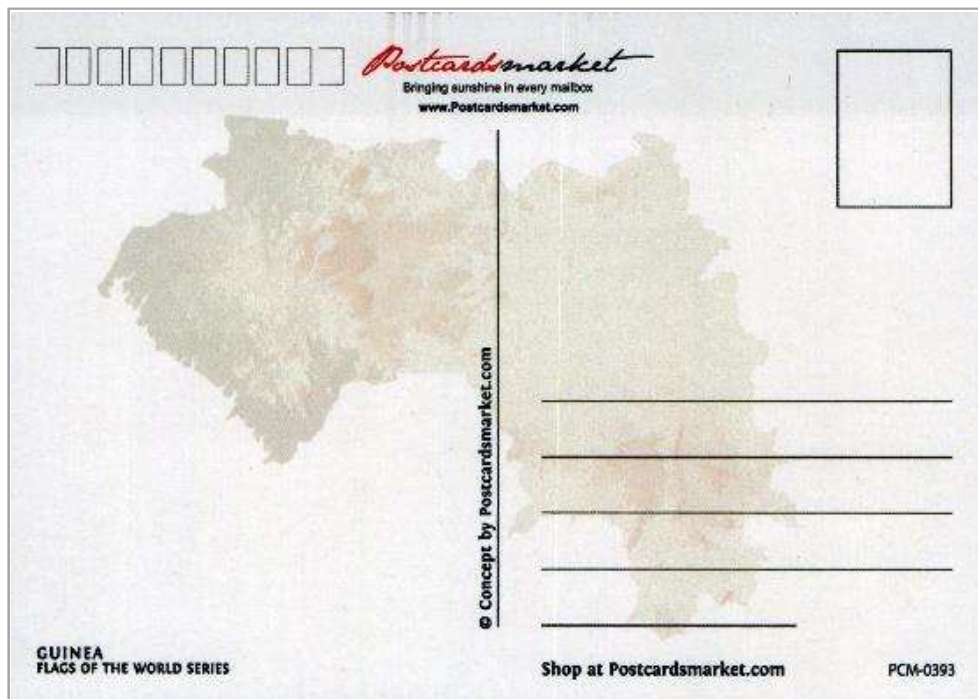
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# Guinea Flag

Front Side:



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# Guinea-Bissau Flag

Front Side:


Coat of Arms



Area: 36,125 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 2,026,778  
Capital: Bissau



*Saudações da Guiné-Bissau*  
Greetings from **GUINEA-BISSAU**  
REPÚBLICA DA GUINÉ-BISSAU (PORTUGUESE)



**UNIQUE**

**ISLANDS ARE RUN BY WOMEN**  
Guinea-Bissau holds a unique network of almost 90 islands, called the *Bijagos* or *Bijagos* islands, which are run by a matriarchal society. On these islands, women are leaders in law, economy, spirituality, and marriage arrangements. Even when it comes to the houses, women not only own their houses, but are responsible for constructing it as well.

**FAMOUS**

**TRADITIONAL ANCESTRAL SHRINES**  
One of the few places in Africa you can still see the *torres* like wood-carved structures which are intended to connect the human and spirit worlds.

**UNO ISLAND TRADITION**  
At loose point in their lives, boys must go and live alone for several months in the forests with the *Vaca Bruta* - "strong clay" - ceremony. It is supposed to transform the boys into men, but only takes place when it "feels right" or opposed to at a set age or date.

**HISTORY**

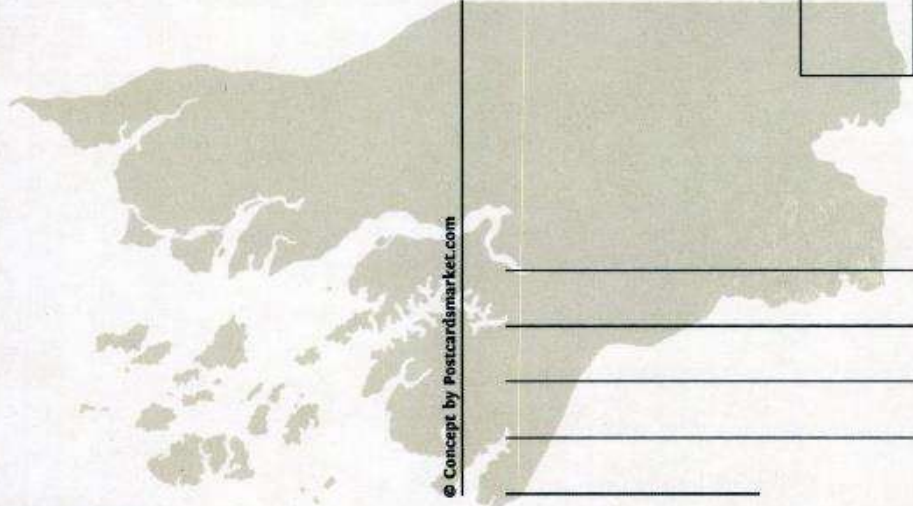
**KINGDOM OF CABU**  
Guinea-Bissau used to be under the influence of the *Mali* Empire and was a sub-kingdom known as *Cabou*.

**INDEPENDENCE - 5 JULY 1973**  
Guinea-Bissau declared independence from Portugal following a guerrilla war in 1973. The country was formally recognized as an independent nation in 1974.

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# Guyana Flag

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# Haiti Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 27,750 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 10,604,000  
Capital: PORT-AU-PRINCE

Salutations d'*Haiti*  
Greetings from **HAITI**  
REPUBLIQUE D'HAÏTI (FRENCH)  
REPEBLIK AYITI (HAÏTIAN CREOLE)  
REPUBLIC OF HAITI

**UNIQUE**  
"LAND OF HIGH MOUNTAINS"  
- is the meaning of the word "Haïti" in the Indigenous Taino language. Haiti is the most mountainous nation in the Caribbean.  
VOODOO AS MAIN RELIGION  
- 212,000 people, 2% of the country's population, has voodoo as main religion.

**FAMOUS**  
CITADELLE LAFERRIÈRE  
- The largest fortress in the Americas  
- UNESCO World Heritage Site.  
WORLD'S LEADING PRODUCER OF VETIVER  
- *Christysson vermicoides*, a root plant used to make luxury perfumes, essential oils and fragrances.

**HISTORY**  
1791 - Slaves rebel against plantation owners. The rebellion was led by a former slave and the first black general of the French Army, Toussaint Louverture, whose military genius and political acumen transformed an entire society of slaves into an independent country.  
1804 - 1 January, the first independent nation of Latin America and the Caribbean.

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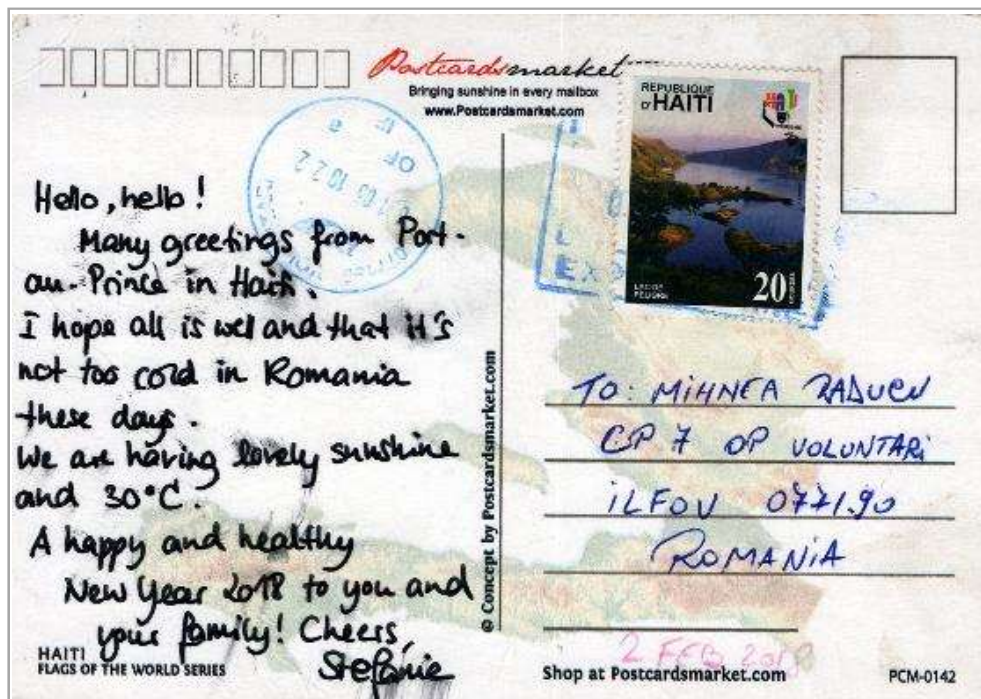
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# Haiti Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

Only one stamp of 20 – I don't know which is correct postage

# Herm Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 2,512 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 60  
Capital: Saint Peter Port

Greetings from **HERM**  
HAERME (GUERNÉSIAIS)  
PART OF GUERNSEY, BAILWICK OF GUERNSEY

**UNIQUE**  
NO CARS, NO CROWDS AND DEFINITELY NO STRESS  
It is the perfect place to stay for a truly relaxing holiday in the British Isles.  
The distance around the perimeter of the island is 6.3 km (3.9 mi) and walking it takes about two hours.

**FAMOUS**  
BEACH ACTIVITIES  
Shell beach is the starting point for a number of outdoor activities. Travelling south to Puffin Bay it is possible to paddle seasonalrafts of puffins from early April to mid July. Near Shell Bay, The Lumps are also a good destination to see Herm's seals. Dogs are not allowed on any of Herm's beaches.

**HISTORY**  
FIRST SETTLERS  
Herm was first found in the Mesolithic period (between 10,000 and 8,000 BC), when hunter were in search of food.

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Salut D'Haerme

Herm's most popular bay is the seemingly endless Shell Beach, home to millions of colourful shells, swept ashore by the Gulf Stream.

During WW2, the German Army used the beaches of Herm to practice landing from barges for the invasion of England. This was done under the guise of shooting a propaganda film; "The Invasion of the Isle of Wight".

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# Honduras Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 112,492 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 9,459,440  
Capital: Tegucigalpa

Saludos desde Honduras Greetings from **HONDURAS**  
REPUBLIC OF HONDURAS  
REPUBLICA DE HONDURAS (SPANISH)

**UNIQUE**

**COPAN - ANCIENT MAYA CITY**  
- It was one of the most densely populated urban areas of the Maya world (between AD 426 to 626).

**SMOKE-FREE ZONES**  
- Honduras was the first country to ban smoking in your own home. Smokers will always stand about two metres far feet away from non-smokers.

**FAMOUS**

**THE COMAYAGUA CATHEDRAL**  
- Known as the Immaculate Conception Cathedral - Built in 1634, is one of the oldest cathedrals in Central America.  
- Here is the oldest clock on the continent and the second oldest clock in the world. The clock, which was constructed around 1100 AD by the Mayas, hung in the Alhambra Palace in Comayagua.  
- The clock never winds every day and stills quartz hands as well as the hour.

**HISTORY**

**THE FOOTBALL WAR**  
- In July 1969 a 100-hour war broke out on the Honduras-El Salvador border, ignited by a football match between the two countries, within a series of qualifying matches for the 1970 World Cup. After 3 days, the OAS negotiated a ceasefire and established a 3 km-wide demilitarised zone along the border.

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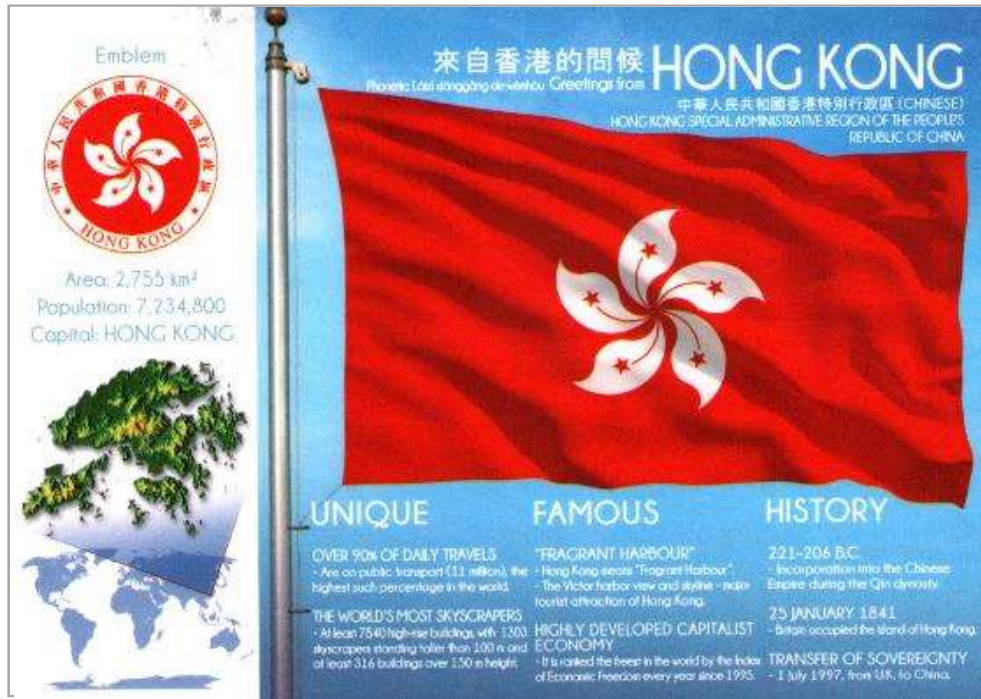
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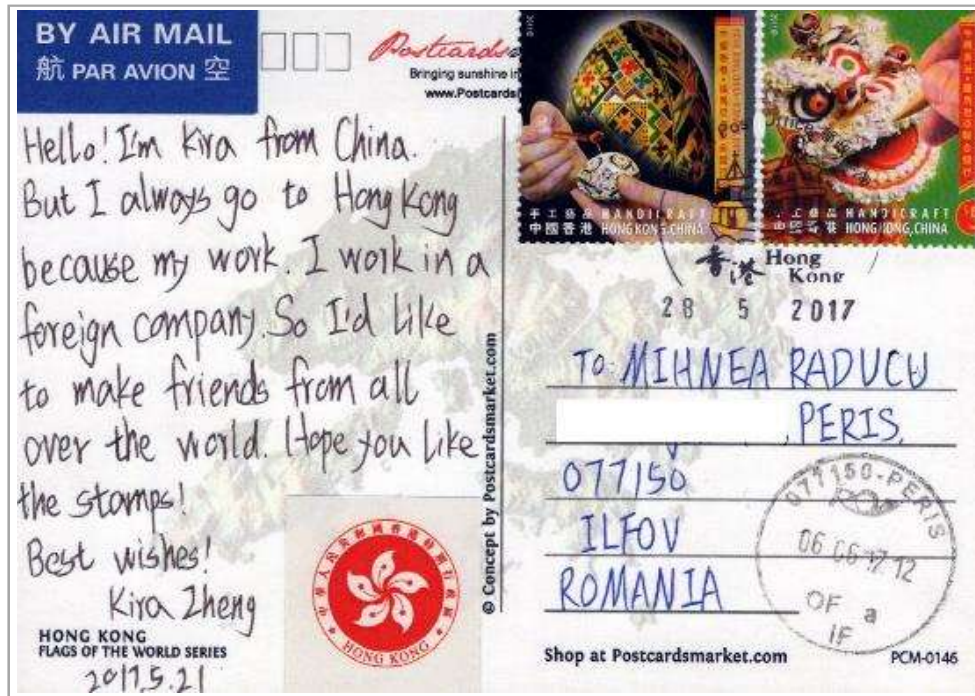
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# Hong Kong Flag

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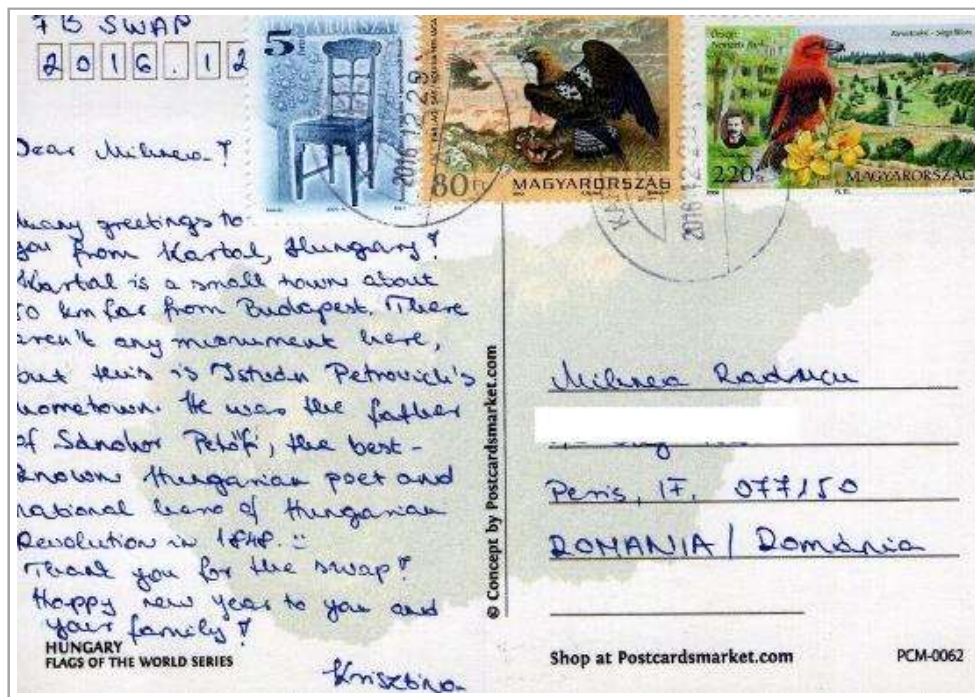
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# Hungary Flag

Front Side:



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# Iceland Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 102,775 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 332,529  
Capital: REYKJAVÍK

Kveðja frá Íslandi **ICELAND**  
Greetings from ISLAND (ICELANDIC)

**UNIQUE** **FAMOUS** **HISTORY**

**MOST PEACEFUL COUNTRY IN THE WORLD**  
- According to the Global Peace Index.

**THE WORLD'S LARGEST ELECTRICITY PRODUCER PER CAPITA**  
- Due to the utilization of abundant hydroelectric and geothermal power.

**"GEYSIR"** - in Haukadalur valley  
- is the oldest known geyser in the world.

**VIGDÍS FINNBOGADÓTTIR**  
- President (1980-1996), was the world's first directly electable head of state.

**VOLCANOES** - Iceland has hundreds  
- About 30 volcanic systems are active.

ca. 874 - Iceland was still uninhabited long after the rest of Western Europe had been settled. Recorded settlement has conventionally been dated back to 874.

ca. 1000 - Leif Erikson is the first known European to have discovered North America (excluding Greenland), approximately five centuries before Christopher Columbus.

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# Iceland Flag

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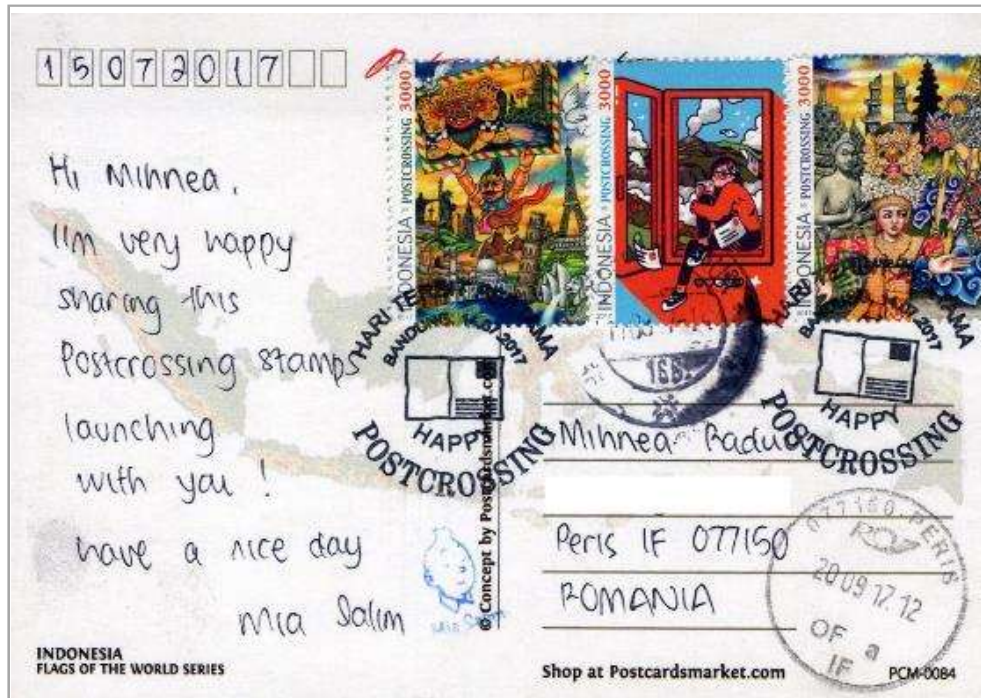


# Indonesia Flag

Front Side:



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# Iran Flag

Front Side:

Emblem

Area: 1,648,195 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 80,829,192  
Capital: Tehran

UNIQUE

EMBLEM OF IRAN

- Features the Arabic word Allah ("God"), rendered in stylized characters from Persian and consists of four crescents and a sword.

THE ASIATIC CHEETAH

- Asiatic cheetahs remain as an endangered species that can only be found in Iran, thus the name Asiatic cheetah.

FAMOUS

NATURAL RESOURCES

- The natural gas supply is the largest in the world (15.8% of the world's total reserves).
- Iran has the world's largest oil reserves.

PERSIA

- In the Western world, Persia was historically the common name for Iran.

HISTORY

IRAN'S CIVILIZATION

- Is one of the world's oldest continuous civilizations, with historical and urban settlements dating back to 7,000 B.C.

THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC

- Iran was established on 1<sup>st</sup> of April 1979 following the Islamic Revolution.

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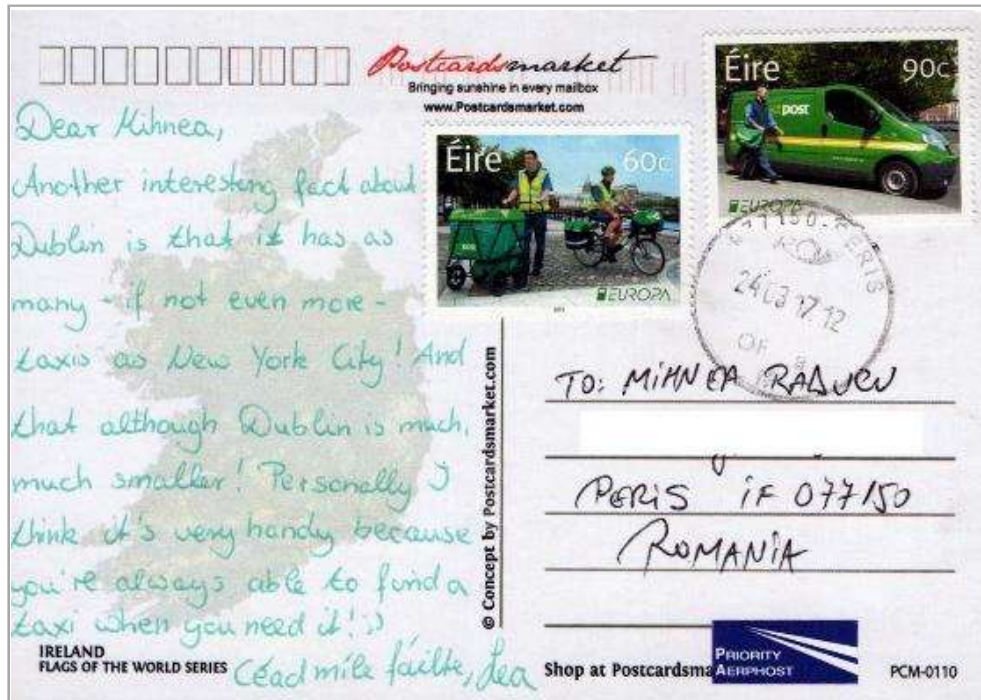
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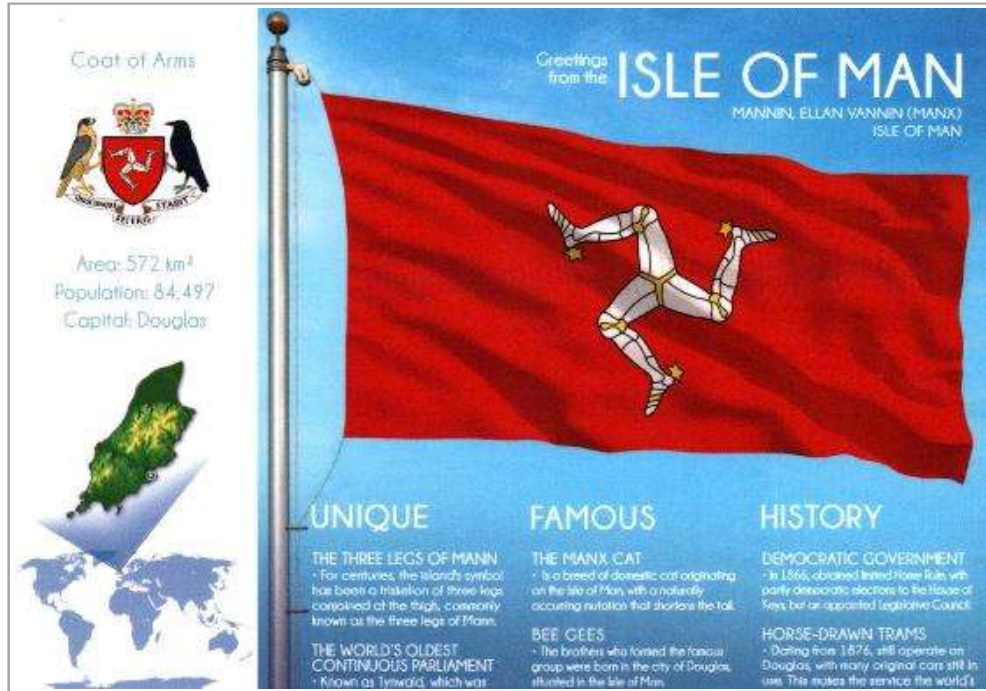
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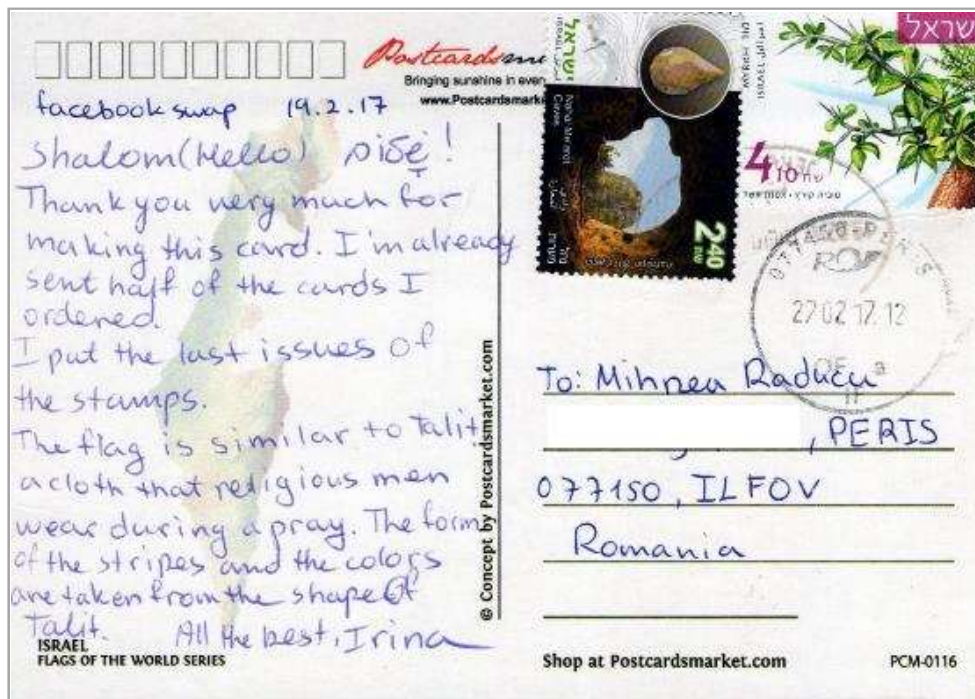
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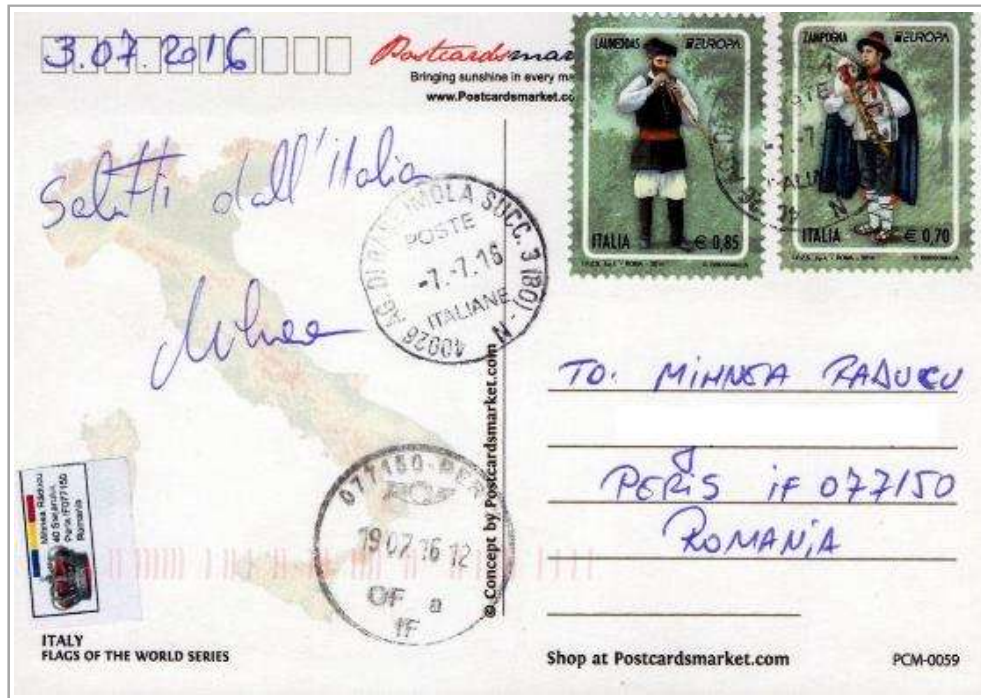
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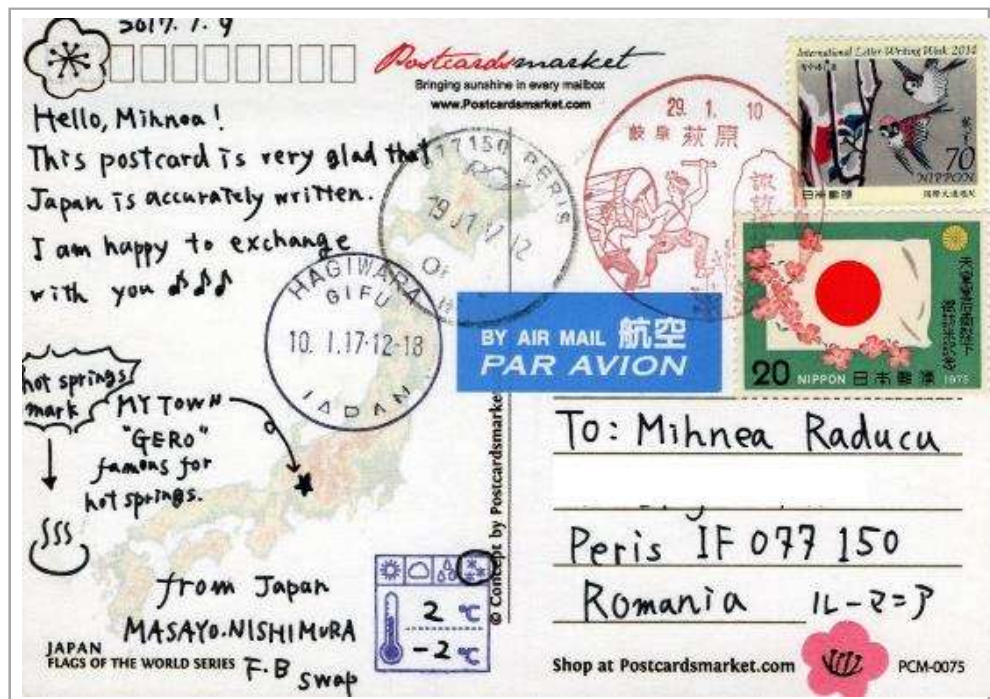
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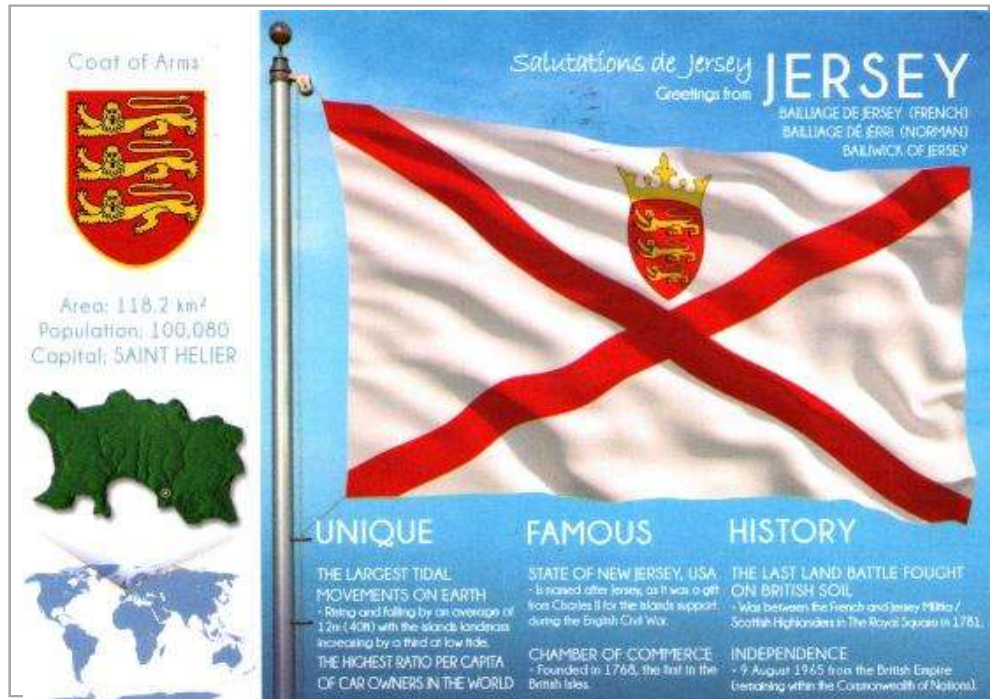


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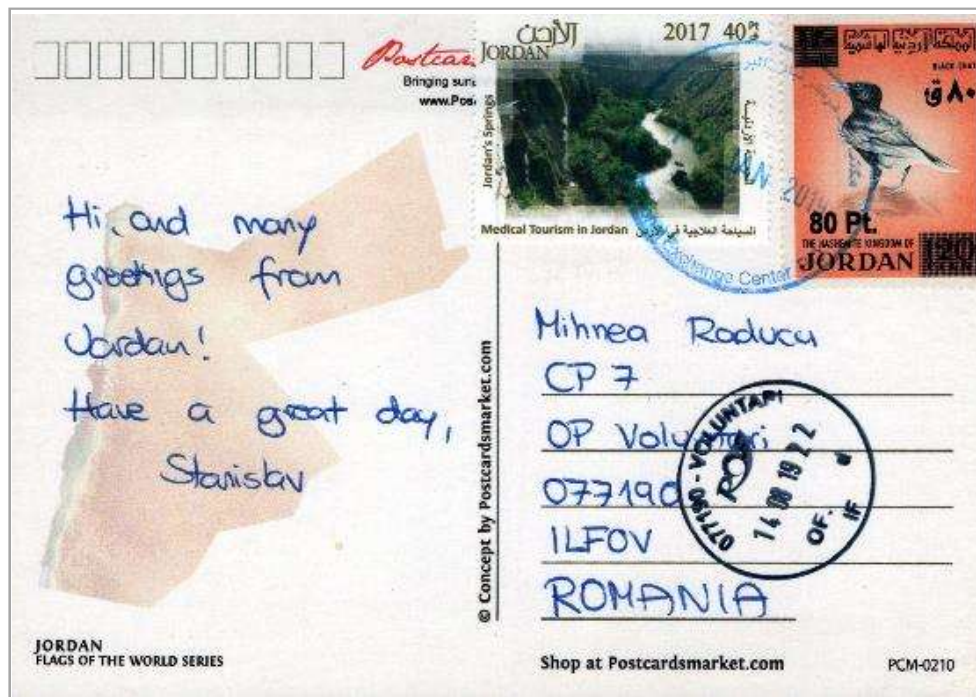
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# Jordan Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Kazakhstan Flag

Front Side:

**Emblem**

Area: 2,724,900 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 18,050,488  
 Capital: ASTANA

**Қазақстаннан сәлем KAZAKHSTAN**  
 Greetings from KAZAKHSTAN

**UNIQUE**  
 THE WORLD'S LARGEST LANDLOCKED COUNTRY  
 THE WORLD'S LARGEST DRY STEPPE REGION

**FAMOUS**  
 BAIKONUR COSMODOROME  
 ALMATY - Kazakhstan's biggest city is thought to be the apple's ancestral home

**HISTORY**  
 HORSE DOMESTICATION  
 1456-1847 - The Scythian Khanate  
 1991 - Independence declared from the Soviet Union

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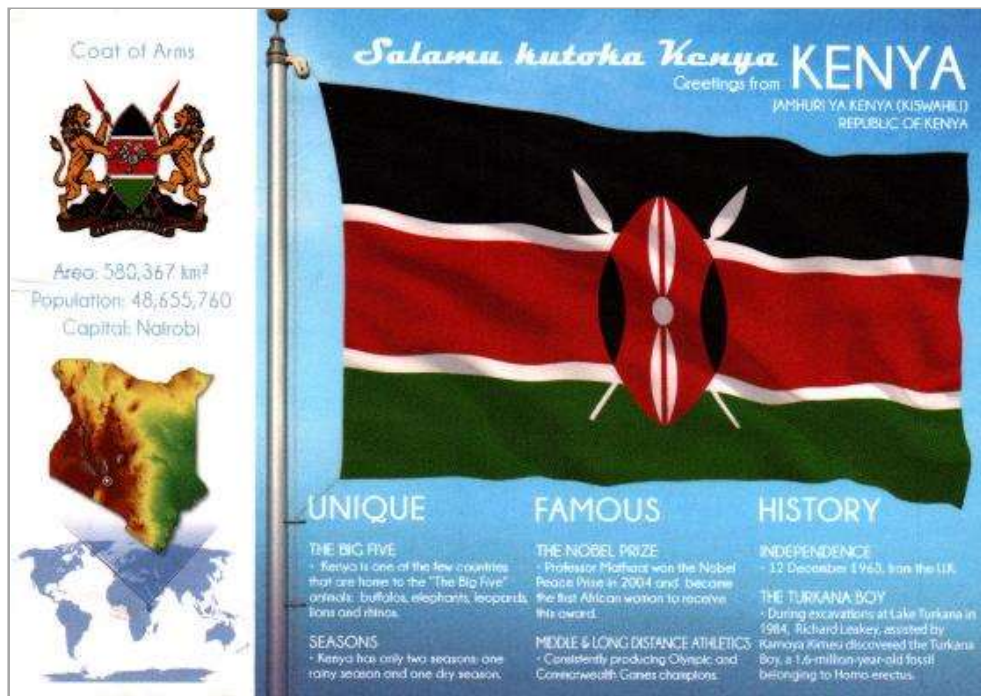
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# Kenya Flag

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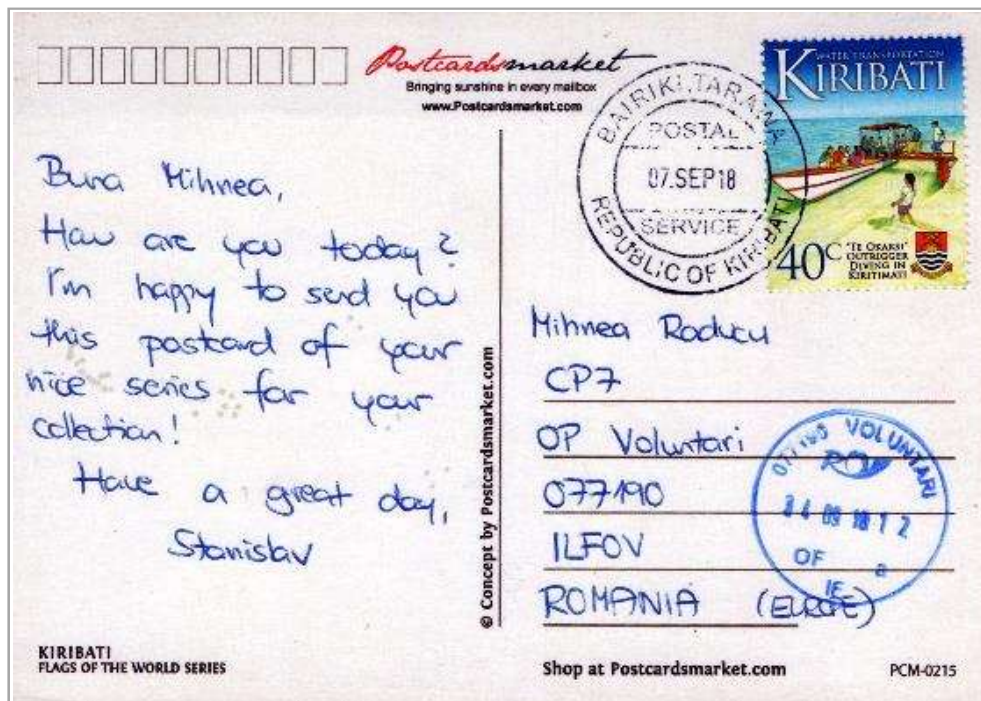
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# Kiribati Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



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# Korea (North) Flag

Front Side:

**Emblem**

조선에서 인사드립니다  
Greetings from **D.P.R. OF KOREA**  
조선민주주의인민공화국 (KOREAN)  
DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA

Area: 120,540 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 25,368,620  
Capital: Pyongyang

**UNIQUE**

**THE JUCHE CALENDAR**  
North Korea bases its calendar on the Juche date of birth: 15 April 1912. Thus, the year 2011 is Juche 100, and so on.

**THE MANSUDAE ART STUDIO**  
Employs around 1,000 artists and is the biggest art factory in the world where paintings, murals and souvenirs are designed and produced.

**FAMOUS**

**RUNGRADO 1<sup>st</sup> OF MAY STADIUM**  
World's largest stadium: 150,000 capacity.

**THE ARIRANG FESTIVAL**  
The biggest choreographic event in the world. Some 100,000 athletes perform rhythmic gymnastics and dances while another 40,000 participants create a vast orchestrated screen in the background.

**HISTORY**

**FOUNDATION OF D.P.R.K.**  
7 September 1948.

**ARMY**  
North Korea has the largest special forces and the largest submarine fleet in the world.

**27 DECEMBER 1972**  
Juche - the official state ideology of North Korea is implemented.

Back Side:

PEYONGYANG  
PYONGYANG

Spring greetings from  
DPRK! Best regards  
to you!  
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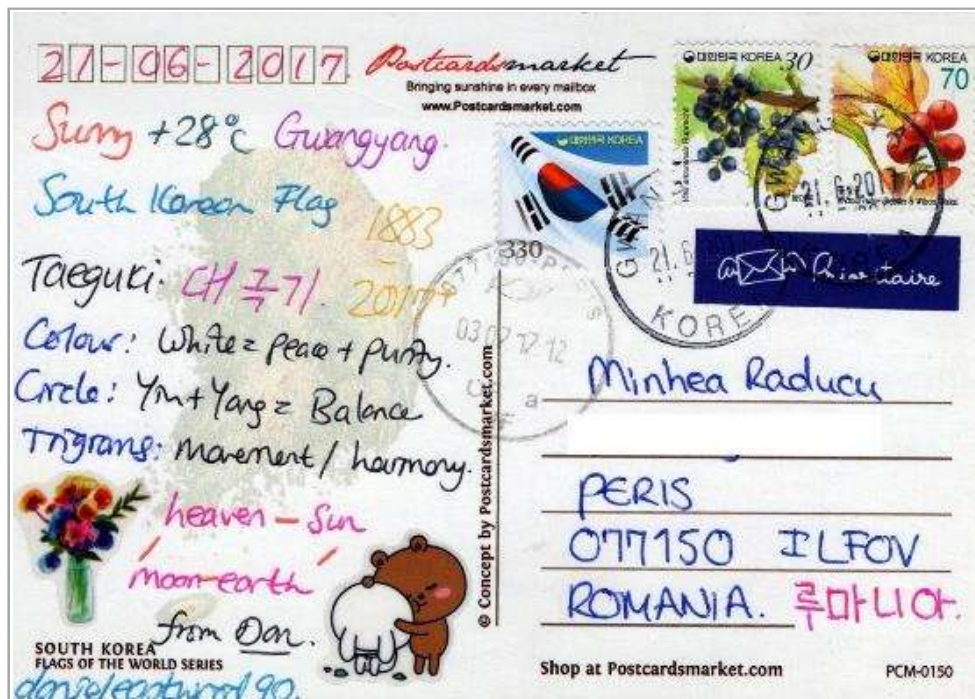
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# Korea (South) Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



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# Kosovo Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

Area: 10,908 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 1,859,203  
Capital: PRISTINA

**Përshëndetje nga Kosova KOSOVO**  
Greetings from  
РЕПУБЛИКА КОСОВО (SERBIAN)  
REPUBLIKA E KOSOVES (ALBANIAN)  
REPUBLIC OF KOSOVO

**UNIQUE**  
THE SIX STARS ON THE FLAG  
- Symbolizes the six major ethnic groups of Kosovo: Albanians, Serbs, Turks, Gorans, Roma and Bosniaks.

**FAMOUS**  
IBRAHIM RUGOVA  
- "Father of the Nation" - first president of Kosovo, 1992-2006.  
RITA ORA  
- Also known as Rita Sahatku, is a world famous Singer and Actress.

**HISTORY**  
AUTONOMOUS PROVINCE  
- Socialist Autonomous Province of Kosovo within Yugoslavia, between 1946-1989.  
DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE  
- 17 February 2008, from Serbia.

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# Kyrgyzstan Flag

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**Emblem**

Кыргызстаннан салам **KYRGYZSTAN**  
 Привет из Кыргызстана / Greetings from  
 КЫРГЫЗ РЕСПУБЛИКАСЫ / KYRGYZ RESPUBLIKASY (KYRGYZ)  
 КЫРГЫЗСКАЯ РЕСПУБЛИКА / KYRGYZSKAYA RESPUBLIKA (RUSSIAN)  
 KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

Area: 199,951 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 6,019,480  
 Capital: BISHKEK

**UNIQUE**  
**ISSYK-KUL**  
 - The world's 2nd largest high altitude lake.  
 Its name means hot lake because it doesn't freeze over even in the coldest winter.

**FAMOUS**  
**MANAS - THE WORLD'S LONGEST EPIC**  
 - The Kyrgyz poem consists of 500,000 lines.  
**CHINGIZ AITMATOV**  
 - Writes the most famous person from Kyrgyzstan.  
**"SWITZERLAND OF CENTRAL ASIA"**  
 - Mountainous Pamir Shan region covers 20% of Kyrgyzstan and its highest point is length Chirchik, at 7,439 m.

**HISTORY**  
**31 AUGUST 1991**  
 - Independence from the Soviet Union.  
**TULIP REVOLUTION**  
 - Demonstration against government corruption in March 2005. Opposition leaders formed a coalition and the new government was formed.

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# Kyrgyzstan Flag

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**Emblem**



Area: 199,951 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 6,019,480  
Capital: BISHKEK

**Кыргызстаннан салам KYRGYZSTAN**  
Привет! Кыргызстандан салам - Greetings from  
КЫРГЫЗ РЕСПУБЛИКАСЫ / KYRGYZ RESPUBLIKASY (KYRGYZ)  
КЫРГЫЗСКАЯ РЕСПУБЛИКА / KYRGYZSKAYA RESPUBLIKA (RUSSIAN)  
KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

**UNIQUE**

**ISSYK-KUL**  
- The world's 2nd largest high altitude lake. Its name means hot lake because it doesn't freeze over even in the coldest winter.

**NAME ORIGIN**  
- The name Kyrgyz is derived from the Turkic word "kyrg", in reference to the 40 clans of the great Minus.

**FAMOUS**

**MANAS - THE WORLD'S LONGEST EPIC**  
- The Kyrgyz poem consists of 500,000 lines.

**CHINGIZ AITMATOV**  
- Writes the most famous person from Kyrgyzstan.

**"SWITZERLAND OF CENTRAL ASIA"**  
- Mountainous Pamir Knot region covers 20% of Kyrgyzstan and its highest point is length Chirchik, at 7,439 m.

**HISTORY**

**31 AUGUST 1991**  
- Independence from the Soviet Union.

**TULIP REVOLUTION**  
- Demonstration against government corruption in March 2005. Opposition leaders formed a coalition and the new government was formed.

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*Finally I'm sending you FOIW by post of 1st Kyrgyz operator. Hope you receive this card safe and fast XD*

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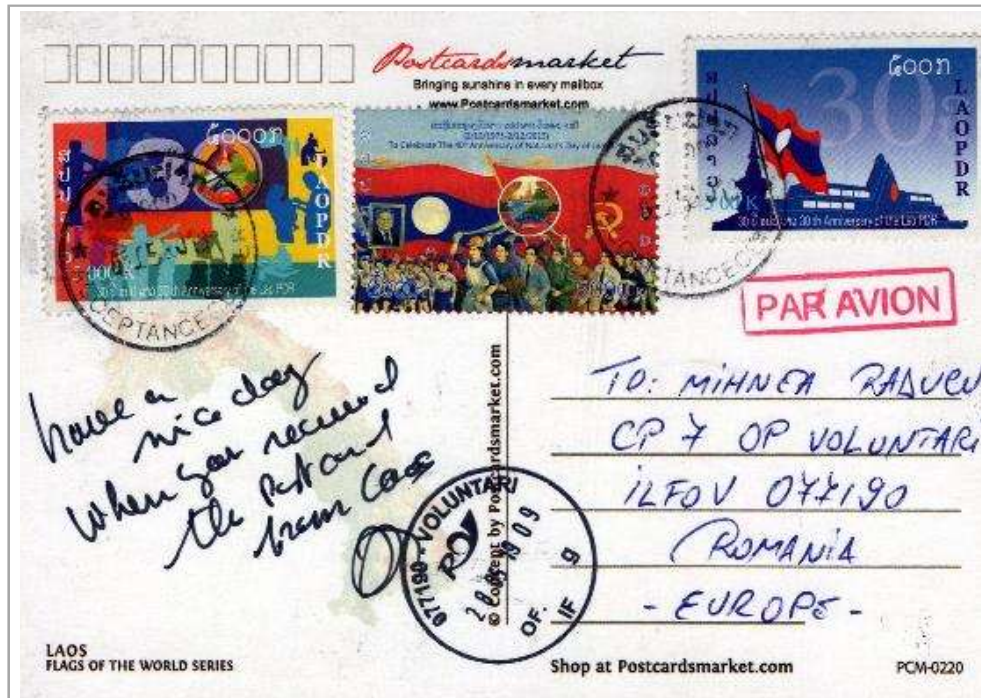


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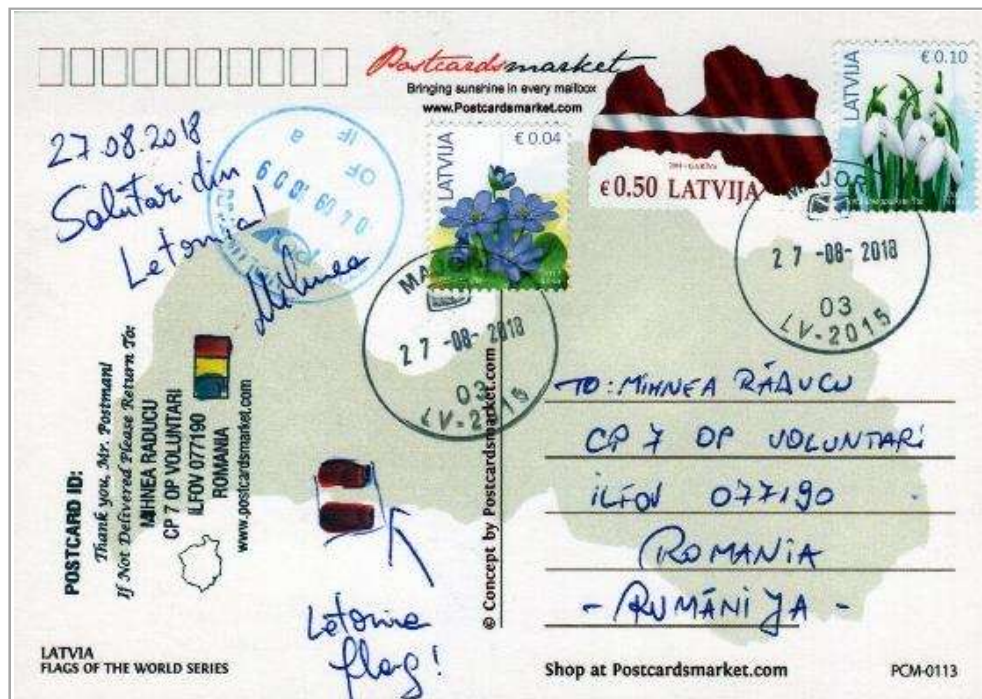
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# Latvia Flag

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# Lebanon Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**  
  
 Area: 10,452 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 6,184,701  
 Capital: BEIRUT

**LEBANON**  
 تحية من الجمهورية اللبنانية  
 Greetings from  
 الجمهورية اللبنانية AL-JUMHURIYAH AL-LUBNANIYAH (ARABIC)  
 LEBANESE REPUBLIC

**UNIQUE**  
**THE TEMPLE OF BACCHUS AT BAALBEK**  
 - Is considered one of the best preserved Roman temples in the world (c. 150 AD).  
**THE COUNTRY'S NAME**  
 - It is considered to be the oldest in the world and has remained unchanged for over 4000 years.

**FAMOUS**  
**THE LEBANON CEDAR**  
 - A symbol of holiness, eternity and peace. As an emblem of longevity, the cedar of Lebanon (Cedrus libani) has its origin in many biblical references.  
**COMMERCIAL NETWORKS**  
 - The Lebanese are known for commercial enterprises throughout the world.

**HISTORY**  
**BEFORE 883 B.C.**  
 - The coastal plain of Lebanon is the historic home of a string of cultural leading cities of Semitic culture, which the Greeks termed Phoenicia, whose maritime culture flourished there for more than 3000 years. Ancient ruins show a civilized nation, with urban centers and sophisticated arts.

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 și cadou.  
 Cu drag,  
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# Lesotho Flag

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**Coat of Arms**  
  
 Area: 30,355 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 2,108,328  
 Capital: MASERU

*Litumeliso tse tsoang* **LESOTHO**  
 Greetings from NAHA EA LESOTHO (SESOTHO)  
 KINGDOM OF LESOTHO

**UNIQUE**  
**LETŠENG MINE**  
 - A diamond mine known for its large top-quality diamonds.  
**HIGHEST-LOWEST POINT ON EARTH**  
 - The only country in the world to be entirely above 1,000 m in elevation, with its lowest point at 1,400 m.

**FAMOUS**  
**MALETŠUNYANE WATERFALL**  
 - The waterfall is 172 m high; here you will also find the world's highest blasting cliff.  
**DINOSAUR FOOTPRINTS**  
 - More than 180 million years old and preserved in sandstone, at the Subeng Steen in Tlhalanyane Nature Reserve.

**HISTORY**  
**NATIVE STATE UNDER BRITISH PROTECTION**  
 - Lesotho (formerly Basutoland) was established by a treaty signed with the native chief Moshaeetse in 1843.  
**INDEPENDENCE**  
 - 1966 from Britain, and became the Kingdom of Lesotho.

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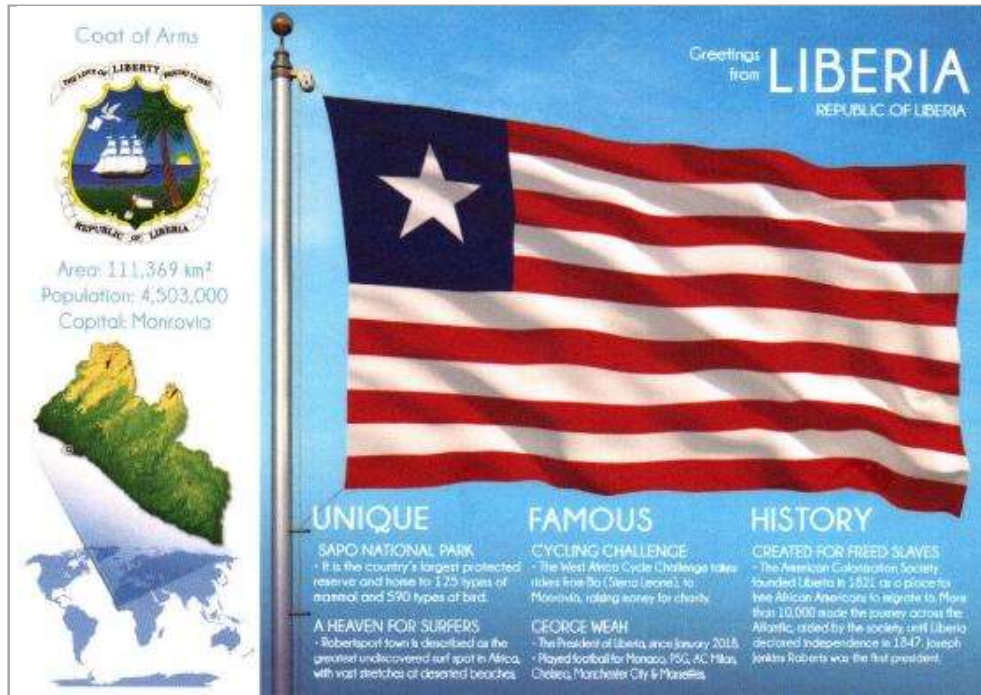
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# Liberia Flag

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# Libya Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 1,759,541 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 7,054,493  
Capital: Tripoli

LIBYA  
تحية من ليبيا  
Greetings from LIBYA  
دولة ليبيا (ARABIC)  
STATE OF LIBYA  
DAWLAT LIBIYA

**UNIQUE**  
LIBIAN SAND SEA  
\* A deep red sea fed by springs from an underground aquifer created by ancient rains. It gets its striking colour from algae that have adapted to survive in salinity.

**FAMOUS**  
THE MERMAID OF THE MEDITERRANEAN  
\* Tripoli's nickname came from the blue Mediterranean waters in comparison with the whitewashed buildings of the city.

**HISTORY**  
LIBYA HAS HAD ONLY ONE KING  
\* Libya gained independence in 1951, the government placed Idris I as the king. He was overthrown in a coup in 1969.

**RAVE VOLCANIC PHENOMENON**  
\* Known as the Wuk a Hissu, this meteorological order is actually the remnants of an ancient volcano that carried black ash 12 miles across the sand.

**AFRICA'S LARGEST PROVEN OIL RESERVES**  
\* Libya holds approximately 48 billion oil barrels.

**ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE OF CYRENE**  
\* Founded by the Greek Empire in 631 BC.

**INHABITED STARTING IN 1200 BC**  
\* Many scholars believe that the Berbers inhabited Libya starting in 1200 BC or the Late Bronze Age.

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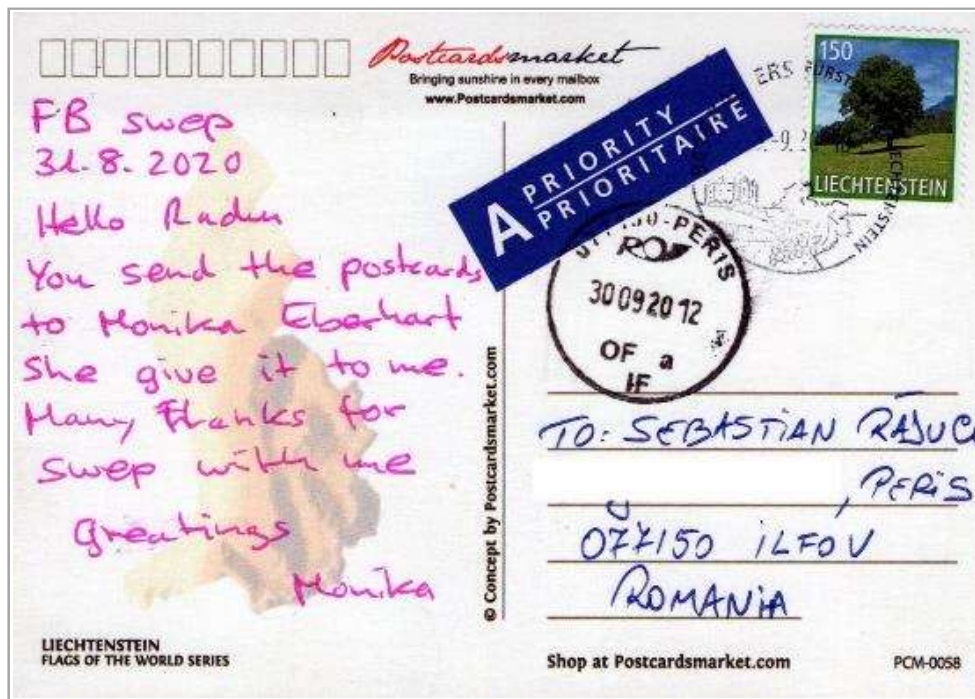
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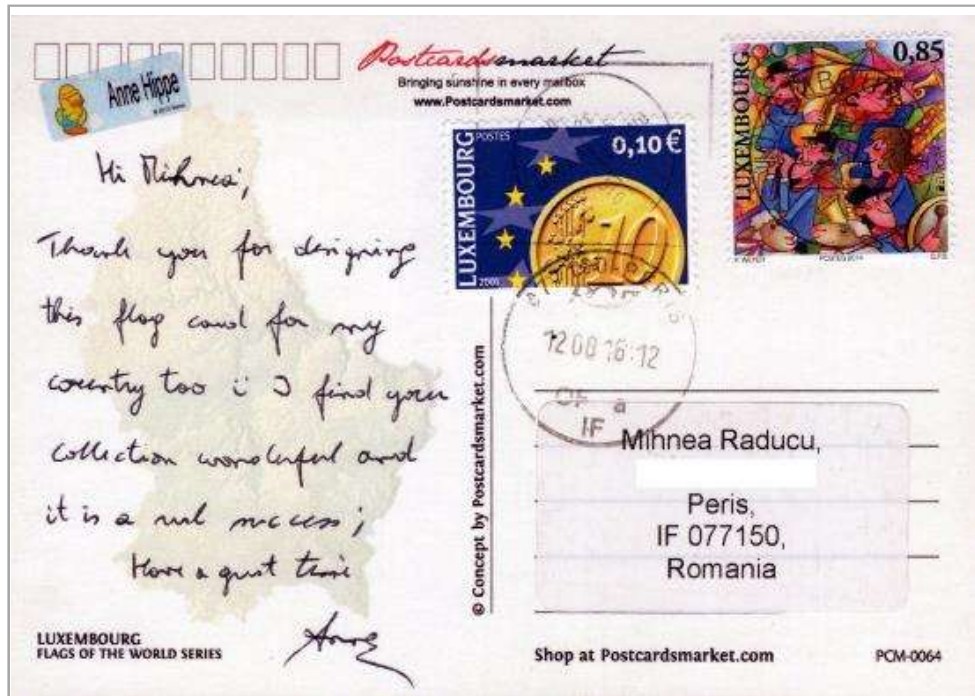


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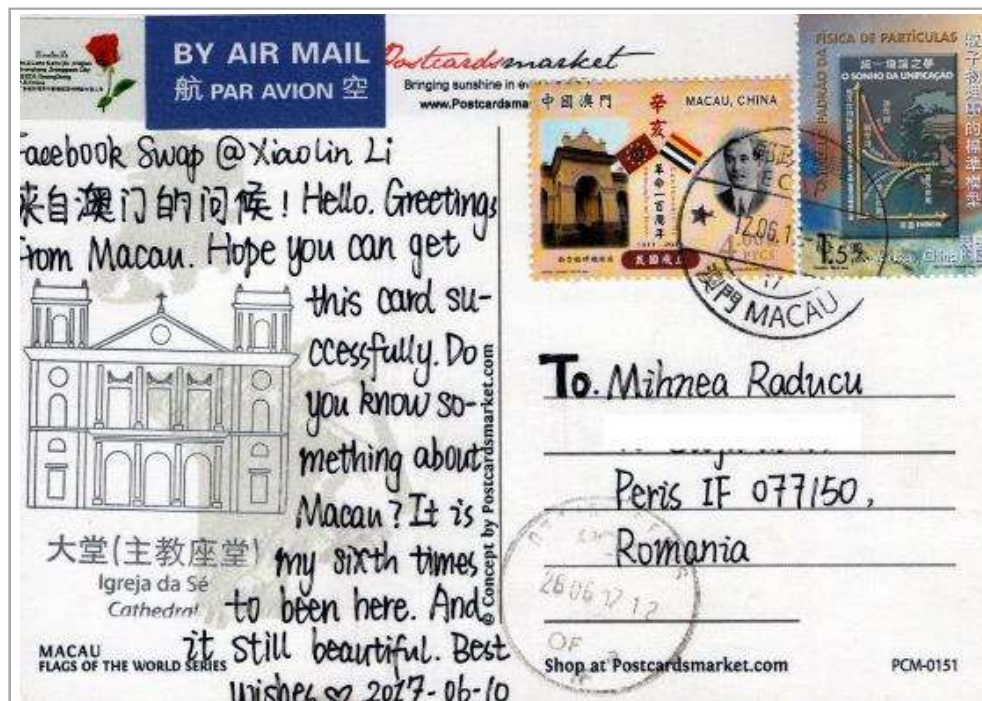
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# Macao Flag

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# Madagascar Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

REPUBLICAN MADAGASCAR

Area: 587,041 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 24,894,551  
Capital: Antananarivo

Fiarahabana avy eto Madagasikara  
Greetings from **MADAGASCAR**  
REPUBLIKANY MADAGASIKARA (MALAGASY)  
REPUBLIQUE DE MADAGASCAR (FRENCH)  
REPUBLIC OF MADAGASCAR

UNIQUE	FAMOUS	HISTORY
<b>SAPPHIRES</b> • Provides half of the world's supply <b>FAUNA AND FLORA</b> • Madagascar is home to an abundance of plants and animals found nowhere else on Earth. <b>WORLD'S PRINCIPAL SUPPLIER</b> • Of vanilla, cloves and ylang-ylang	<b>THE RING-TAILED LEMUR</b> • Is one of over 100 known species and subspecies of lemur found only here. • Characterized as "Madagascar's flagship mammal species". <b>14,883 PLANT SPECIES</b> • More than 80% are found nowhere else in the world, including five plant families.	<b>INDEPENDENCE</b> • 26 June 1960, from France. <b>THE WRITTEN HISTORY</b> • Began with the Arabs, who established trading posts along the Northwest coast by at least the 10th century and introduced Islam, the Arabic script and other cultural elements.

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to see the beautiful  
animals and rocks.  
We will also relax  
at the beach.  
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Madagasikara  
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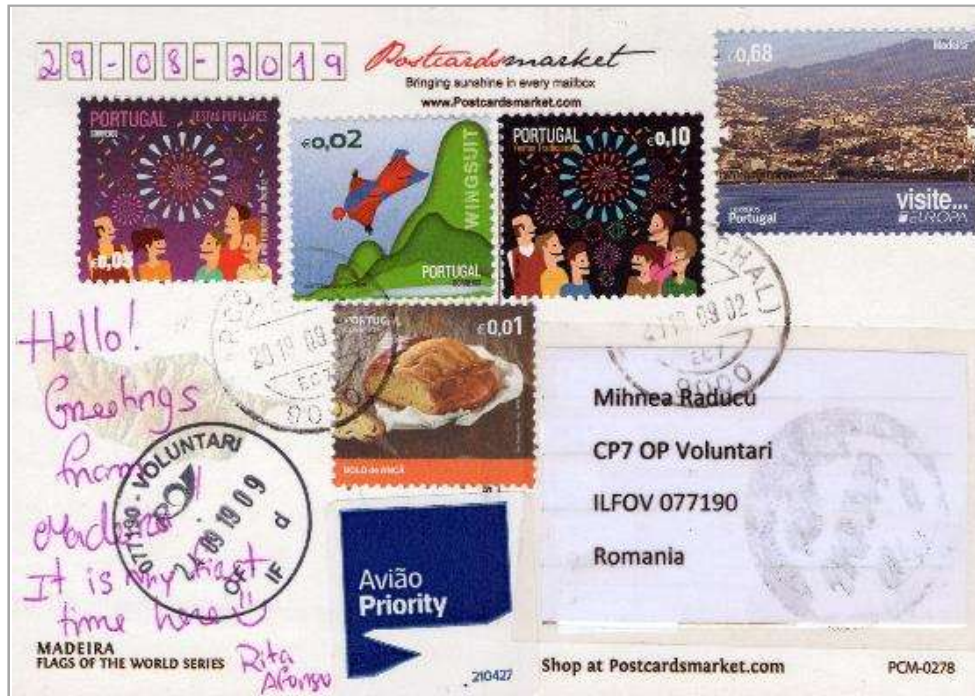
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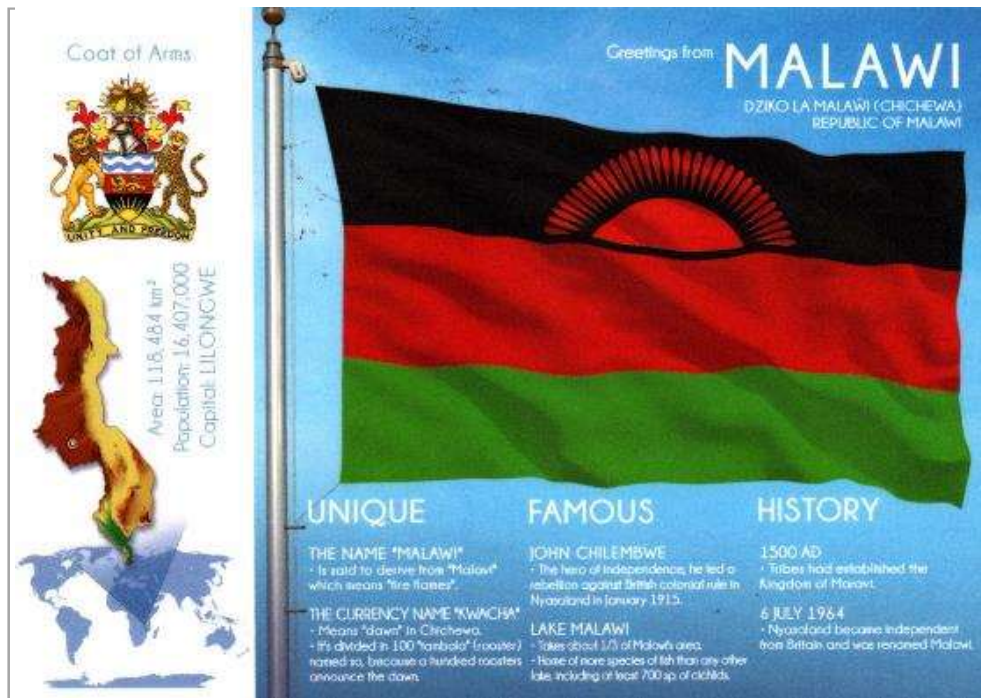


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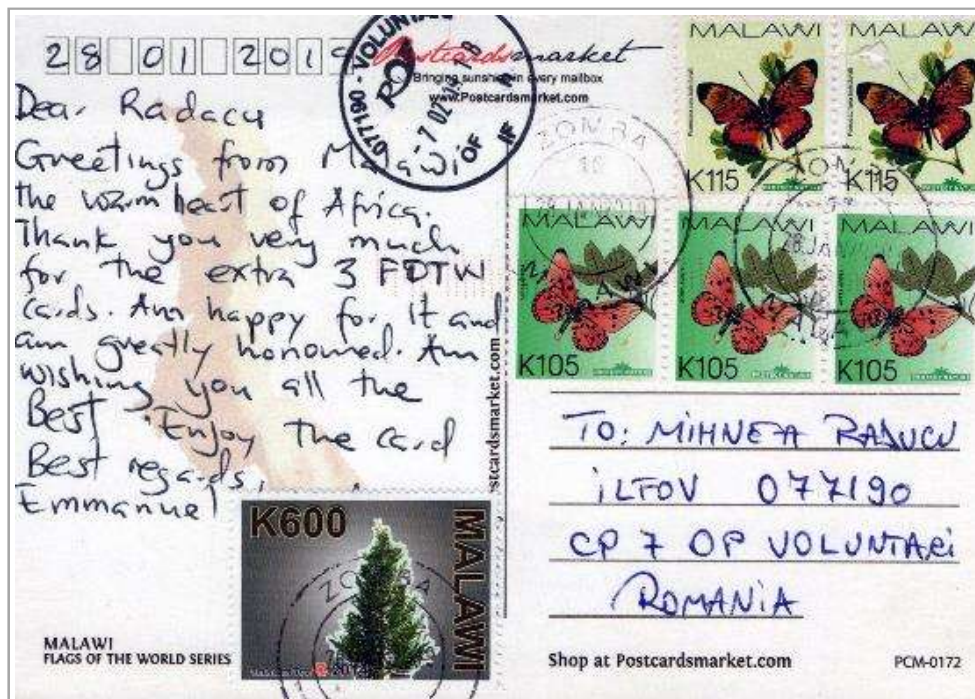
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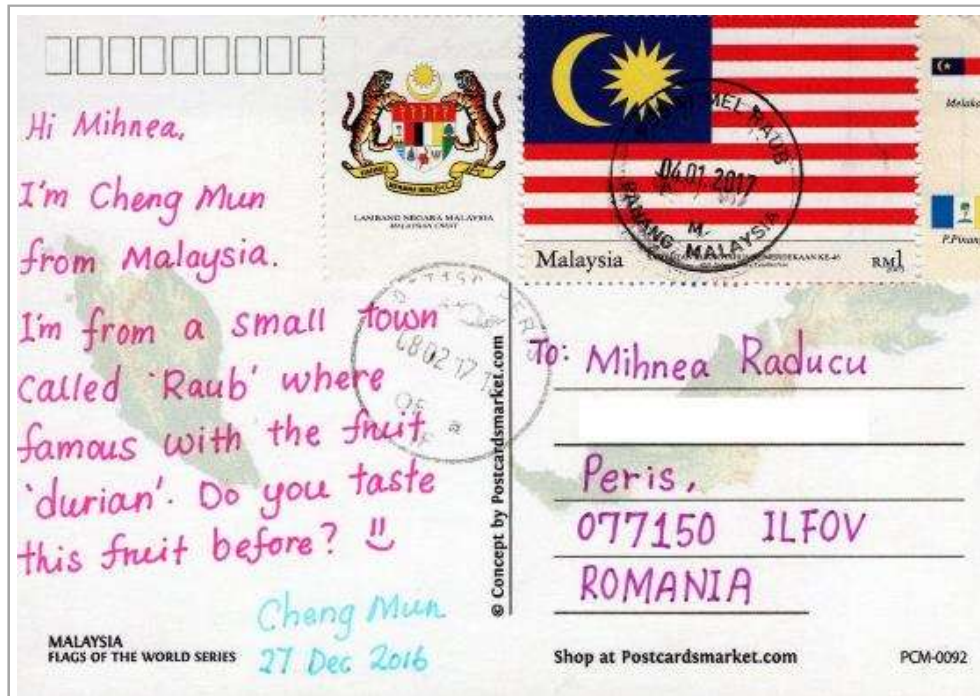
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# Malaysia Flag

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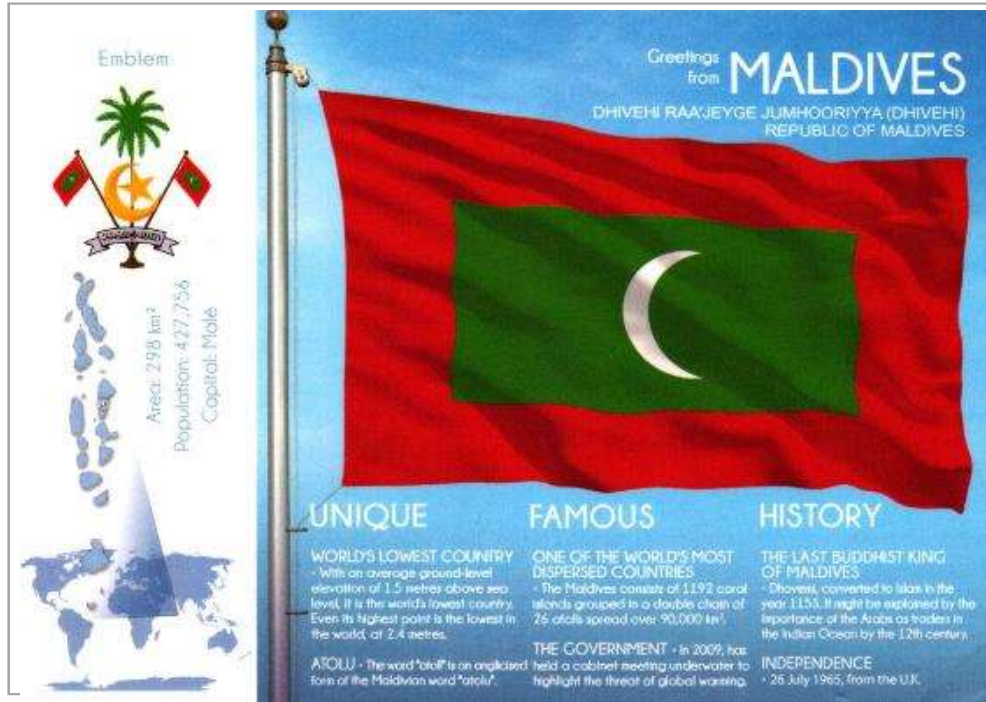


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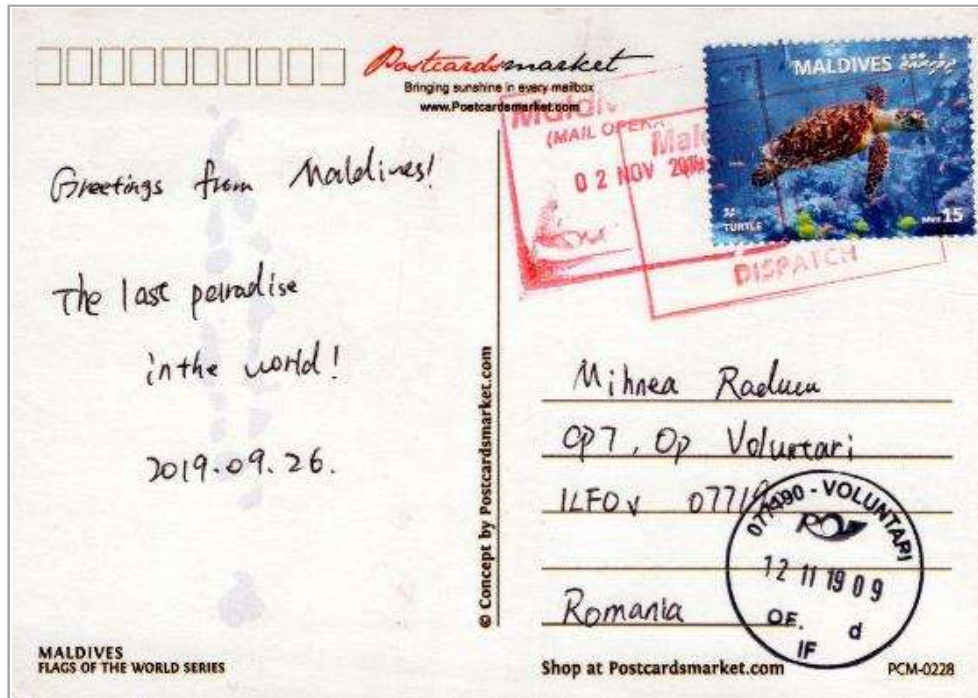
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# Maldives Flag

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# Mali Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms



Area: 1,240,192 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 19,329,841  
Capital: Bamako



*Salutations du Mali* Greetings from **MALI**  
REPUBLIQUE DU MALI (FRENCH)  
REPUBLIC OF MALI

**UNIQUE**

**NAME ORIGIN**  
- The name Mali was originally derived from the Mandinka or Bambara word mali, meaning "hippopotamus", but it eventually came to mean "the place where the king lives". The word carries the connotation of strength.

**FAMOUS**

**MALIAN CULTURAL IDENTITY SYMBOL**  
- Most Malians wear flowing, colorful robes called boubous. They are made of Dogonfini, a handmade Malian cotton fabric. It has an important place in traditional Malian culture.

**THE GREAT MOSQUE OF DIENNE**  
- One of the greatest achievements of the Sudano-Sahelian architectural style.

**HISTORY**

**INDEPENDENCE**  
- 20 June 1960, from France.

**MALI EMPIRE 1250-1670**  
- At its peak - in 1300 - it covered an area about twice the size of modern-day France and stretched to the west coast of Africa.

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# Marshall Islands Flag

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# Martinique Flag

Front Side:

Emblem

CTM Collectivité Territoriale de Martinique

Area: 1,128 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 376,480  
Capital: FORT-DE-FRANCE

Salutations de la Martinique Creetings from **MARTINIQUE**  
MATNIK / MATINIK

**UNIQUE**  
**MARTINICAN RUM**  
 - The only rum with an AOC label (Protected Designation of Origin)  
**COLOMBO**  
 - The most popular dish in the country is Colombo (unique curry chicken) with spiced mozaia of Taini origins.

**FAMOUS**  
**BLACK SAND BEACHES**  
 - The island has many beaches of volcanic origin.  
**DIFFICULT NAVIGATION**  
 - Navigation of ships along Martinique coast is difficult due to the Peninsula of Caroube that separates the North Atlantic and South Atlantic.

**HISTORY**  
**MYTHICAL ISLAND**  
 - Before the island was named Martinique by Christopher Columbus in 15th June 1502, the island was known as Iouacoubria. Iouacoubria name first comes from the Taini of Iitacouloria to mean "mythical island".

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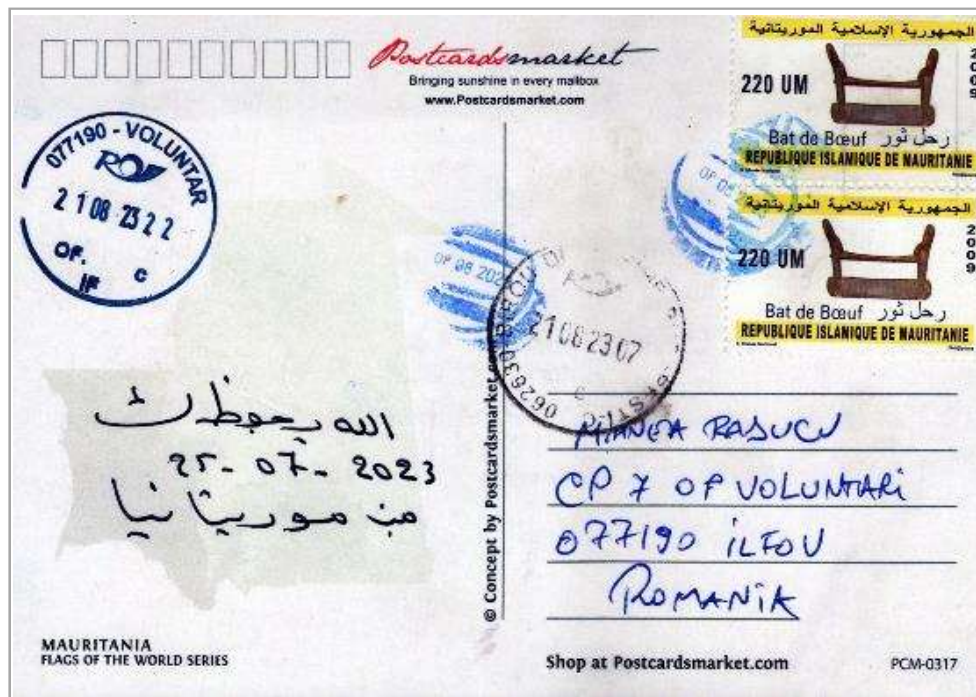
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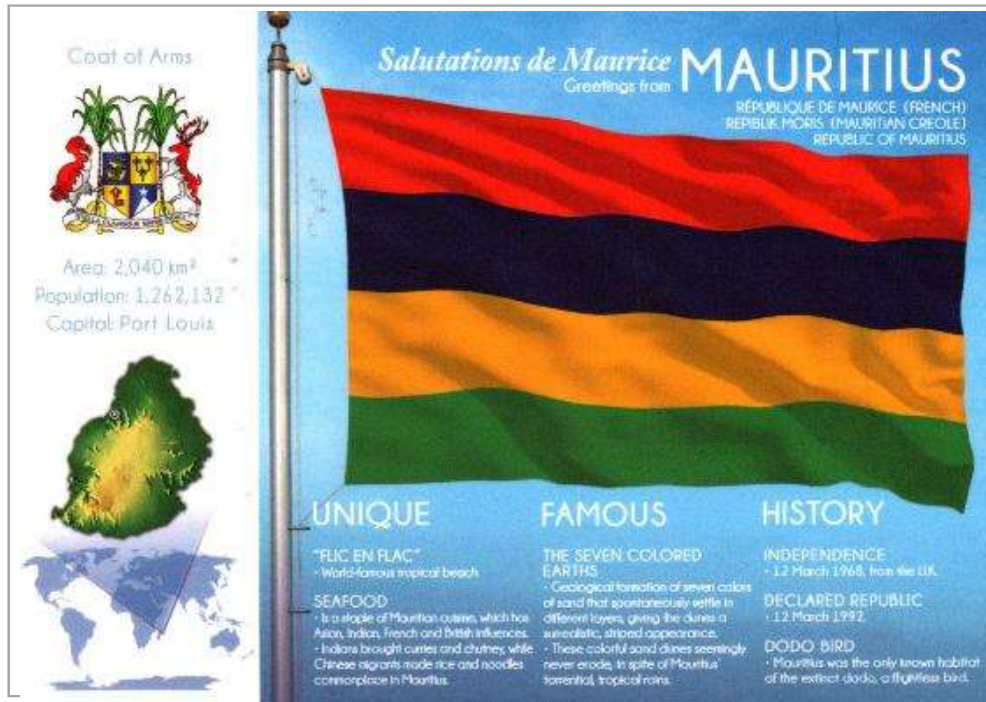


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# Mauritius Flag

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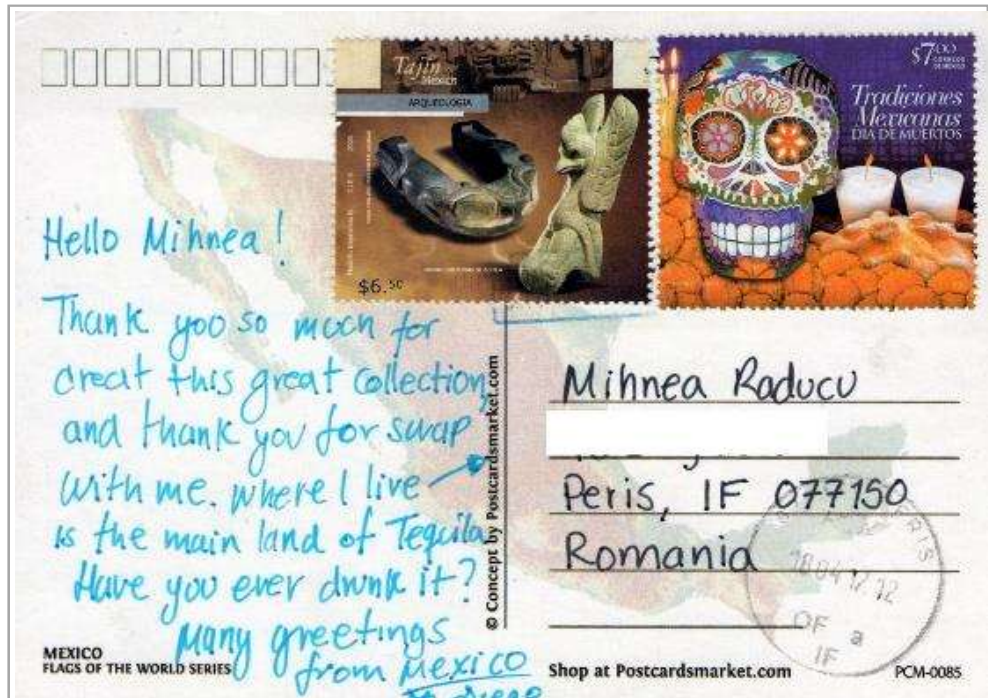
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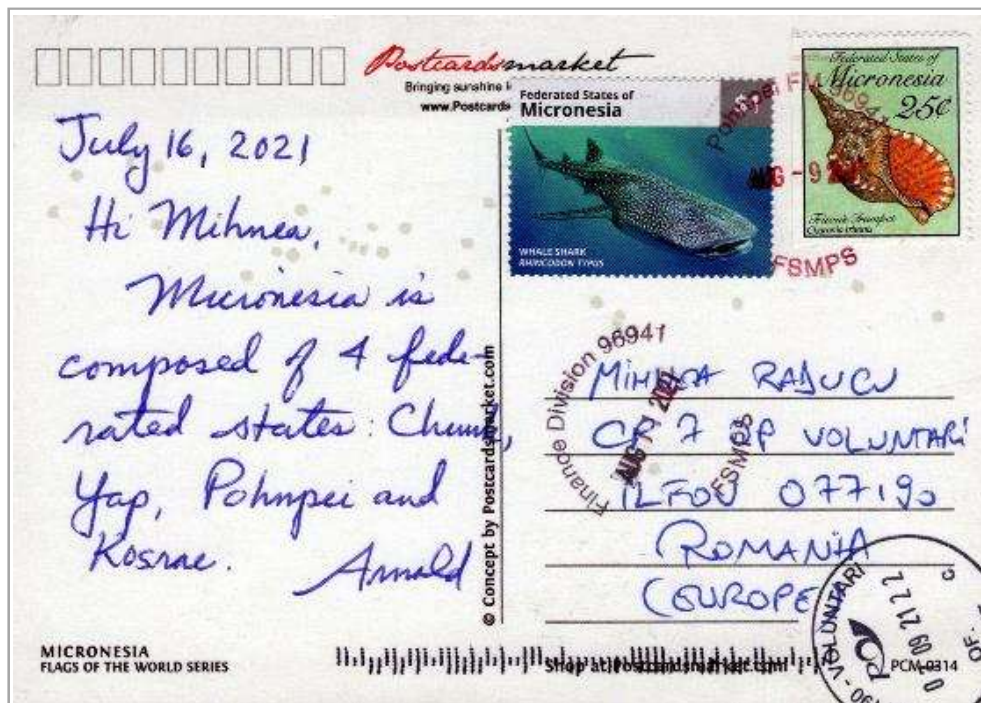
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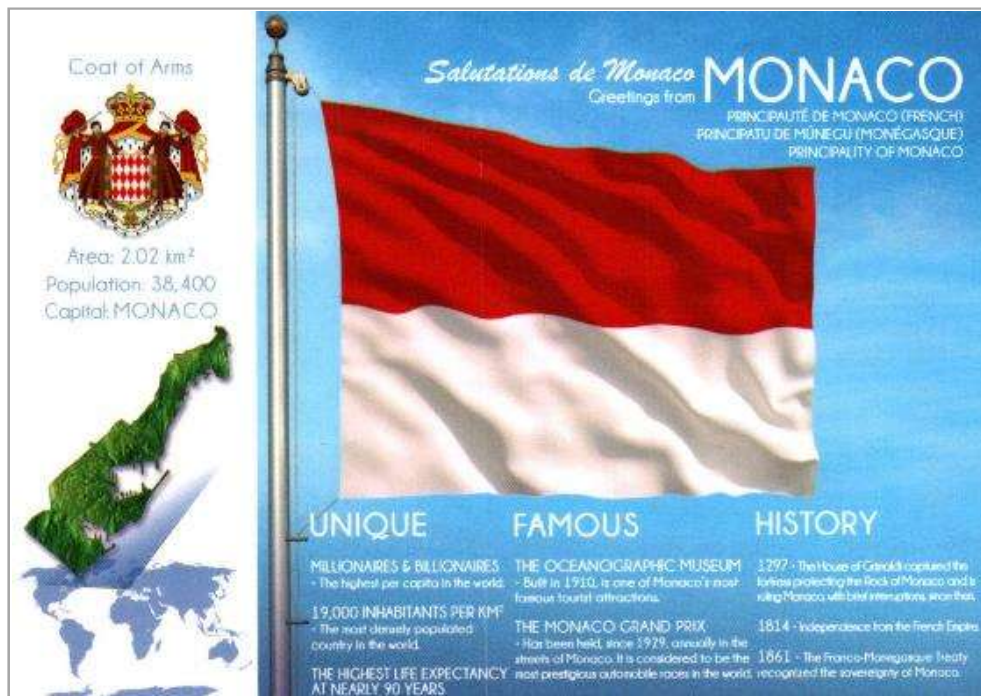


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# Monaco Flag

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# Mongolia Flag

Front Side:

Emblem



Area: 1,566,000 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 3,081,677  
Capital: Ulaanbaatar



МОНГОЛОос ирсэн МЭНДЧИЛГЭЭ **MONGOLIA**  
Phonetic: Mongoloo᠎a mendchilgee Greetings from  
МОНГОЛ УЛС - MONGOL ULS (MONGOLIAN)  
MONGOL STATE



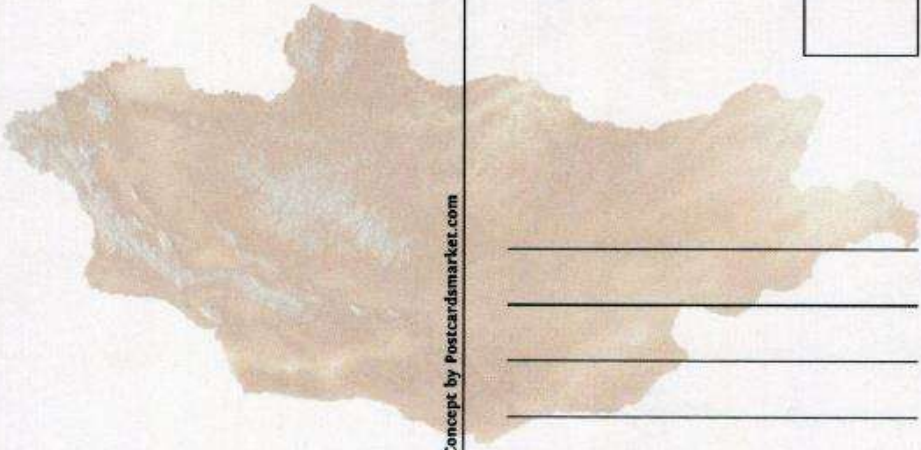
**UNIQUE**  
THE MONGOLIAN TAMHI  
- Is the last wild horse in the world.  
THE MONGOL KHUUMII  
- Or in other words, throat singing, involves producing two simultaneous tones with the human voice.

**FAMOUS**  
THE GOBI DESERT  
- Is the largest desert in Asia and the fifth largest in the world.  
THE BOGD KHAN NATIONAL PARK  
- Dates its origin to 1778 and is the oldest national park in the world.

**HISTORY**  
THE MONGOL EMPIRE  
- The Mongol Empire (1206-1368) was the largest contiguous land empire in world history.  
- It was founded by Genghis Khan in 1206 and it encompassed the majority of the territories from southeast Asia to Eastern Europe.

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# Montenegro Flag

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Coat of Arms

Area: 13,812 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 647,073  
Capital: PODGORICA

Pozdrav iz Crne Gore **MONTENEGRO**  
Greetings from ЦРНА ГОРА (CRNA GORA - MONTENEGRO)

**UNIQUE**  
LAKE SKADAR NATIONAL PARK  
- The largest lake in the Balkans. The Bojana river connects the lake with the Adriatic Sea.  
ECOLOGICAL STATE  
- In 1991, Montenegro declared itself as an ecological state, becoming first of that kind in the world.

**FAMOUS**  
PETAR II PETROVIĆ-NJEKOŠ  
- Prince-Bishop (Vladika) of Montenegro, poet and philosopher.  
KOTOR - old Mediterranean port  
- Surrounded by the city walls, is very well preserved and is on the list of the UNESCO World Heritage sites.

**HISTORY**  
PREDECESSORS OF MONTENEGRO  
- The medieval principalities of Duklja and Zeta  
WITHIN THE OTTOMAN EMPIRE  
- Had special and unique autonomy.  
INDEPENDENCE  
- 3 June 2006, the dissolution of state union with Serbia.

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CRNA GORA - MONTENEGRO PALATA DRAGO

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Thank you  
for this nice  
serie! I really  
like it. Now  
you have one  
from Montenegro.  
Anna

Mihnea  
Raducu

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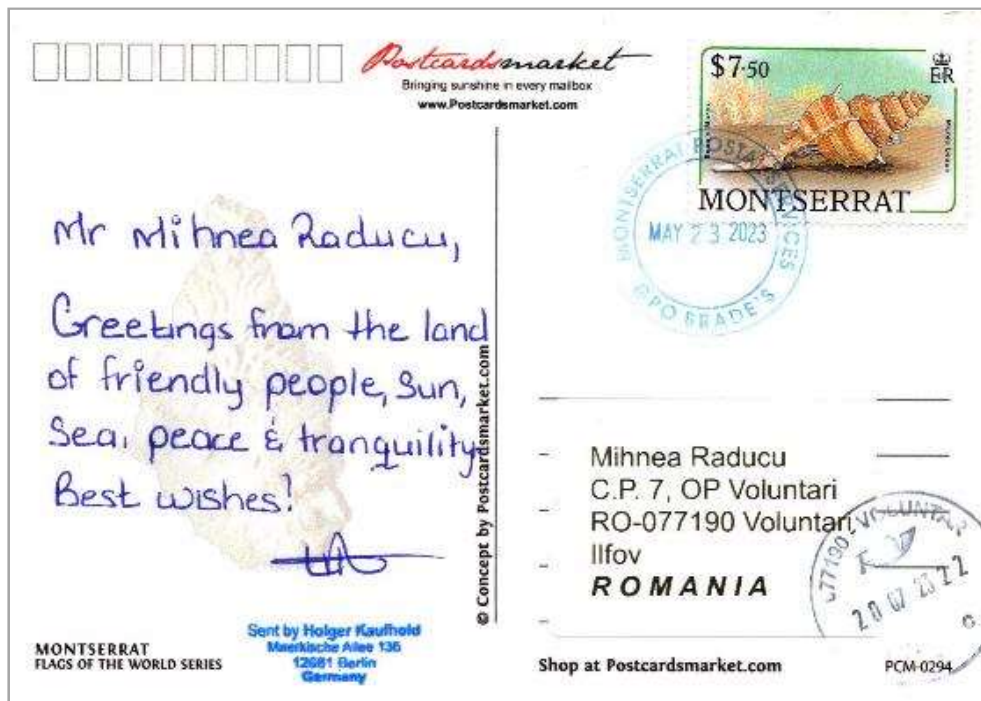
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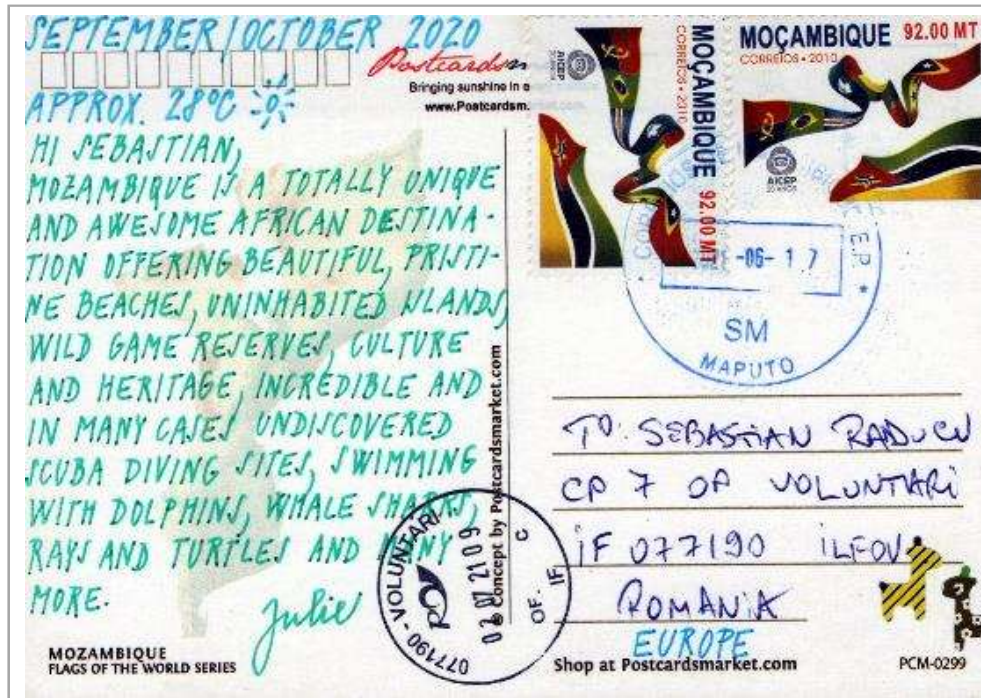
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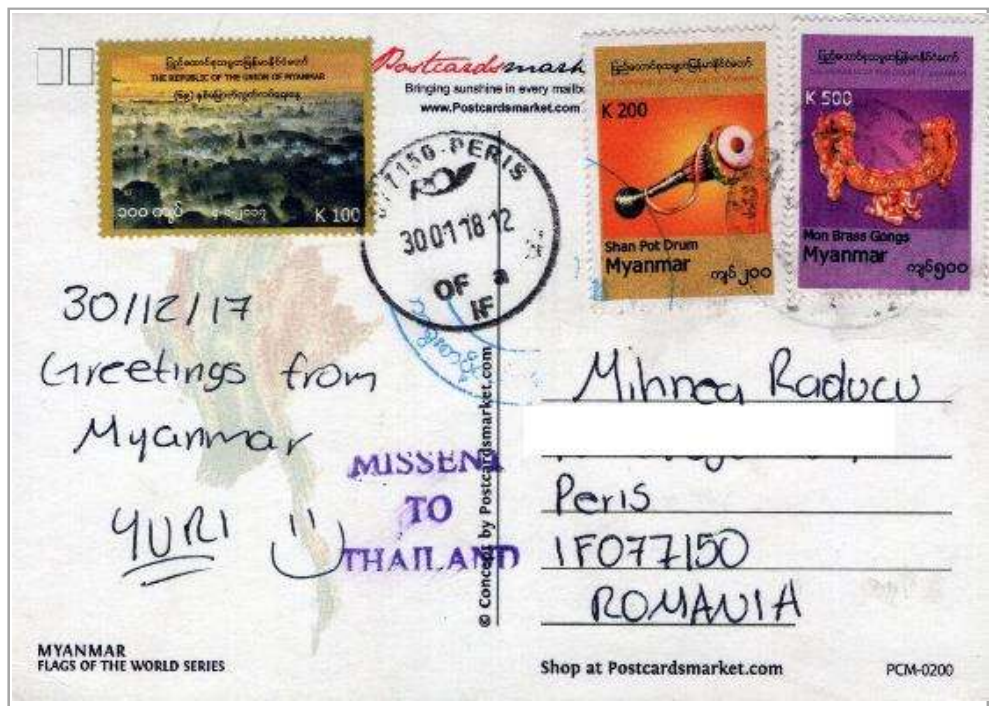
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# Namibia Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

**Greetings from NAMIBIA**  
 REPUBLIEK VAN NAMIBIË (AFRIKAANS)  
 REPUBLIK NAMIBIA (GERMAN)  
 REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

Area: 825,615 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 2,113,077  
 Country: WINDHOEK

**UNIQUE**  
**THE SAND DUNES OF NAMIBIA'S COASTAL DESERT**  
 - Are the highest in the world - at high as 300 to 350 m in places.  
**BLACK RHINOS & CHEETAHS**  
 - Namibia boasts the largest free-roaming population of black rhino, and the largest cheetah population in the world.

**FAMOUS**  
**THE SAN PEOPLE**  
 - Also known as Bushmen, are generally considered to have been the earliest inhabitants of Namibia. The San were hunters & gatherers with a nomadic lifestyle.  
**NAME ORIGIN OF NAMIBIA**  
 - Is derived from the Namib Desert which may be the oldest desert in the world.

**HISTORY**  
 1485 - The first European to set foot on Namibian soil was the Portuguese Diogo Coo.  
 1884 - Namibia became a German colony and was known as German South-West Africa.  
 21 MARCH 1990 - Independence from South Africa.

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# Nauru Flag

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**Coat of Arms**

**Moce mai Naoero NAURU**  
Greetings from  
REPUBLIC OF NAURU  
REPUBRIKIN NAOERO (NAURUAN)

Area: 21 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 10,834  
Capital: None (de jure)  
Yaren (de facto)

**UNIQUE**  
THE SMALLEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD  
- Nauru is the smallest republic in the world with an own capital.  
HAS AVOIDED COVID ENTIRELY  
- According to the IMF, there have been zero cases of Covid-19 in Nauru.

**FAMOUS**  
NAURU IS THE LEAST VISITED COUNTRY OF THE WORLD  
- Around 200 tourists made it to Nauru each year, which means perhaps 14,000 (imp. total) (0.00002 per cent of the global population) have been there.  
THE FATTEST COUNTRY ON EARTH  
- According to the CIA's World Factbook, 61 per cent of Nauru's 10,000 residents are obese.

**HISTORY**  
FIRST SETTLERS  
- Nauru was first settled by Micronesians at least 3,000 years ago, and there is evidence of possible Polynesian influence.  
THE QUEEN ELIZABETH II  
- Visited Nauru on her 1962 tour of the South Pacific.

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# Nepal Flag

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 FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF NEPAL

**UNIQUE**

**KUMARI - THE LIVING GODDESS IN THE WORLD**  
 - Needs the tradition of worshipping young pre-pubescent girls as manifestations of the divine female energy. A Hindu is believed to be the incarnation of Taleju.

**576 SPECIES OF BIRDS**  
 - There are more species of birds in Nepal alone than the whole continent of Europe and North Africa combined.

**TREMENDOUS GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY**  
 - It stretches as low as 39 metres elevation in the tropical Terai to over 7000 metres including the highest point of 8,848 metres - Mount Everest.

**UNIQUE MIX OF CULTURES & RELIGIONS**  
 - Over 80 ethnic groups speaking one of 123 languages.

**FAMOUS**

**EIGHT OF THE WORLD'S TOP TEN HIGHEST PEAKS**  
 - 1 - Everest, 3 - Kangchenjunga, 4 - Lhotse, 5 - Makalu, 6 - Cho Oyu, 7 - Dhaulagiri, 8 - Manaslu, 10 - Annapurna

**DENSEST CONCENTRATION OF UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITES**  
 - Kathmandu valley alone has 7 World Heritage Cultural sites within a radius of 15 kilometers.

**HISTORY**

**BIRTH PLACE OF LORD BUDDHA**  
 - Siddhartha Gautama was born in 563 B.C., Lumbini, Nepal.

**FLAG DESIGN IN USE FOR MORE THAN 2000 YEARS**  
 - The only country in the world with a flag that is not quadrilateral.

**KINGDOM OF NEPAL - 1768-2008**  
**REPUBLIC DECLARED - 28 May 2008**

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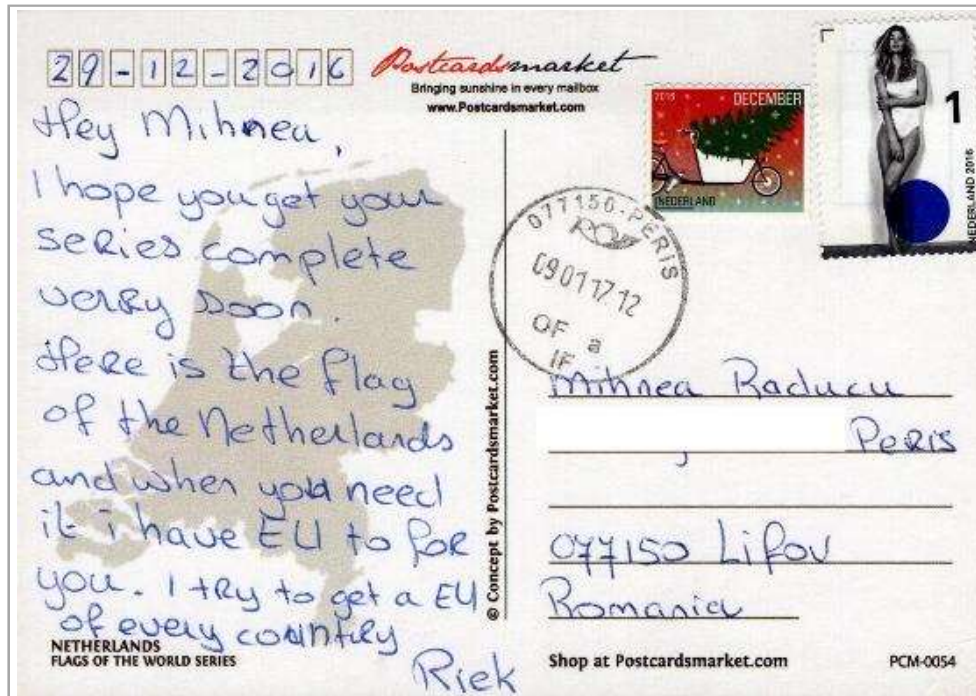
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# Netherlands Flag

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# New Zealand Flag

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# Nicaragua Flag

Front Side:



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# Niger Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 1,267,000 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 20,672,987  
Capital: Niamey

Salutations du Niger  
Greetings from **NIGER**  
REPUBLIQUE DU NIGER (FRENCH)  
REPUBLIC OF THE NIGER

**UNIQUE**

**PROTECTED AREAS**  
The country has one of the world's largest protected reserves covering 7.7 million ha land. Chertoli, Ouyi, and different gazelle are to be found on the territory.

**FAMOUS**

**THE QUEREWOL FESTIVAL**  
The Querewol festival is a traditional Wodaabe cultural event that takes place in Abalak in Tahoua region of Niger in Agadez Region. It is an annual traditional courtship ritual practiced by the Wodaabe (Fula) people of Niger.

**HISTORY**

**INDEPENDENCE**  
3 August 1960, from France

**EARLY HISTORY**  
By at least the 5th century BCE, Niger became an area of trans-Saharan trade, led by the Berber tribes from the north, using camels as an adapted means of transportation through the desert.

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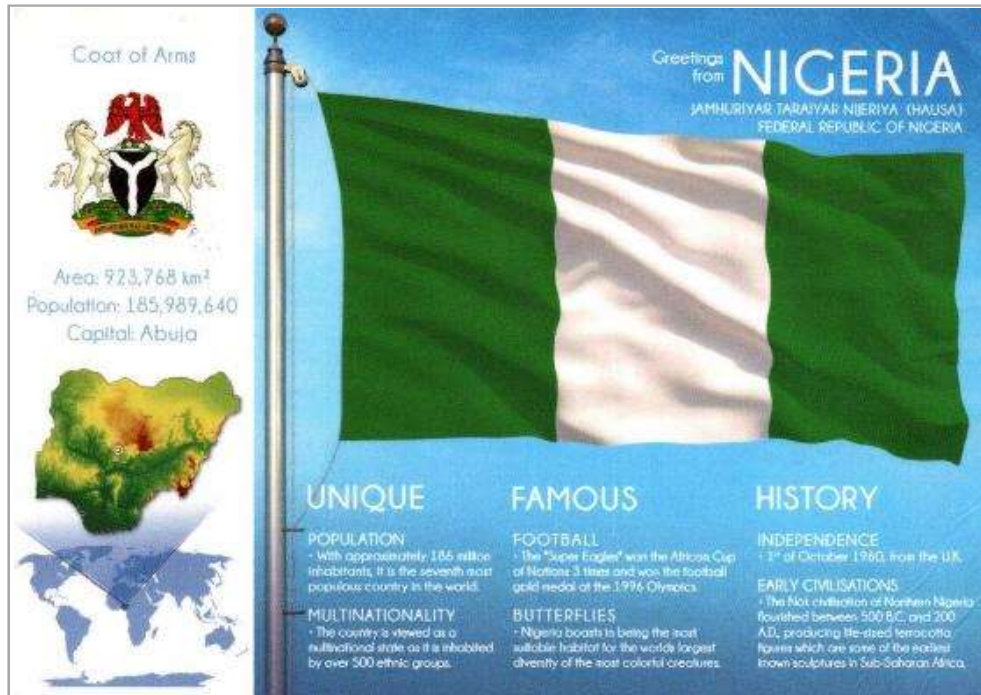
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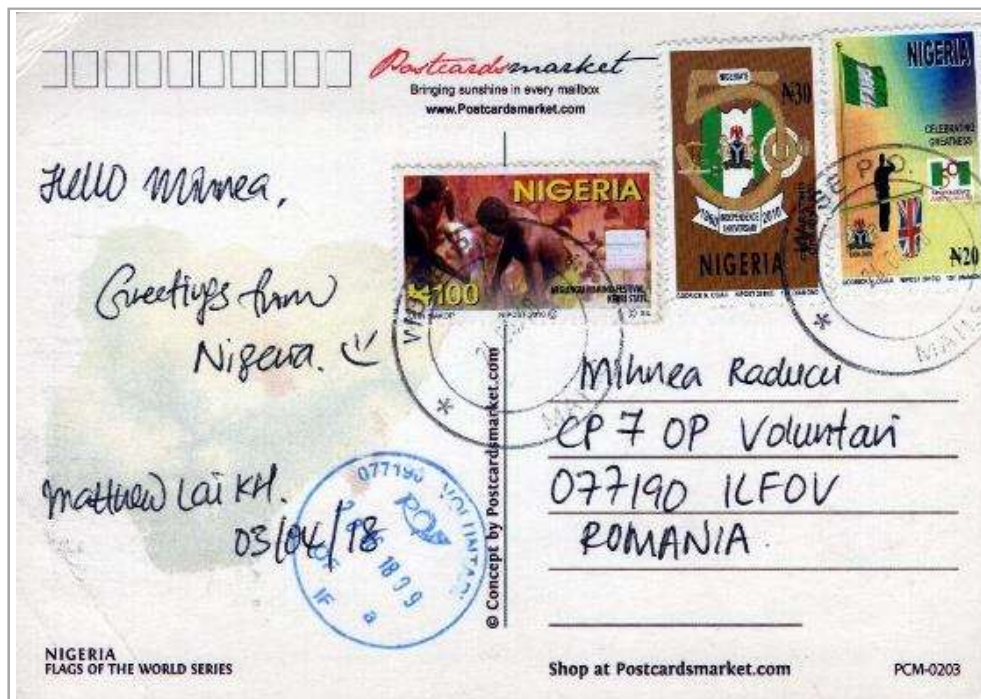


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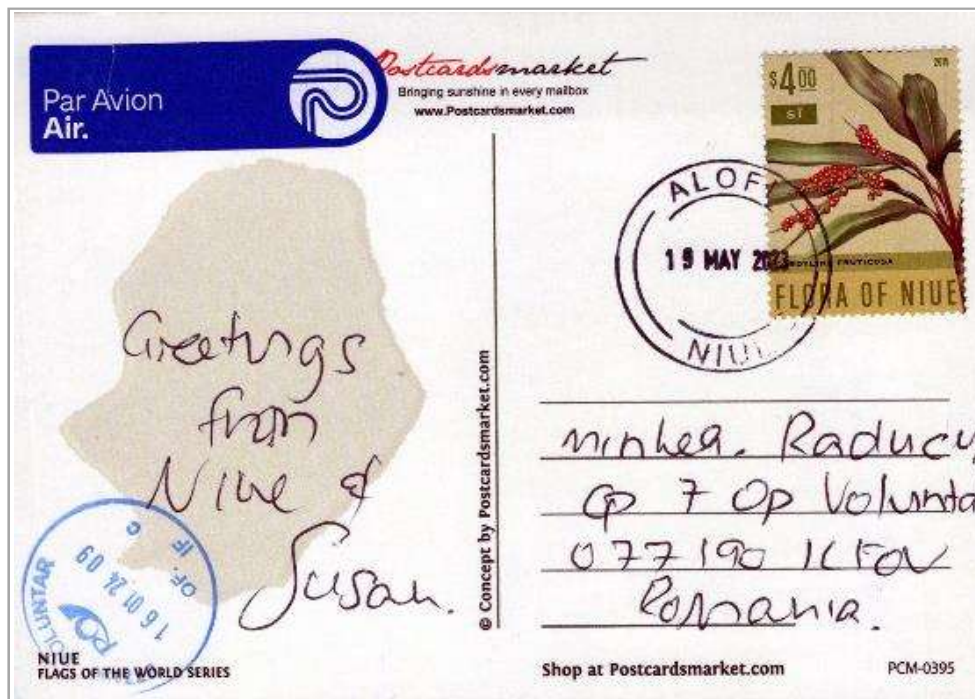
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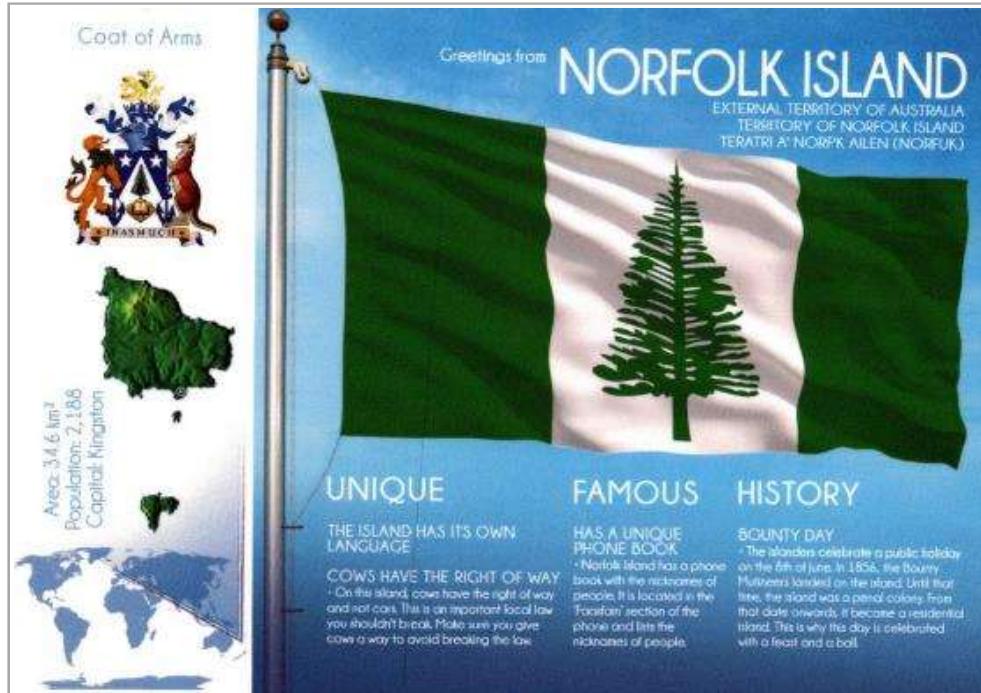


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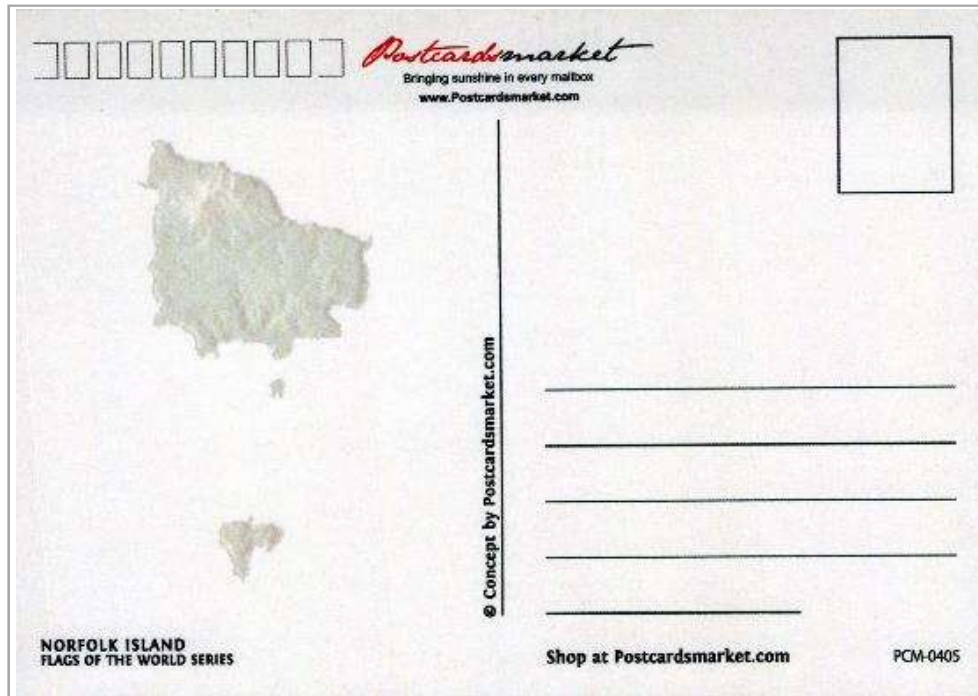
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# Norfolk Island Flag

Front Side:



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# North Macedonia Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

Area: 25,713 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 2,069,162  
Capital: SKOPJE

EXPLORE MACEDONIA  
РЕПУБЛИКА СЕВЕРНА МАКЕДОНИЈА  
REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

**UNIQUE**  
OHRID LAKE  
- One of Europe's deepest & oldest lakes; unique ecosystem with more than 200 endemic species.  
MEGALITHIC OBSERVATORY KOKINO  
- One of the most valuable ancient observatories in the world.

**FAMOUS**  
MOTHER TERESA  
- Born in Skopje, in a Catholic family, by the name Anjeze Gonxhe Bojaxhiu.  
OHRID CITY, UNESCO  
- It is believed that in the past it had 365 churches, one for each day of the year.

**HISTORY**  
ALEXANDER THE GREAT  
- The only undefeated military commander in history who extended his empire to India.  
THE FIRST BALKAN REPUBLIC  
- In 1903, was formed in Krushevo, by raising the Ilinden Uprising against the Turks.

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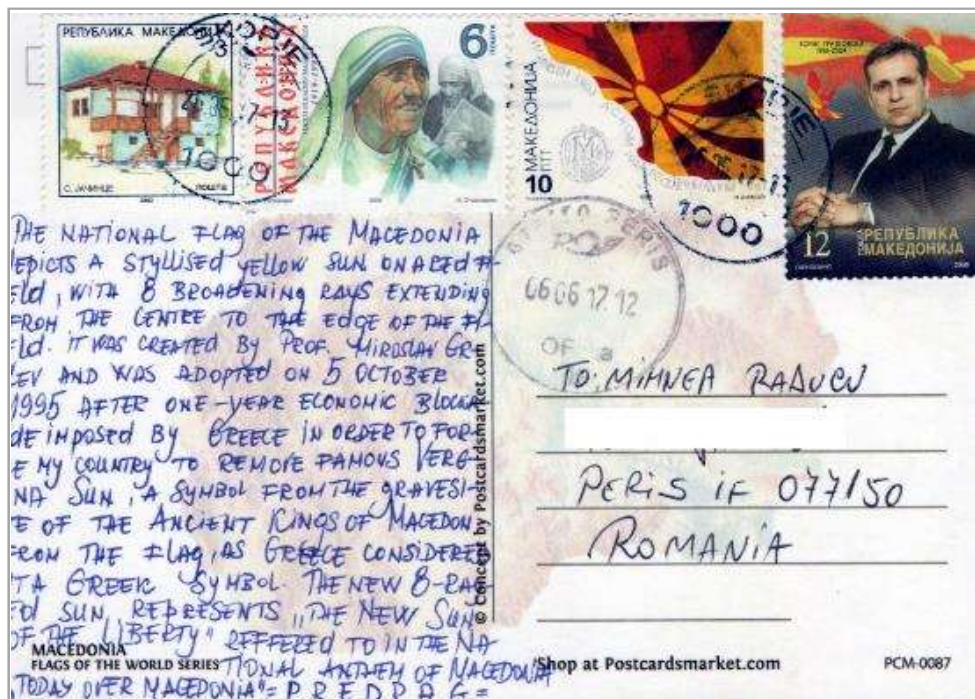
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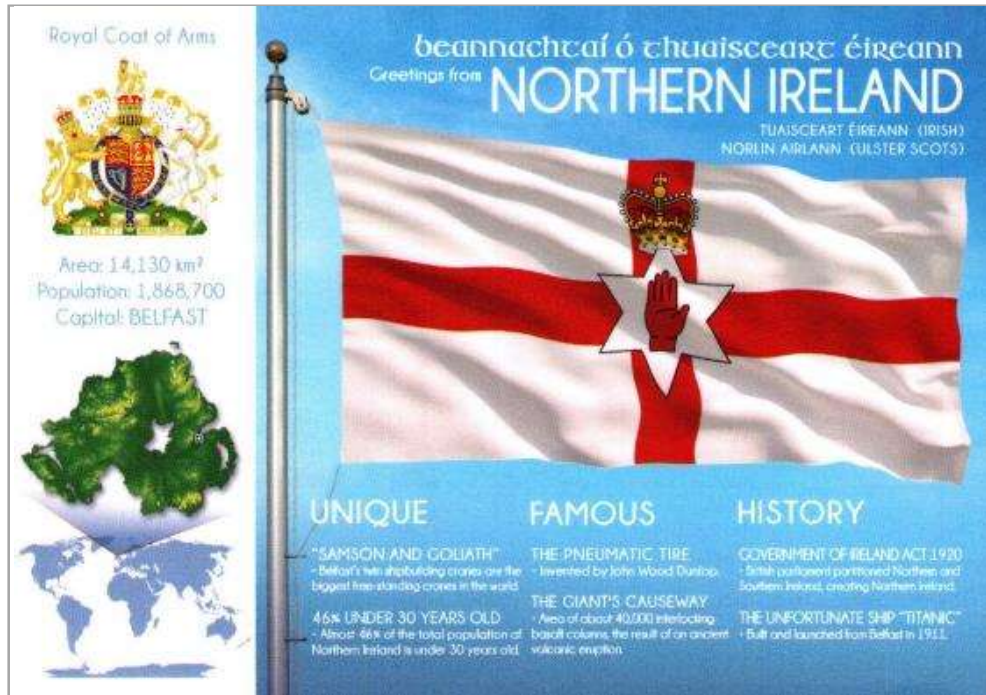


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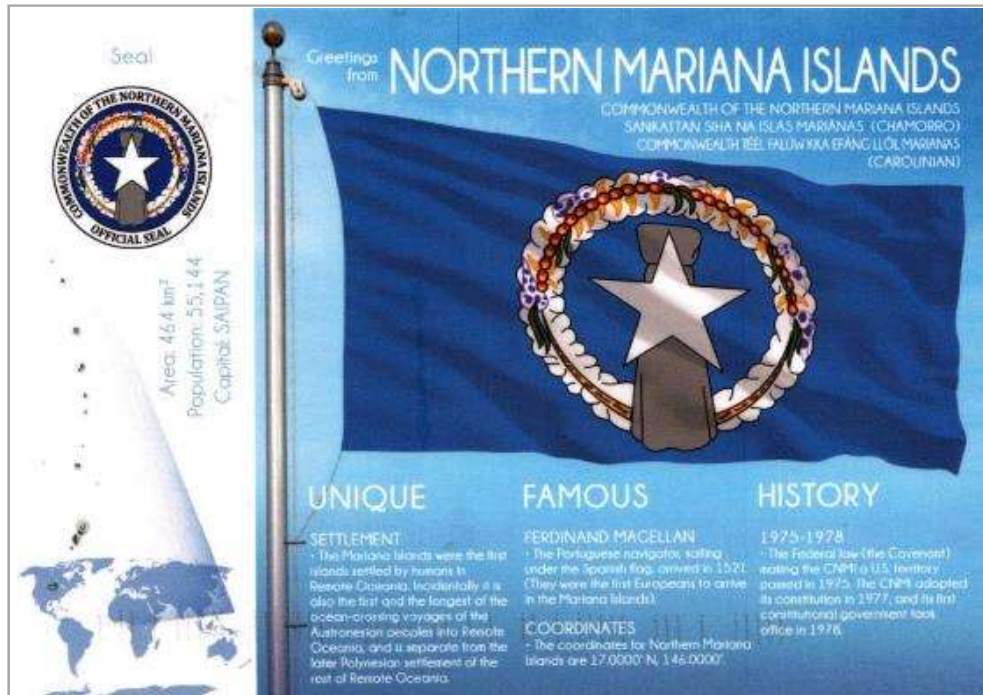


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# Northern Mariana Islands Flag

Front Side:



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# Norway Flag

Front Side:



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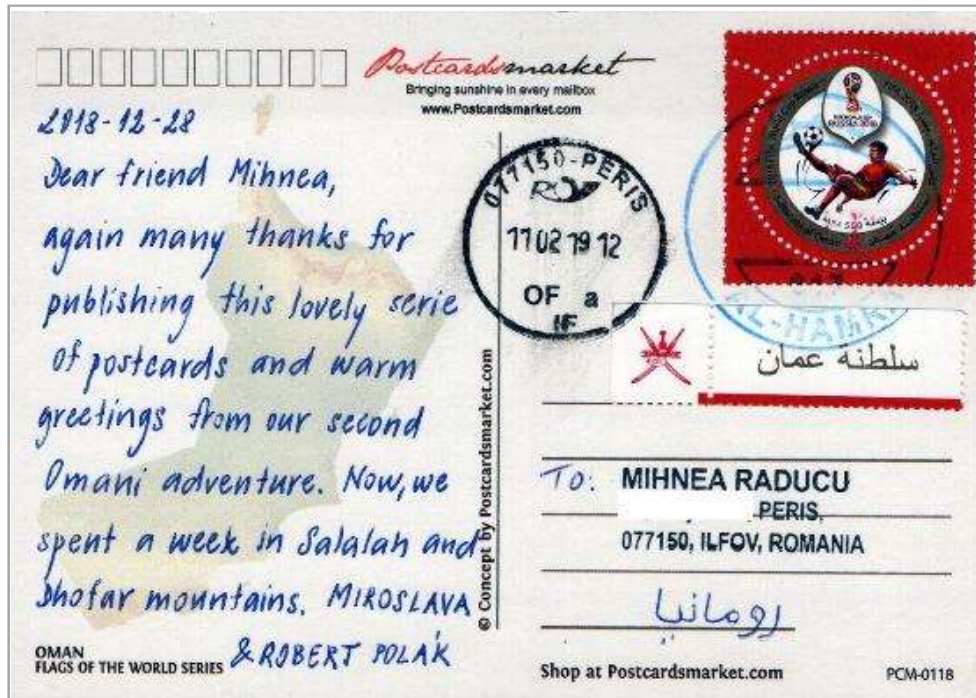


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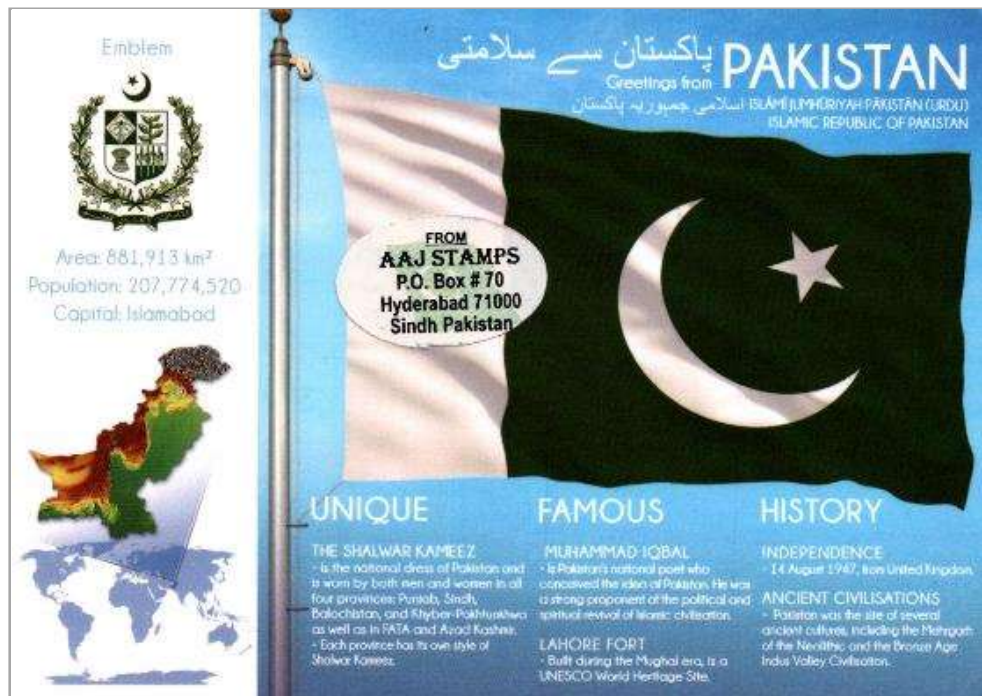


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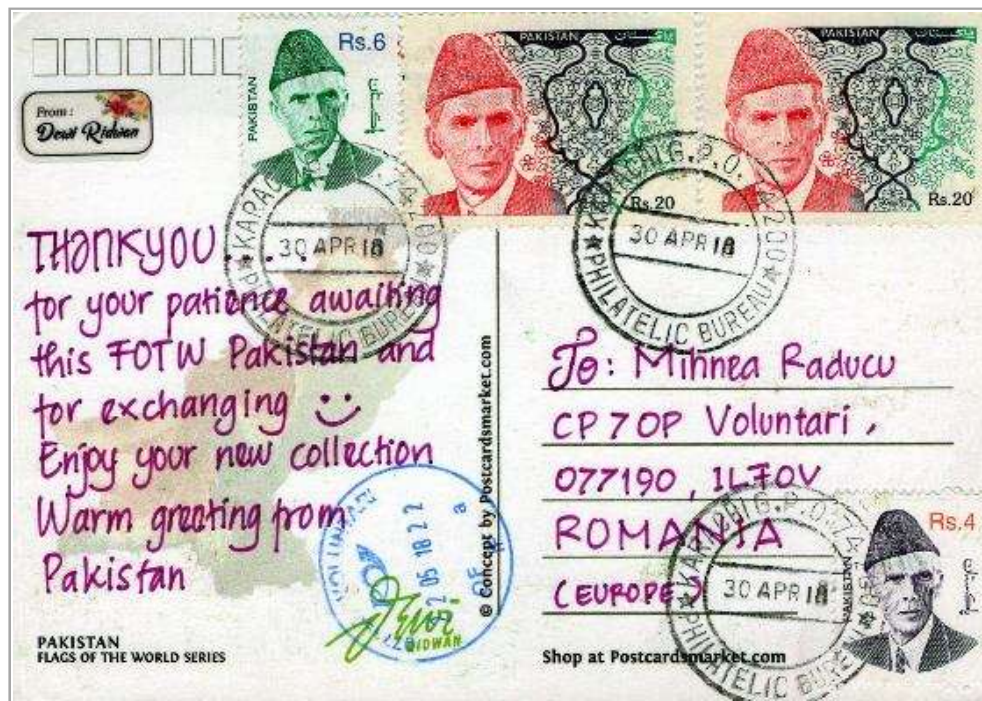
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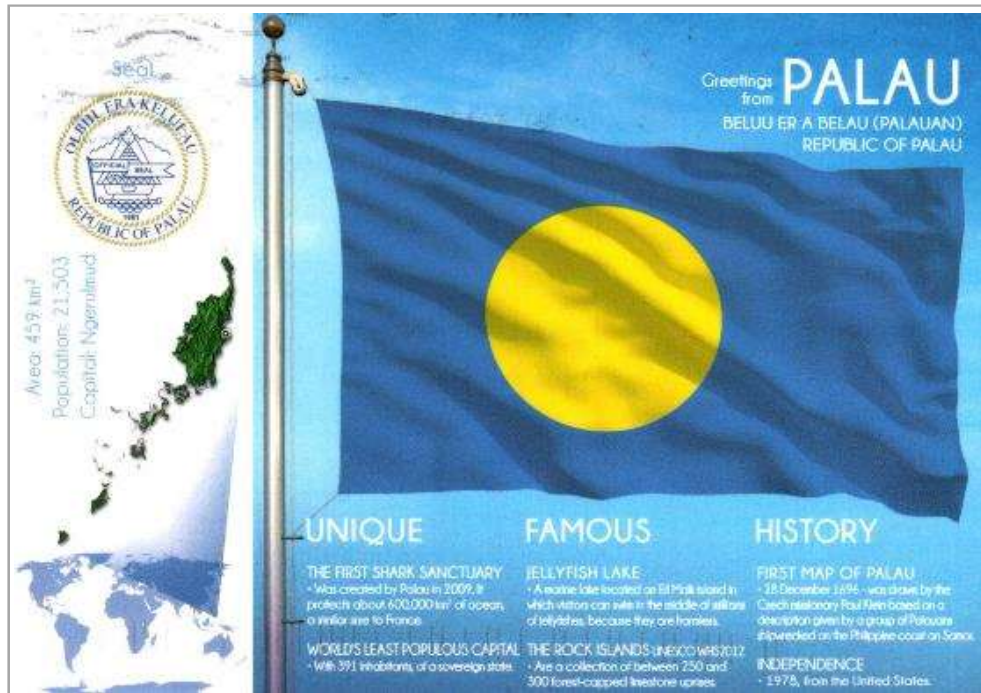


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# Palau Flag

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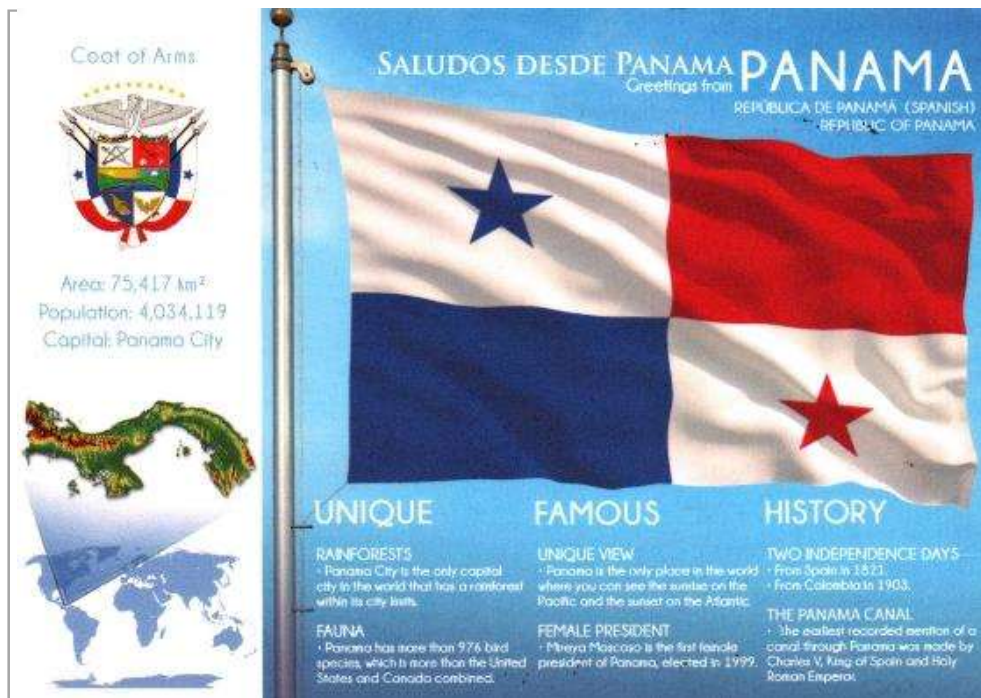


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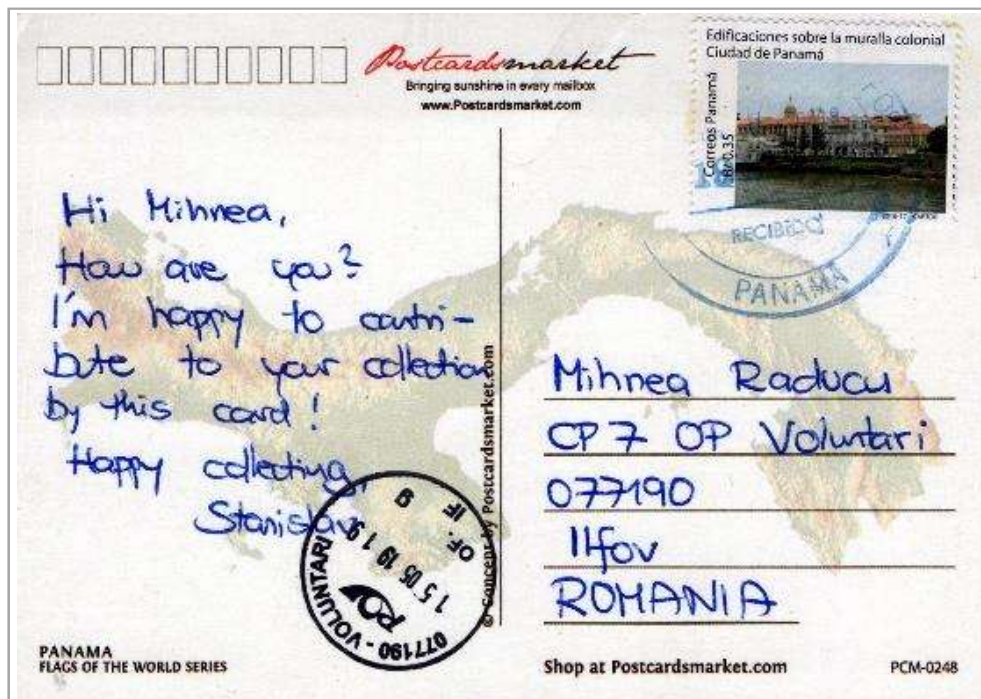
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# Panama Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Papua New Guinea Flag

Front Side:

**Emblem**  
  
 Area: 462,840 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 8,084,999  
 Capital: Port Moresby

**Creetings from PAPUA NEW GUINEA**  
 INDEPENDEN STET BILONG PAPUA NIUGINI (TOK PISINI)  
 INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA

**UNIQUE**  
**SEA SHELLS**  
 - Were used as a currency, but it were abolished in 1933.  
**CULTURAL DIVERSITY**  
 - One of the most culturally diverse countries in the world.  
 - Papua New Guinea has 852 known languages.

**FAMOUS**  
**CELEBRATIONS**  
 - Renewed for ceremonial occasions at which hundreds of pigs or other valuables are distributed to guests.  
**TREE-KANGAROOS**  
 - Are marsupials of the genus *Dendrolagus* that inhabit the tropical rainforests of New Guinea.

**HISTORY**  
**INDEPENDENCE**  
 - 16 September, 1975, from Australia.  
**EARLY SETTLEMENTS**  
 - Archaeological evidence indicates that humans first arrived in Papua New Guinea around 42,000 to 45,000 y.a.  
 - They were descendants of migrants from Africa.

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# Paraguay Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

REPUBLICA DEL PARAGUAY  
 República of Paraguay  
 (obverse)

PAZ Y JUSTICIA  
 Peace and Justice  
 (reverse)

Area: 406,757 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 7,292,672  
 Capital: ASUNCIÓN

**Saludos desde PARAGUAY**  
 Greetings from PARAGUAY  
 REPÚBLICA DEL PARAGUAY (SPANISH)  
 TETĀ PARAGUAI (GUARANI)  
 REPUBLIC OF PARAGUAY

**UNIQUE**  
**DIFFERENT SYMBOLS ON THE FLAG'S SIDES**  
 - It is the only country's flag in the world to have a different symbol on each side. On the front is the national coat of arms, and on the rear in the same position is the coat of arms for the national treasury.

**FAMOUS**  
**THE HEART OF SOUTH AMERICA**  
 - Paraguay has several beautiful nicknames, including "The Land of Water" and "The Island Surrounded by Matland".

**THE IGUAZU FALLS**  
 - It contains over 275 separate waterfalls, and is twice as wide and taller than the Niagara Falls.

**HISTORY**  
 1536-1556:  
 - The first Spanish colonial settlements.

1811:  
 - Independence declared from Spain.

1945:  
 - Admission to United Nations.

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 Mihnea Raducu  
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 Ciudad de Nochebuena  
 Señora Santa Maria  
 DE LA ASUNCIÓN*

*Paraguay*

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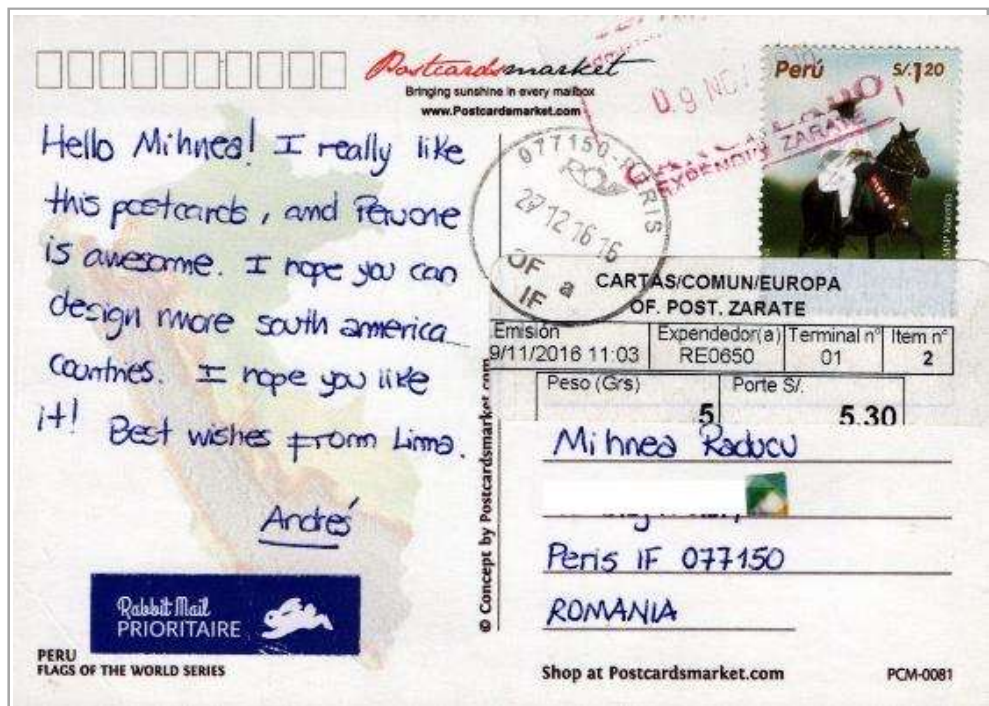
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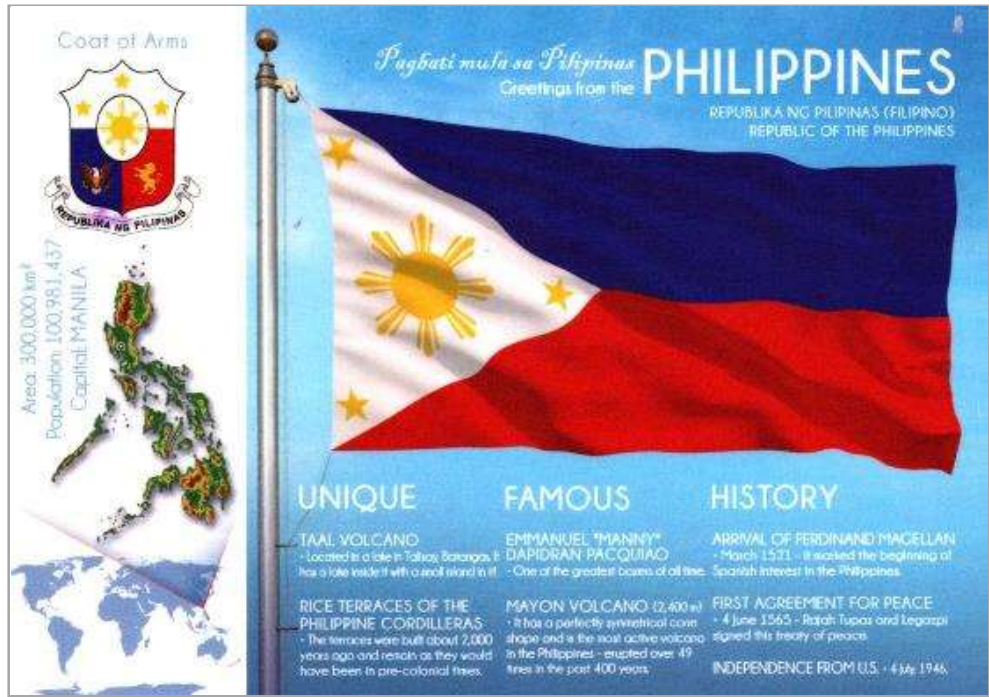
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# Philippines Flag

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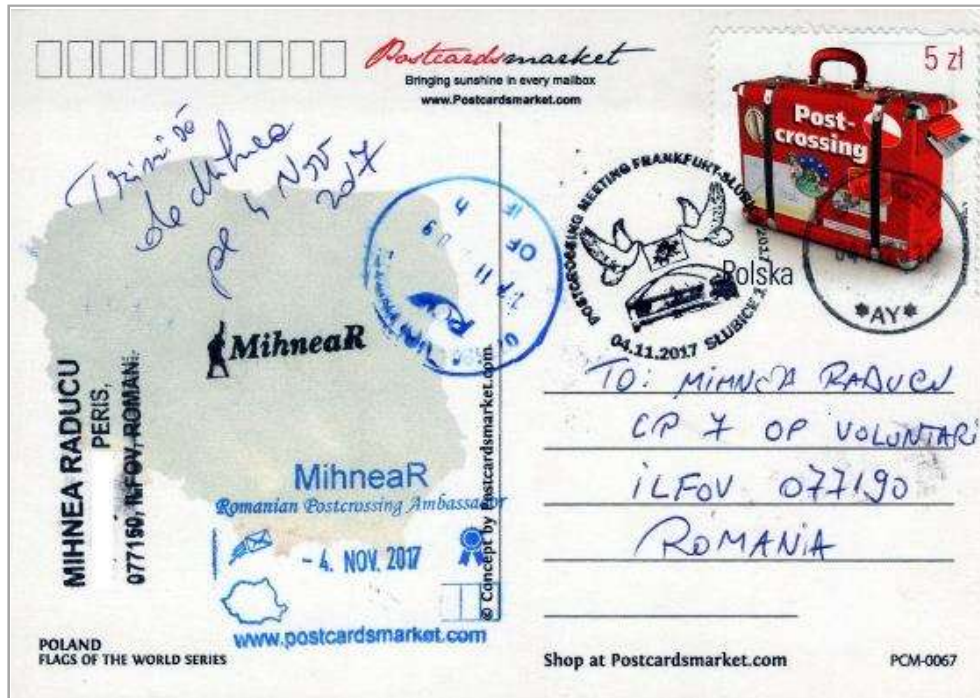
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# Poland Flag

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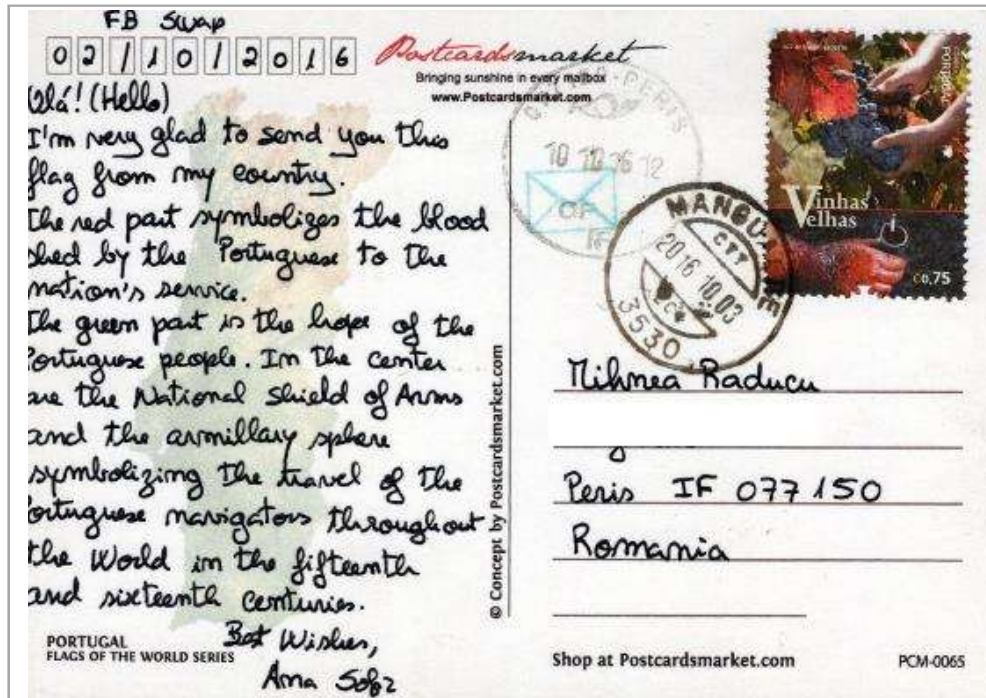
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# Portugal Flag

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# Puerto Rico Flag

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# Qatar Flag

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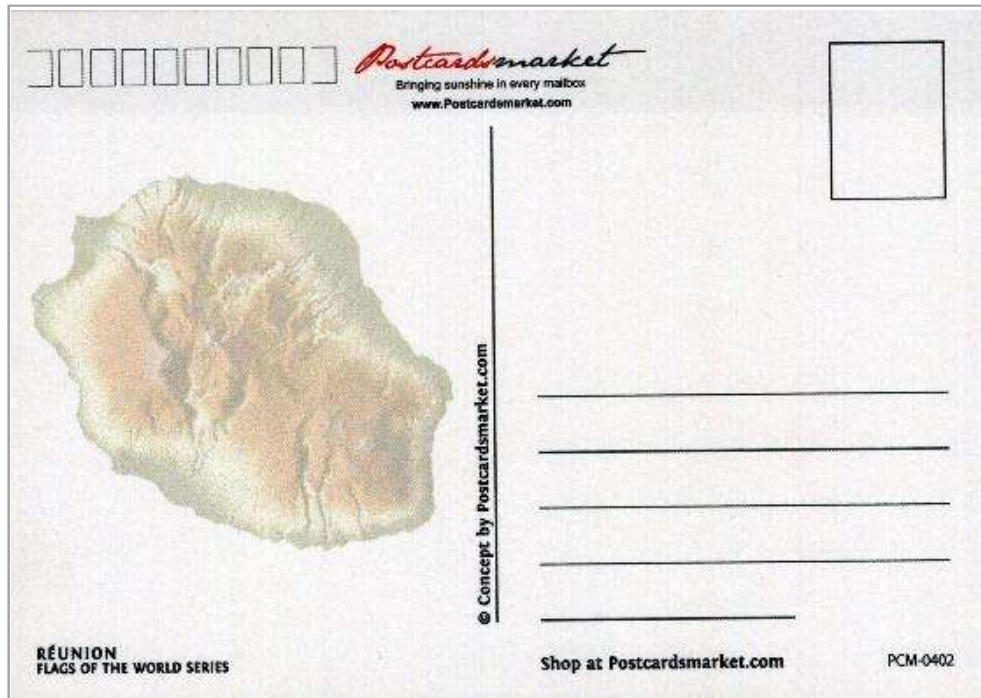
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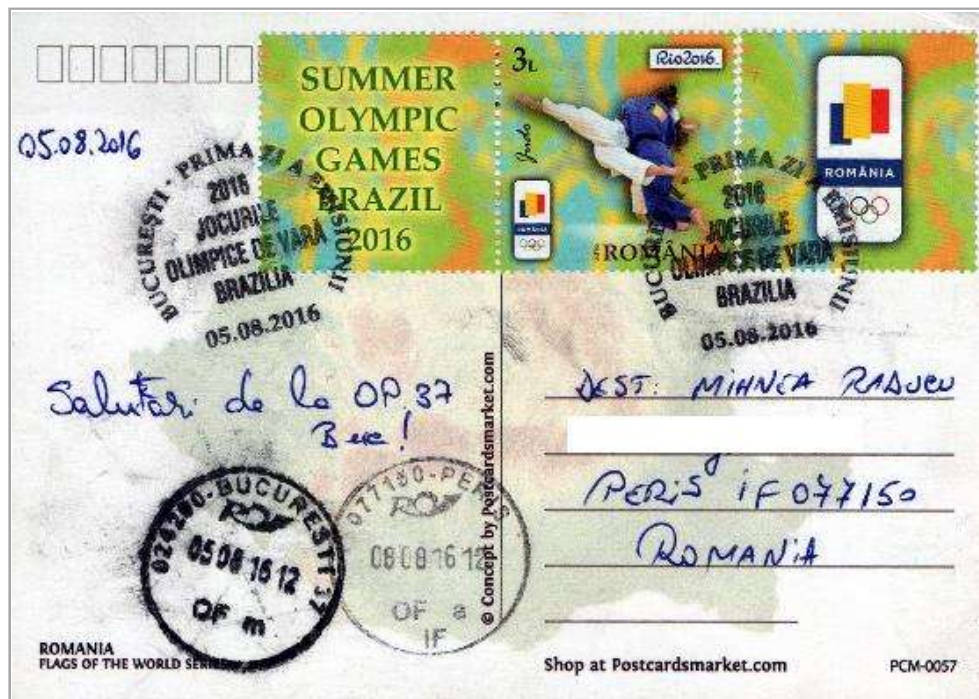


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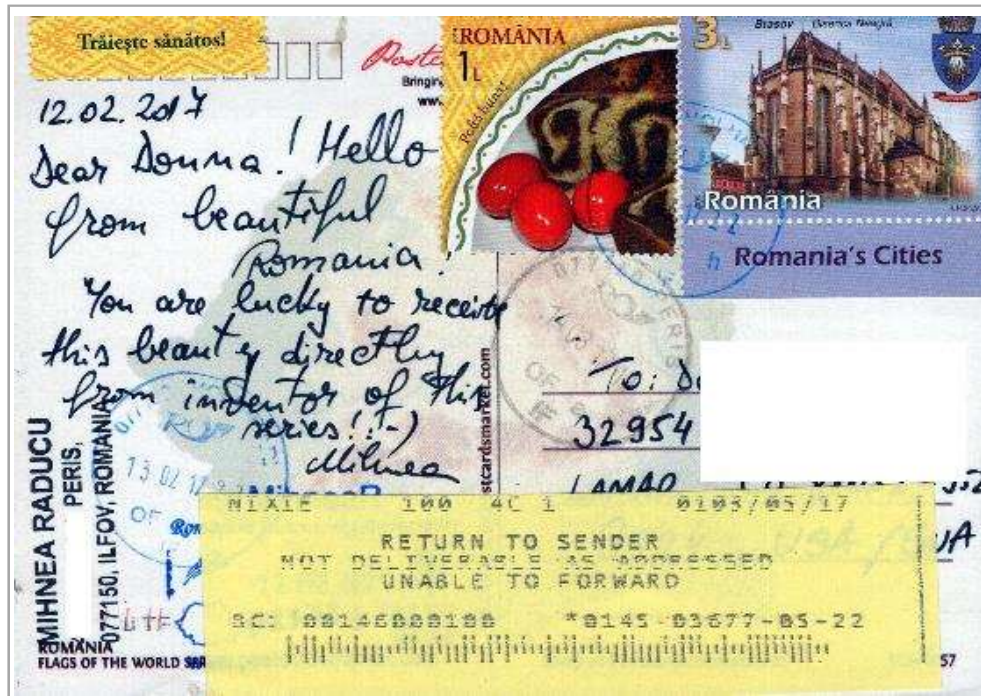
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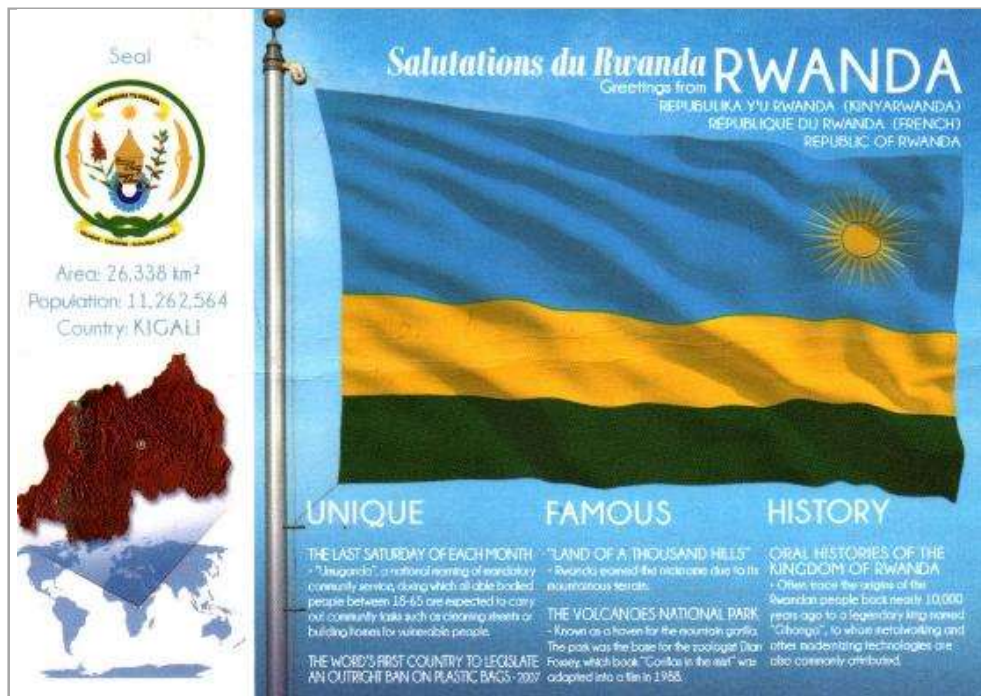


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# Rwanda Flag

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# Saba Flag

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# Saint Barthélemy Flag

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# Saint Helena Flag

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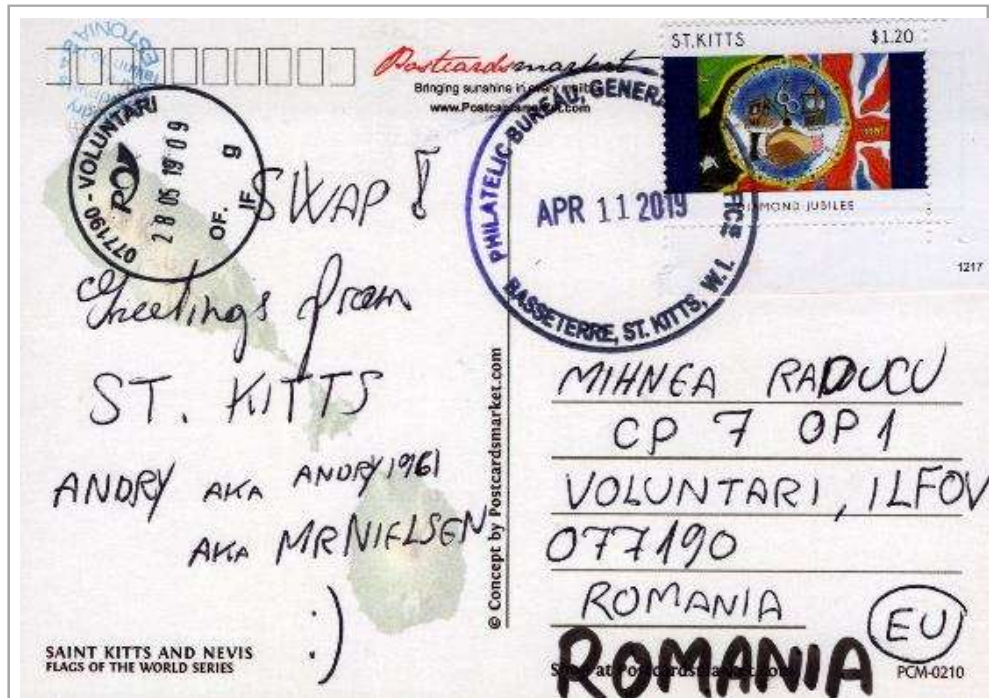


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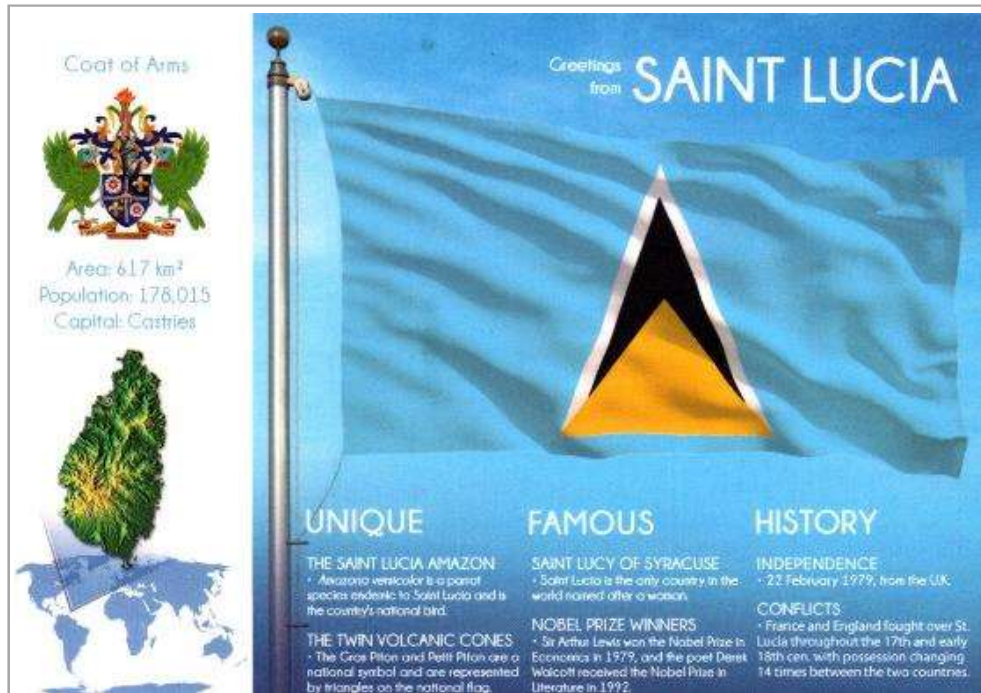


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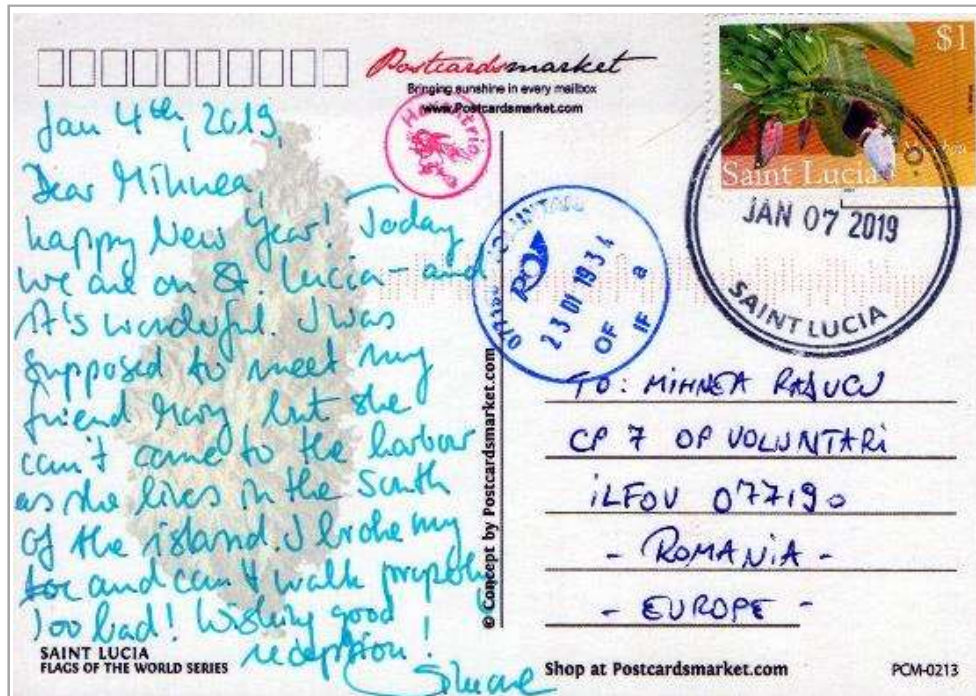
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# Saint Lucia Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



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# Saint Martin (French part) Flag

Front Side:

Coat of Arms

SAINT MARTIN  
COLLECTIVITÉ DE SAINT-MARTIN (FRENCH)  
COLLECTIVITY OF SAINT MARTIN

Area: 53.2 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 35,107  
Capital: Marigot

UNIQUE FAMOUS HISTORY

"SAINT TROPEZ" OF THE CARIBBEAN  
- Comprising 130 miles of lush tropical land on the French side of the island, Pic Paradis is the highest point of the island.

BREATHTAKING BEACHES  
- Grand Case is gorgeous with large hotels, dining options, live music, views and superb swimming and snorkeling.  
- Gourmet Beach is known for the prevalence of gourmet restaurants, such as Auberge. Gourmets seek for classical French cuisine in a tasteful elegant atmosphere.

THE "TREATY OF CONCORDIA"  
- Legend has it that over 350 years ago, the Dutch and the French agreed to draw a border on the island in a civilized manner. It was decided that a vote should be held to determine how each land each nation could claim. No matter what the legend, the "Treaty of Concordia" is a reality and the oldest still enforced international treaty (1748).

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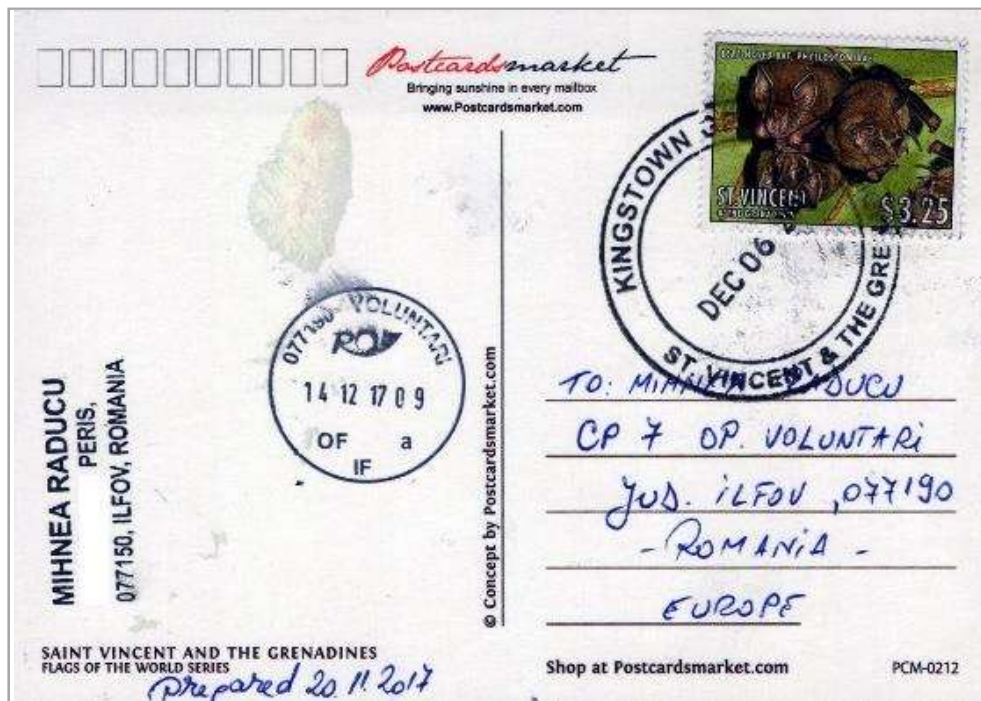
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# Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Flag

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# Samoa Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**



Area: 2,842 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 195,843  
Capital: APIA

**FA'AFEILOA'IGA MAI SAMOA SAMOA**  
Greetings from **SAMOA**  
INDEPENDENT STATE OF SAMOA  
MALO SA'OLOTO TUTO'ATASI O SAMOA (SAMOAN)

**UNIQUE**  
**CRADLE OF POLYNESIA**  
- According to legend, Samoa is known as the "Cradle of Polynesia" because Samoa island is said to be Howaiki, the Polynesian homeland.  
**FA'AFAPINE**  
- Is a group of Samoans who identify themselves as having a non-binary role or being a third gender.

**FAMOUS**  
**A SAMOAN LEGEND**  
- Explains the origin of the first coconut here.  
**BIODIVERSITY**  
- 84% of the 37 species and subspecies of Samoa's terrestrial birds are found nowhere else in the world.

**HISTORY**  
**LAPITA**  
- Samoa was discovered and settled by their Lapita ancestors (Austronesian people), with New Zealand scientists dating remains in Samoa to about 2900-3500 years ago.  
**4 JULY 1997**  
- The government decided to change the country's name from Western Samoa to Samoa.

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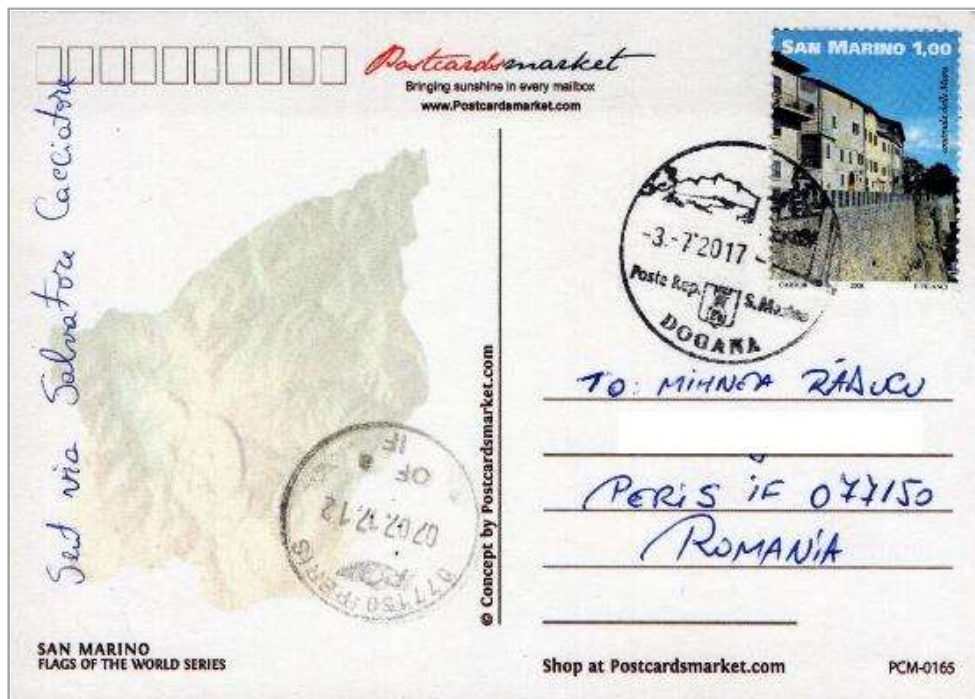
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# San Marino Flag

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# Sao Tome and Principe Flag

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# Sark Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

Area: 5.45 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 492  
Capital: none

**Greetings from SARK**  
SÈR / CÈRQ (SÈRQUAIS)  
SÈRCQ (FRENCH)

**UNIQUE**  
CARS ARE BANNED FROM ROADS.  
- Sark is one of the few remaining places in the world where cars are banned from roads and only tractors and horse-drawn vehicles are allowed.

**FAMOUS**  
"A SECRET EUROPEAN MICROSTATE"  
- The island has been independently governed (as a Crown dependency) since 1565.  
- The island is the smallest independent state of the British Commonwealth.

**HISTORY**  
THE ISLAND  
- Was probably first mentioned in the Antonine Itinerary (3rd-4th century AD).  
IN ANCIENT TIMES  
- Sark was occupied by the Unelli, the Goidelic tribe of the Cotentin peninsula. These people were displaced by the Roman Empire about 56 BC.

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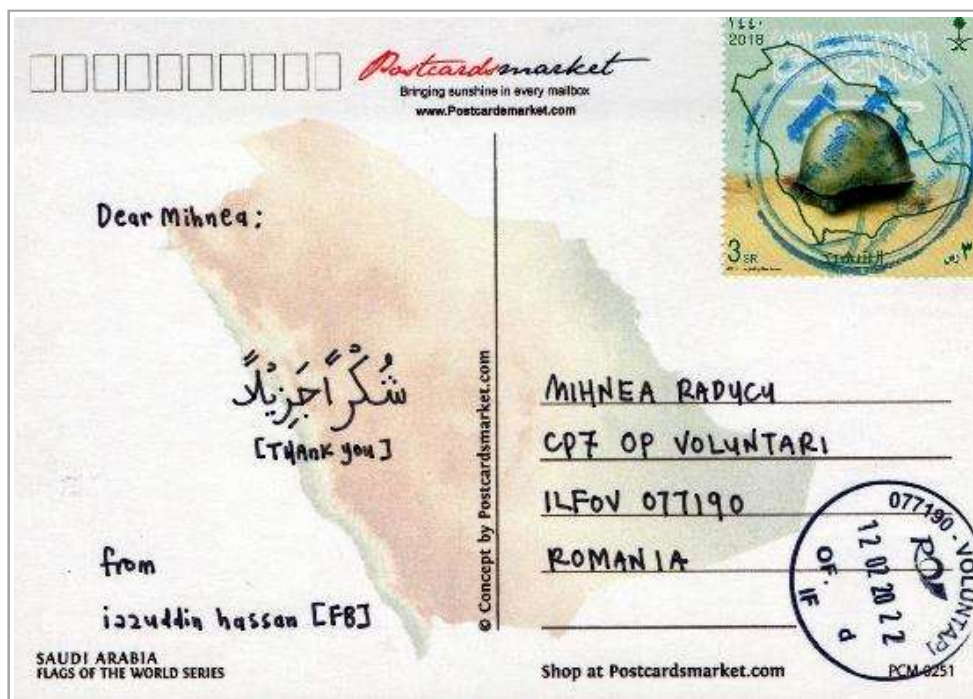
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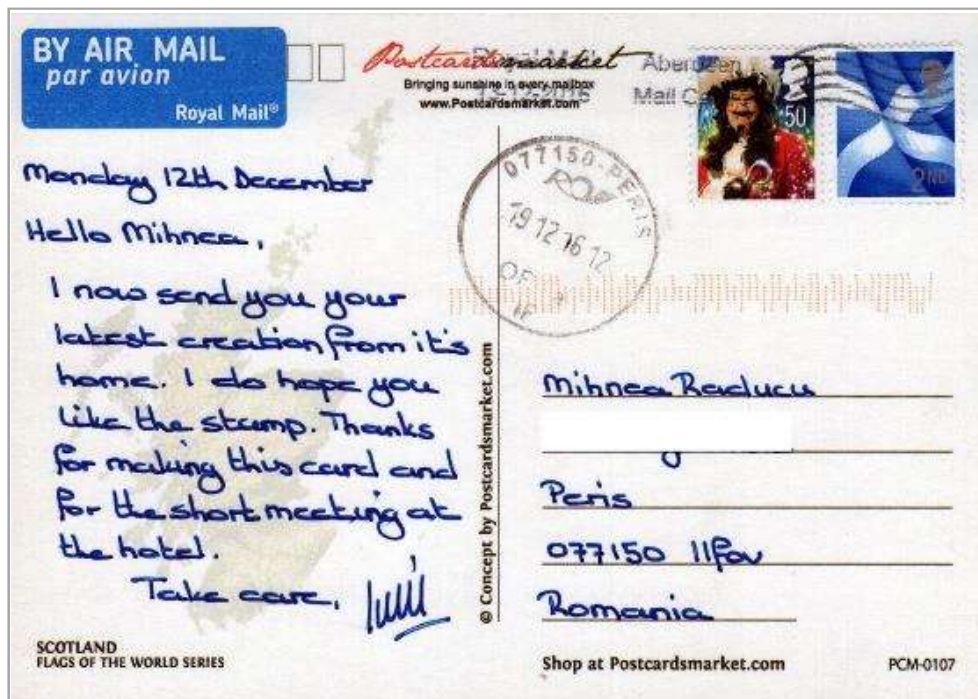
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# Scotland Flag

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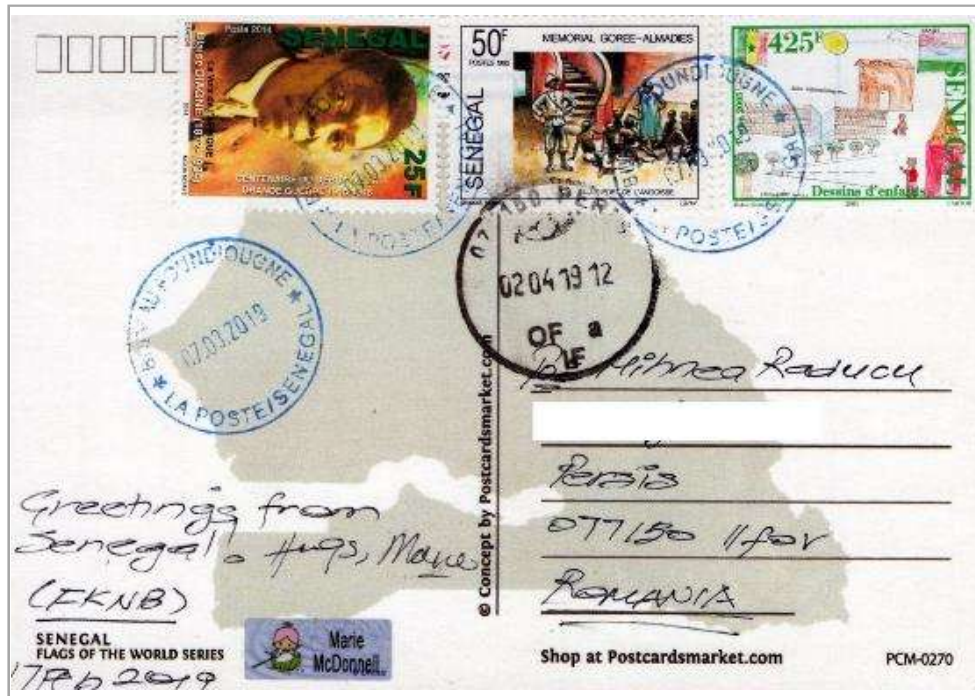
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# Serbia Flag

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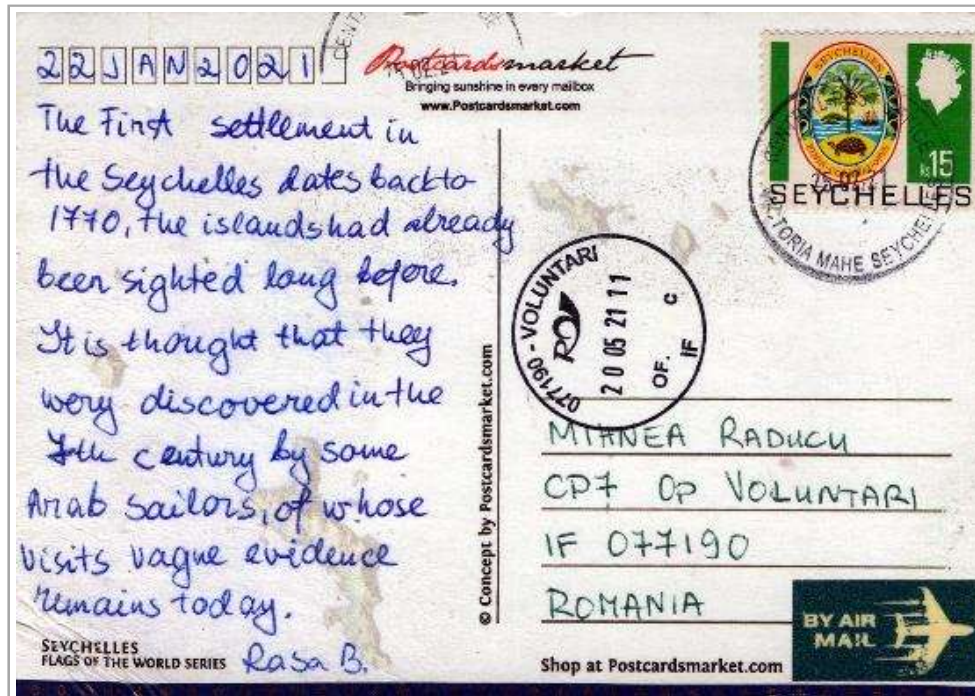
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# Seychelles Flag

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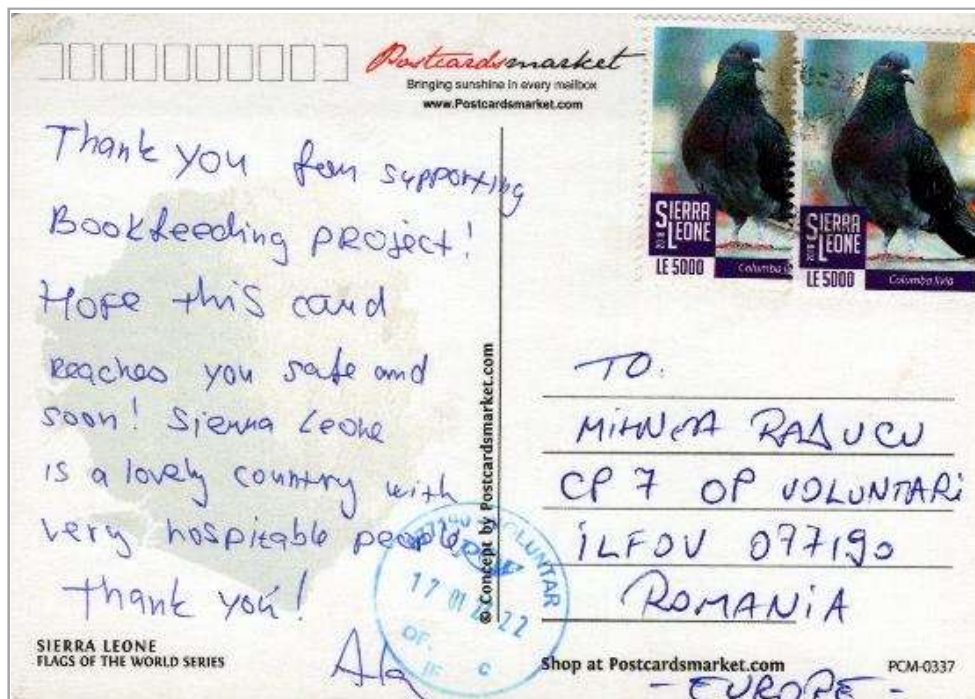
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# Sierra Leone Flag

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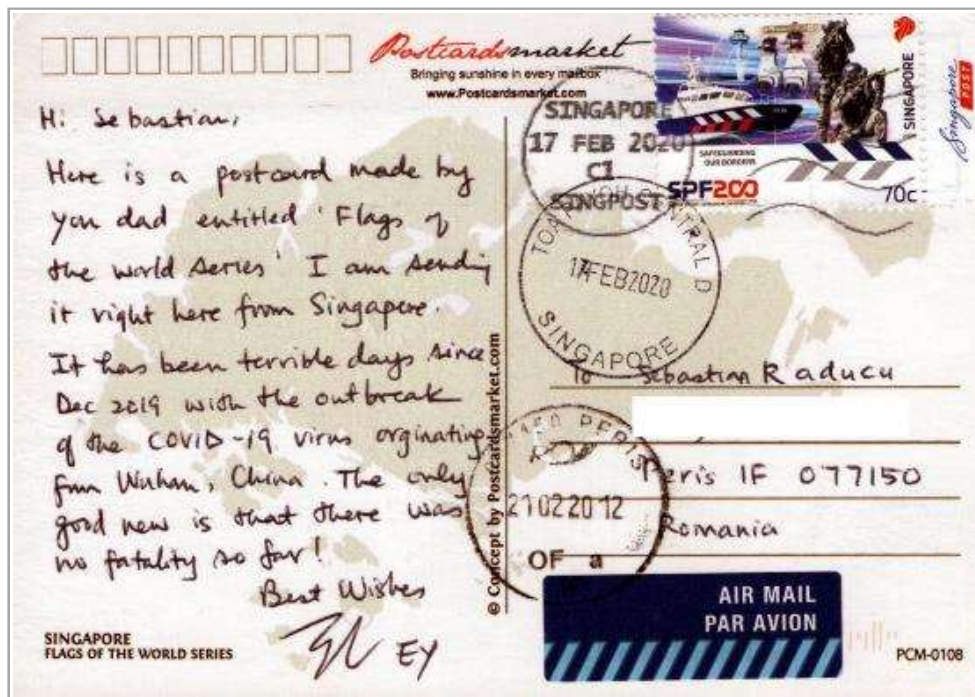
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# Singapore Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:


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# Sint Eustatius Flag

Front Side:


Coat of Arms



Area: 21 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 3,193  
Capital: Oranjestad



Groeten uit Sint Eustatius  
Greetings from **SINT EUSTATIUS**



**UNIQUE** **FAMOUS** **HISTORY**

**SADDLE-SHAPED ISLAND**  
 • With the 602 meter-high dormant volcano Quill and the smaller pair Signal Hill, the Mountain and Boven Mountain.  
 • The silhouette of the island is in green on their flag.

**THE ZEELANDIA BEACH**  
 • Serves as a nesting site for several endangered sea turtles such as the green turtle, leatherback, loggerhead and hawksbill.

**"STATIA" ISLAND**  
 • Sint Eustatius is called affectionately by the locals "Statia", pronounced "STAY" "STAY".  
 • In the 18th century, "Statia" was the most important Dutch island in the Caribbean and was a center of great wealth from trading.  
 • At the time it was known as the "Golden Rock" because of its extensive wealth.

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# Sint Maarten (Dutch part) Flag

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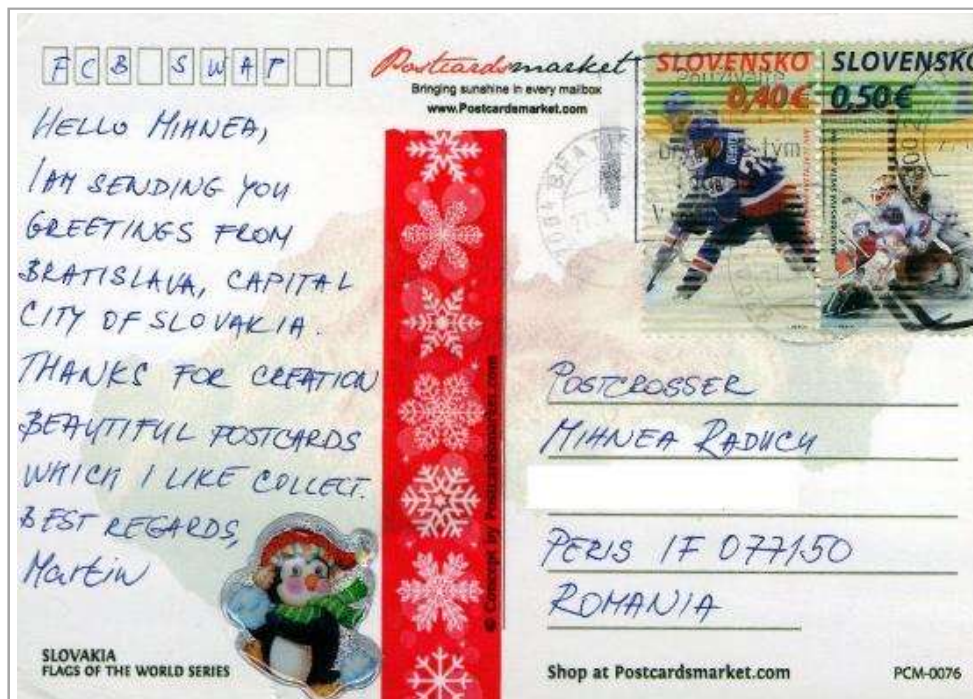
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# Slovakia Flag

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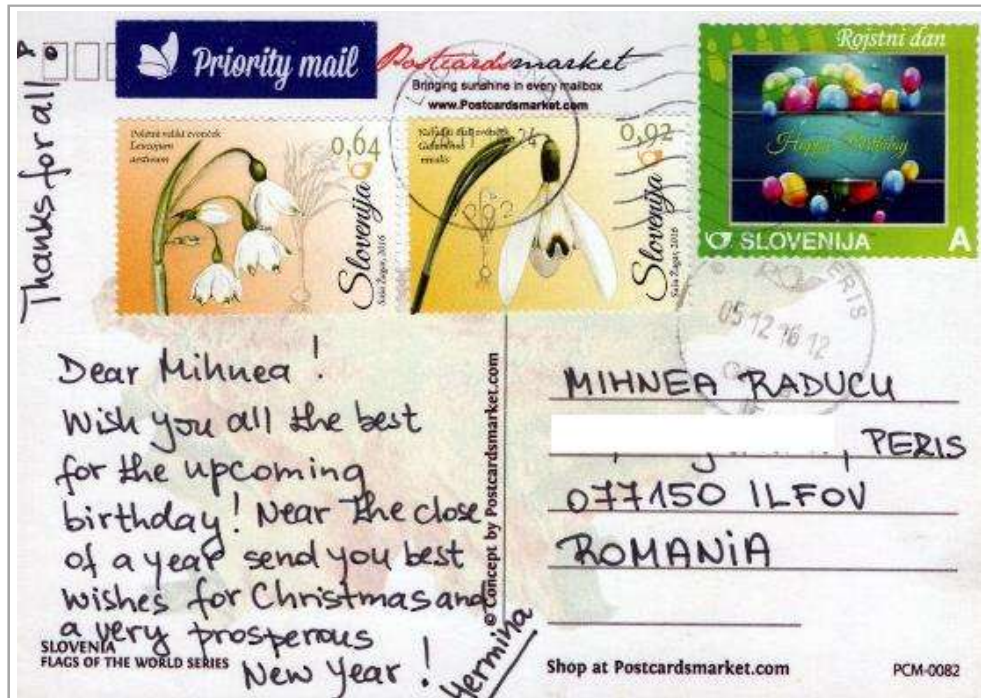
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# Slovenia Flag

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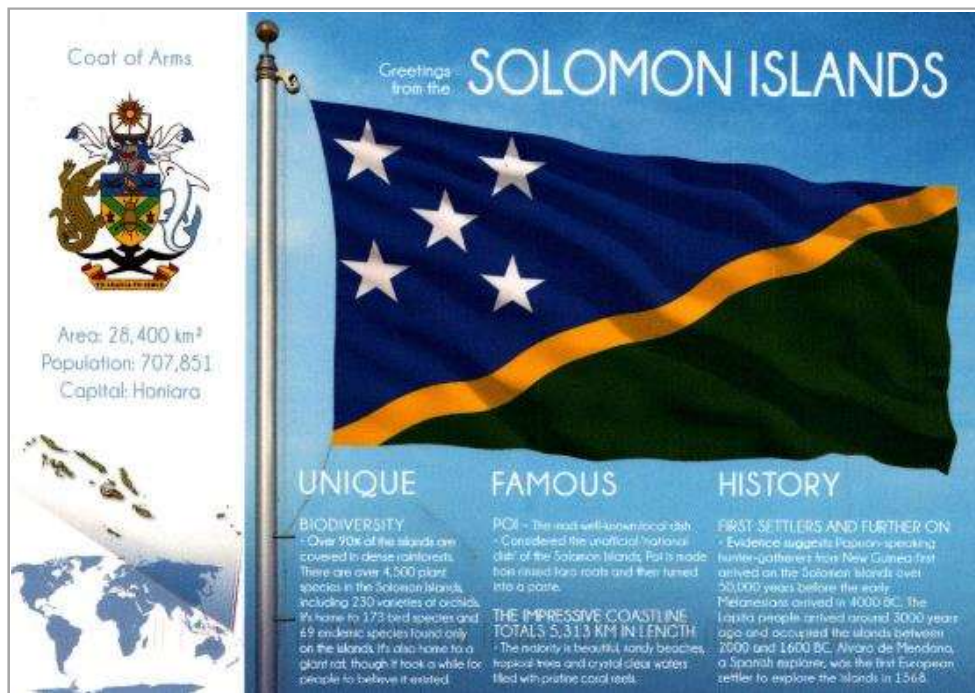


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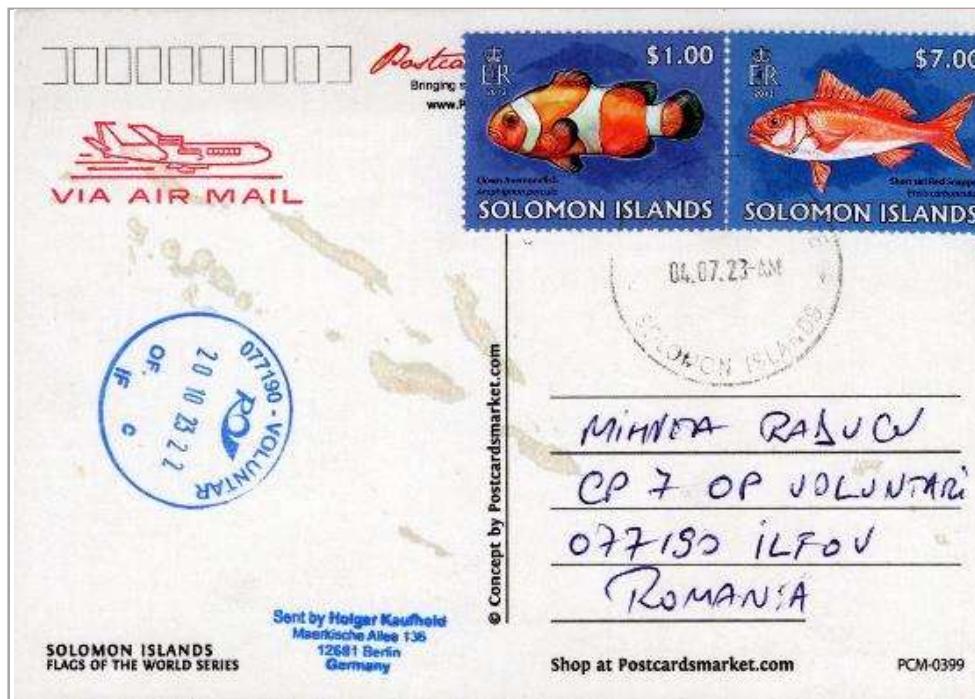
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# Solomon Islands Flag

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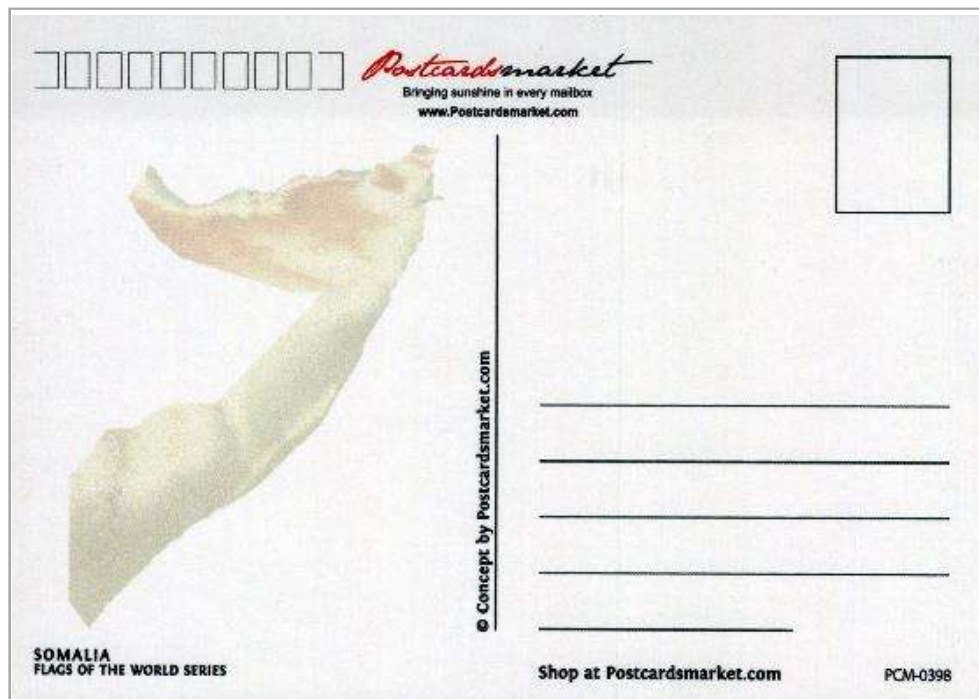
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# Somalia Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# South Africa Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**

*Imiboniso evela emzantsi Afrika*  
Greetings from **SOUTH AFRICA**  
REPUBLIEK VAN SUID-AFRIKA (AFRIKAANS)  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Area: 1,221,037 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 54,956,900  
Capital: PRETORIA Executive  
BLOEMFONTEIN Judicial  
CAPE TOWN Legislative

**UNIQUE** **FAMOUS** **HISTORY**

**11 OFFICIAL LANGUAGES**  
English, Afrikaans, Ndebele, Xhosa, Zulu, Sesotho, Tswana, Nguni, and Zulu.  
The world's only country that has so many official languages recognized in the constitution.

**WORLD'S LARGEST DIAMOND**  
Found on 25 Jan 1905. The 3108-carat stone weighed 621.35 g. From it emerged the "Great Star of Africa".

**THE OLDEST METEOR SCAR**  
232 million years the Vredefort Dome near Pretoria.

**INHABITED BY AUSTRALOPITHECINES**  
Since at least 2.5 million years ago.

**WORLD'S LARGEST PRODUCER**  
Of platinum, chromium and of 41% of all the world's Gold. Western Deep Levels is the world's deepest mine at 3,777 m.

**THE WORLD'S FIRST HEART TRANSPLANT**  
Was performed by Dr. Christiaan Barnard in 1967. The operation lasted approx. 6 hours.

**THE HISTORY OF SOUTH AFRICA**  
Starts more than 300,000 years ago, when the first humans inhabited the region.

Back Side:

Direct Swap  
Gannor  
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04 July 2017 19c  
Hello Mihnea, overcast  
warm greetings from  
Durban, South Africa.  
The new SA flag was  
flown in a democratic  
SA for the first time on election day in  
1994. Originally commissioned as an  
interim flag, it became such a powerful  
symbol of unity and patriotism that it  
stayed. The Y-shape design can be  
seen as a coming together and  
onward travel of the different people  
of SA. This is the only flag in the  
world with six colours. This postcard  
is well-travelled... Romania, Korea  
(mis-packed) from South Africa  
then back to Romania :))  
All good in the end :)) Best wishes  
Gannor PS. Hope it is a good addition to your

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# South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands Flag

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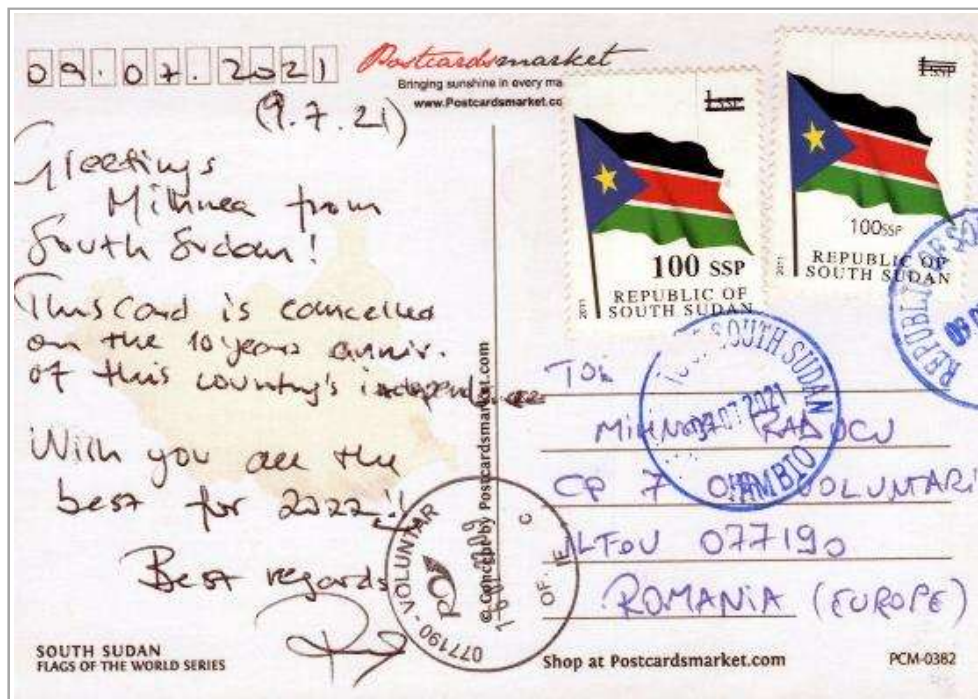


# South Sudan Flag

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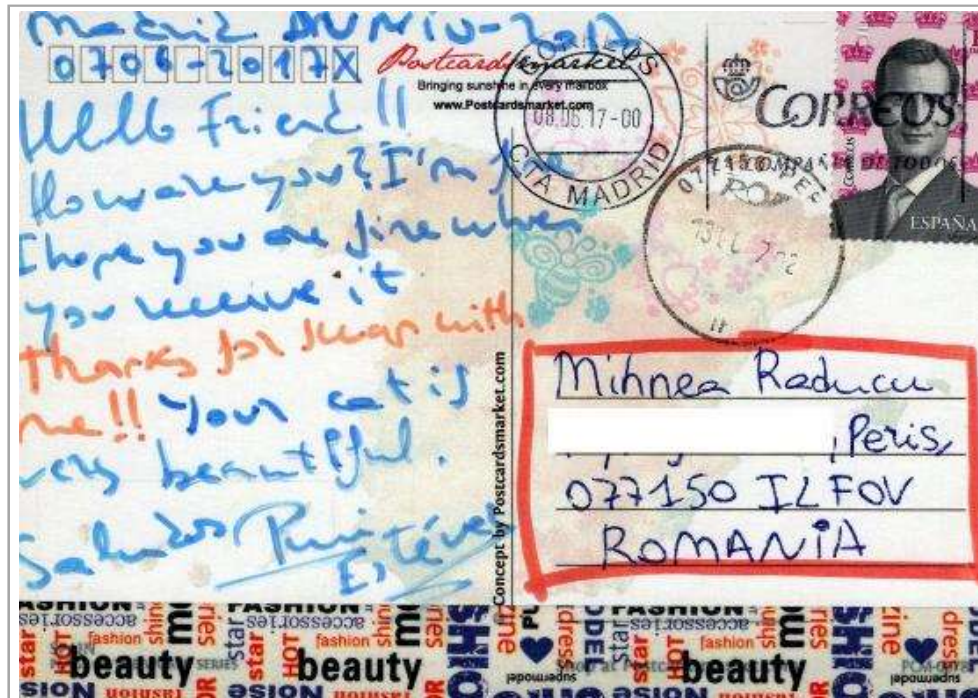
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# Spain Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Sri Lanka Flag

Front Side:

**Emblem**  
 Sri Lanka State Emblem  
 Area: 65,610 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 20,277,597  
 Capital: SRI JAYAWARDENEPURA  
 Major Cities: KOTTE and COLOMBO

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 Greetings from SRI LANKA  
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 DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

**UNIQUE**  
**JAYA SRI MAHA BODHI\***  
 - The sacred fig tree is said to be the right-  
 wing branch from the historical tree under  
 which Lord Buddha attained Enlightenment.  
 The world's oldest living human-planted tree  
 with a known planting date, in 285 B.C.  
**SIRIMAVO BANDARANAIKE**  
 - The world's first elected female head  
 of government, in 1960.

**FAMOUS**  
**CEYLON**  
 - Sri Lanka was known from the beginning of  
 British colonial rule until 1972 as Ceylon.  
**PRODUCTION AND EXPORT**  
 - Cinnamon, rubber and Ceylon tea, which  
 remains a trademark national export.  
**THE PEARL OF THE INDIAN OCEAN**  
 - Named after its incredible beauty.

**HISTORY**  
**PAHIYANGALA**  
 - Paleolithic human settlement, which  
 dates back to 37,000 B.P.  
**4 FEBRUARY 1948**  
 - Independence from the United Kingdom.  
**22 MAY 1972**  
 - Became a republic.

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 Greeting from Sri Lanka. =)  
 I have a friend who has been  
 to many countries, she told me  
 that if you have a chance in  
 future, be sure to travel to  
 Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka as a  
 pearl hanging over the Indian  
 Ocean. Hamigway described  
 "Green Eden", hope I can travel  
 here one day.  
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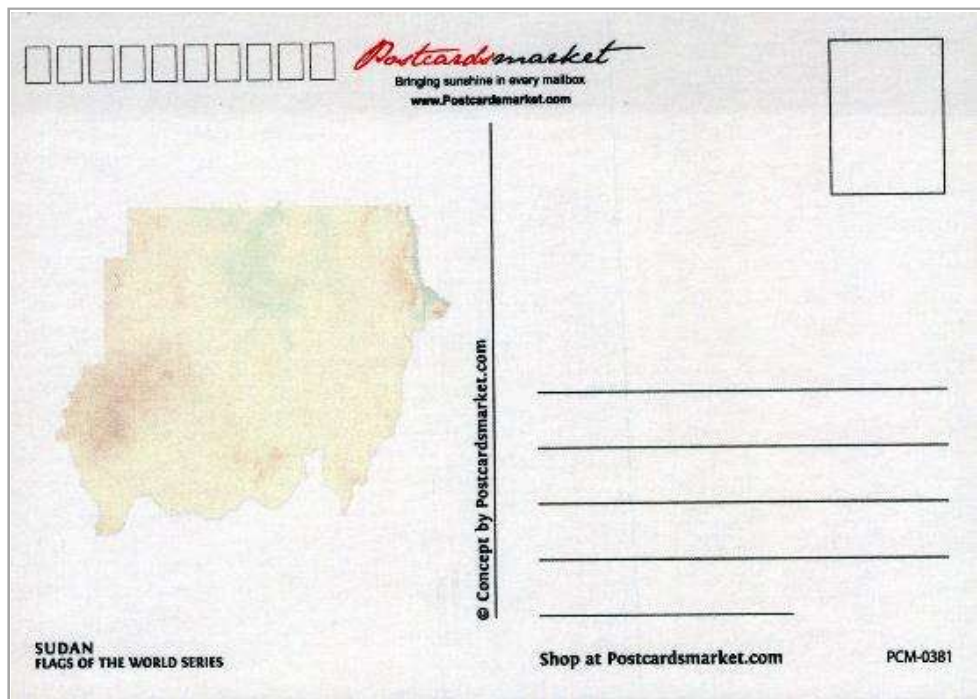
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# Sudan Flag

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# Suriname Flag

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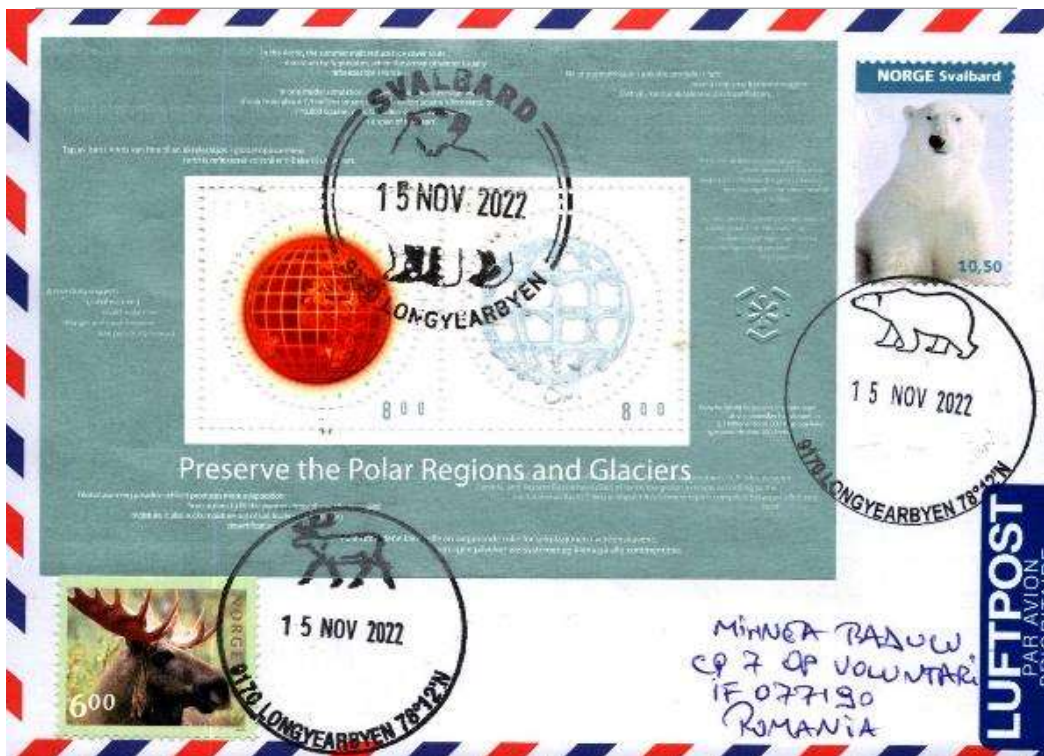
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# Svalbard and Jan Mayen Flag

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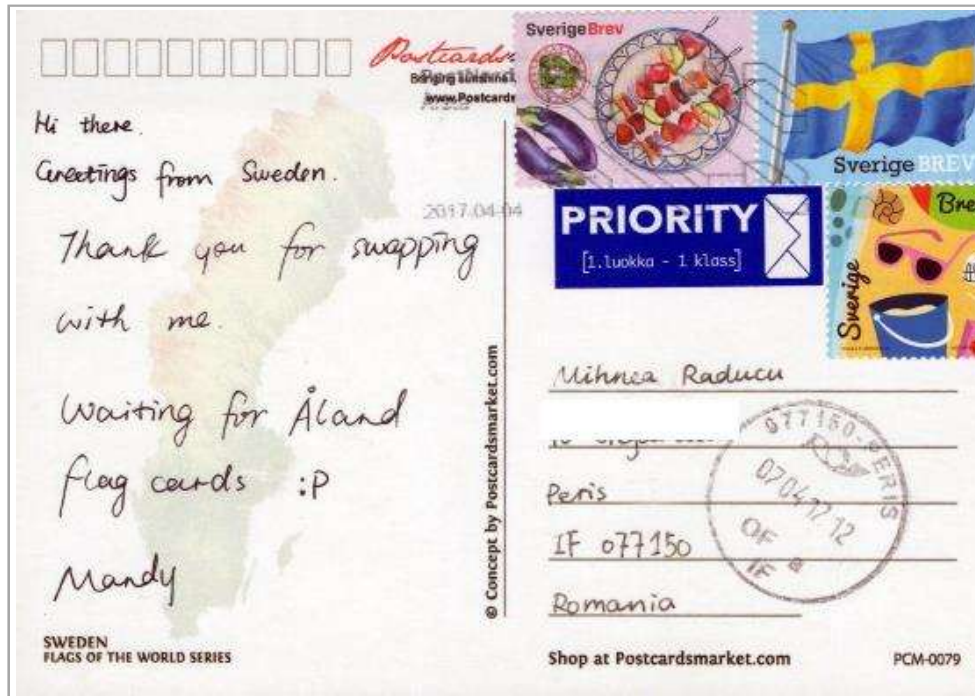
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 In Longyearbyen – 2 from Post office and one from Radisson Polar  
 Blu Hotel reception – who act as a secondary Post Office*

# Sweden Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Switzerland Flag

Front Side:

**Coat of Arms**  


Area: 41,285 km<sup>2</sup>  
 Population: 8,211,700  
 Capital: none (de jure)  
 BERN (de facto)



**Grüsse aus der Schweiz SWITZERLAND**  
 Greetings from  
 SCHWEIZERISCHE EIDGENÖSSENSCHAFT (GERMAN)  
 CONFÉDÉRATION SUISSE (FRENCH)  
 CONFEDERAZIONE SVIZZERA (ITALIAN)  
 CONFEDERAZIUN SVIZRA (ROMANSH)  
 CONFÖDERATIO HELVETICA (LATIN)  
 SWISS CONFEDERATION

**UNIQUE**  
**BEST PLACE IN THE WORLD TO BE BORN**  
 - According to the European Intelligence Unit (EIU) Quality of Life Index

**INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENVIRONMENT**  
 - Electricity generated in Switzerland is 56% from hydroelectricity and 39% from nuclear power, resulting in a nearly CO<sub>2</sub>-free electricity-generating network

**FAMOUS**  
**TALLEST DAMS IN EUROPE**  
 - Hydroelectricity is the most important domestic source of energy in the country

**RESORT FACILITIES**  
 - The world's fondest skiing and winter resorts are in Switzerland

**HISTORY**  
**ARMED NEUTRALITY**  
 - Oldest neutral country in the world, 1815

**FOUNDATION DATE**  
 - Celebrated on 1 August 1291: Oldest surviving written document of an alliance between Uri, Schwyz & Unterwalden, the founding cantons of the Old Swiss Confederacy

Back Side:

31-12-2016 *Postcard*

Dear Mihnea,  
 Here with this Swiss flag card I send you all my best wishes to you and your family for 2017!! Thanks also for this great series! I look forward for the next flags! All the best my friend! Jürgen

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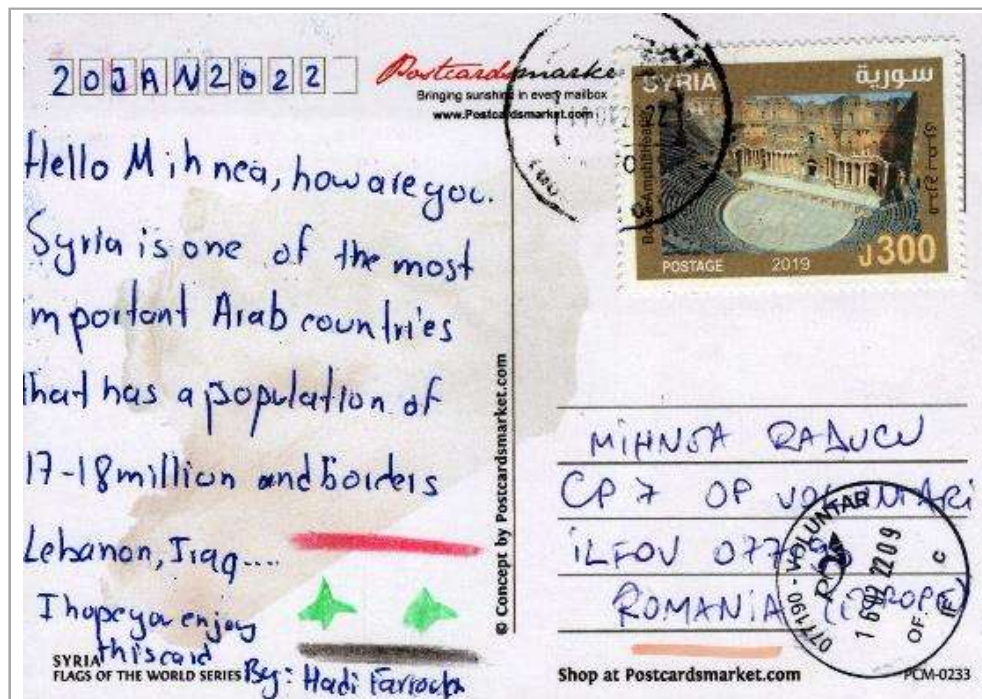


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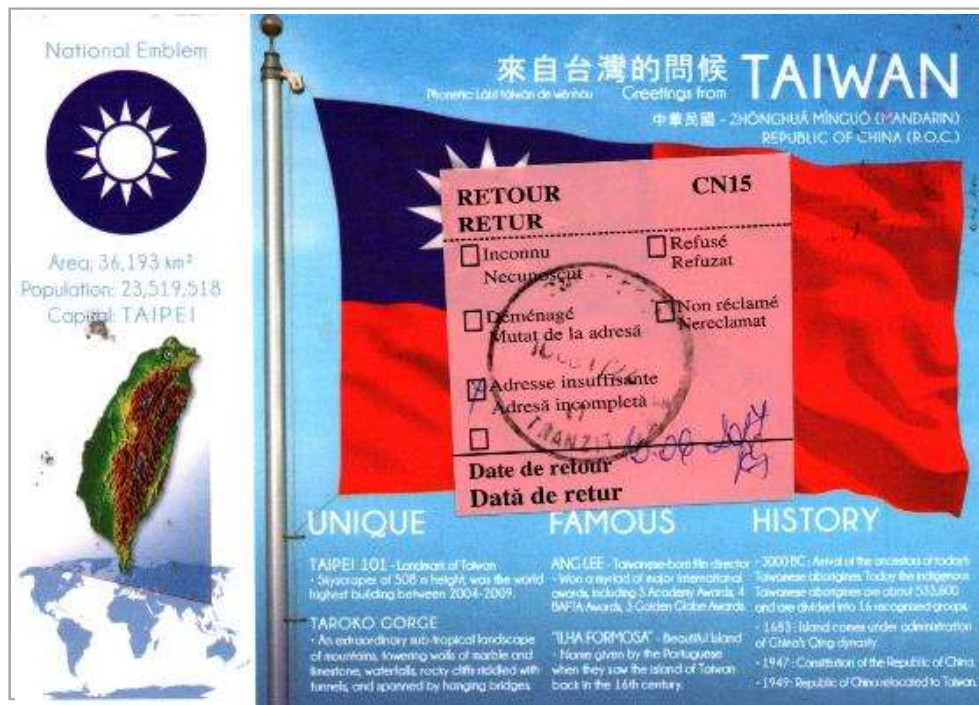


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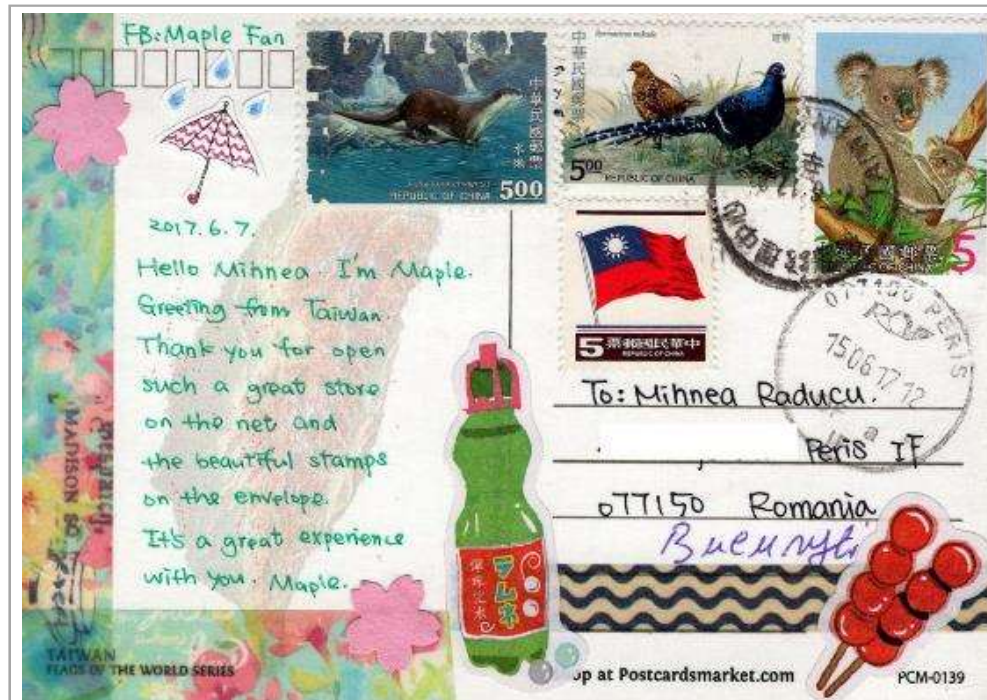
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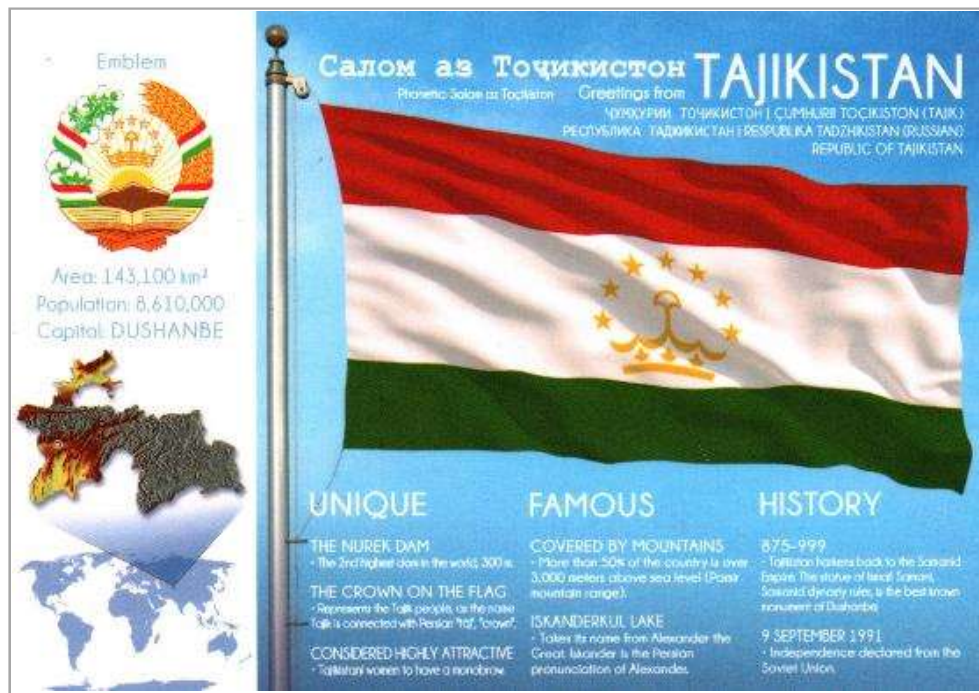


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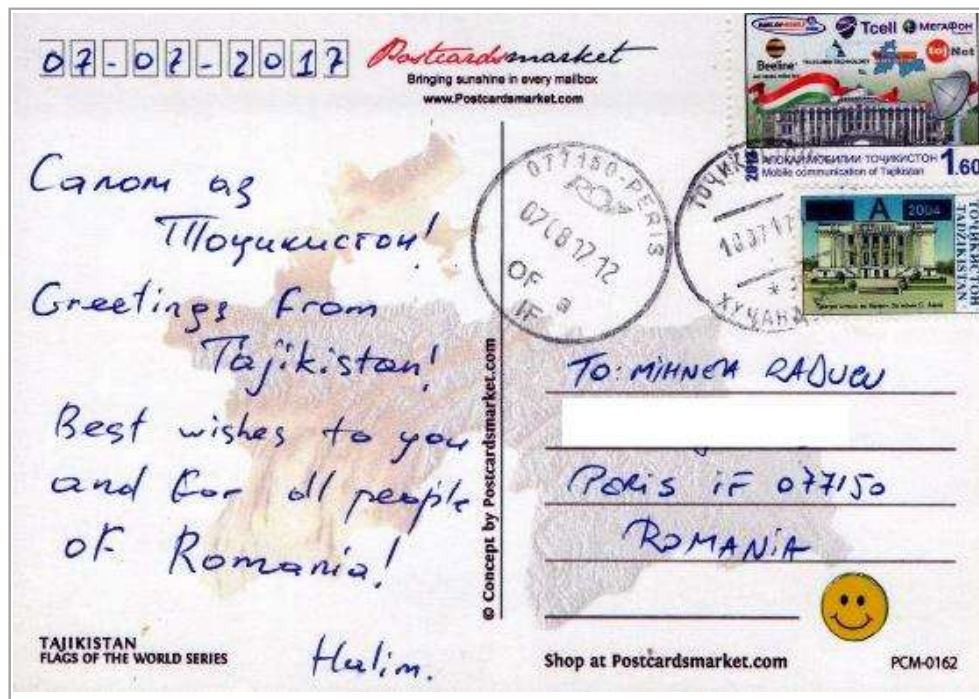
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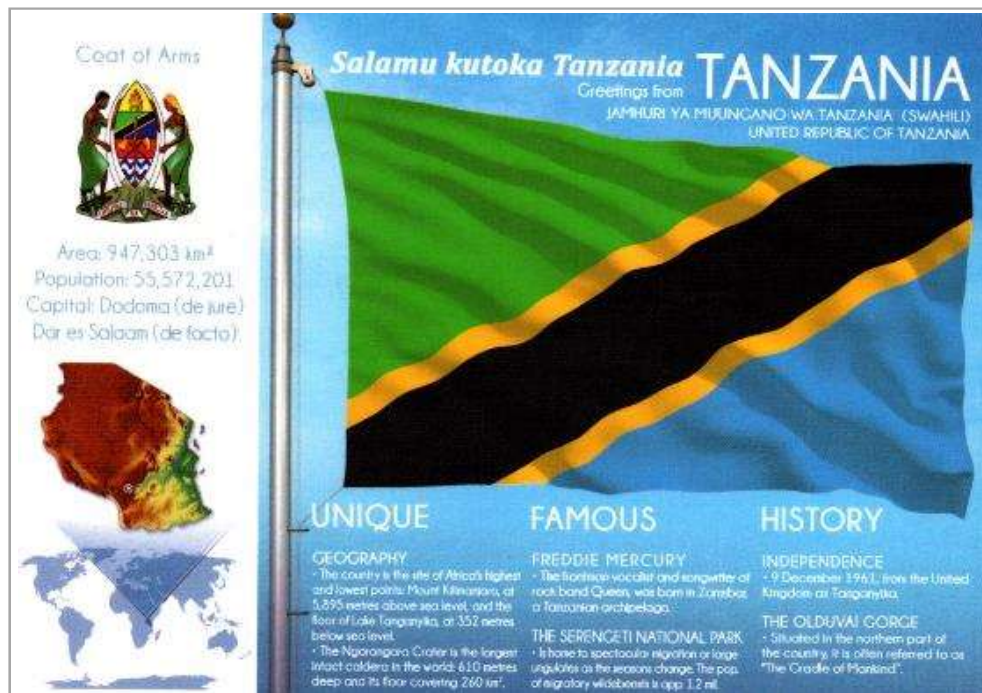


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# Tanzania Flag

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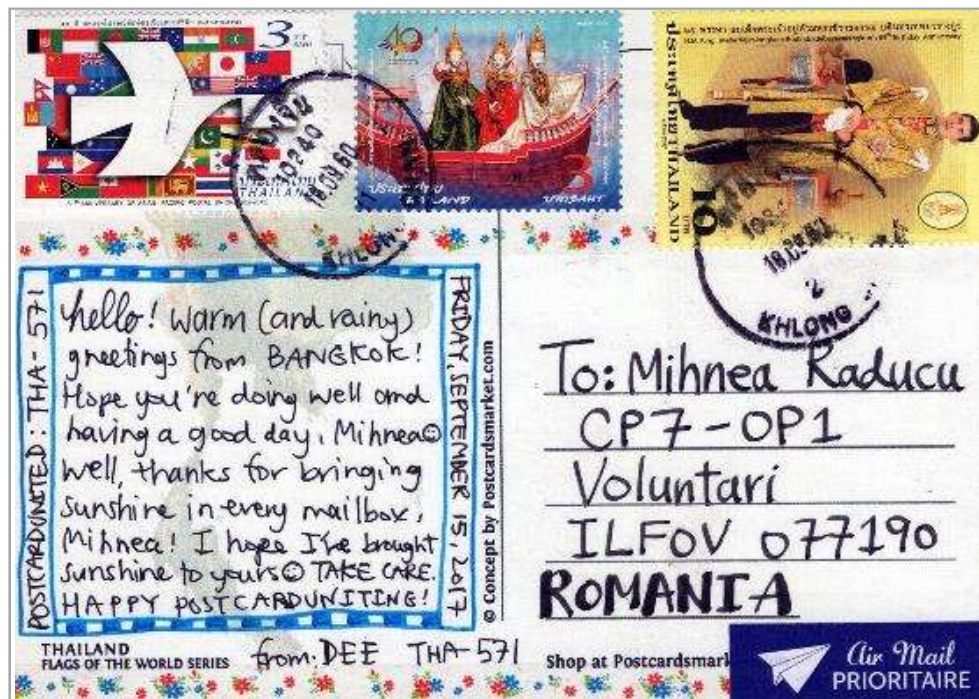
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# Thailand Flag

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Special Remarks:

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# The Azores Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Timor-Leste Flag

Front Side:

**Saudações de Timor Leste**  
Greetings from **TIMOR-LESTE**  
REPÚBLICA DEMOCRÁTICA DE TIMOR-LESTE (PORTUGUESE)  
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE

**Coat of Arms**

Area: 15,410 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 1,167,242  
Capital: Dili

**UNIQUE**  
**NAME ORIGIN**  
"Timor" derives from *timu*, the word for "pearl" in Malay, East Timor or Timor-Leste. In Portuguese it is a mythological toponym meaning "East East".  
**THE TIMOR-LESTE CREATION**  
Myth has it that an aging crocodile transformed into the island of Timor as part of a debt repayment to a young boy who had helped the crocodile when it was sick.

**FAMOUS**  
**TWO ACTIVISTS**  
- Carlos Ximenes Belo and José Ramos Horta received in 1996 the Nobel Peace Prize for their work towards a just and peaceful solution to the conflict in Timor-Leste.  
**CRISTO REI OF DILI** Christ the King of Dili is a 27.0-metre high statue of Jesus located atop a globe in Dili. It is one of the main tourist attractions.

**HISTORY**  
**HUMANS FIRST SETTLERS**  
Settled in Timor-Leste 42,000 years ago.  
**THE CITY OF DILI**  
1769 - The Portuguese founded the city of Dili and the colony of Portuguese Timor.  
**INDEPENDENCE RESTORED**  
20 May 2002.

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Dili Timor-Leste 2023

Greetings from Timor Leste

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DILI

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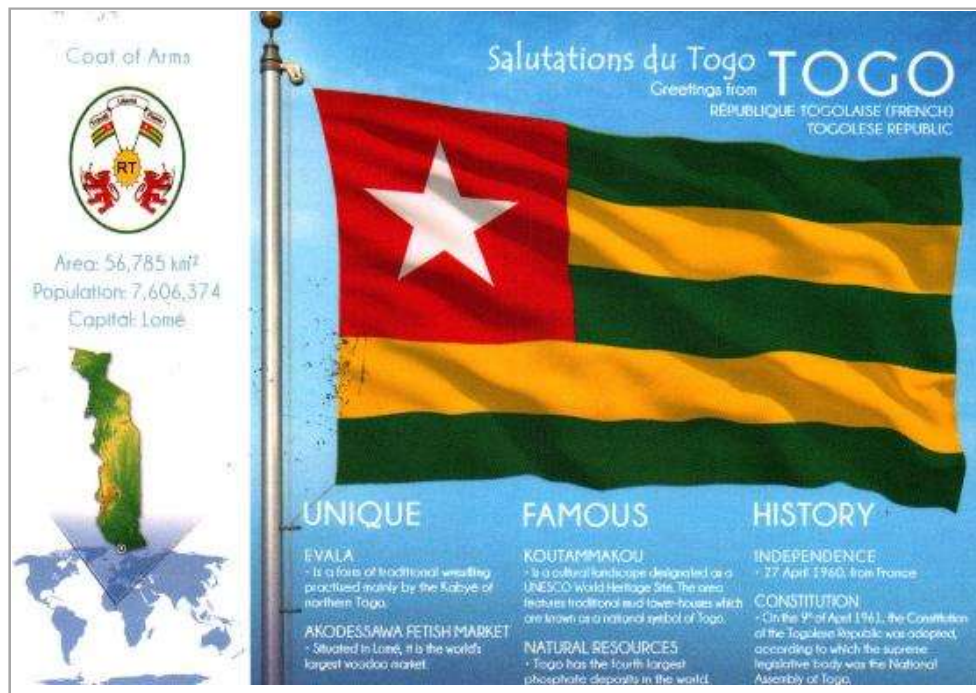
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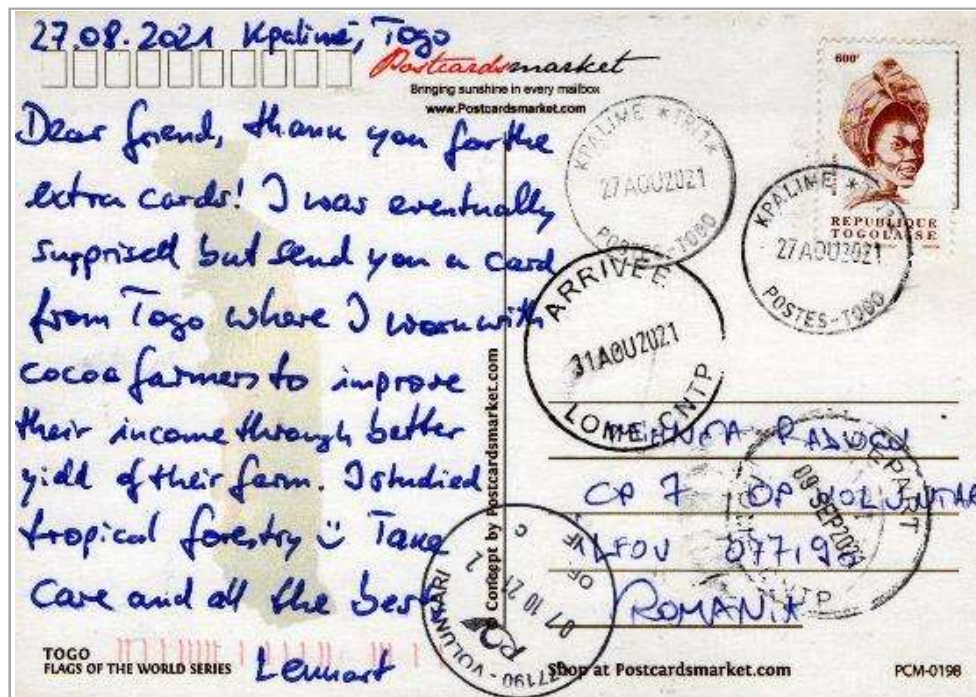
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# Togo Flag

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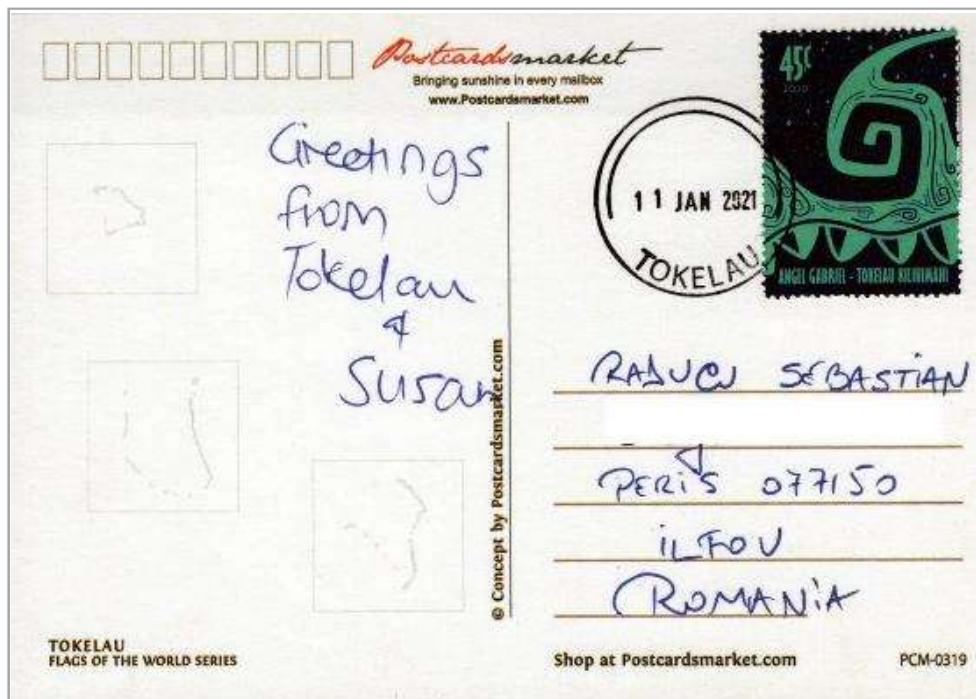


# Tokelau Flag

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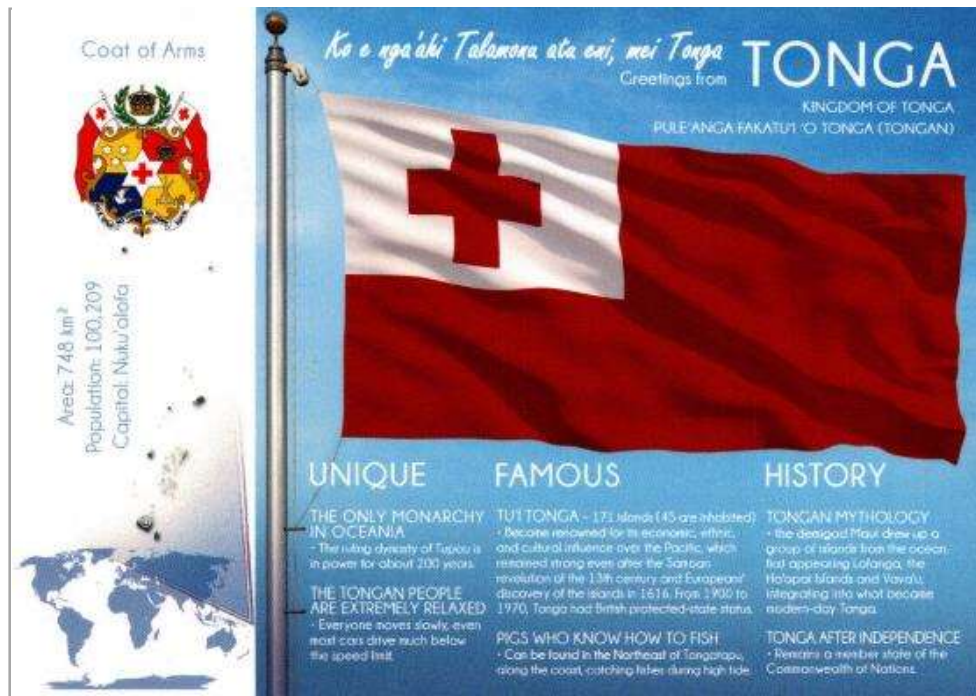


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# Tonga Flag

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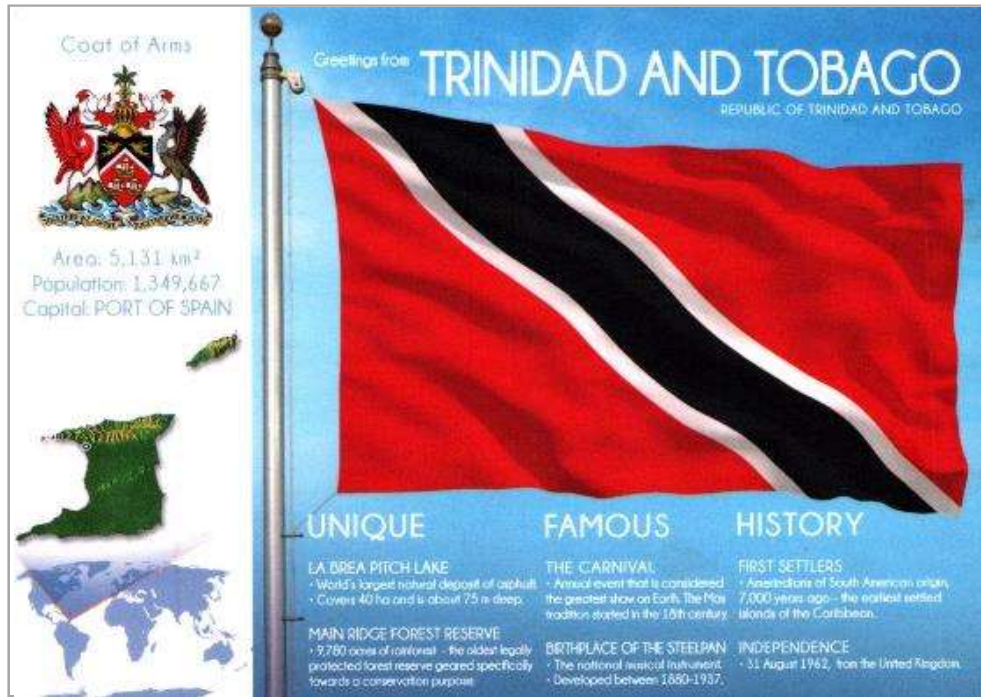


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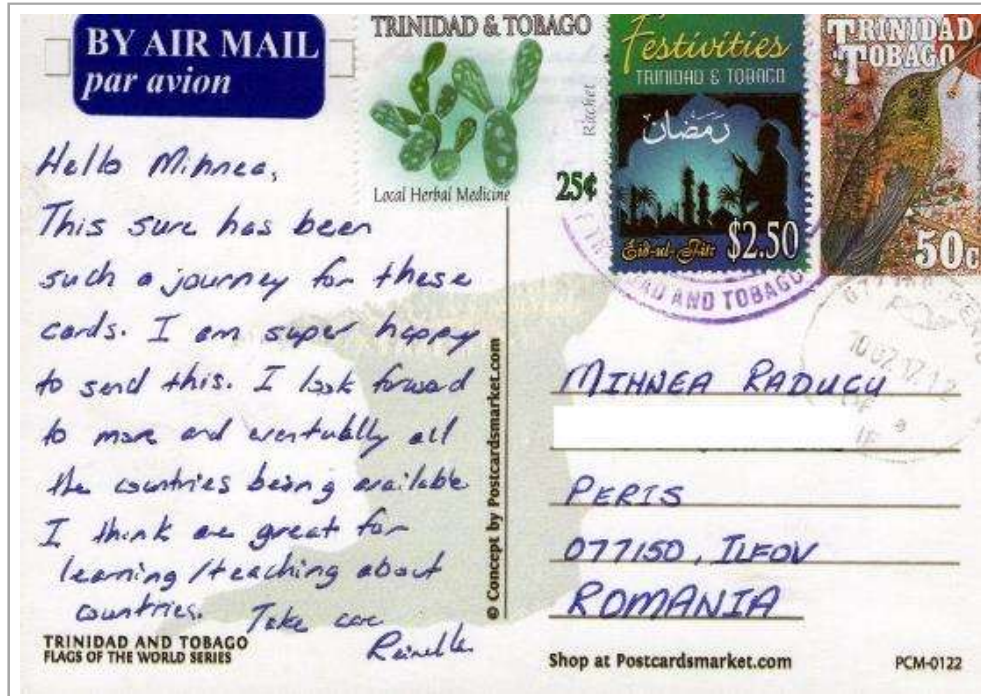
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# Trinidad and Tobago Flag

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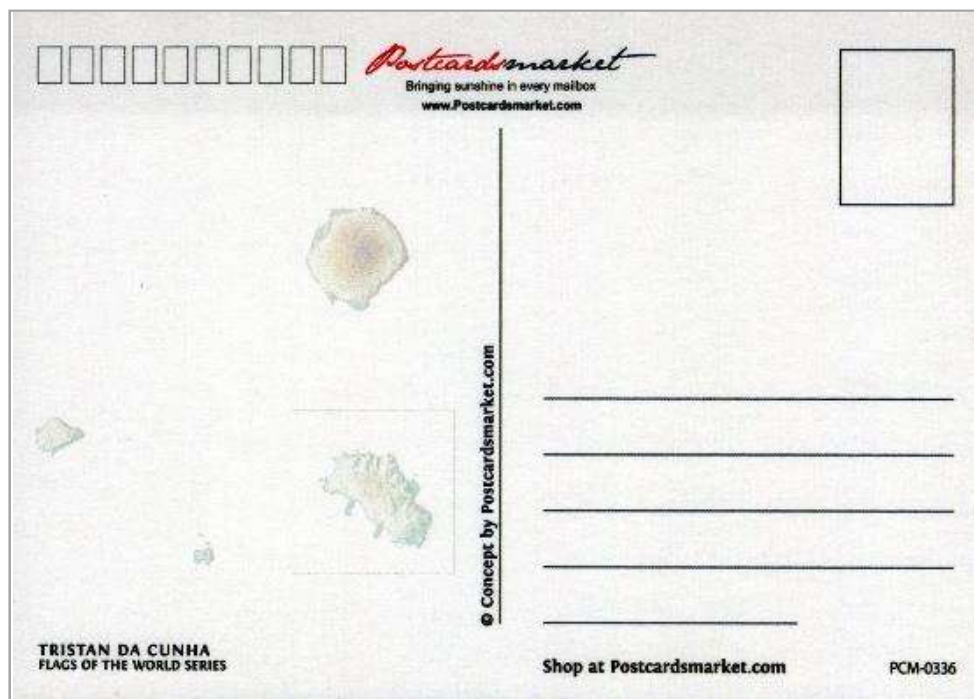
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# Tristan da Cunha Flag

Front Side:



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Special Remarks:

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# Tunisia Flag

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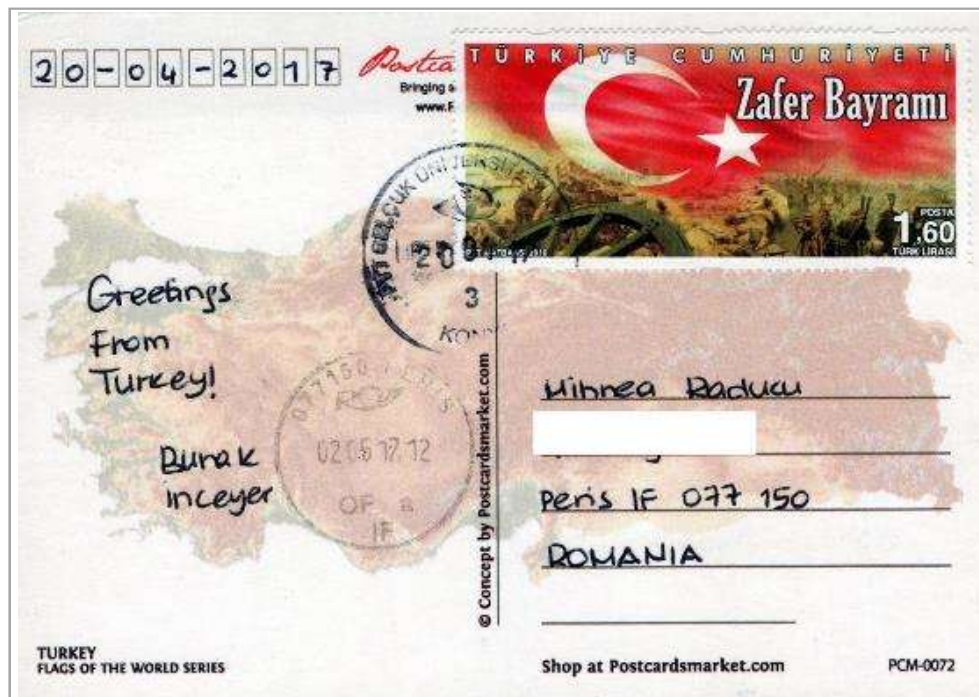
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# Turkey Flag

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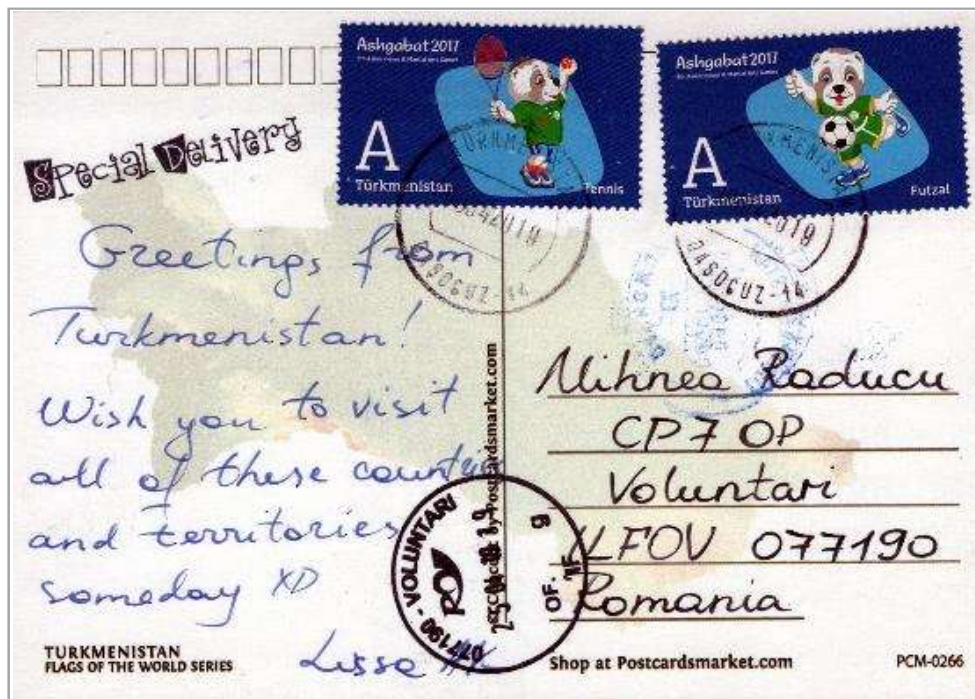
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# Turkmenistan Flag

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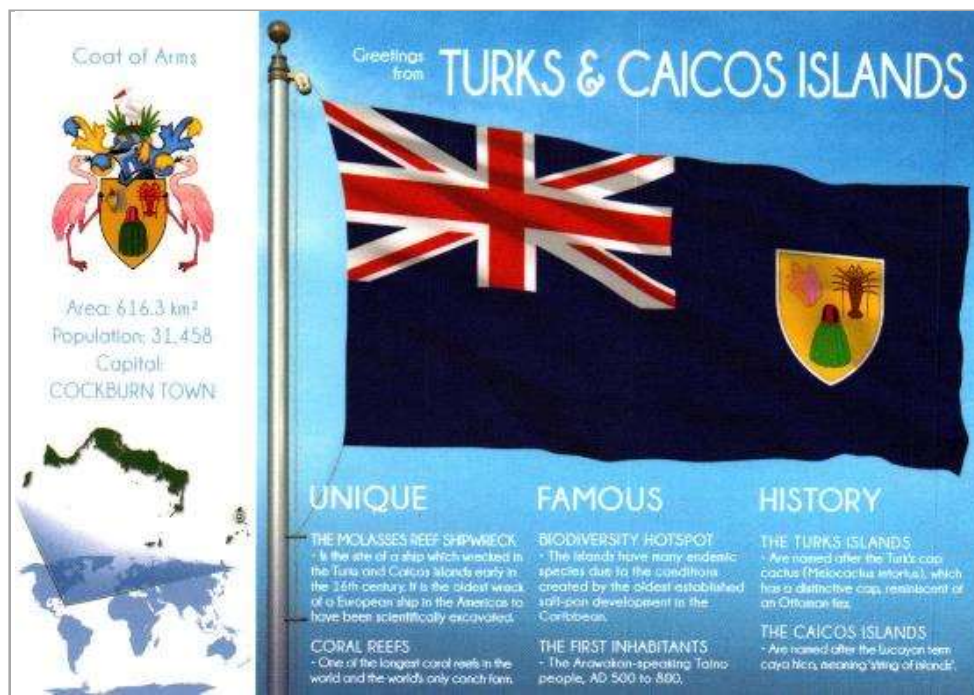


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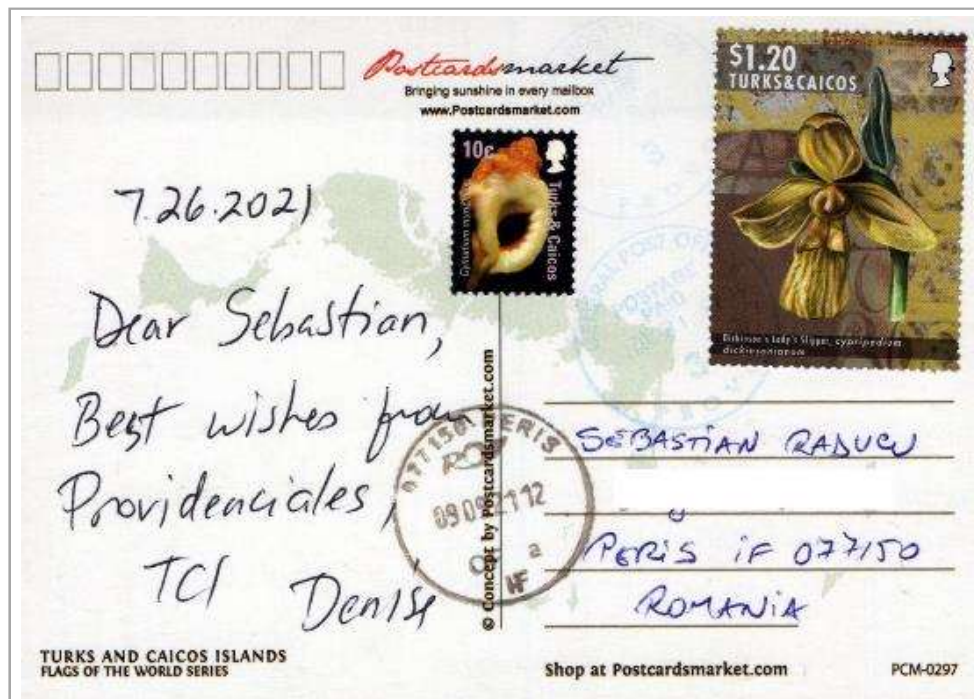
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# Turks and Caicos Islands Flag

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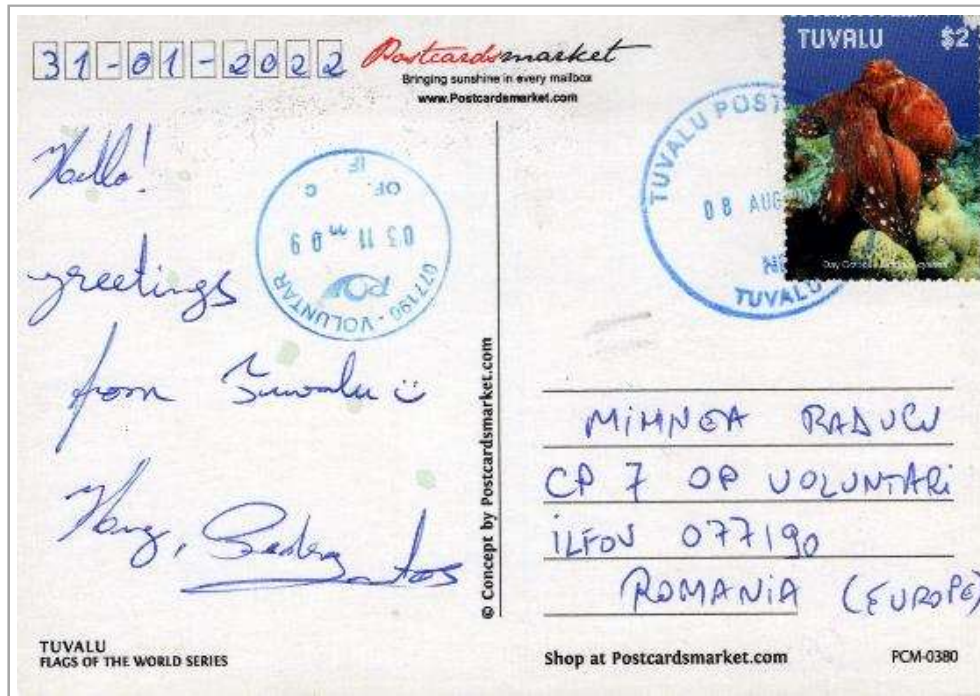


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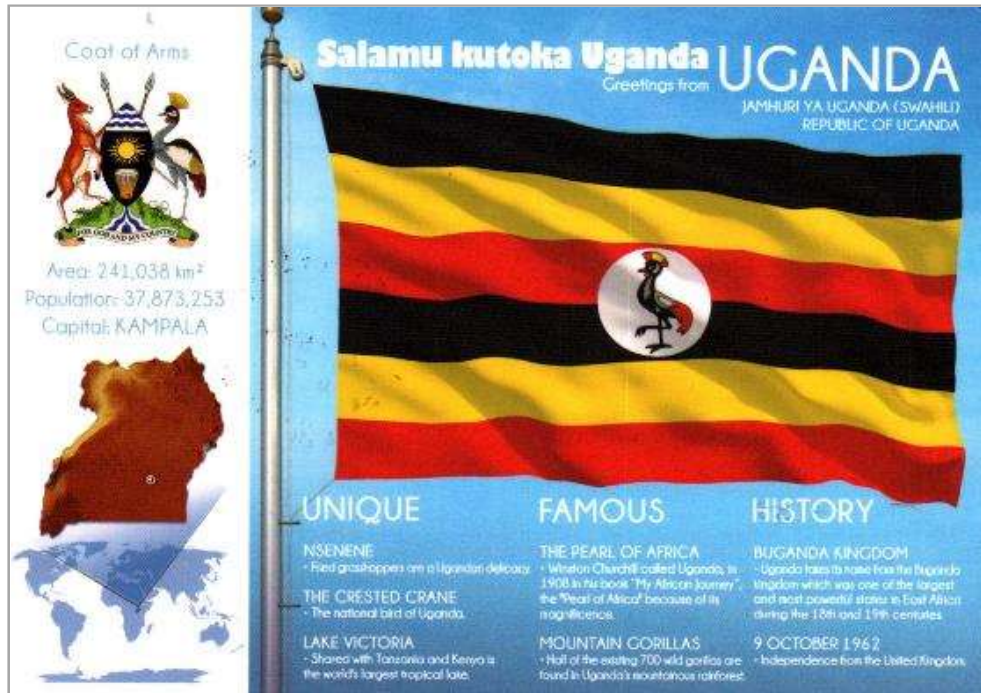


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# Uganda Flag

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# Ukraine Flag

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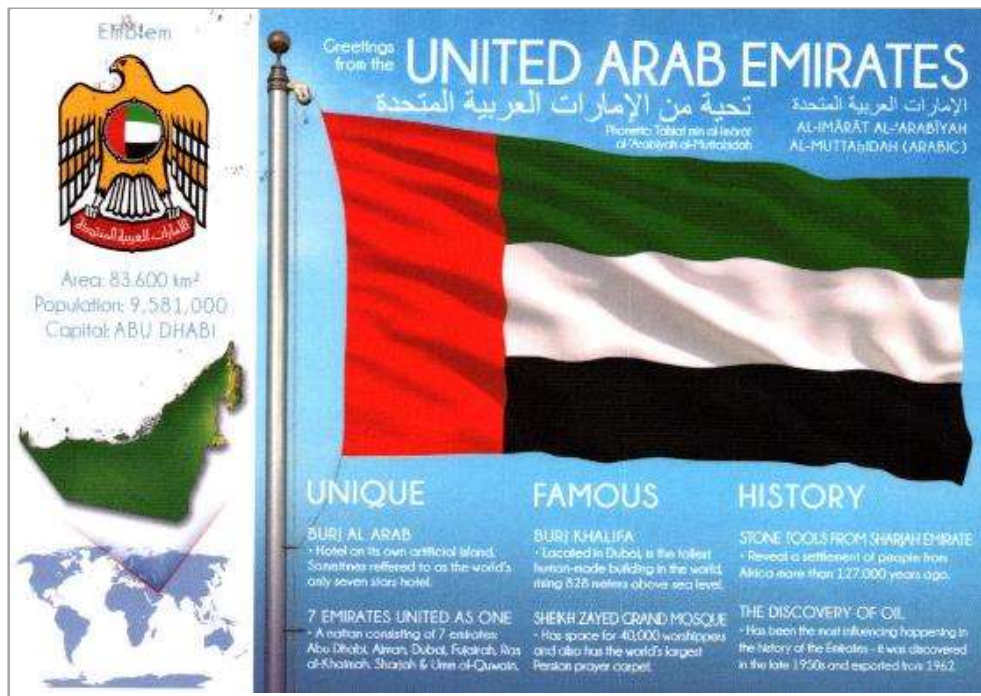


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# United Arab Emirates Flag

Front Side:



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# United Kingdom Flag

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# United States of America Flag

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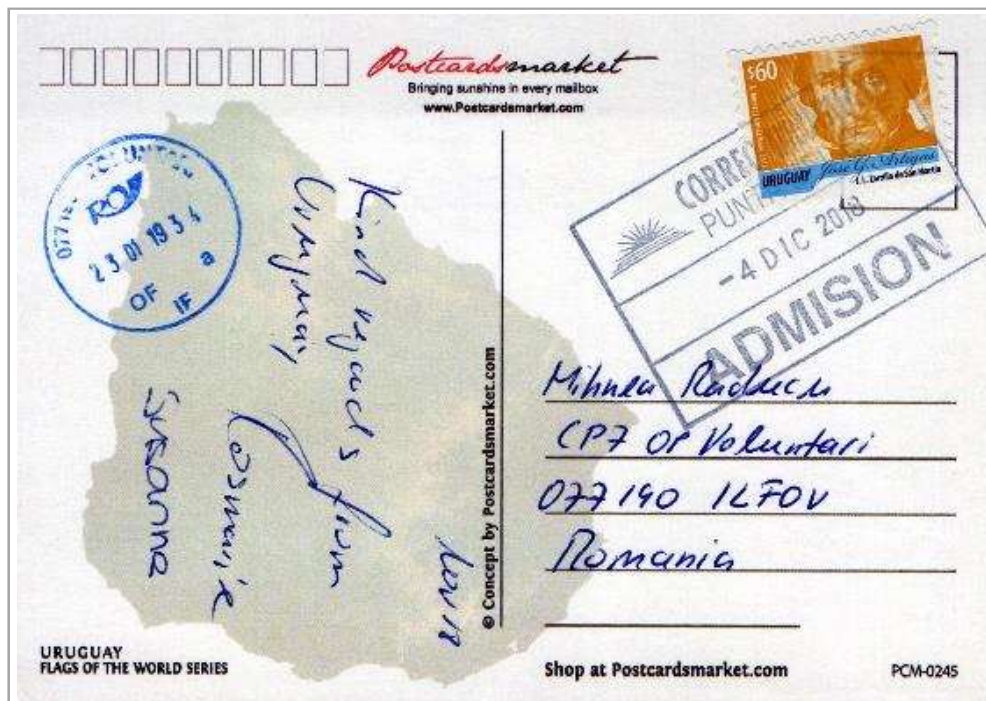
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# Uruguay Flag

Front Side:



Back Side:



Special Remarks:

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# Uzbekistan Flag

Front Side:

State Emblem

Area: 448,978 km<sup>2</sup>  
Population: 32,979,000  
Capital: TASHKENT

**O'zbekistondan salomlar UZBEKISTAN**  
Greetings from  
O'ZBEKISTON RESPUBLIKASI (UZBEK)  
РЕСПУБЛИКА УЗБЕКИСТАН (RUSSIAN)  
REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN

**UNIQUE**  
SAMARKAND  
- One of the oldest cities in the world  
- It is included in the UNESCO World Heritage List as the "Crossroads City"  
DOUBLY LANDLOCKED COUNTRY  
- Uzbekistan is one of the two landlocked countries in the world surrounded by landlocked countries.

**FAMOUS**  
ABU ALI IBN SINA  
- Scientist, philosopher and physician who wrote more than 400 works in 79 fields of sciences.  
GURGAN ZIJ  
- Created in 1437 at the stony city, with more than 1,000 stars described in one of the most important observations of the Middle Ages, built by Ulughbek in 1428-1429, near Samarkand.

**HISTORY**  
- For many centuries the region of Uzbekistan was ruled by various Empires, including the Persian and Russian Empires, until 1917 AD.  
- Before 1990, Central Asia was divided into city-states and "Mulla states known as "Khanates" in what is now Uzbekistan, the most powerful were the Khanate of Khiva, the Khanate of Bukhara, and the Khanate of Kokand.

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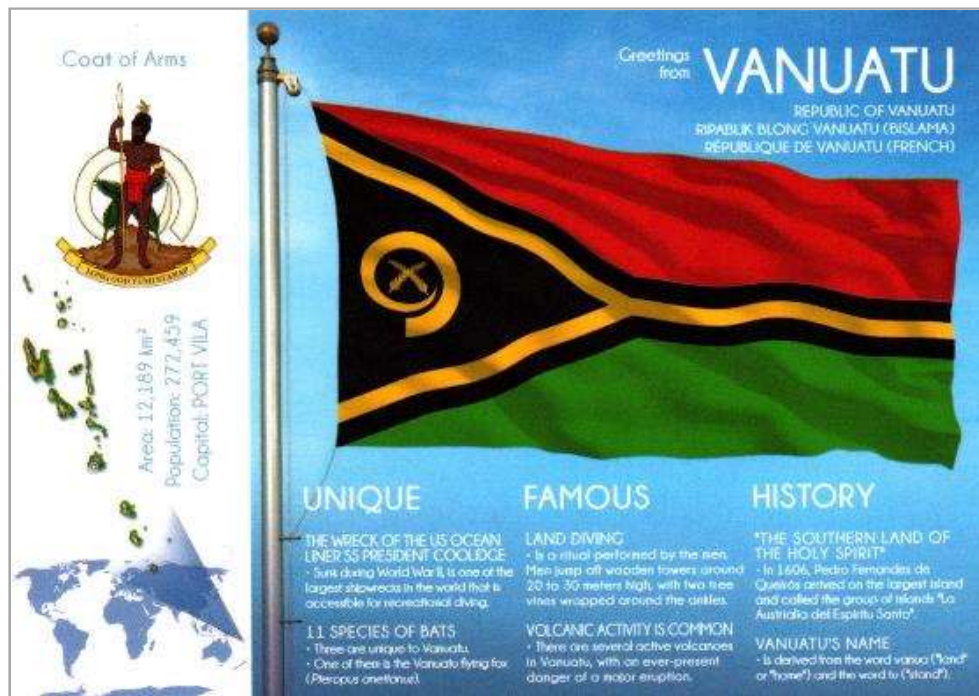
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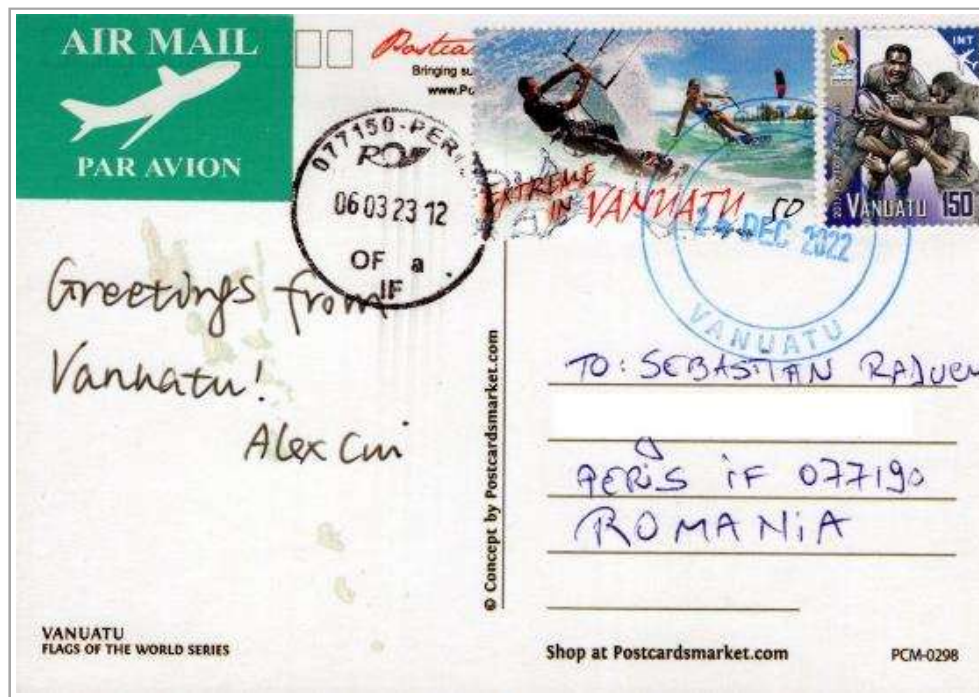


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**SISTINE CHAPEL**  
- Is a chapel in the Apostolic Palace, the official residence of the Pope, in Vatican City. The base of the Sistine Chapel lies nearly in the location that separates the entrance, and most particularly the Sistine Chapel ceiling and the Last Judgment by Michelangelo.

**THE OBELISK**  
- Roman Emperor Caligula had his forces transport from Egypt a pylon that had originally stood in Heliopolis. The obelisk, made of a single piece of red granite weighing more than 350 tons, was erected for an Egyptian pharaoh more than 3,000 years ago. In 1586 it was moved to its present location in St. Peter's Square, where it does double duty as a glare shield.

**FAMOUS**

**THE SWISS GUARD**  
- Recognizable by its armor and colorful Renaissance-era uniforms, The Swiss Guard has been protecting the pontiff since 1506.  
- Although the world's smallest standing army appears to be strictly ceremonial, its soldiers are extensively trained and highly skilled marksmen.

**HISTORY**

**THE SECRET PASSAGEWAY**  
- At several times during the Vatican's history, popes escaped through a secret passageway. In 1777, a half-mile-long elevated covered passageway, the Passetto di Borgo, was constructed to link the Vatican with the fortified Castel Sant'Angelo on the banks of the Tiber River. It served as an escape route for popes, most notably in 1527 when it helped saved the life of Pope Clement VII during the sack of Rome. As the forces of Holy Roman Emperor Charles V rampaged through the city.

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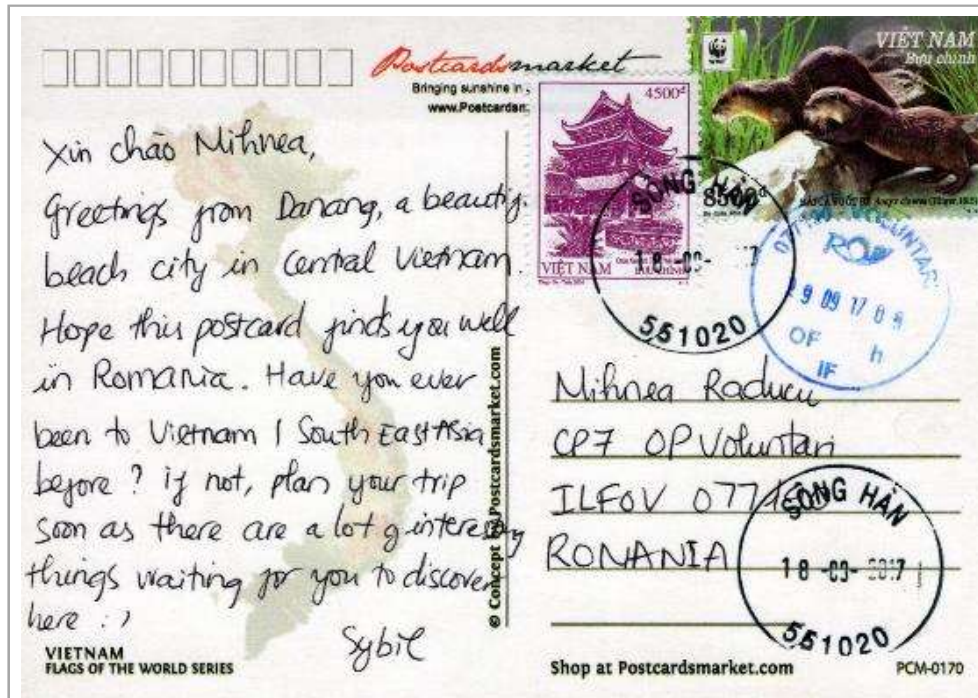
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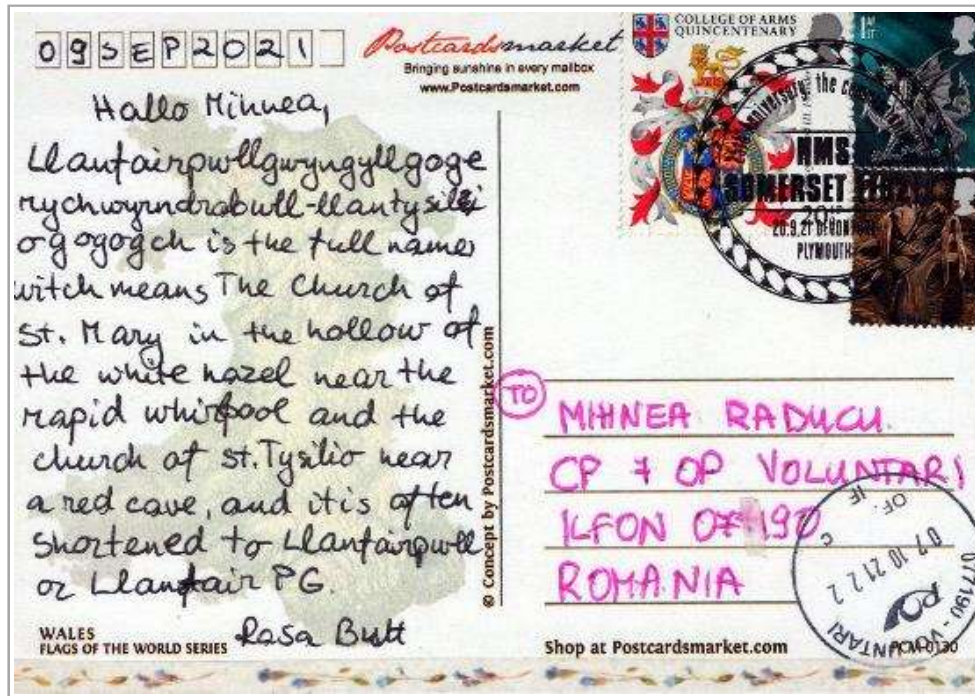
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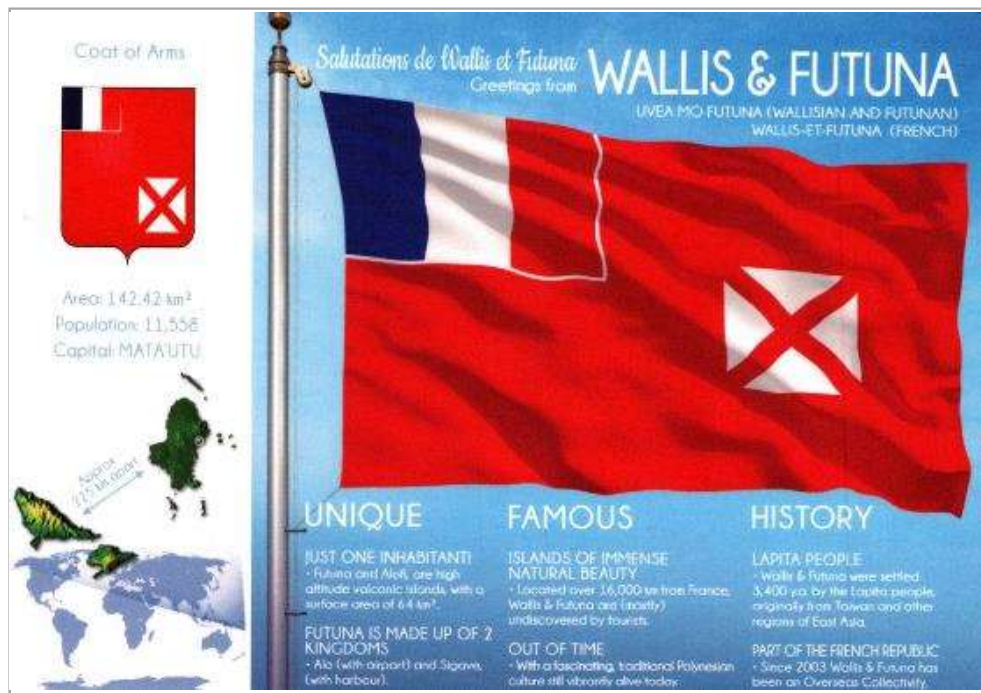


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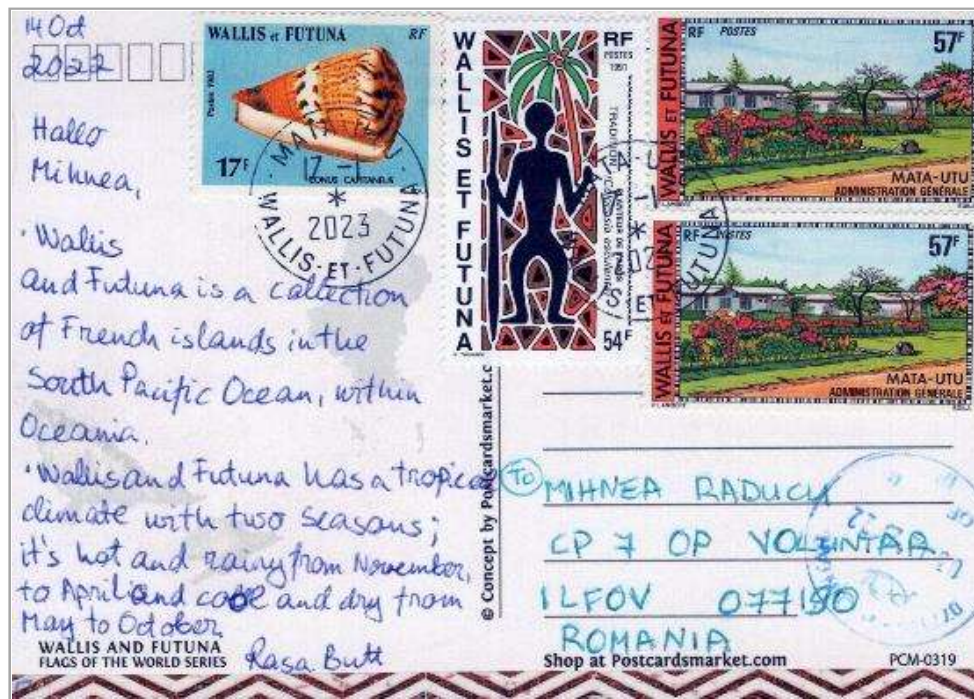
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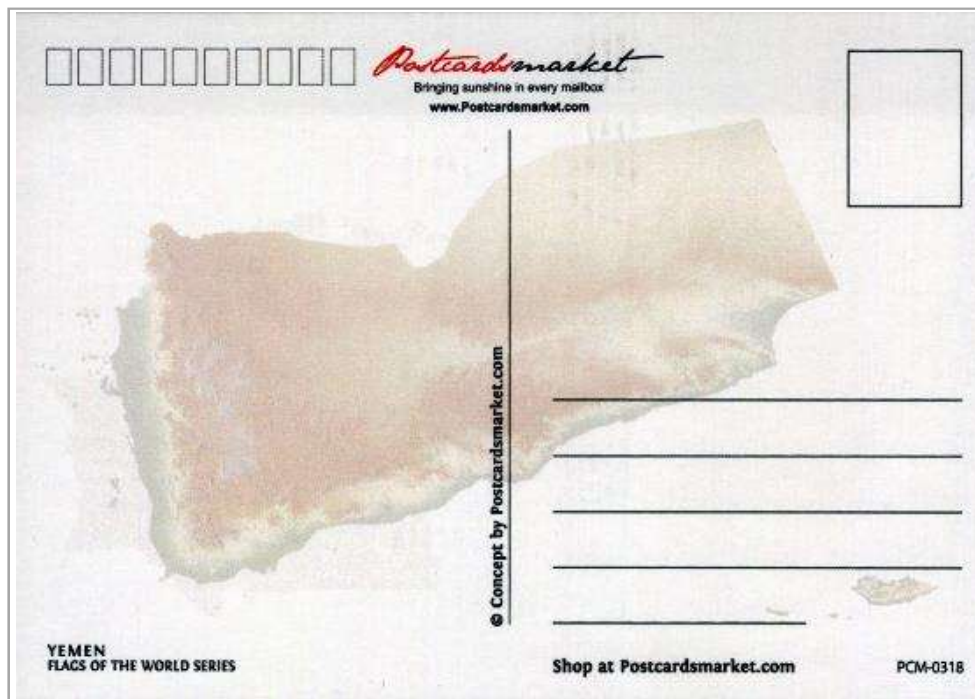


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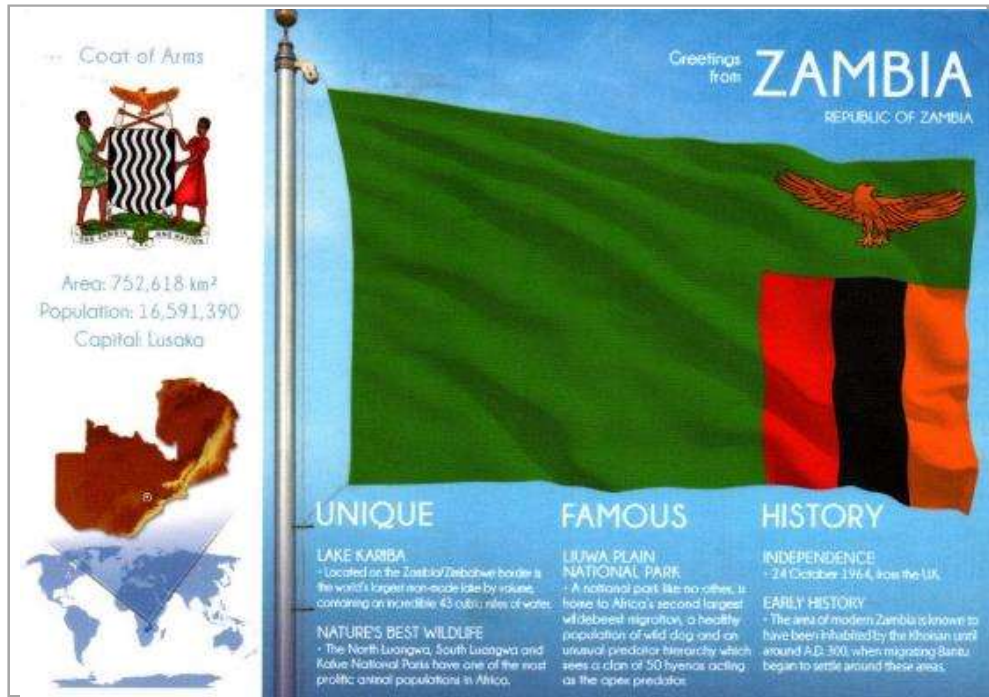


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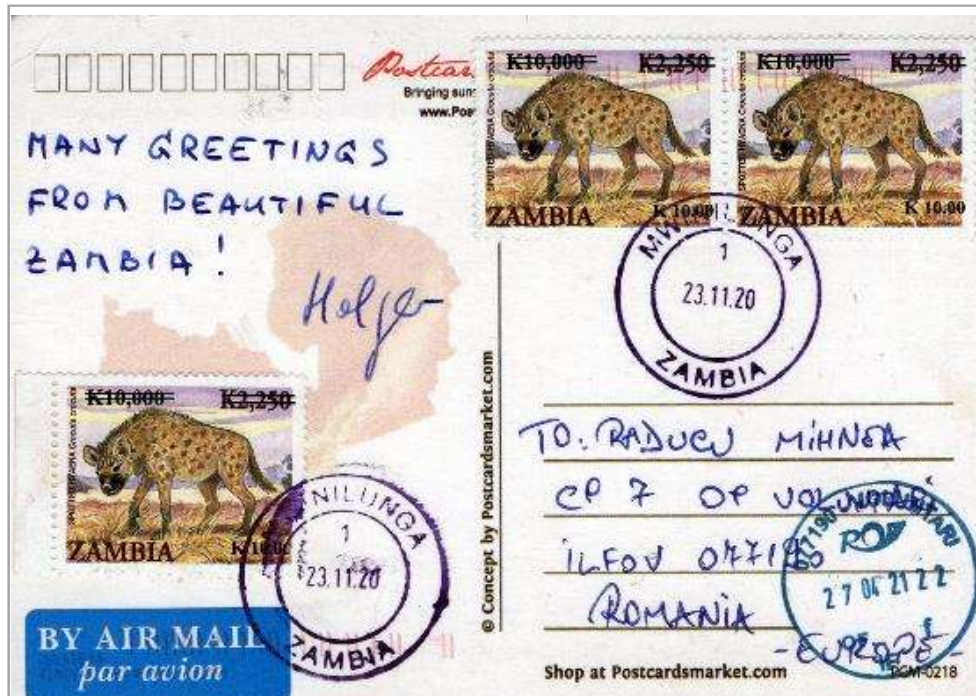
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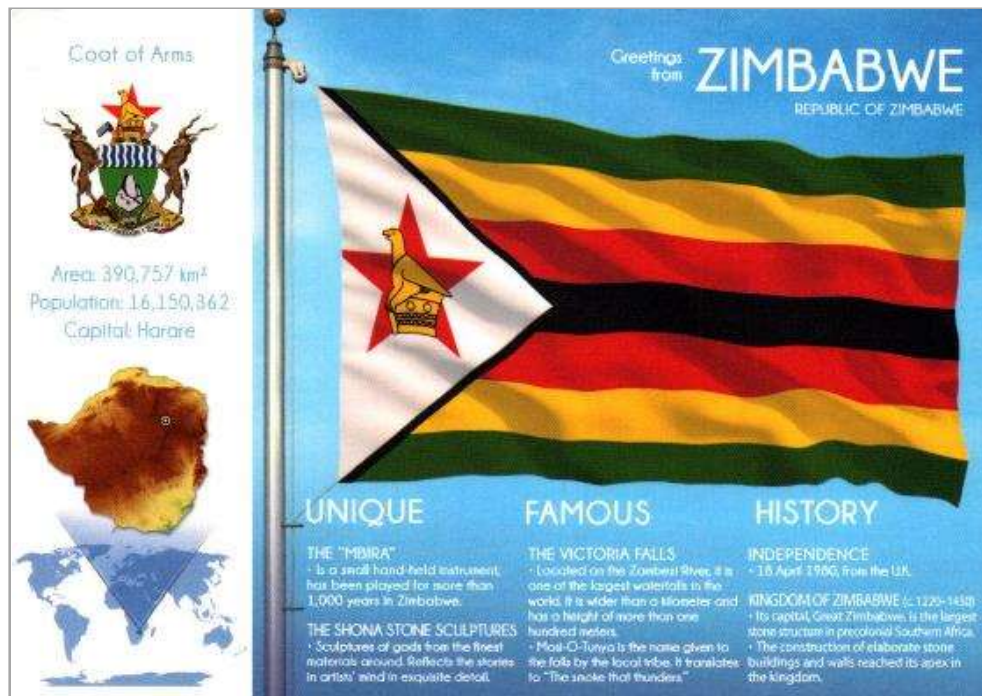


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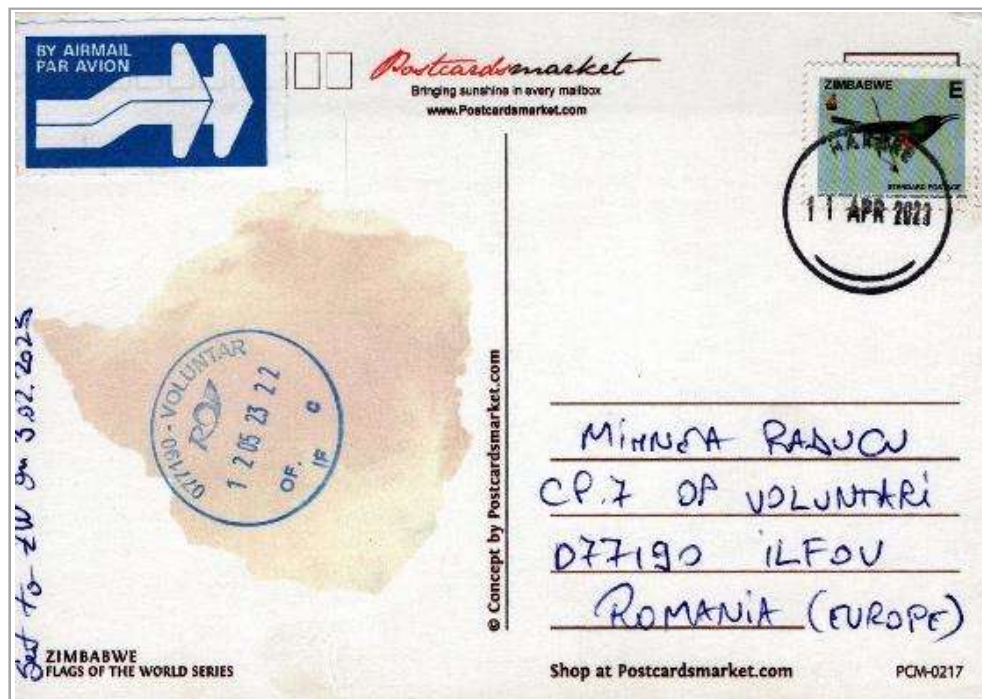
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