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GREAT ESCAPE  
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Amazing Race isn't the only globe-trotting race to crown winners this week.

The GreatEscape2005: The Global Scavenger Hunt crowned its winners in New York City on the weekend.

Lisa Hunt of Chicago and her teammate Helen Qubain of Brussels won the 22-day around-the-world scavenger hunt.

"We're thrilled, surprised and absolutely gratified," said Hunt, a 39-year-old account executive, after winning the 3rd annual competition. "We worked hard together, depended on the kindness of strangers in strange lands, and trusted our combined travel instincts. It was a challenging 25,000-mile international treasure hunt, but we survived and right now I feel numb."

Coming in second in the charitable event were Pat and Paul Buescher, a travel writer and photographer from Portland.

For more information and/or to apply for the 4th annual race next year visit the website [www.GlobalScavengerHunt.com](http://www.GlobalScavengerHunt.com)