

# The Egyptian Museum, Old Coptic and Islamic Cairo Tour

### Price Starting From : \$80

8 Hours Cairo Egypt 1 cairo Every day

When planning your Egypt trips, selecting the right destination is essential due to the country's vast expanse. We provide a range of premium Cairo day tours that showcase various attractions, such as the Egyptian Museum in Cairo, Coptic churches, Salah El Din Citadel, and the Alabaster Mosque of Mohamed Ali Basha. We also offer a special Coptic Cairo tour to help you explore ancient churches and Roman ruins like the Hanging Church and the Cave Church with our Egypt Day tours.

During your 8-hour Cairo tour, your private guide will take you to visit the ancient churches in Old Cairo and the city's oldest synagogue, the Ben Ezra Synagogue. You will also have the opportunity to explore the medieval streets of Khan El Khalili, a vibrant market where you can purchase clothes, food, and souvenirs. It's a fascinating place to visit and explore!

Discover our midday tours in Cairo to see the city from a fresh perspective. Coptic Cairo is a part of Old Cairo where you'll find the Babylon Citadel, the Coptic Museum, the Hanging Church, the Greek Church of St. George, and numerous other historical sites. In Christian tradition, it is believed that the Holy Family visited this area and stayed at the Church of St. Sergius and Bacchus (Abu Serga).

#### Overview Inclusion

- All transfers from/to your hotel in Cairo or Giza are included.
- All entrance fees to Egyptian museums and attractions as specified in the itinerary.
- Private comfortable, air-conditioned car will be at your disposal during day tours in Egypt.
- Local lunch at a pleasant restaurant.
- A certified guide will accompany you throughout this fantastic day tour.
- Complimentary bottle of water.
- Snack stops can be arranged on request during day tours in Egypt.
- A shopping tour in Egypt is available upon request during all tours to Cairo.
- All services and taxes are included in the tour price.

#### Exclusion

- Any extras not listed in the above itinerary are not covered.
- Tips or gratitude for the staff are not included but welcomed.

- Beverages during meals are not provided.
- Prices will rise during peak seasons like Christmas, New Year, and Easter.

#### **Itinerary**

## The Egyptian Museum and Old Coptic Cairo tour.

Embark on a captivating day in Cairo with your knowledgeable guide, starting at the Egyptian Museum. Here, delve into an extensive collection of ancient artefacts, including the renowned treasures of King Tutankhamun. Your guide will offer insightful commentary as you explore this rich history over two enlightening hours.

The treasures of Tutankhamun represent a remarkable array of jewellery and royal artefacts from Egypt's 18th Dynasty, uncovered after centuries buried in desert sands. These artefacts now reside in Cairo's Egyptian Museum, offering a profound glimpse into ancient Egyptian royalty.

Continue your journey to the Salah al-Din Citadel, home to the striking Alabaster Mosque of Mohammed Ali, a masterpiece of Ottoman architecture. This citadel, once a formidable medieval fortress and administrative hub, provides panoramic views of Cairo's Islamic quarter.

Savour a delectable lunch featuring traditional Egyptian dishes before venturing into Coptic Cairo. Explore ancient churches and landmarks, including the Roman fortress of Babylon and the revered Hanging Church, a symbol of Egypt's enduring Coptic Christian heritage.

Visit the Church of St. Sergius, believed to have sheltered the Holy Family during their time in Egypt, and the historic Ben Ezra Synagogue, originally a Coptic church later converted into a synagogue.

Conclude your day by immersing yourself in Cairo's Islamic quarter, where medieval mosques like the Al-Hakim Mosque and ancient city walls transport you to another era. At the end of your Cairo day tour, relax as you're chauffeured back to your hotel, having experienced the city's rich cultural mosaic and historical depth.