

Camel Market of Birqash Day Trip

Price Starting From : \$45

4 HOURS

EGYPT

Cairo

While in Cairo, make sure to seize the chance to explore one of Egypt's most unique experiences with our Egypt Tours Packages – a visit to the largest camel market in the country. This fascinating excursion to the Birqash Camel Market offers an immersive glimpse into the bustling camel trade, where camels from places like Sudan and Somalia are bought and sold. Our Cairo day tour will take you to this renowned market, which is one of the largest not just in Egypt, but in Africa as a whole. The vibrant atmosphere, packed with lively negotiations and trading, is a sight to behold.

The Birqash market is located on the historic 40 Days Road, a centuries-old caravan route that connected Sudan to Birqash, adding a layer of historical significance to the experience. Visiting this camel market allows you to dive deep into Egyptian culture, observing a traditional practice that has continued for generations. If you're curious about the workings of camel trading, this market is the perfect place to learn and appreciate its cultural importance.

As part of your Egyptian journey, don't miss the thrill of a camel ride at either sunrise or sunset near the Giza Pyramids. It's an adventure that every traveler should experience at least once. Plus, exploring Birqash provides a great opportunity for shopping, where you can find unique, authentic souvenirs to take home. Delving into the vibrant marketplace, you'll feel the pulse of local life, witness captivating exchanges of goods, and perhaps discover special treasures as keepsakes from your unforgettable Egypt trip.

[Overview](#)

Inclusion

- Pickup and drop-off from any hotel in Cairo or Giza by Cairo Top Tours.
- Travel to the Birqash Camel Market in a private air-conditioned vehicle.
- A certified guide will accompany you during your visit to the Camel Market.
- Complimentary bottled water provided throughout your Cairo day tour.
- Option to enjoy a shopping tour in Cairo upon return (available upon request).
- All taxes and service fees are included in the cost of the Birqash Camel Market tour as part of your Egypt day trips.

Exclusion

- Any items not mentioned in your Egypt tours itinerary.
- Tipping is appreciated as a gesture of gratitude but is not included in any of our Cairo excursions.
- Prices remain applicable during Christmas, New Year, and Egypt Easter tours.

[Itinerary](#)

Camel Market Cairo Tour

You'll begin your adventure by meeting your experienced guide from Cairo Top Tours in your hotel lobby, where he will introduce himself and your personal driver. Together, you'll head to the Birqash Camel Market in a comfortable, air-conditioned vehicle. The market is located about 60 kilometers from Cairo, and you'll be picked up early to experience the market during its busiest hours.

This is one of the largest camel meat markets in both Africa and Egypt's history. Camels are periodically gathered along the historic Darb al-Arba'in, a 40-day caravan route leading from Sudan to Birqash. These camels are imported from Sudan, Eritrea, and Somalia, and then transported to the market via large trucks after passing through several oases.

After enjoying one of Cairo's most recommended tours—the visit to the Birqash Camel Market—you'll be taken back to your hotel, filled with memories of this unique experience.