Coptic and Islamic Cairo Tour from Alexandria Port

tour.duration

12 hrs

tour.overview

Experience the cultural richness of Cairo's Islamic and Coptic heritage with a sightseeing tour departing from Alexandria Port. Visit the iconic Salah El Din Citadel, home to the renowned Mohamed Ali Alabaster Mosque, as well as the historic Al Gowhara Palace built by the Mamluks and Ottomans. Tour the Ibn Toloun Mosque, the Gair Anderson Museum, the renowned Hanging Church, St. Sergius, and the Coptic Museum. Book your Egypt shore excursions now for a truly memorable experience.

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Day 1

Itinerary

Your Egypt Tours Egyptologist guide will pick you up from Alexandria Port by the cruise exit door. Then enjoy a shore excursion and a day trip from Alexandria to Cairo, approximately 2 ½ hours by a luxurious air-conditioned vehicle. In this tour, you will have a comprehensive idea about the Coptic, Jewish and Islamic history of Egypt. Get excited

by sightseeing at the Islamic and Coptic sites in Cairo. First, see Saladin Citadel where the Alabaster Mosque of Mohamed Ali was built in 1830. Then proceed to Ibn Toulon Mosque which is the best-preserved mosque in Cairo with its unique tower. Carry on having your lunch at a local restaurant. Then we will move on to Old Cairo where you will discover the Roman fortress, the Hanging church, also called Al Mo'allaka church, then to Abu Serga Church which sheltered the holy family. Look at the oldest Jewish synagogue in Cairo. Drive back to Alexandria to board your ship.

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Pick up services from Alexandria Port (by the cruise exit door).

All transfers by a private air-conditioned vehicle.

Private English Egyptologist guide.

Entrance fees to all the mentioned sites.

Mineral water on board the vehicle during the tour.

Lunch meal at local restaurant in Cairo.

Shopping tours in Cairo.

All Service charges & taxes.

Exclusion

Gratuities/Tipping (recommended). In Egypt, tipping is not an obligation but a sign of appreciation for good service. That is being said, tips are expected from people that serve you—e.g., driver, guide, etc. We tell

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Any extras not mentioned in the itinerary

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225\$ /Per Person