

Private Tour to Wadi El Natroun from Cairo

Wadi El Natroun.

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1 Day

Private

Everyday

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Day Trip to Wadi El Natroun – Explore Egypt’s Early Christian Heritage

Take a journey back in time with a day trip to **Wadi El Natroun**, a quiet desert valley located just a short drive northwest of Cairo. Known as the cradle of Christian monasticism, this area is home to some of the **oldest and most significant Coptic monasteries** in Egypt.

As you travel through the serene Western Desert, your guide will share the fascinating history of this sacred region and its importance to early Christianity. Wadi El Natroun was once a refuge for monks seeking solitude and spiritual devotion, and today, it remains a peaceful center of worship and tradition.

During your visit, you’ll explore several historic monasteries, including:

Deir Anba Bishoy, the most well-known monastery in the valley, housing the relics of Saint Bishoy and offering insight into

centuries of monastic life.

Deir El-Suryani, renowned for its compact design, ancient frescoes, and valuable collection of manuscripts.

Deir El-Baramus, thought to be the oldest of the surviving monasteries, with a rich history and quiet, contemplative surroundings.

This tour offers a rare opportunity to experience a lesser-known side of Egypt—one rooted in spirituality, simplicity, and timeless tradition. After a meaningful day of discovery, you'll return to Cairo with a deeper appreciation for Egypt's diverse religious and cultural landscape.

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The Service of pick up from your hotel and return.

Egyptologist tour guide during the tours.

A modern private air-conditioned vehicle for your trip.

Admission fees to all the sights listed in the itinerary.

Lunch meal.

Bottled water on the vehicle.

All charges and taxes.

Exclusion

Tipping.

Any Optional Tours.

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190\$ /Per Person