



TRIP NOTES



TOUR NAME
ISLAMIC CAIRO
DURATION
6 HOURS APPROXIMATELY

Of all the countries where Islam has spread and the Islamic civilization has flourished, Egypt boasts the largest number and the widest variety of Islamic monuments. Your visit to Egypt is a wonderful opportunity to explore some of the finest Islamic monuments of the country and to learn about the remarkable Islamic periods in Egypt. This tour enables guests to visit the Citadel, the astonishing mosques of El Sultan Hassan, Rifai, and the wonderful Mamluk tombs in Cairo



SALADIN CITADEL

Our first stop of the day is at the Citadel Constructed in 1176 by the famous Egyptian king Saladin El Ayouby, the citadel has become a popular tourist attraction and landmark of Cairo. The site hosts many interesting structures, such as the Mosque of Mohamed Ali, the military museum, and the structure of the Citadel itself is quite remarkable.



SULTAN HASSAN MOSQUE

Our second stop is at the Sultan Hassan Mosque, constructed in the middle of the 14th century, it is one of the most breathtaking Islamic buildings in Egypt. The mosque features a beautifully ornamented dome situated over the tomb of the establish-er of the complex, Sultan Hassan.



RIFAI MOSQUE

Our third visit is to the Rifai Mosque, established by Khoshiar Hanem, the Mother of Khedive Ismail. The mosque is has been open to public since the beginning of the 20th century as have the tombs of the royal family of Mohamed Ali in Egypt. With its huge size, marvelous architecture and decorations, it is no less charming than its neighbor, the Sultan Hassan Mosque.



TOMBS OF THE MAMLUKS

Our last visit will be to the Tombs of the Mamluks. Established mainly at the beginning of the 14th century, this historical burial site contains some amazing funerary complexes constructed by the Mamluks in Egypt, including the Mosque of Qaitbey, the Complex of Sultan Ashraf Baresbay, and the Complex of Faraj Ibn Barquq, and by the end of the tour, guests will be transported to their hotel in Cairo.

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INCLUDED

- *Transportation in A/C new model Comfortable car*
- *Professional guiding in your preferred language*
- *Entrance fees to all attractions mentioned in the itinerary*
- *Lunch at local restaurant*
- *One bottle of mineral water*
- *Refreshing towels*
- *All taxes and service charges*

EXCLUDED

- *Personal expenses like drinks, etc....*
- *Tipping to tour leader and driver*
- *Travel insurance*

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