## Coptic and Islamic Cairo Trip from Airport

**Price Starting From: \$50** 

8 Hours Egypt Cairo

With Cairo Top Tours, you will enjoy every moment of your visit as you arrive at Cairo International Airport and begin your tour of one of the oldest capitals in the world, where Coptic and Islamic civilizations merge into one enchanting historical tableau. Don't miss this precious opportunity, as you will be taken on a journey through time to explore ancient Coptic churches and temples that tell the stories of early Christianity in Egypt, and then be transported into the atmosphere of the Islamic era with historic mosques and narrow streets that reflect the spirit of Islamic Cairo.

You will enjoy an unforgettable trip exploring famous Coptic landmarks such as the Hanging Church, which is called hanging because it was built on two of the ancient towers of the Roman fort[?] (Babylon Fortress), which was built by Emperor Trajan in the second century AD, and is the oldest surviving church in Egypt, You will also be able to explore the ancient church of Abu Sarja or the church of the two martyrs Sergius and Wachs is the ancient church built over the place where the Holy Family stayed during the escape journey and has the cave of escape at the temple and is located at the complex of religions in Old Cairo, where Coptic architecture and spirituality are manifested and you can see and explore other churches there.

Additionally, you will travel to the center of Islamic Cairo, where you can explore Khan Al-Khalili, one of the world's oldest oriental markets, walk down Al-Moez Street, and see historic mosques like Sultan Hassan Mosque and Al-Rifai Mosque.

You will also enjoy a delicious lunch in one of Cairo's local restaurants, savoring the rich Egyptian food.

This trip is more than just a sightseeing excursion; it's an amazing chance to learn about the diversity of cultures and religions that have molded Cairo into a unique city that combines a vibrant present with a rich history.

## Overview Inclusion

- All transfers from your hotel to the mosques and churches of Old Cairo by Cairo Top Tours staff and back.
- Air transportation is in an exclusive air-conditioned vehicle.
- A certified English speaking guide is included during all our Egypt Day Tours.
- Admission fees and entrance fees to the mosques and sites are covered by the tour itinerary.
- Lunch at a quality local restaurant in Old Cairo.
- Complementary bottle of water on board the vehicle during your tour.
- Shopping tour in Cairo (on request).
- All taxes and service charges included during our Cairo day tours from the airport.

## **Exclusion**

- Additional items not mentioned in your Cairo sightseeing itinerary.
- Tipping is not included in the price of the Coptic Cairo transit tour.
- Beverages during meals.
- Rates applicable during Christmas and New Year tours in Egypt or Easter tours in Egypt.

## **Coptic and Islamic Cairo Transit Tour**

Once you arrive at Cairo Airport, one of our representatives with a certified guide will be waiting for you at the airport to take you in a comfortable air-conditioned car to enjoy every moment of your day exploring one of Cairo's favorite tourist sites.

Your day starts with an impressive visit to Islamic Cairo, where you will stroll along Al-Moez Din Allah Fatimi Street, a street that represents the heart of Old Cairo, which was developed to be an open museum of Islamic architecture and antiquities, as the street was given several names in the past: the Great Street, the Cairo Kasbah, and the Cairo Al-Kubra Kasbah. It was finally named Al-Moez Street in 1937 in honor of the founder of Cairo, and extends from Bab Al-Fotouh to Bab Zuwayla, after which we will visit the ancient mosques, such as Sultan Hassan and Al-Rifai, and enjoy a tour of Khan Al-Khalili, one of the oldest oriental markets in the world.

After that, you will have an amazing journey seeing well-known Coptic sites like the Hanging Church, the oldest surviving church in Egypt, which was constructed on two of the old towers of the Roman fort (Babylon Fortress) by Emperor Trajan in the second century AD. You will also have the opportunity to visit the ancient church of Abu Sarja, also known as the church of the two martyrs Sergius and Wachs. It was constructed over the location where the Holy Family stayed during the escape journey and features an escape cave at the temple. It is situated in the Old Cairo complex of religions, where Coptic architecture and spirituality are evident, and you can see and explore other churches there.

You will also appreciate the wonderful Egyptian cuisine at a local restaurant in Cairo while enjoying a delectable lunch.

After finishing your tour, we will transfer you back to Cairo International Airport for your final departure.

Meals Included: Lunch