# **Islamic and Coptic Cairo Trip**

**Price Starting From: \$60** 

8 Hours

Cairo

Egypt

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Everyday

Roam free among the pious and lovely attractions in Egypt with the Islamic and Coptic Cairo Trip, a fantastic fabled journey of hundreds of years of religious history and social ingenuity. You will start your tour in the Islamic Cairo area and check out walking in its narrow alleyways to have a feast of magnificent mosques, ancient gates, and lively bazaarding. Then, you'll have the best corners to sleep in that are left unattended by locals-take some intracity buses to get to the most renowned mosque: the great Sultan Hassan Mosque since the Mamluk ages. Also, pay visits to the Al-Rifa'i Mosque, where Egypt's last royal family was buried.

Then proceed through Coptic Cairo, the city within the city of Christian sites that also houses some of the world's oldest churches. There you'll find the fantastic Hanging Church: It hovers over the 7th-century ruins of the Roman fortress. There's also the Coptic Village and one of its churches looked on Egypt's Holy Family during their time spent in Egypt. The metro's association — a part of the underground waiting sheds, discovered two years ago during the Great Metro Construction Project — leads to the St. Sergius and St. Bacchus Church in its supposed underground quarter of the Jewish Temple.

How very well designed for the project! Yet this remains on more than a painting thin layers make it sound even more perfect. Being in the shadows-close to those "thick," extensive walls just makes you ponder how strong those fortifications must be that remain all through the time when humans change recreation to war.

#### Overview

#### Inclusion

- Cairo Top Tours personnel will handle all transportation from your accommodation to the Old
- Cairo mosques and churches, as well as the return trip.
- All transportation is provided by a luxury, air-conditioned car.
- All of our Egypt Day Tours include a knowledgeable guide who speaks English.
- The trip schedule includes tickets and admission fees to the monuments and mosques.
- Lunch in Old Cairo at a good local restaurant.
- During your Coptic and Islamic Cairo Tour, you will receive a complimentary bottle of water in the vehicle.
- All of our trips in Cairo include shopping excursions. (When asked).
- Included are taxes and service fees.

#### **Exclusion**

- Anything additional that isn't in your itinerary.
- Tipping is customary all across the world and is displayed but not included in the cost of the trip.
- Drink something as you eat.

• Prices are available for Egypt Easter tours and Egypt Christmas and New Year tours.

### Itinerary

## **Coptic and Islamic Cairo Tour**

A Coptic and Islamic Cairo Citadel tour began at the hotel and went straight into Islamic Cairo, the base of Saladin's Citadel. The site is almost at the top of the medieval fortress viewpoint-huge Saladin. Almost immediately thereafter, the traveler can be greeted by the Mosque of Muhammad Ali Alabaster Mosque, Telling of grandeur seen in external domes liberally sprinkled with cranberry-colored alabaster roofing. The Mosque of Sultan Hassan and Al-Rifa'i Mosque follow both amazing architectural edifices that speak of the grandeur of Islamic art; and history. Chapuli Guidebook will lead through the place's historic street district's shopping districts, which boast the popular Khan El Khalili Bazaar, its traditional souvenirs, spices, and handicrafts.

The tour will continue upstairs to Coptic Cairo: the dense area of ancient churches and huge patches of Christian remnants. The Hanging Church (Saint Virgin Mary's Church) is the best-known ancient church because of its stunning wooden ceiling and sacred icons. Just move on to visit Saint Sergius and Bacchus Church, which is said to have been built over the crypt where the Holy Family took refuge while journeying through Egypt. Proceed to the remarkable Ben Ezra Synagogue, the oldest Jewish site situated in the historical context with a long cultural understanding. End the day experiencing a more progressive religious history of Cairo and then exhale a return through the hotel settings following your immersive journey.