



Great Mosque in Sousse Sousse

TREASURES OF TUNISIA

TUNIS, SOUSSE, ELDJEM, MATMATA, DOUZ, CHOTT EL JERID, TOZEUR, CHEBIK, TAMERZA, MIDES TOZEUR, OUNG EL JEMEL, SBEITLA, KAIROUAN, CARTHAGE, SIDI BOU SAID - 8 Days/7 Nights

ITINERARY

Day 1: Tunis/Sousse

Arrival and transfer to Sousse Accommodation in your 5* hotel. Dinner and overnight. **(D)**

Day 2: Sousse

After Breakfast, visit of Sousse considered as an important tourist destination. We will visit the old medina and Port El Kantaoui Harbor. Free time in the afternoon. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Sousse. **(B, D)**

Day 3: Sousse/El Djem/Matmata/Douz

Early in the morning we leave to El Djem which is famous for its amphitheater, capable of seating 35,000 spectators. Only the Flavian Amphitheater in Rome and the ruined theatre of Capua are larger. Continuation to Matmata small southern town where some of the resi-

dents still speak the Berber language.

Visit of the typical underground structures "the troglodyte house" still home of a few. After lunch we drive to Douz known as the "gateway of Sahara", the best destination for who are interested to see the desert. Free time to enjoy a camel ride in the desert. Dinner and overnight in a 4* hotel **(B, L, D)**

DAY 4: Douz/Chott El Jerid/ Tozeur/Chebika/Tamerza/Mides/Tozeur

After breakfast, departure to Tozeur via Chott El Jerid the salt lake, with a photo break and continuation to Tozeur, known by its oasis of hundred thousand palms trees. Departure by 4x4 to visit the mountain oasis Chebika Tamerza and Mides. Back to Tozeur for lunch. In the afternoon you will enjoy a guided tour of the medina (old city) of Tozeur, and find traditional architecture, traditional local fashion and workmanship. Dinner and overnight in

your hotel. **(B, L, D)**

DAY 5: Tozeur/Oung El Jemel/Tozeur

After breakfast, departure for the guided tour of the Eden Palm Museum (1h) and then a carriage ride (optional) through the Oasis of Tozeur. Back to the hotel for lunch. In the Afternoon, departure with 4x4 car, to Oung El Jemel - the filming site of movies such as Star Wars and English Patient. Dinner and overnight in your hotel. **(B, L, D)**

Day 6: Tozeur/Sbeitla/Kairouan

Departure after breakfast for KAIROUAN via SBEITLA. Visit of the Roman ruins of SBEITLA (1h). Continuation to KAIROUAN and visit the Great Mosque, also named JAMAA SIDI OQBA, the oldest Islamic religious site in the western world. Visit the Barber's Mausoleum or Sidi Sahib named after the Prophet's companion, then stop at the « Aghlabite Basins » built in the





Sidi Bou Said

IX th century. Dinner and overnight in Hotel KASBAH KAIROUAN 5* **(B, D)**

Day 7: Tunis/Carthage/Sidi Bou Said

Early in the morning we leave Kairouan to Tunis to visit the old Medina in Tunis, labyrinth of one thousand and one treasures. Fabulous Bardo Museum including the largest collection of Roman mosaics in the world, as well as unique objects and vestiges recounting the ancient history of Tunisia from prehistory to the Punic, Roman, Byzantine and Arab

Islamic period. Then, visit CARTHAGE, capital symbol of ancient Tunisia, with Punic and Roman vestiges including Antonio's Thermal Bathes, the Roman villas, the Amphitheatre etc... visit village of Sidi Bou Said, perched on a cliff towering above Mediterranean and dominating Carthage and the Gulf of Tunis. Sidi Bou Said is famous for its « Mat'sCafe » (Cafe des Nattes) so often painted by artists of all nationalities, and its white houses in picturesque architectural style, standing against the azure of the sky and

the sea. Dinner and overnight in Tunis. **(D)**

Day 8: Departure

After breakfast and according to departure schedule, transfer to the Airport. Assistance and departure. **(B)**



Tozeur

