



Hiking the Simien Mountains National Park

17 Days/ 16 Nights

Day 1: Arrive at Bole International Airport (Addis Ababa) and transfer to the hotel. Overnight in Addis Ababa.



Day 2: Fly to Bahar Dar. In the afternoon visit the island monasteries on Lake Tana. Overnight in Bahar Dar.

Day 3: Early morning visit the majestic Blue Nile falls. After lunch take a city tour of Bahar Dar. Overnight in Bahar Dar.

Day 4: Fly to Gondar. Visit the 17th century Castles, the bath of Emperor Fasilidas, the monastery of Qwesquam and the icon rich church of Debre Berhan Silassie. Overnight in Gondar.



Day 5: Drive to Debarq, the base from which you'll explore the Simien Mountains National Park. Hike to the first stop at Sankaber Camp. Overnight camping.



Day 6: Hike to Geech enjoying the invigorating sight en-route. Overnight camping at Geech.

Day 7: Hike Imet gogo on your way to camp at Chenek.

Day 8: Hike Buahit and proceed to Ambiqua for overnight camping.

Day 9: Hike Ras Dashen, Ethiopia's highest peak, and back to Ambiqua for overnight camping.

Day 10: Hike to Arkwazeye, enjoying the scenery en-route to Camp Sona.

Day 11: Hike to Mearebia for overnight camping.

Day 12: Hike to Ansiya River and proceed to Hawaza and Mulit for camping.

Day 13: Early morning, hike to Adi Arkay and then drive to Axum. Overnight in Axum.





Day 14: In Axum you explore the historical landmarks of the ancient Axumite Empire, including the Queen of Sheba's Bath, King Bazen's tomb and the ancient stelae erected as burial tombs for the most respected Kings. Overnight in Axum.

Day 15: Fly to Lalibela. Visit the magnificent rock-hewn churches of the remarkable King Lalibela. Overnight in Lalibela.

Day 16: Flight back to Addis Ababa. Overnight in Addis Ababa.

Day 17: Sight seeing tour of Addis and in the evening transfer out to the airport for your departure back home.

Price Includes:

- All transfers and ground transport: Minivan for 1-6 pax, & Coaster bus for 7 pax and above.
- Accommodation on F/B basis (bed, breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- All entrance fees as per the program
- English speaking guide and helpers
- Government tax and service charge
- Day use room on the last date of the tour

Price Excludes:

- International flights
- Domestic Flights
- Alcoholic drinks
- Photographic or video camera fees, if any
- Expenses of personal nature such as telephone calls, laundry service, internet, souvenirs, tips to hotel staff and other service providers

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