

Tour Name: Marrakech, Atlas Mountains and Sahara desert tour

**Duration: 9Days/8Nights** 

Day by day Itinerary

Day1 (03 July): Arrival to Marrakech

Overnight in Marrakech
Optional(s): Food tour

On your arrival to Marrakech airport, you will meet our English speaking driver who will escort you to your hotel in Marrakech. Check-in and free time to rest from the jetlag.

Optional: We can help you arrange a foodie tour of Marrakech this evening

**Note:** We arrange an English-speaking driver for the entire trip. Whilst you tours in Marrakech and Casablanca, **PURE MOROCCO** will arrange private English speaking guides on sites, and your driver will be in charge of driving you from site to site and city to city, of course, your driver is also able to give you general information about Morocco. On your request, we are also able to arrange a private tour guide throughout the entire Morocco trip with supplement.

Day2 (04 July): Marrakech City Tour

Overnight in Marrakech

Meals: Breakfast
Optional(s): Koutchi

After breakfast, today you will get the chance to live Marrakech, a dream of many, so be sure to make the best of it. Our local guide will be waiting for you to start a guided city tour of the "Ochre City". We will visit first in the morning the Majorelle Garden which was named after the French painter, Jacques Majorelle who dedicated a lot of effort and passion to this art piece. After Majorelle let's continue after it to Menara, which means in Arabic "lighthouse", it is actually a pavilion with a basin and a garden of orchards and olive groves. We will be heading afterwards to the Koutobia Mosque and through the Jewish quarter called Mallah, visit the Bahia palace then you will have the time to go for shopping before finishing your tour Experience a carriage ride or "Koutchi" to Jamaa El Fnaa (optional).



Day3 (05 July): Marrakech - Imlil Overnight in: Kasbah Tamadot

**Meals:** Breakfast

**Optional :** 2h trekking, Lunch

After breakfast, the driver will take you to discover the beautiful nature of Imlil. It's a small village in the high Atlas Mountains of Morocco; it is close to the mountain Jebel Toubkal which is the highest peak in Northern Africa with 4.167m where you will enjoy 2 hours of trekking (Optional). the driver guide will show you around the village of Imlil and it's vally. Ride your mule to reach the beautiful Kasbah Du Toubkal, situated on the top of a mountain and overlooking the whole village of Imlil. Optional Lunch in a local Restaurant in Imlil. You will have the chance to try an authentic traditional meal in one of the inhabitant's house. then you will be heading to Kasbah Tamadot so you can check in and rest.

Day4 (06 July): A free day in the Atlas Mountain

**Overnight in** Kasbah tamadot

**Meals:** Breakfast

Wakeup and enjoy your breakfast, enjoy and stroll the village on your own pace

Day5 (07 July): Imlil - TiziNtichka - Ait Ben Haddou - Ouarzazate

Overnight in Ouarzazate Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

Breakfast at your hotel and departure to Aït Benhaddou via Tizi N'Tichka pass. On route See Berber villages along the old road of Caravans and visit the Telouat Kasbha before arriving the Kasbah or Village of Ait Ben Haddou, a UNESCO world heritage site since 1987 and the most oldest Kasbah in Morocco which was built in 11 century. Nowadays it's considered a subject of many post-cards. This Kasbah sets the scene for many films, such as 'Alexander' and 'The Gladiator'. then continue our road to Ouarzazate (the Door of the Desert). Visit and explore the Cinema studios and a stop to take some good pictures of kasbah Taourirt.

Day6 (08 July): Ouarzazate - Todgha Gorges - Merzouga

Overnight in Merzouga
Meals: Breakfast, Dinner
Optional: 4x4 adventure

After Breakfast, Toady you will be heading to Merzouga Via todgha gorges, These are a series of limestone river canyons in the eastern part of the High Atlas Mountains in Morocco, not far from Tineghir. Both the Todgha and neighbouring Dades Rivers are responsible for carving out these deep cliff-sided



canyons, on their final 40 kilometres through the mountains. The height of the canyon walls can vary, but in some places can be up to 400 metres high. Optional lunch will be here in a restaurant by the river side before continuing to Erfoud. It will be our gate way to majestic Moroccan Sahara. It is well known among archeologist due to fossil dating back to hundreds of years. Upon arrival, you will head off for a once in a life time Adventure drive in 4-wheel(Optional) vehicles across the barren and sand dunes. After that you continue to Merzouga.

Day7 (09 July): Merzouga - Midelt - Fez

Overnight in Fez Meals: Breakfast

Activities: Camel Ride

Wake up early and take a camel ride to the top of the dunes where you will enjoy a breathtaking sunrise. Return to your camp site for breakfast and then go by 4X4 to Erfoud where you will meet your driver and then head to Fez. Several stops will be planned because it takes us almost 7h30 to reach fez . Optional lunch will be in a local restaurant. We will make a stop once arrived to **Midelt**, Then you will be heading directly to Fez, the overnight stay will be there.

Day8 (10 July): Fez City tour - Casablanca

Overnight in Casablanca

**Meals:** Breakfast

Wakeup and enjoy breakfast at the hotel, then join your driver and local guides. The main aim of this tour is the explornation ad the discovery of, medina of Fès el-Bali (Old Fez). Your tour will lead you to the visit of the Medrassa Bou Inania, Nejjarine Fountain; Attarine, My Driss II Mausoleum, Karaouine Mosque (outside visit). The exploration will start at the Bab Boujlloud Gate. The first monument to visit is the Medrassa Bou Inania. You will have the chance to admire the Tijani zaouïa and the instrument makers' souk before arriving at the mzara of the ancient sovereign Moulay Idriss situated at the place where he took the decision to build the town. Then a visti to En-Nejjarine Square and the cabinet makers' souk. The magnificent carved Foundouk on the square houses the Museum of Wooden Arts and Crafts. Next to it, you can admire the most visited and revered attraction in Fès: The Moulay Idriss Zaouïa, Your walk continues on to Es-Seffarine Square, the coppersmith square, and then to the

tanners' quarter situated just before the Andalusian quarter with its mosque and the Es-Sahrij medersa.

**Optional Lunch**: Your tour guide can recommend you some good restaurants located in the heart of the old Medina.

At the end of this tour you will be transferred to casablanca. Once arrive, the driver guide will take you to the hotel so you can check in and rest.



Day9 (11 July): Casablanca - Airport

Meals : Breakfast

After Breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport so you can catch your flight.



## **Hotel to be used or Similar:**

City	Hotel Name	Room Type
Marrakech	Villa Des Orangers	Deluxe Room
Imlil	Kasbah Tamadot	Deluxe Room
Ouarzazate	Sultana Royal golf	Suit Khol
Merzouga	Deseret Luxury camp	Main camp
Fez	Marriott Jnan Palace	Deluxe Room
Casablanca	Kenzi Tower	Deluxe Room

Net Price per person sharing double: USD 3297

Total Price for 2 Pax: USD 6594

## **INCLUDED:**

- Accommodation for 2 nights in Marrakech including breakfast
- Accommodation for 2 nights in Imlil including breakfast dinner
- Accommodation for 1 nights in Ouarzazate including breakfast and dinner
- Accommodation for 1 night in Merzouga including breakfast and dinner
- Accommodation for 1 night in Fez including breakfast
- · Accommodation for 1 nights in Casablanca including breakfast
- All transfers in a private, air-conditioned vehicle
- licensed driver during the whole tour
- English Speaking guide for the whole tour
- Monuments admission fees
- Bottled mineral water on board
- All service charges and taxes
- Camel Ride in the desert

## **EXCLUDED:**

- Non mentioned meals
- Drinks
- Tipping & personal spending
- Optional(s)