# Safari trip to Siwa Oasis from Cairo 4 days 3 nights

**Price Starting From: \$470** 

4 Days 3 Nights Egypt Siwa

For a truly unique adventure, consider a trip to Egypt's Siwa Oasis, where you can immerse yourself in ancient history and stunning desert landscapes.

#### Siwa Oasis Tours from Cairo

Experience the charm of Egypt with a 4-day tour from Cairo to the remote Siwa Oasis. This journey will take you to one of Egypt's most isolated and fascinating destinations, offering a blend of cultural and natural wonders. Explore the Western Desert and the scenic Egyptian Oases, with Siwa serving as a highlight.

#### Siwa Desert Safari

On this adventure, embark on a Cairo Excursion to Siwa Oasis, renowned for its exclusive desert safari experiences. Start your exploration at the historic Shali Fortress, a testament to ancient architecture, and uncover the mysteries of the melted city above it. Visit the rock-cut tombs in the Mountain of the Dead and the renowned Temple of the Oracle.

Traverse the Great Sand Sea and witness the mesmerizing desert landscapes, including the cool waters of Bir Wahid and the intriguing fossil areas. Enjoy a thrilling sandboarding experience in Siwa's expansive dunes. The tour offers an enchanting blend of cultural immersion and natural beauty, including the serene sunset views over the Western Desert.

This 4-day, 3-night journey to Siwa Oasis promises a perfect mix of adventure and relaxation. Swim in Cleopatra Springs, visit notable archaeological sites, and revel in the serene beauty of Siwa. Explore various Egypt Travel Packages to find the perfect fit for your adventure.

## Overview Inclusion

- Transportation from your hotel in Cairo or Giza is included for your Cairo Day Tours.
- Enjoy 3 nights at the Ghaliet Eco-lodge & Spa in Siwa.
- An English-speaking Egyptologist guide will accompany you throughout your Egypt tours.
- Admission fees to all listed sites in Siwa are covered.
- Private, air-conditioned vehicle for all transfers between Cairo and Siwa Oasis.
- All sightseeing tours in Siwa Oasis as outlined in the itinerary are included.
- Excursion to the Great Sand Sea with a 4x4 land cruiser.
- Sandboarding equipment is provided during your Siwa Desert Safari.
- Meals at the hotels are included as specified in the itinerary.
- Bottled water and soft drinks are provided on your tour to Siwa Oasis from Cairo.
- All sightseeing tours are private.
- All taxes and service charges for your Egypt desert safari tours are included.

- Visa fees for entering Egypt are not included in any of our Egypt Day Tours or Cairo Tours.
- Tipping is not included in the Siwa Oasis daily tour prices from Cairo.
- Any additional expenses not mentioned in our Cairo Trips are not covered.
- Beverages during meals are not included.
- Prices apply during Christmas, New Year's, and Easter tours in Egypt.

#### **Itinerary**

## Day 1 Itinerary: Siwa Oasis Tour from Cairo

Your accredited tour guide will pick you up from your hotel in Cairo or Giza at 6:00 AM to start one of the best Cairo excursions, taking you on a safari to the enchanting Siwa Oasis in the Western Desert of Egypt.

You'll travel to Siwa Oasis via the El Alamein road, with your first stop at the historical El Alamein area. Here, you can visit the World War II museum and stroll through the cemeteries of soldiers who fought in this pivotal conflict. In 1942, the Allies, led by Britain's Field Marshal Montgomery, achieved a significant victory against the German-Italian forces advancing toward the Nile River. This victory, while crucial, came at a great cost, with approximately 11,000 lives lost and 60,000 injured.

Your personal guide and driver will take you to the Commonwealth War Cemetery, which features memorials established by the Australian and New Zealand governments. You'll find 7,000 white headstones honoring the brave soldiers from Australia, New Zealand, and Britain who fought and died in El Alamein. You'll visit the battlefield site and spend time exploring the museum, learning about this important chapter in history.

After finishing your tour of El Alamein, you'll drive along the stunning bay of Marsa Matrouh on the Mediterranean coast, where you'll enjoy a delicious seafood lunch. Then, you'll continue on to Siwa Oasis, which is about a four-hour drive from Marsa Matrouh.

Upon your arrival in Siwa, you'll have dinner and spend the night in a charming eco-lodge, surrounded by the beauty of the oasis.

## Day 2 Itinerary: Siwa Sightseeing Tour

Start your day with a delightful breakfast at the eco-lodge before continuing your Siwa Oasis adventure, which began from Cairo. Your first stop will be the historic ruins of the Old Town of Shali, where you can explore its fascinating architecture.

Next, you'll head to the Temple of Alexander the Great, also known as the Temple of the Oracle, located in Aghurmi village and dating back to the 26th Dynasty. You'll also visit the Temple of Amun Ra, known as the Temple of Um Ubeyda.

Immerse yourself in the unique Siwan culture at the Siwa House Museum. For lunch, enjoy delicious local dishes at Abdo restaurant, situated in the charming square that overlooks Shali.

Afterward, you will visit the Mountain of the Dead (Jabal el Mawta) to explore the intriguing tombs of Siwa's rulers from the 26th Dynasty, including the tombs of SI Amon, MSW Isis, and the Crocodile Tomb.

In the afternoon, relax at Cleopatra Spring, where you can swim and refresh yourself in the sparkling waters. Afterward, you'll be transferred to Fitnas Island to experience a breathtaking sunset view, truly a once-in-a-lifetime moment.

You'll spend the night in Siwa, enjoying the peaceful ambiance of the oasis.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch.

#### Day 3 Itinerary: Great Sand Sea \ Bir Wahed \ Fossils

After enjoying breakfast at your hotel, embark on the second day of your Siwa Desert Safari. Accompanied by your Egyptologist guide, you'll set off in a 4x4 to explore the Great Sand Sea.

Begin your desert adventure by traversing the sweeping golden dunes until you reach the fossil area, where you'll encounter ancient rocky coral reefs from the Cambrian period. Next, visit a picturesque lake nestled in the heart of the desert, where you might catch a glimpse of flamingos. Take a refreshing swim in the cool waters and relish the tranquil desert ambiance.

Continue your journey by passing Dakrour Mountain, where you'll have the opportunity to try sandboarding. Although it's less speedy than snowboarding, the right amount of wax will help you glide down the vast sand dunes of the Great Sand Sea for an exhilarating experience. After sandboarding, unwind in the hot springs of Bir Wahid, known for its soothing and relaxing qualities.

Conclude your day with another stunning sunset over the Great Sand Sea while sipping Bedouin tea amidst the dunes.

Overnight stay in Siwa.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch.

### Day 4 Itinerary: Back to Cairo

#### **Departure Day from Siwa Oasis**

On the final day of your Siwa Oasis tour package, enjoy another delicious organic breakfast at the eco-lodge. Afterward, your personal driver and professional Egyptologist guide will take you back to your hotel in Cairo. The journey will take approximately 8-9 hours, including breaks along the way. We hope you had a wonderful experience during your Siwa Oasis tour from Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast.