## **Batinah Expressway Adventure**

**Price Starting From: \$90** 

6 Hours Oman

Muscat

An unforgettable journey along the Batinah Expressway, exploring the most stunning tourist attractions in the Al Batinah region. Your professional tour guide from Cairo's Top Tours will lead you through an extraordinary day filled with diverse experiences.

Start your adventure at the vibrant Seeb Fish Souk, where you can witness the bustling market life and perhaps sample some of the freshest seafood. Continue your journey through scenic landscapes dotted with lush date palms, capturing the essence of Omani agriculture.

Next, visit the charming springs of Nakhl, where natural beauty and tranquility blend seamlessly. Discover the historical Nakhal Fort, a remarkable structure perched on rocky outcrops, offering panoramic views of the surrounding countryside.

Your tour will also take you to the picturesque village of Wakan, nestled in the Hajar Mountains, where terraced gardens and traditional Omani houses create a postcard-perfect setting. Don't miss the enchanting village of Al Abyadh in Nakhal, named for the striking white color of its water pools, making it a true hidden gem.

From the majestic mountains in the north to the serene beaches in the south, Oman offers something for every traveler. With our Oman Day Tours, you'll experience the rich diversity and beauty of this incredible country. Join us for a day filled with wonder and adventure!

# Overview Inclusion

- Enjoy convenient pickup and drop-off services directly from your hotel in Muscat, ensuring a hassle-free start and end to your tour.
- Travel in style and comfort in our air-conditioned vehicle, designed to keep you cool and relaxed throughout the day.
- Our friendly English-speaking guide and driver will accompany you, providing insightful commentary and making your journey educational and enjoyable.
- Your admission to all listed attractions, including historic sites and natural wonders, is covered.
- Stay refreshed with provided bottled mineral water throughout your tour.
- All taxes and service charges are included in your tour price, ensuring no hidden costs or surprises.

#### **Exclusion**

- Any personal spending and gratuities for your guide and driver are not included in the tour price.
- You'll have the opportunity to purchase lunch during the tour at one of the local eateries or cafes, giving you a chance to savor authentic Omani cuisine.
- If you wish to explore additional areas or attractions beyond the scheduled itinerary, our guide can provide recommendations and assist with planning.

#### **Itinerary**

### **Batinah Bash Tour**

Embark on a full-day adventure along the Batinah Expressway coast with Cairo Top Tours. Your journey begins with a convenient pickup from your hotel in Muscat early in the morning. We'll head west, starting our exploration at the Seeb Fish Souk. Once a quaint fishing village, Seeb now blends into the capital but still retains its traditional charm. At the picturesque seaside market, you can immerse yourself in the rich history of Oman's coastal villages. Don't miss trying the local specialty, Mashakik, a savory grilled treat of meat, fish, and squid served with a spicy tamarind sauce.

Our next destination is Nakhl, where we'll pass through lush date palm groves. We'll make a quick stop at the soothing hot springs of Ain Al Thowarah before continuing to Nakhl Fort. Although the fort is currently closed for renovations, it remains a stunning photo opportunity. This ancient fortress, over 1500 years old, is nestled among palm trees and built directly into the rocky terrain. It features a mosque, museum, and residential areas, offering a fascinating glimpse into the past.

We then ascend to the mountain village of Wakan, perched at 2,000 meters in the Western Hajar Mountains. Known for its terraced gardens, Wakan provides stunning views of the surrounding peaks and the Wadi Mistal below. Our skilled drivers will navigate the narrow, steep dirt road leading to the village, ensuring a safe and comfortable journey. Once there, you can enjoy the panoramic views and explore the vibrant green farms.

Our final stop is Wadi Abhyad, aptly named the "white valley" due to its distinctive white sediment pools. This serene Wadi is a perfect place to soak in the natural beauty and tranquility. After a day filled with exploration and discovery, we'll return you to your hotel in Muscat.