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The Splendors of Morocco Cuisine and Culture Tour: Travel in a small group with Chef Aliza Green



February 5 -17, 2024
\$6975 p/p double occupancy, single supplement +\$1395

Morocco Culinary & Cultural Tour with Chef Aliza Green

DAY 1: Monday, February 5, 2024 | DEPARTURE |

Departure from USA for an overnight transatlantic flight to Europe and a transfer to Tangier.

DAY 2: Tuesday, February 6, 2023 | ARRIVAL TANGIER | D |

Arrival at Tangier International airport. Individual transfer to be arranged (not included), Visit Tangier Medina in the afternoon. Check-in at hotel for one night. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3: Wednesday, February 7, 2024 | CHEFCHAOUEN | B L D |

Departure to Chefchaouen. Visit Tetouan City. Lunch in Tetouan. Visit Chefchaouen. Check-in at your hotel for one night. Overnight and dinner at the Ryad.

DAY 4: Thursday, February 8, 2024 | FEZ | B L D |

Drive to Meknes. Lunch at Domaine Zouina Winery. Visit Meknes: guided tour. Check-in at Palais Amani for 2 nights. Accommodation and dinner at Palais Amani.

DAY 5: Friday, February 9, 2024 | FEZ | B L D |

Full day sightseeing: guided tour with local guide. "Foodies" tour for lunch. Visit the Jewish quarter and the Royal Gate. Visit the tile and ceramic village. Cooking class at Palais Amani. Diner part of the cooking class

DAY 6: Saturday, February 10, 2024 | RABAT | B D |

Drive to Rabat: 130 miles / 2 ½ our drive. Drive to Rabat: Guided city tour. Time to relax before dinner. Dinner at a local restaurant.

DAY 7: Sunday, February 11, 2024 | ESSAOUIRA, "THE BRIDE OF THE ATLANTIC" | B L |

Check-out and drive to Casablanca. Visit the Hassan Mosque. Lunch in a restaurant on the Corniche along the Atlantic coast. Continuation to Essaouira (190 miles / 4 hr drive). Check-in at L'Heure Bleu Palais for 3 nights.

DAY 8: Monday, February 12, 2024 | ESSAOUIRA | B L D |

Morning tour: visit the silver and wood workshops of Essaouira. Visit Domaine Val d'Argan Winery: Tour the winery and lunch. Proceed to Argan Oil cooperative and return to Essaouira. Tapas dinner at Dar Baba.

DAY 9: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 | ESSAOUIRA | B L D |

Half day excursion to the Argan forest: meet the goats in the trees. Shop for your lunch at the local souk & have it cooked at the restaurant. Afternoon at leisure. Dinner & entertainment at Caravan Cafe.

DAY 10: Wednesday, February 14, 2024 | MARRAKESH | B L D |

Check-out & drive to Marrakech. Brief orientation tour on arrival. Check-in at your hotel for 3 nights. Drive to Agafay desert for a Berbere experience: camel ride & tent dinner (20 mi / ¾ hr drive).

Day 11: Thursday, February 15, 2024 | MARRAKESH | B L D |

Guided tour of Marrakech: visit the souks and "La Sagesse" Berber pharmacy. "Foodies tour" and lunch being part of the tour. Cooking class at the Culinary Art Museum. Dinner as part of the cooking class. Visit Jemaa El Fna square.

Day 12: Friday, February 16, 2024 | B L D |

Visit of Marrakech continues: Jardin Majorelle and Yves Saint Laurent Museum. Lunch at "Le Jardin". Tour continues: Badii Palace, Jewish quarter, Dar El Bacha Museum. Hammam at la Maison Arabe. Dinner at Al Fassia Restaurant.

Day 13: Saturday, February 17, 2024 | FAREWELL TO MOROCCO | B |

Group transfer to the airport for your return flight back to the USA

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- The 4 Imperial cities: Fez, Meknes, Rabat and Marrakech, and more, Tangier, Tetouan, Chefchaouen, Casablanca and Essaouira
- Wine tasting and lunch at two wineries
- Explore the Portuguese city of Essaouira, also known as Mogador
- Guided food & culture tour in the ancient medina of Fez and bustling Marrakech
- See artisans at work: ceramics, woodwork, silver
- Tour the magnificent Hassan II Mosque in Casablanca, a rare opportunity
- Learn about Morocco's fascinating Jewish history and visit Jewish landmarks
- Hands-on cooking classes in Fez and Marrakech
- Learn about Berber culture, see the goats in the Argan trees, and taste argan oil
- Stories & history of Moroccan Cuisine at the new Culinary Art Museum
- Visit a traditional Berber pharmacy/spice shop with a talk about local remedies

OTHER SERVICES INCLUDE:

- 11 nights accommodation, double occupancy
- Deluxe properties at Riads (restored palaces) and Relais Chateaux
- Daily breakfast at the hotels
- Eight lunches and ten dinners at restaurants, cooking classes, or wineries
- Bottled water on the coach
- Coffee and tea with meals
- Expert commentary, culinary advice, and background by Chef Aliza Green
- Travel by private deluxe motorcoach
- Experienced Moroccan guide from arrival to departure
- Meals at carefully-selected restaurants on this exclusive tour
- Baggage portorage at hotels



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