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TRAVEL

ETHIOPIA: CRADLE OF CIVILIZATION

May 13-27, 2022

15 days for \$6,597 total price from San Francisco
(\$5,995 air and land inclusive plus \$602 airline taxes and fees)



Travel with us to a land apart, where man first walked the earth, where age-old cultures still resonate, and where a profound spirituality colors everyday life. From ancient rock-hewn churches and legendary sites to breathtaking landscapes and endemic wildlife, Ethiopia offers our small group a journey befitting of its noble – and epic – history.

ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Days 1-3: May 13-15, 2022
Depart U.S. for Addis Ababa/Addis Ababa

Days 4-5: May 16-17, 2022
Bahir Dar

Day 6: May 18, 2022
Gondar

Days 7-8: May 19-20, 2022
Simien Mountains National Park

Days 9-10: May 21-22, 2022
Axum

Days 11-12: May 23-24, 2022
Lalibela

Day 13: May 25, 2022
Addis Ababa

Days 14-15: May 26-27, 2022
Addis Ababa/Depart for U.S. (overnight flight)/Arrive U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Visits to multiple UNESCO sites
- Historic, natural, and cultural heritage of Northern Ethiopia
- National Museum with Lucy remains
- Visit with Negede people
- Lake Tana cruise
- Churches of Bahir Dar Peninsula
- Blue Nile Falls
- Gondar's Fasil Ghebbi ruins
- Two-night stay in Simien Mountains National Park
- Palace of Queen of Sheba
- Archaeological sites of holy city of Axum
- Rock churches of Lalibela

COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS:

The well-being of our guests and staff members on tour will continue to be our highest priorities. To maintain a healthy environment for travel, we will be establishing and adhering to a detailed set of health and safety protocols for all facets of your tour. We are committed to following the guidelines of the State Department, CDC, WHO, and authorities of respective countries regarding travel to a particular destination. Detailed protocols for this tour, based on conditions at the time, will be provided approximately 115 days prior to departure.

Ethiopia: Cradle of Civilization, Continued:

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from listed city; all flights within itinerary
- 12 nights' accommodations in Deluxe, Superior First Class, and First Class hotels and lodges
- 32 meals: 12 breakfasts, 9 lunches, 11 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing, as described, including all entrance fees
- Mineral water while on tour
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private coaster bus transportation throughout your trip
- Luggage handling for one bag per person
- Gratuities for hotel and lodge staff, including dining room servers; airport and hotel porters; and all drivers



*Pricing:

\$6,597 air and land inclusive from San Francisco. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of \$602, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land only price is \$5,095; airport arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$1,295. A 6-day/5-night post-tour "Southern Ethiopia" extension is available for \$1,995 total price (single travelers please add \$395). *Please note: This trip involves full days of sightseeing and considerable walking on uneven terrain. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to the fullest. In addition, the relatively high elevations (6,000 ft. to 8,500 ft. at most venues – with the Simien Lodge at 10,800 ft.) could pose problems for travelers with certain health conditions. Please consult your personal physician if you have concerns.*

***PLEASE NOTE: Your \$500 per person deposit secures your space(s) on this tour. This deposit is fully refundable up until 95 days prior to departure, when final payment will be due. Meanwhile our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, will send you the tour brochure with a detailed day-by-day itinerary and booking terms and conditions when it becomes available.** (CST # 2077-973-40)



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SEND TO:

Cal Discoveries Travel
Cal Alumni Association
1 Alumni House
Berkeley, CA 94720-7520

Note: A color brochure with terms & conditions of this trip will be sent to you as soon as it is available.

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$_____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person(s) on the following tour: **Ethiopia: Cradle of Civilization, May 13-27, 2022**. Make check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., or please charge my/our deposit to:

AMEX Visa MasterCard Discover Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Sec. Code _____

Signature _____

Passport Name(s): _____ Birth Date(s): _____ Cal Class Year: _____ Badge Name(s): _____

1. _____

2. _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Primary () _____ Cell () _____

Email(s) _____

My/Our departure city is _____ Room preference (subject to availability when tour details and brochure are finalized):

Double occupancy (standard) I desire a single room (limited availability)

Call 510.900.8222 or email caldiscoveries@alumni.berkeley.edu for more details.