

ETHIOPIAHarar Extension

This short tour of the walled city of Harar can be booked as an extension to a longer Ethiopia itinerary, such as our escorted Historic Route tours or our Simien trekking expeditions. We recommend at two nights in Harar, though longer stays are also possible.

Day 1: to Harar

After an early breakfast in Addis Ababa, transfer to the airport to catch your flight to Dire Dawa (08:30-09:30).

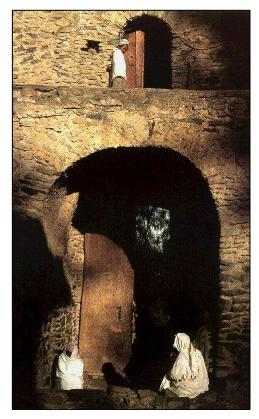
Upon arrival, meet with your driver and transfer to Dire Dawa town for a coffee break and a brief tour of the Megala Market and Dire Dawa train station. Then lunch.

After lunch continue on to Harar, a short drive of 55kms that takes you over the scenic Dengego Pass, and through several small villages and markets. You may want to make a short stop en route at Awedai, where you can learn more about the production of Khat, one of Ethiopia's major exports.

On arrival in Harar, check into the Ras Hotel. Rest during the afternoon, waiting for the midday heat to pass, then commence your walking tour of the Walled City, ending with dinner in a traditional Ethiopian restaurant. Overnight at the guesthouse.

Day 2: Harar

Full day tour of Harar, taking in Rimbaud's house, the major markets inside and outside the Walled City, the Tomb of Amir Nur, and the Camel Butchers and Black Kite rooftops.



In the afternoon, you'll have the chance to take part in a Hariri-style coffee ceremony. Your guide will explain the rich symbolism underpinning this most important of Ethiopian rituals.

In the evening, you might like to watch the nightly hyena feeding ritual. Alternatively, your guide can help you choose a good place to dine out and enjoy the evening at leisure in the city.

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Day 3: Fly back to Addis

Drive back to Dire Dawa for your afternoon flight to Addis Ababa. From Addis, continue with your onward travel arrangements or transfer to the airport for your return flight home.

Price Guide:

The cost of this itinerary is from £890 per person, based on two travellers in twin/double accommodation. For larger group sizes please contact us for a quote. For more information, or if you would like to enquire about a tailor-made holiday combining part or all of the above itinerary, please contact us.

Includes:

- o Full-board accommodation
- Local guide and driver
- o All entrance fees
- All transfers and ground transportation
- Internal flights (based on international flights with Ethiopian Airlines)

Excludes:

- International flights please ask us for a quote
- Visas
- Personal travel insurance
- Personal expenses and tips
- o Travel expenses and entrance fees



