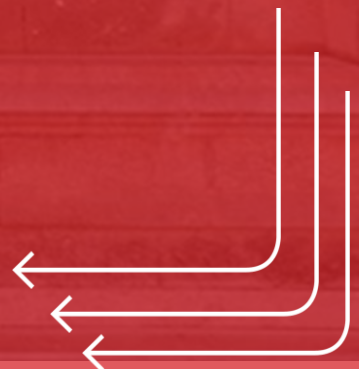




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# MERZOUGA DESERT

4 days / 3 nights

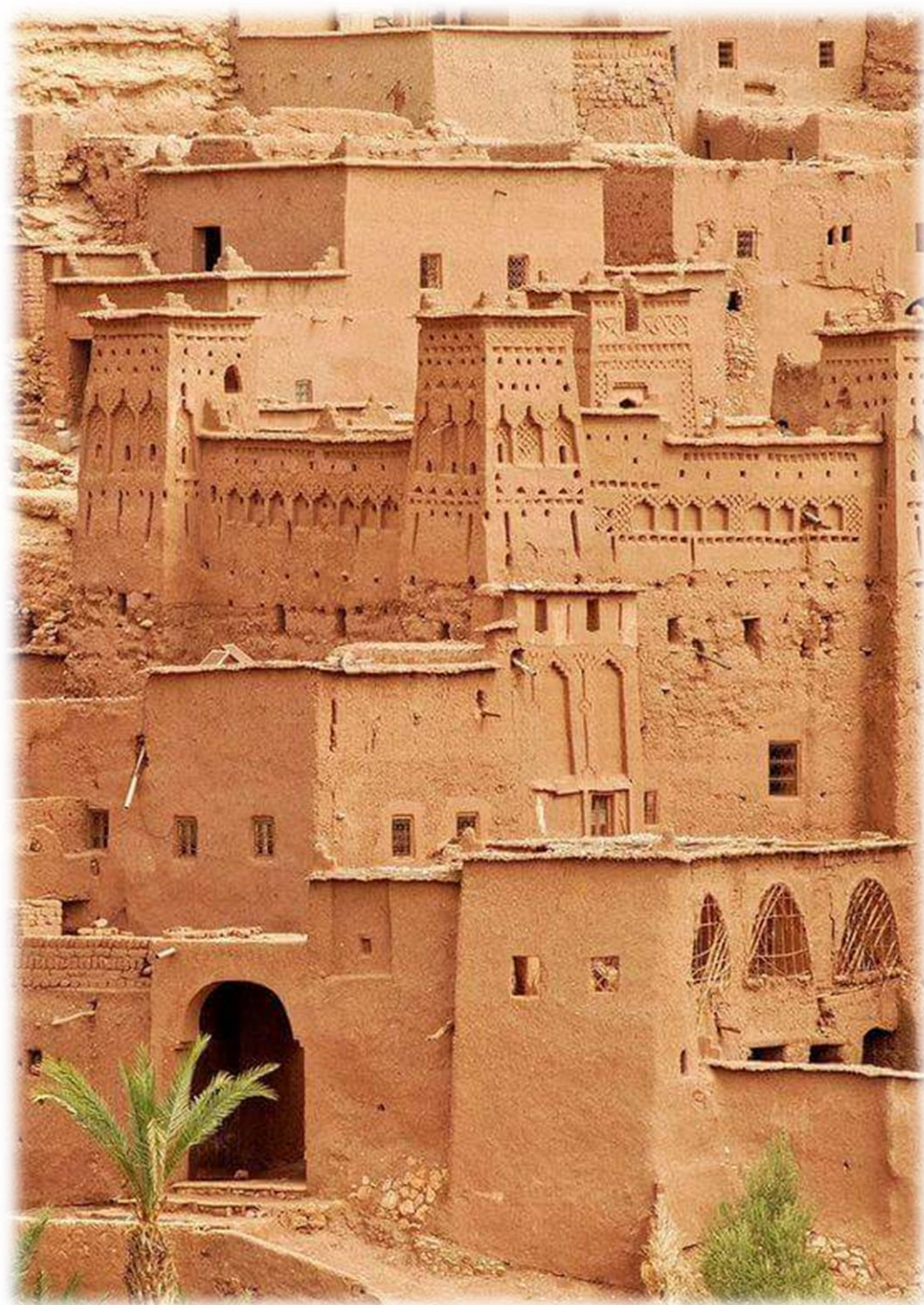
# MOROCCO · MAGICAL TERRITORY

Morocco is a country that is made up of multiple and varied beautiful landscapes made up of beaches, mountains, desert and important imperial cities.

Morocco is an ancient country, heir to centuries of tradition. However, in the Kingdom there is nothing fixed. Their culture is alive and is embodied day after day by small daily gestures, festivals, rituals and customs. Stay there for a while and soak up its peace and its art of living.

The best thing is that you walk through the cities and towns, among the narrow streets of their old centers. This way you will be very close to people and you can make exchanges with them. Some Moroccan will surely invite you to share a green tea with mint: there everything is ceremonial and hospitality reigns.

You can also discover a whole series of customs. Morocco and its inhabitants evolve to the rhythm of the Mediterranean art of living recognized by UNESCO, a set of practices, dishes or symbols that are part of their daily lives and that you will love.



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## DAY 1 : MARRAKECH - OUARZAZATE - DADES VALLEY

Pick up at the hotel and departure to the High Atlas Mountains. The route changes the landscape little by little, without even realizing it. From the green fort of the valleys, to the red ocher of the Col de Tizi N "Tichka until reaching Ouarzazate. Free time for lunch. Departure by the route of the Thousand Kasbahs, until reaching Kelaa M'gouna (Valley of the roses) , famous town for its rose water distillery. The road of the Kasbahs, by car is spectacular, with hundreds of kasbahs that the Berbers erected to defend themselves against invaders and that are dotted throughout the route, winding through impressive landscapes typical of the Sahara desert, towns, forests and palm groves .... Arrival in Dades, dinner and accommodation

## DAY 2 : DADES VALLEY - TODRA GORGES – MERZOUGA

Breakfast and departure to one of the most beautiful natural places of the trip, the Dades Valley owes its name to the river that meanders nestled between the mountains along the route, backed by ocher, terracotta and red cliffs. Visitors can enjoy beautiful Kasbahs, fortified mansions, mountains crossed by streams and canyons... The Dades Valley has a wild landscape, with snow on one side and a semi-desert on the other. Its wild grandeur and unearthly silence can only be matched by the Grand Canyon. The river forms the valley along a winding path full of fruits, nuts, wheat, birches and almond trees, giving us a setting of spectacular rock formations. Lunch. Then departure to the desert. The road is getting harder and harder and the towns through which we are passing more and more authentic until we enter the domains of the desert people, the Amazigh people, better known among us as Berbers. Arrival in Erfoud, the main pre-Saharan town of Tafilalet with an oasis that covers an area of about 5,000 hectares and has more than 300,000 date palms. Visit a fossil extraction center, where we can appreciate the amount of aquatic life that existed in the Quaternary on what is now the Sahara desert. Continuation to Merzouga. Dromedary ride through the dunes to reach the camp.

Dinner and accommodation under millions of stars.



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### **DIA 3 : MERZOUGA - AL NIF - AGDZ -OUARZAZATE**

After breakfast we go to Rissani, located in a palm grove 22 km from Erfoud. It is an attractive small city, both for its environment and its history, and has several monuments of interest, a very crowded market and an area used as a donkey parking area where these animals are also bought and sold. She is considered the heir to the mythical Sijilmasa, the first capital of Morocco and origin of the royal family of the country. Then we will go to Al Nif, where on the way we will be able to observe herds of wild dromedaries and an impressive semilunar landscape. We will get to Agdz where we will stop to enjoy the beauty of the Daraa Palm Grove. Continuation to Ouarzazate. Dinner and accommodation at the hotel.

### **DAY 4 : OUARZAZATE - AIT BEN HADOU – MARRAKECH**

Breakfast in Ouarzazate, called the pearl of the south, and departure to visit the Kasbah Taourirt. In other times it was the residence of one of the most powerful governors in the region. Its exterior is impressive, made of simple adobe that enhances its greatness. It has served as the set for several Hollywood productions. Continuation to the Kasbah of Ait Ben Haddou, declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. The kasbah has also been the setting for the filming of films such as Gladiator, The Mummy, Star Wars and many others. Free lunch and continuation to Marrakech. Arrival in Marrakech and transfer to the hotel.

**End of services.**



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# Included

- ✓ Transportation with A / C throughout the circuit.
- ✓ Private circuit.
- ✓ Professional English-speaking driver for a group of less than 7 people
- ✓ English-speaking accompanying guide from 7 participants.
- ✓ Detailed visits in the itinerary.
- ✓ 1 night in hotel in Dades according to selected category with dinner and breakfast.
- ✓ 1 night in tent in the dunes according to selected category with dinner and breakfast.
- ✓ 1 night in hotel in Ouarzazate according to selected category with dinner and breakfast.
- ✓ Dromedary ride to get to the camp.

# Not Included

- Food and drink.
- Optional excursions.
- Extras and personal expenses.
- Tips.
- Any other service not mentioned as included



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