

Ashura Tour in Yazd

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The cultural event of **Ashura** which occurs during the month of Muharram, the first month of the Islamic calendar, is one of the biggest events in the world of Shi'a Muslims. It is the mourning anniversary of the death of Husayn ibn Ali, the grandson of Muhammad, in the Battle of Karbala on the 7th century BC. The known image of Muharram can be defined in black mourning clothes and black and red flags spreading all over the streets and mosques. Various rituals are held in different parts of Iran such as **Taziyeh**: a theatrical rebuild of the Battle of Karbala, **Noha**: lamentation, **Nakhl-Gardani**: carrying a wooden Palm tree called "Nakhl" on the shoulders of hundreds of mourners symbolizing the coffin of Imam Hussein, and **carrying Alam** on the streets and offering free food called "**Nazri**" to the mourners and also the poor.

The most important days during Moharram mourning ceremonies are Tasua (9th of Muharram) and Ashura (10th of Muharram) as being the days of Imam and his family's martyrdom. This mourning in commemoration of Imam Hussein has become a tourist attraction in UNESCO city of **Yazd** where the ritual of Nakhl-Gardani is held very glorious beside the other rites. In addition to Yazd, the neighboring small cities like Zarch, Taft and Ashkezar are also holding this ceremony during Ashura. After Ashura and even to the end of the next lunar month, grief ceremonies are held at different times. Experiencing Ashura in Yazd is a very special experience for experiential travelers.

Immerse Yourself: Ashura Mourning Experience in Yazd

In Yazd, you, as a foreign traveler, can't miss the unique experience of Ashura mourning. Join the locals in their somber processions and witness the historical Taziyeh floats. The city transforms into a living story, inviting you to be part of a shared tradition. Embrace the warmth of the community, feel the beats of the drums, and let the city's history unfold around you. It's not just a tour; it's an invitation to connect with Yazd's cultural heartbeat.

Payment process:

To start booking process, first we receive your visa documents and apply for your visa.

When your visa is approved, we need to start booking process so a contract including all details about the fee, the payment policy, and cancellation policy will be sent you. You need to sign it and send it back to us in 2 working days.

According to the contract, we need to receive 30% to 50% of the total fee to start booking and the rest will be paid in cash upon arrival.

Cancelation policy:

- If tourist cancels the trip before arrival when everything is booked, tourist must cover actual expenses of the Tour Operator as follow:
 - ✓ 30 days and more before the tour runs, 30 % of the whole cost
 - ✓ 30 days to 15 days before the tour runs, 60 % of the whole cost
 - ✓ 15 days to 48 hours before the tour runs, 80% of the whole cost
 - ✓ Less than 48 hours before the tour runs, 100% of the whole cost

Needed Entrance documents upon arrival:

Passport

Visa & Travel Insurance

Emergency contact details:

In addition to offering fabulous itineraries, we take pride in providing our clients exceptional customer service and support in a safe, comfortable, and hassle-free manner; from visa applications to airport transfers and local etiquette.

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