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### **Tour Program (Tour of Danakil Depression)**

#### **OPTION A**

##### **Day 1)**



Pick up from Mekelle and drive direct to the typical Afar village of Dodom, from which we trek to the volcano. Prepare for trekking and in the evening trek to the rim of the volcano. During the night, you visit the drama of the active volcano of mount Ert Ale, in whose crater lays the only permanent lava lake in the world, and another volcano of bubbling lava.

Meal Plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: Camping

##### **Day 2)**

In the morning, trek back and meet the vehicle to drive to Ahmed Ela, a far flung settlement in a nomadic tribal area.

Meal Plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: Camping

**Day 3)**



In the morning drive to Dallol depression, one of the lowest points on the earth which dips to -116 meters. Visit amazing rock formations and bubbling sulfur springs. Also, you visit the salt mines at Lake Asale, where salt bars are cut and prepared for camel transportation, return to Mekelle.

Meal Plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

End of service

**Price**

**\$850USD** per person for 3 travelers travelling together!

**\$690USD** per person for 4 travelers travelling together!

**\$754USD** per person for 5 travelers travelling together!

**\$663USD** per person for 6 travelers travelling together!

**\$598USD** per person for 7 travelers travelling together!

**\$650USD** per person for 8 travelers travelling together!

**\$601USD** per person for 9 travelers travelling together!

**\$562USD** per person for 10 travelers travelling together!

**\$602USD** per person for 11 travelers travelling together!

**\$570USD** per person for 12 travelers travelling together!

### **The above Price includes:**

- ❖ Camping in the camping areas according to the tour program
- ❖ Meals on full board basis (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner) according to the tour program
- ❖ All entrance fees according to the tour program
- ❖ Transfers and ground transportations according to the tour program
- ❖ Professional English speaking driver guides service throughout the tour.
- ❖ Cook at camping places according to the tour program
- ❖ Afar police men according to the tour program
- ❖ Camel and camel men for luggage and camping gear transportation during trekking to Ert Ale volcano
- ❖ Purified bottle of water per person per day
- ❖ 15% Government tax

### **The above Price does not include:**

- ❖ Alcoholic drinks
- ❖ Video and camera charges if and where applicable
- ❖ Other expenses of personal nature like tips, telephone calls and laundry service
- ❖ Entrance to special ceremonies you might encounter by chance
- ❖ Any Domestic and International flights fare
- ❖ Porter fees
- ❖ Any other cost not mentioned at “price includes” section

## **OPTION B**

### **Day 1)**

Pick up from Mekelle and drive to the turquoise Afdera Lake, surrounded by palm trees. The Afdera salt lake is home to local Afar people harvesting salt flakes using traditional methods, and in the lake is the world's lowest lying island in the world, Frachetti island (-102 m).

Meals plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: Camping

## Day 2) Erta Ale



Drive to Mount Erta Ale through the Afar desert - Erta Ale is one of the highlights of this expedition, and is one of only five permanent lava lakes in the world. We hike 3 hours to the rim, while our equipment and water is carried by camels - we wait for sunset to see one of the world's most spectacular sights when the red lava in the crater lights up the sky.

Meals plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: Camping



## Day 3) Ahmed Ela

Drive to Ahmed Ela along unmarked sandy tracks, passing afar settlements along the way. Ahmed Ela is the base for exploring the salt mines and seeing the salt workers and camel caravans.

Meals plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: Camping

## Day 4) Dallol - Mekelle



Drive to the hot springs at Dallol, composed of different minerals along with sulphurs and potash and create spectacular colors. Dallol is renowned as being the hottest inhabited place on earth; between 1960 and 1966 an average annual temperature of 34°C (94°F) was recorded. You are likely to see the long 'caravane de sel' - camel trains loaded with salt. Later we drive to Mekelle.

Meals plan: Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

Overnight: None!



End of Service!

### Price

**\$1089USD** per person for 3 travelers travelling together!

**\$887USD** per person for 4 travelers travelling together!

**\$989USD** per person for 5 travelers travelling together!

**\$871USD** per person for 6 travelers travelling together!

**\$786USD** per person for 7 travelers travelling together!

**\$863USD** per person for 8 travelers travelling together!

**\$798USD** per person for 9 travelers travelling together!

**\$746USD** per person for 10 travelers travelling together!

**\$806USD** per person for 11 travelers travelling together!

**\$762USD** per person for 12 travelers travelling together!

**The above Price includes:**

- ❖ Camping in the camping areas according to the tour program
- ❖ Meals on full board basis (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner) according to the tour program
- ❖ All entrance fees according to the tour program
- ❖ Transfers and ground transportations according to the tour program
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- ❖ Purified bottle of water per person per day
- ❖ 15% Government tax

**The above Price does not include:**

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- ❖ Other expenses of personal nature like tips, telephone calls and laundry service
- ❖ Entrance to special ceremonies you might encounter by chance
- ❖ Any Domestic and International flights fare
- ❖ Porter fees
- ❖ Any other cost not mentioned at “price includes” section