

A wonderful experience of the land, history & people of Ethiopia

Using internal flights as well as a minibus we visited Addis Ababa (Cathedral and museum for Lucy's bones), rock cut churches and wonderful scenery in Tigray, the stelae and Cathedral of Axum, the rock hewn churches of Lalibela, the castles of Gondar, the painted monastery churches near Lake Tana, an environmental project, a rural primary school and the Blue Nile Falls. We saw lots of birds, baboons and monkeys and we stayed in several amazing 'vernacular' hotels as well as lunching in some spectacularly situated restaurants. Driving along the dirt roads and especially when meeting some of the people we had the chance to learn something of real life in these parts of Ethiopia. We had an outstanding Ethiopian guide.

Rating for McCabe Pilgrimages:

Took a lot of trouble over the details and in assessing the security situation. Very reliable.

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