

# TOUR DOSSIER

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# Azerbaijan for Independent Travellers - 5 days

**AZ-03** 



This tour is designed for independent travellers or those on a limited budget. You are free to create your own travel programme in Azerbaijan. We put together your flights, arrange transfers, book accommodation and offer one day of sightseeing programme. Your local guide will help you with optional excursions. You can also combine this tour with a visit to Georgia or Armenia.

#### **DEPARTURE DATES:**

09.05.2025; 16.05.2025; 23.05.2025; 30.05.2025; 06.06.2025; 13.06.2025; 20.06.2025; 27.06.2025; 04.07.2025; 11.07.2025; 18.07.2025; 25.07.2025; 01.08.2025; 08.08.2025; 15.08.2025; 22.08.2025; 29.08.2025; 05.09.2025; 12.09.2025; 26.09.2025; 03.10.2025; 10.10.2025; 17.10.2025; 24.10.2025; 31.10.2025; 07.11.2025; 14.11.2025; 21.11.2025; 28.11.2025; 05.12.2025; 12.12.2025; 19.12.2025.

#### **ITINERARY**

#### Day 1 - Baku

On arrival at Baku's international airport you'll be met by our representative for your transfer to the hotel. After check in there'll be free time.

# Day 2 - Baku

Today, we begin our discovery of the city of Baku, enjoying a sightseeing tour of Baku's most absorbing sights. We'll visit to the city's main monumental, historical and architectural attractions before climbing to the city's highest point at Upland Park for an impressive panorama of the Azeri capital and its bay. From there we'll descend to the old city, known locally as Icheri sheher. This was all there was of Baku until the mid-19th century when, as a result of the oil boom, a growth spurt caused the city to spill beyond its defensive walls. This tiny area measures just 22 square hectares and yet it contains so many significant sights, including the Shirvanshakhs Palace, the Maiden Tower and the Karavansaray, once the place of merchants' rest. Today, just 1300 families call Icheri sheher, this city within a city, home. It's a delightful place to take an evening stroll through the maze of streets to the gathering place of Fountains Square. There are also plenty of opportunities for shopping, should you wish. (Breakfast)

# Day 3 - Baku

Free day. (Breakfast)

#### Day 4 - Baku

Free day. (Breakfast)

# Day 5 - Baku

After breakfast, you'll transfer to the airport for your flight home. (Breakfast)

### TOUR INCLUSIONS AND OPTIONAL EXTRAS

#### Included

International flights
Accommodation
English - speaking guides
Daily breakfasts
Airport transfers
Azerbaijan e-visa

# **Not included**

Personal travel insurance
Optional excursions

# **Practical information**

About Best of Caucasus company
How our tours are run
Contact our travel consultants

# **AVAILABLE PACKAGES**

# **COMFORT - 3\* PACKAGE**

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Dates	Excl. flights	Incl. flights*	Single suppl.
09/05/2025 - 13/05/2025	£495	£895	£50
16/05/2025 - 20/05/2025	£495	£895	£50
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# PREMIUM - 4\* PACKAGE

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# ALTERNATIVE TOURS AND TAILOR-MADE ARRANGEMENTS

In addition to organized group tours, we also offer individual trips. This could be an entirely separate holiday arrangement or an extension to a regular "Best of Caucasus" trip. Whether you would like to travel independently, or just with the group of your friends or colleagues, we can help to realise your holiday plans. Depending on your preference for either comfort or budget, we can help you to design the ideal itinerary and provide the optimal value-for-money quote. Please contact us for a quote.

Based on your chosen tour we believe you might be interested in alternative trips listed below:

- > Highlights of Azerbaijan 6 days (AZ-01), Price from £995, 6 days
- > Georgia for Independent Travellers 5 days (GE-07), Price from £695, 5 days
- > <u>Armenia for Independent Travellers 5 days (AM-04)</u>, Price from £645, 5 days
- > Short Break in Istanbul 3 days (TR-01), Price from £645, 3 days

#### **HOW TO BOOK**

# **Step 1 - Choose Your Holiday & Departure Dates**

It is important that you choose a trip that is well suited to your interests, capabilities and experience. All our staff has first hand experience of a range of Best of Caucasus holidays and will be happy to talk to you about your chosen trip, enabling you to assess its suitability. We also recommend that you read the descriptions of the relevant region, general information about our services, booking conditions, and trip dossiers carefully. Once you know what tour is right for you, as well as your departure dates, you can start your booking.

# **Step 2 - Complete the Booking Form**

**Online:** log on to <u>www.best-of-caucasus.co.uk</u> and open the tour you wish to book and click "Book now". To provide you with a more personalised and relevant experience in all your contact with Best of Caucasus, when you book online we ask you to register on our system. Once registered you can retrieve your bookings, update newsletter subscriptions, passenger and emergency contact details, submit special dietary requests, view invoices and receipts, download trip documents.

Email: alternatively, you can book your tour per email - info@best-of-caucasus.co.uk, or

Phone: call us on +44 (0)20 30 51 76 40

When booking by email or over the phone please confirm your personal details (full name and address), chosen tour, departure date, package type (hotel category), and available upgrades.

# **Step 3 - Confirmation of your booking**

On receipt of your booking form, we will make any necessary reservations for you and send you confirmation invoice, including the flight details, and additional information about your destination: advice on visas, vaccinations and what to take. The invoice will also show you the exact due date of the payment.

#### **Step 4 - Payment**

Please note, if your departure date is more than 56 days you will need to pay the deposit, which should cover the full cost of the flight (if applicable), plus 10% of the land-only arrangements (minimum BJ100) per person towards your tour. The outstanding payment must be made 56 days prior to departure. If you book less than 56 days before departure, full payment must be made at the time of your booking. You can make your payment by bank transfer, debit or credit card, cheque, bankers draft or postal order. You will find all relevant payment details in your invoice.

# YOUR NOTES

On request we can organise an additional programme for you, please <u>inquire</u> about the price and availability of the optional excursions.

Please find below some space to write down your queries or comments regarding this trip.				