Ashra & Merira Kwesi’s Kemet Nu “Know Thyself” Educational Tours presents Ethiopia

The Land Where Humanity Began

December 28, 2019 - January 8, 2020

Enlightening African-Centered Journey to the Motherland based on 38 years of Study and Tour Experience in the African Nile Valley

Enjoy this complete package for only $3999 per person double occupancy
INTRODUCTION

Ashra Kwesi is a historian (griot) and lecturer on ancient African history and religion. He brings a wealth of information based on over 3 decades of study and tour experience in the African Nile Valley. 14 of those years were spent apprenticed to the renowned scholar and Kemetologist, Dr. Yosef ben J ochannan.

Merira Kwesi is a lecturer on African fashion and culture, both ancient and modern, with 27 years experience in the African Nile Valley. Brother and Sister Kwesi are the owners of Kemet Nu Productions and produce DVDs on the African origins of civilization, religion and culture. They also conduct exciting, annual, educational tours to Kemet (Egypt). Based on their extensive research, travel and tour experience, they will emphasize the rich historical and cultural background of Ethiopia from ancient times to modern. This unforgettable and enjoyable adventure will stay with you forever.

ITINERARY
Day 2 - Sun., Dec. 29, 2019. Arrive in Addis Ababa the capital of Ethiopia, where the group will be met and transferred to our hotel. In the afternoon, we will take the city tour of Addis Ababa and travel to Mt. Entoto. Mount Entoto is the best location to see a panoramic view of Addis Ababa. It attracted Emperor Menelik II to build his capital until he was convinced by his wife, Empress Taitu to move the city to the valley below, where it is now located. On the top of the hill stands St. Mary’s Church, built in 1885. Evening multimedia lecture, orientation session and group introductions. D

Day 3 - Mon., Dec. 30, 2019. After breakfast, we will take a morning flight to Axum. There, we will visit Ethiopia’s most ancient city, part of one of the most glorious empires of the past. Our travel will take us to the tallest standing tekenu (obelisk) hewn from a single piece of granite. We will explore the magnificent tombs of the ancient Axumite Kings built from granite stone, plus the ancient palace of Queen Makeda (Queen of Sheba). Another stop will be the 16th century cathedral of Mariam Sion (St. Mary of Zion) which houses the Ark of the Covenant, taken from Israel and brought to Ethiopia by Menelik I. The Adwa hills, where the Ethiopian army defeated the Italians and repelled their invasion in 1896 will be one of our most impressive sights. Tour participants will learn about this amazing African victory over a European army. It sent shockwaves throughout Europe and instilled a sense of pride and inspiration among Africans around the world. Evening multimedia presentation    B/D

Day 4 - Tues., Dec. 31, 2019. After breakfast, tour members will transfer to the airport for a flight to Lalibela. After checking into the hotel, our group will visit the unique imperial compound of medieval castles, the earliest of which belonged to King Fasiladas. Additionally, we will tour the bathing palace of King Fasiladas which is used for the annual Timket or Epiphany celebration. We will also get an eye-witness account of the rich decorations and murals of Ethiopian religious icons at the the Church of Debre Berhan Selassie, built when Africans created religious figures in their own image. B/D

Day 5 - Wed., Jan. 1, 2020. We will continue visiting the churches at Lalibela. Evening multimedia presentation    B/D

Day 6 - Thurs., Jan. 2, 2020. After breakfast, tour members will take a flight from Lalibela to Gondar, the 17th century capital of Ethiopia. After checking into the hotel, our group will visit the unique imperial compound of medieval castles, the earliest of which belonged to King Fasiladas. Additionally, we will tour the bathing palace of King Fasiladas which is used for the annual Timket or Epiphany celebration. We will also get an eye-witness account of the rich decorations and murals of Ethiopian religious icons at the Church of Debre Berhan Selassie, built when Africans created religious figures in their own image. B/D

Day 7 - Fri., Jan. 3, 2020. Tour members will visit the African Agaw, Beta Israel (Falasha) village of the people who are direct descendants of the ancient Hebrews, Solomon and Queen Makeda (Queen of Sheba). We will then take a scenic drive to Bahar Dar. On arrival, the group will take a boat ride on Lake Tana, the origin of the Blue Nile. Overnight in Bahar Dar. B/D

Day 8 - Sat., Jan. 4, 2020. Morning multimedia lecture. We will then take an afternoon flight to Addis Ababa. There B/D.

Day 9 - Sun., Jan. 5, 2020. Tour members will explore the National Museum which houses the remains of Dinknesh (Lucy), dating 3.5 million years. The group will also visit the Ethnological Museum of the Institute of Ethiopian Studies, located at Addis Ababa University (the former palace of Emperor Haile Selassie). Evening Multimedia presentation    B/D

(B =Breakfast    D =Dinner)
Day 10 - Mon., Jan. 6, 2020. Our travel will take us on a drive to Melka Kunture, about 31 miles south of Addis Ababa, in the upper Awash valley. There, we will visit the Tukul Museum that illustrates the most important East African prehistoric sites, geological aspects of Melka Kunture, a history of human evolution, and the archaeological, paleontological and palaeoanthropological records from Melka Kunture. The site also includes the Open Air Museum that shows both archaeological and environmental features of the site. Next, we will drive to the UNESCO World Heritage Tiya Archaeological Site. It has 36 standing monuments, including 32 stelae with symbols of ancient Ethiopia culture. Traditional dinner & folkloric entertainment. B/D

Day 11 - Tues., Jan. 7, 2020. Group members will take a drive to Bishoftu, southeast of Addis Ababa. It was formerly known as Debre Zeit (Mount of Olives). There, we will view the scenic Crater Lakes. In the early evening, the group will transfer to the airport for our departure on Ethiopian Airlines. B


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### TOUR INCLUDES

- International airfare from Washington Dulles Airport to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia International Airport and back
- Internal air transportation throughout Ethiopia
- African centered lectures by Ashra and Merira Kwesi on location at the sites
- Multimedia PowerPoint lectures on Ethiopian history both ancient and modern by Ashra and Merira Kwesi
- Deluxe hotel accommodations based on twin bedded rooms with bath. Single supplement extra.
- Two meals daily throughout. Continental breakfast and dinner.
- All transfers with assistance and porters.
- All sight seeing as per itinerary
- US departure taxes
- Pre-trip planning handbook
- DVD - Motherland Africa, the Kemet Nu Ethiopia Tour and Pamphlet - Historical Outline of Ethiopian History
- Luggage tags and tips

### NOT INCLUDED

- Passport and Visa fees
- Excess baggage.

Make checks and money orders payable to:
Kemet Nu Tours

P.O. Box 41005  |  Dallas, TX 75241-0005
Telephone: (214) 371-0206  |  Fax: (214) 371-0908

For additional information, call: (214) 371-0206
website at: kemetnu.com  |  email to: kemetnutours@gmail.com

Kemet Nu Tours is a Black-owned and operated business.
All tours are organized and conducted by Ashra and Merira Kwesi.
Payments received after Nov. 8, 2019 are subject to a $100 late fee. Reinstate-
ment of reservations not paid in full by the due date is subject to availability.

Responsibility

KEMET NU TOURS and/or its agents act only as agent for various companies over the line of which
tickets are available and these tours operate, and assume no responsibility for liability in connection
with the service of any train, vessel, carriage, aircraft, motor or other conveyance which may be
used wholly or in part in the performance of its duty to the passenger, neither will it be responsible
for any act, error of omission or for any injury, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be
occasioned by reason of any defect in any vehicle or through neglect or default of any hotel
proprietor or hotel service, or for any other person engaged in carrying out the purpose for which
tickets or coupons are issued. In the event any hotel change comes necessary or advisable for the
comfort or well-being of the passengers for any reason whatsoever to alter the itinerary or
arrangements, such alterations may be made without penalty to the operators. Additional
expenses, if any, shall be borne by the passenger; conversely, refunds will be made to the
passenger if any saving is effected thereby. The right is reserved to withdraw any or all tours should
conditions warrant, also to decline to accept or retain any passengers as members of the tour. In
such instances, the full or equitable amount will be refunded.

The airline concerned is not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time
the passengers are not on board their planes or conveyances. The passage contract in use by the
airlines concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sale contract between the airlines and the
purchase of these tours and/or passage. Airline rates are subject to change, due to fuel cost.
Payment of deposit for this tour signifies full understanding and acceptance of the above-
mentioned conditions.

Baggage Allowance

Each tour participant is allowed 1 bag (checked) not to exceed 50 lbs. in weight, plus a bag to fit
under the seat, not to exceed a total of 45 inches in length, width and height. Weight restrictions
on some domestic flights may be restricted to 44 lbs. of total weight for the 1 bag of checked
luggage and 15 lbs for the carryon.

Suggested Payment Plan

Payment can be made in any amounts of $300 or above, as long as final payment is in by Nov. 8, 2019. A sample
payment plan is listed below.

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RESERVATION FORM FOR
KEMET NU “KNOW THYSELF” EDUCATIONAL TOUR
THE PRICES LISTED BELOW ARE PER PERSON BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY AND INCLUDE
TRANSPORTATION FROM WASHINGTON DULLES AIRPORT AND BACK, PLUS LAND ARRANGEMENTS

ETHIOPIA   DECEMBER 28, 2019 - JANUARY 8, 2020
$3999.00    PER PERSON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
$350.00     SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

( ) I WISH TO SHARE A ROOM WITH______________________________
( ) I NEED A ROOMMATE. PLEASE MATCH ME WITH SOMEONE.
(Single room rate of $350 is applicable if no roommate is available).
( ) I REQUIRE SINGLE SUPPLEMENT ($3999 + $350 = $4349)

ENCLOSED IS MY NONREFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF $300 PER PERSON
FINAL PAYMENT IS DUE BY NOVEMBER 8, 2019

*SINGLE RATE APPLICABLE IF NO ROOMMATE IS AVAILABLE.
MANDATORY: The information requested below is required for ticketing purposes.

NAME: _____________________________________________________________________________________
(LEGAL NAME AS IT APPEARS ON PASSPORT - First, Middle, Last Name)

PASSPORT NUMBER: ____________________________ (If you do not have a passport, please apply immediately. Once the
passport is available, send the photo page to Kemet Nu Tours).

ADDRESS: __________________________________________________________________________________

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____________________________________________________________________________

TELEPHONE: (H) ___________________________ (Business or Cell)___________________________

E-MAIL: ____________________________________________________________________________________

DATE OF BIRTH: ________________________ (     ) MALE    (     ) FEMALE      (     ) SMOKER   (     ) NON-SMOKER

TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE (OPTIONAL) ______________________(Travel insurance information will be mailed once your reser-
vation is received).

PAYMENT METHODS
(Payments can be made in any amounts of $300 or above as long as final payment is in by November 8, 2019

MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: KEMET NU TOURS.
MAIL TO: KEMET NU TOURS, P.O. BOX 41005, DALLAS TX 75241-0005.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS
Please charge my credit card $______________
Card No. _________________________________________ Exp. Date: _______________________
Credit Card Security Number: ___________ (3 digits located on the back of Visa, Mastercard & Discover Cards, 4 digits on front
of AMEX).
(     ) AMEX    (     ) VISA   (     ) MASTERCARD    (     ) DISCOVER

YOUR NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CREDIT CARD: ____________________________________________

DATE: ___________________________ SIGNATURE: __________________________

CREDIT CARD BILLING ADDRESS: ________________________________________________________
We also accept PayPal. Send PayPal payments to kemetnutours@gmail.com

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Hotep (Peace) Brothers and Sisters:

Thank you for your interest in the Kemet Nu “Know Thyself” Educational Tour to Ethiopia. It will be a most unforgettable 12 day "trip of a lifetime" to Ethiopia. The dates for this winter are December 28, 2019 - January 8, 2020. The $3999 amount includes all international travel from Washington Dulles Airport, deluxe hotels, 2 meals daily, entrance fees into the sites, lectures at the sites by Ashra and Merira Kwesi, multimedia Power-Point presentations by Brother and Sister Kwesi, all air and land travel throughout Ethiopia, pre-trip planning handbook, DVD and historical pamphlet.

The trip brochure gives a complete tour description, detailing travel dates and itinerary. The reservation form lists pricing for single and double rooms. If you plan to attend, and need a roommate, we will try to match you with someone. Please make a note on the reservation form that you are requesting a roommate. Do not be concerned if you are planning to travel alone. We travel as an African family, so you will not be lonely. You will have an opportunity to meet brothers and sisters from many different places.

The brochure also lists a sample payment plan. Once you make the $300 deposit, additional payments can be made in any amounts of $300 and above, as long as final payment is in by November 8, 2019. **After you register for the tour, you will receive trip preparation and orientation information. The Kemet Nu “Know Thyself” Educational Tour DVD, entitled Motherland Africa: The Kemet Nu Ethiopia Tour, along with a historical pamphlet will be mailed to you a few weeks prior to the trip.** The pamphlet and DVD are excellent for trip preparation purposes. The DVD highlights many of the exciting locations that you will see, answers the most frequently asked questions about the tour and gives much insight into the daily activities. The pamphlet provides historical information on Ethiopia.

We look forward to greeting you personally this winter in Ethiopia. **If you should have any questions or need additional information, please call us at: (214) 371-0206.**

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Ashra and Merira Kwesi