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# Essence of Persia

Tehran, Isfahan, Kashan, Shiraz and Persepolis, with a domestic flight

TAILOR-MADE JOURNEYS

| LENGTH | CITIES | WHEN | PER PERSON |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 days, 7 nights | 5 cities | 8 departures from Dec 5, 2026 to Mar 27, 2027 | R$ 11,986<br>For the Dec 5, 2026 departure, Tourist Class |

## About the trip

Eight days across Iran, from Tehran to Shiraz, Persepolis, Isfahan and Kashan, with a domestic flight and a Spanish-speaking guide. The itinerary brings together palaces, mosques, gardens and the sites of ancient Persia.

## What you will experience

- Tehran by metro and taxi, with the Carpet Museum, the Sa'ad Abad complex and the Milad Tower
- Golestan Palace, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and the National Jewelry Museum, in Tehran
- Shiraz, with the Nasir al-Mulk Mosque, the Vakil Bazaar, the tombs of Hafez and Saadi and the Eram Garden
- Excursion to Persepolis and the Necropolis, with royal tombs carved into the rock
- Isfahan, with Imam Square, the Si-o-seh Pol bridge and the Armenian Vank Cathedral
- Village of Abyaneh, Fin Garden in Kashan and the shrine of Fatima Masumeh, in Qom

## Day by day

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DAY 1

### TEHRAN

Arrival at Tehran international airport and assistance from our representative. Transfer to the hotel and start of the city visits by metro and taxi, an experience that allows direct cultural immersion. Visit to the Carpet Museum, with more than 100 hand-woven pieces from all over Iran, followed by the Sa'ad Abad palace complex, which gathers 18 buildings from the Qajar and Pahlavi eras, of which the most representative are visited. Lunch at a traditional restaurant. Visit to the Reza Abbasi Museum, with valuable pre-Islamic and Safavid-period pieces. Visit to the Milad Tower, one of the tallest in the world. Option to visit, as an optional extra, the Nature Bridge, which links two parks over the Shahid Modarres highway. Overnight stay.

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DAY 2

### TEHRAN - SHIRAZ (FLIGHT)

Breakfast. Visit to the National Museum of Iran, with collections from ancient Iran and the Islamic era. Continuation to the Golestan Palace, an architectural masterpiece of the Qajar dynasty and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Walk through the traditional bazaar and lunch. Visit to the National Jewels Museum, which houses the famous Darya-e-Noor diamond. Transfer to the airport and flight to Shiraz. Arrival and an evening visit to the Shah-e Cheragh shrine, impressive for its dome and its lighting. Overnight stay.

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DAY 3

## SHIRAZ

Breakfast. For centuries Shiraz was the cultural capital of Persia, a land of poets, gardens and nightingales. Visit to the Karim Khan Palace, the Vakil mosque, the Vakil bazaar and the beautiful Nasir Almolk mosque. Walk through the Saraye Moshir and lunch at a typical restaurant. Visit to the tombs of the poets Hafez and Saadi, the mausoleum of Ali-Ibn-e-Hamzeh and the Jahan Nama and Eram gardens. Visit to the tomb of Khajoy-e-Kermani, with a panoramic view of the city. Overnight stay.

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DAY 4

## SHIRAZ - PERSEPOLIS - NECROPOLIS - SHIRAZ (60 KM)

Breakfast. Excursion to Persepolis, ceremonial capital of the Achaemenid Empire, and to the Necropolis, with royal tombs carved into the rock. Return to Shiraz and a walk through the historic Sang-e-sia district, with stops at Bibidokhtaran, at the Mirhadi and Moshir mosques and at an Armenian church (optional visit). Visit to the tomb of Sibooyeh and the traditional Niayesh hotels. Typical dinner at the Delgosha restaurant. Overnight stay.

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DAY 5

## SHIRAZ - ISFAHAN (485 KM)

Breakfast. Departure for Isfahan with a stop at Pasargadae, an ancient Achaemenid capital and the tomb of Cyrus the Great. Arrival in Isfahan, lunch and a visit to the Jameh mosque. Continuation to the Armenian Vank cathedral and the Menar Jomban mausoleum. Walk across the Si-o-seh Pol bridge. Overnight stay.

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DAY 6

## ISFAHAN

Breakfast. Visit to the Chehel Sotun pavilion, Imam Square and its traditional bazaar, the Ali Qapu Palace and the Imam and Sheikh Lotfollah mosques. Free afternoon. Overnight stay.

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DAY 7

## ISFAHAN - KASHAN (215 KM)

Breakfast. Departure for Kashan, with a visit to Natanz and the shrine of Sheikh Abd al-Samad, as well as the Sassanid castle of Tarq. Continuation to Abyaneh, a picturesque village protected by UNESCO. Arrival in Kashan and transfer to the hotel. Overnight stay.

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DAY 8

## KASHAN - TEHRAN (207 KM)

Breakfast. Visit to the historic houses of Borujerdiha and Tabatabaeiha, magnificent examples of Qajar-era residential architecture, and to the Fin Garden, in the traditional Persian style and the oldest in Iran, where Prime Minister Amir Kabir was assassinated in 1852. Lunch. Departure for Qom, to visit the shrine of Fatima Masumeh, a Shiite pilgrimage center considered the second holiest in the country. Transfer to Tehran airport (IKA) for the return flight. End of our services.

# Prices

### Trip price by period

| PERIOD | FIRST CLASS | TOURIST CLASS |
|---|---|---|
| from Dec 5, 2026 to Feb 13, 2027, 6 departures | R$ 14,401<br>US$ 2,445 | R$ 11,986<br>US$ 2,035 |
| Mar 6 and Mar 27, 2027 | R$ 15,815<br>US$ 2,685 | R$ 13,194<br>US$ 2,240 |

per person sharing a double room

Fees, supplements and optional extras follow the tables below.

### Single room by period

| PERIOD | FIRST CLASS | TOURIST CLASS |
|---|---|---|
| from Dec 5, 2026 to Feb 13, 2027, 6 departures | R$ 2,886<br>US$ 490 | R$ 2,415<br>US$ 410 |
| Mar 6 and Mar 27, 2027 | R$ 3,181<br>US$ 540 | R$ 2,651<br>US$ 450 |

### Payment options

Paid in full by Pix or bank transfer: R$ 11,387 (5% off the trip price)

Down payment of 30% R$ 3,596

9 interest-free installments of R$ 932

Based on the price of the Dec 5, 2026 departure, Tourist Class.

Prices in reais at today's exchange rate, travel exchange rate based on the Travelex average for October 2026 (Central Bank of Brazil), over the PTAX selling rate of 11/27/2026.

You pay TWTS in Brazilian reais, by Pix, bank transfer or credit card. The price in foreign currency is the market reference, converted at the exchange rate on the day you pay.

- The order of the visits may change for operational reasons, official or unofficial holidays and at the guide's discretion. In Tehran, the metro and taxis will be used, to make getting around easier and to encourage contact with the local population. The walk on the Nature Bridge is optional and has a supplement. The last night does not include accommodation; you can book a hotel by the hour or for the whole night near the airport, depending on the flight time.

## The program includes

- ✓ Transfers with a guide: arrival and departure in Tehran, arrival in Shiraz, departure in Tehran
- ✓ Invitation letter for the Iran visa
- ✓ Accommodation and daily breakfast
- ✓ 5 lunches and 1 dinner
- ✓ Transportation within Iran

## Not included

- – International airfare
- – Travel insurance
- – Tips for guides and drivers
- – Meals and drinks not mentioned in the itinerary
- – Visas and entry fees
- – Personal expenses

- ✓ Experienced Spanish-speaking tour guide throughout the trip
- ✓ Domestic flights
- ✓ All entrance fees to the monuments mentioned in the itinerary

## Planned hotels

| CITY | HOTEL |
|---|---|
| Tehran | Hotel Dorna |
| Shiraz | Hotel Arg Karim Khan |
| Isfahan | Setareh Hotel<br>Hafez Street., Naghseh-Jahan Square |
| Kashan | Hotel Negin<br>Mohtasham Street Sabet Alley |

Planned hotels or similar, in the same category.

## Documents and notes

**Travel documents required:**

Please confirm the visa and vaccination requirements with your TWTS consultant at the time of booking.

Passengers of other nationalities must check with the destination's consulate.

## Talk to TWTS

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