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Detailed Hajj Itinerary

Travel Dates: **May 17th/18th – June 1st/2nd**

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Luxury 2 Muassim - Itinerary Visualized

JOURNEY TIMELINE



DAY-BY-DAY GANTT



Departure Day

[Various] May 17th / May 18th | 30th – 1st Dhu al-Hijjah



❑ Important Reminders

- ❑ Please make sure you have all your **medications** and all your **hajj essentials**.
- ❑ Please make sure to make **two (hard and digital) copies of your passport, visas** and green card (if applicable).
- ❑ Please make sure mark your **bags clearly** with the tag (**write your group number**) as well as for extra measure, using packaging tape and a sharpie (**write your group number!**).
- ❑ If you get one, please keep the **Al Rajhi Neck ID** handy. It'll be easier for Al Rajhi to spot you when **you land at Medina** iA.
- ❑ Please have keep your **meningitis record** handy as well. The airport staff will check when you land at Medina.
- ❑ Keep a **carry-on with extra and important items** so in case your bag gets delayed or lost, you have what you need with you.
- ❑ **Pro Tip:** Please have a shopping plan / checklist to limit your stress during the journey.
- ❑ Lastly, do remember your dua of traveling! We ask *Allah to bless this journey of goodness, and lighten this journey for us and make its distance easy for us. Ameen.*

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❑ Some great advice from a sister who went to hajj before ([read more](#))!

- ❑ #1 takeaway from Hajj is that your experience will be unique to you. Every experience you have is customized for you by Allah swt. You will have ease in some areas where others have difficulty, and difficulty in some areas that are a breeze for others. Two people in the same flight, same package, same hotel room will have different experiences.
- ❑ *There's a lot of waiting and delay throughout the Hajj journey that is outside your control: waiting to get on your transport and for it to start moving, stuck in traffic, routes blocked, elevators taking forever, long lines for bathrooms and food, bus service is delayed, etc etc etc. This is all part of the experience so try not to get frustrated and just keep dhikr on your tongue at all times.*
- ❑ **100** *Strongly advise that you prepare for your journey as if you're traveling alone - know the locations of your hotel, Mina, arafat, muzdalifa, jamaraat, haram. Familiarize yourself with haram entrances and exits and the clocktower area. Know exactly what to do on each day of Hajj. *Carry your own cash*. Even if you're traveling with husband/family/group, you never know when you might get separated, or phone stops working, or husband gets sick, or or or.*

Departure from the United States

[Various] May 17th / May 18th | **DON'T MISS YOUR FLIGHTS!**



- ❑ **Since we all have different flights, until we arrive at Medina, this part of our journey is our individual responsibility. **We are ourselves responsible to be at the airport & in the plane on time.****
 - ❖ Again, make sure you follow your flight itinerary by being on time at the airport, making all the connections, and being attentive to all the announcements at the airport regarding your flights.
 - ❖ Make sure to take a picture of your luggage incase they get delayed or lost.
 - ❖ Those with layovers, try to get together if possible, and assist each other insha'Allaah!

- ❑ **Arrive at your assigned airport ~ preferably four (4) hours prior (3 hours at the minimum)!**
 - ❖ The check-in desks usually open around 3 hours – 3.5 hours before the flight time.
 - ❖ **Please arrive at the airport 3.5-4 hours ahead. It's better to be there early than risk losing the flight.**
 - ❖ **Pro Tip:** You may not have cell service after boarding (some airports do that). We recommend texting your family and others prior you board the plane.

- ❑ **Salah in the Plane!**
 - ❖ Please note the schedule of your flight and the prayers that you have to pray in the plane.
 - ❖ The **Fajr** is the most difficult one to calculate. The best advice is to either ask the flight crew or do your own calculations to the best of your ability. You can also use the in-seat flight entertainment that may have the day time and night time map and estimate the Fajr time based on it.

- ❑ **Enjoy your flight time! May Allah bless our travels!**

Daily Itinerary – 5/18 [Day 1]

Monday, May 18th | 1st Dhu al-Hijjah



❑ Arrival at Medina Airport (Saudi Arabia):

- ❖ Please **proceed to the customs**; enroute your **immunization record** will be checked by the airport staff.
- ❖ Please follow the instruction provided. You should have your **visa copy handy** at this point as well.
- ❖ After arrival stamps, please **proceed to the luggage area**.

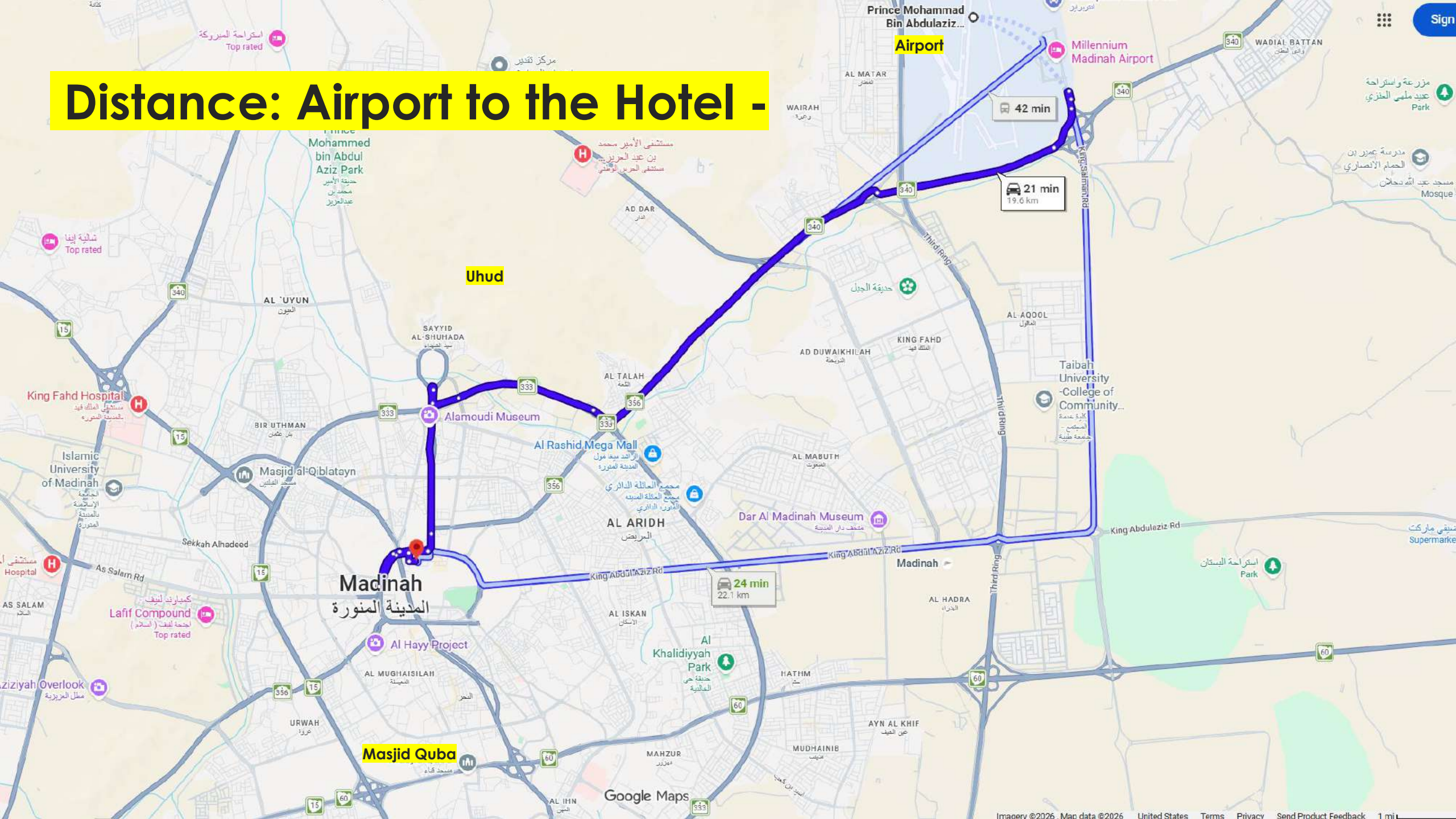
❑ Meet and Assist with Al Rajhi Team:

- ❖ After you have claimed your luggage, please proceed to **exit the baggage claim area**.
- ❖ As you exit the baggage claim (you are still at the airport), locate the booth of Al Rajhi, and head to them for your next step (e.g. bus to the hotel, cab to the hotel, etc...)
- ❖ The Al Rajhi team and Adam Travels team will be available upon arrival at the Medina airport. Detailed instructions and contact numbers will be provided.

❑ Lost Luggage:

- ❖ If you lost your luggage, **file a claim with the Airlines, and then give the tag to Adam Travels/Al Rajhi team** and they will follow up with you. **Take a picture for your reference as well.**

Distance: Airport to the Hotel -



Daily Itinerary – 5/18 [Day 1]

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❑ **Worst-Case Scenario:**

- ❖ Imagine a scenario where there is no meet and greet. What do you do!
- ❖ **First, this WILL NOT be the scenario, but as a worst-case scenario, here is what do you can do.**
- ❖ Gather with people that maybe going through the same and problem-solve together!
- ❖ If you are in Medina, you have a lot of options.
 - ❖ You can just grab a cab on your own; you can Uber (yes Uber works!); you can reach out to Rami on the group chat; the contact you will be given from Al Rajhi, etc...
- ❖ If you are in Jeddah, you have similar options for cab or uber, it will be appropriately priced of course but you can share among several folks. You can also just get the train from the airport!
- ❖ **The focus is to not panic and have the mindset to solve the problem on hand at that time.**

❑ **Masjid Nabawi Azaan Times:** **The Iqamah either will be 5-10 mins after or could be right after.**

Date	Fajr	Sunrise	Dhuhr	Asr	Maghrib	Isha
May 18	4:10 AM	5:37 AM	12:18 PM	3:42 PM	6:59 PM	8:29 PM
May 19	4:09 AM	5:36 AM	12:18 PM	3:42 PM	7:00 PM	8:30 PM
May 20	4:08 AM	5:36 AM	12:18 PM	3:42 PM	7:00 PM	8:30 PM
May 21	4:08 AM	5:36 AM	12:18 PM	3:42 PM	7:01 PM	8:31 PM

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Monday, May 18th | 1st Dhu al-Hijjah



❑ Depart for the Madinah Hotel (Maden Taiba Hotel):

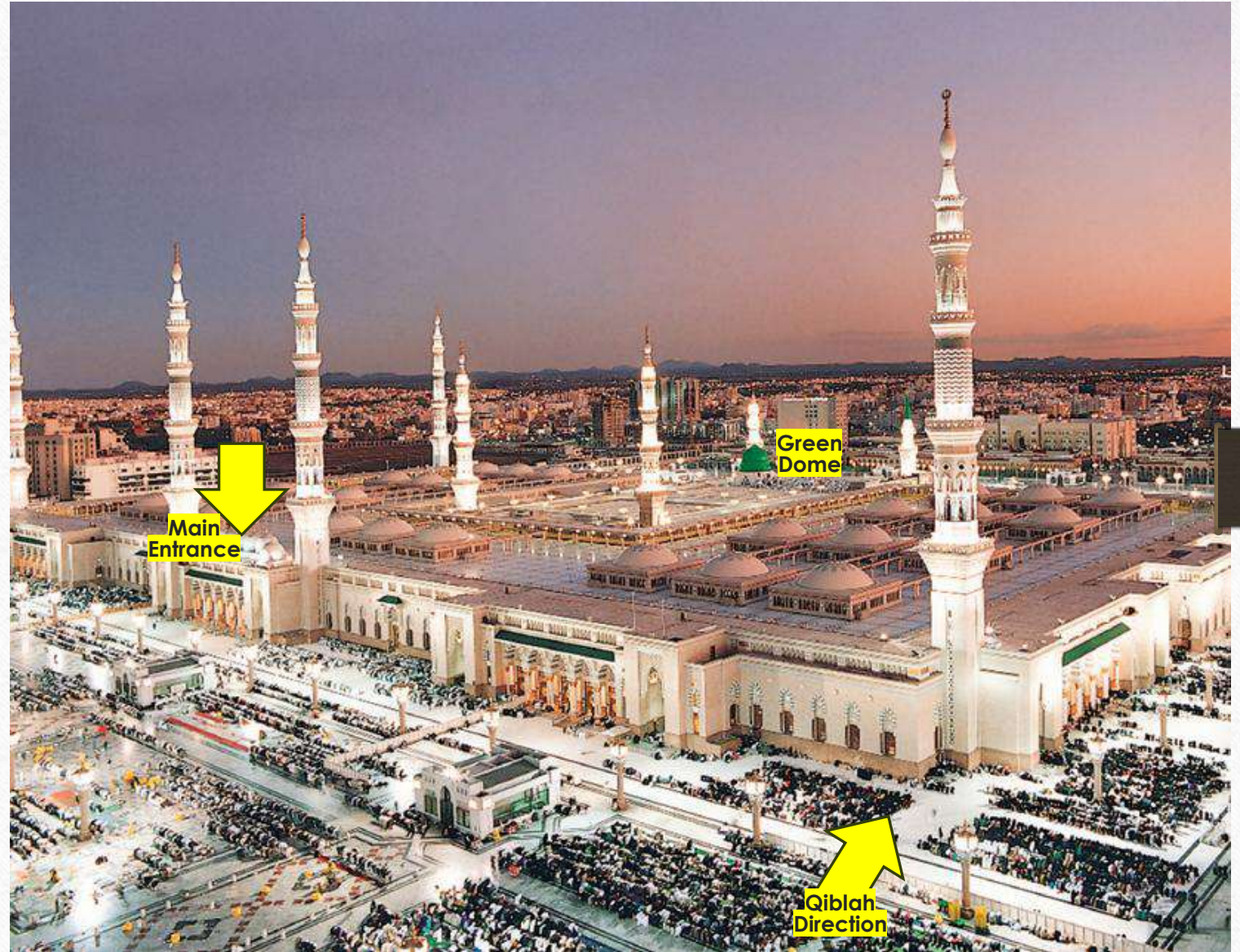
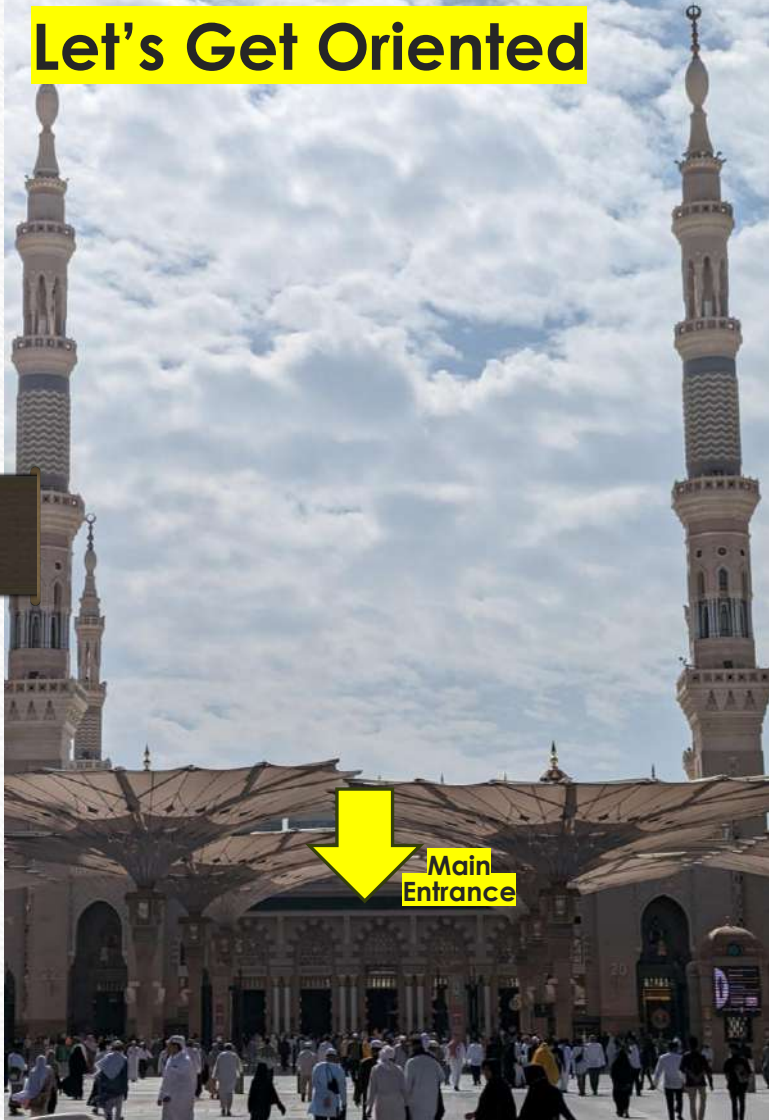
- ❖ Once all the formalities are taken care per the instruction of Al Rajhi staff, you will **board the bus or cab to the hotel** insha' Allaah .
 - ❖ **Service Tip:** *It is customary to give tips to the drivers and the staff.*
 - ❖ Rate: **10-15 SAR**. You can also use **\$\$ (~ \$3-\$5)**.

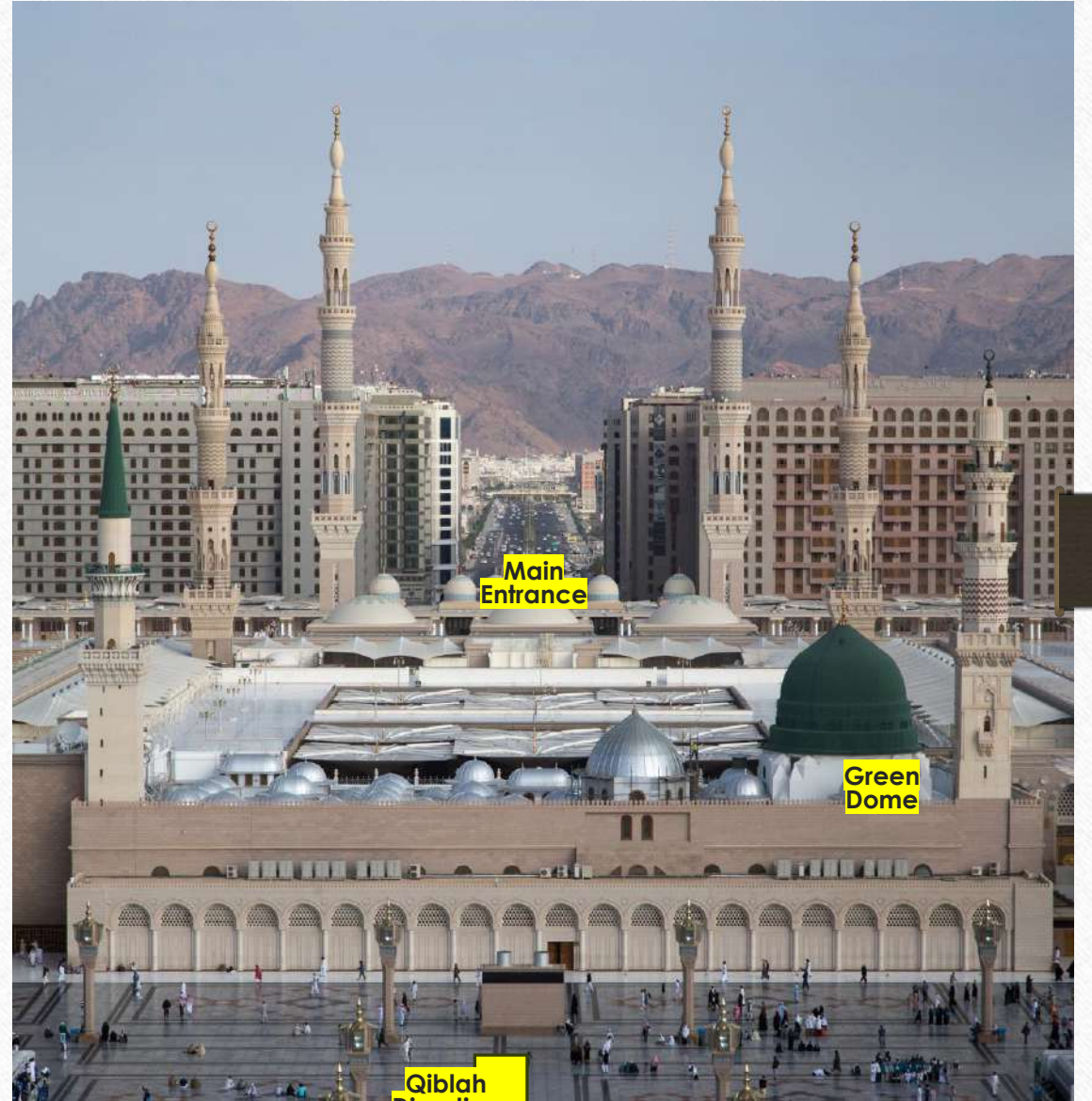
❑ Arrive at the Maden Taiba Hotel:

- ❖ When we arrive at the hotel, the hotel staff will help you get your bags out of the bus.
- ❖ **A good habit is to make sure you double check before leaving the bus each time you are in one! This is to make sure you didn't drop anything or forget anything in the bus!**
- ❖ Please come into the lobby for your **room keys, wifi access, breakfast area, and anything else** you will need to know at that time.
- ❖ Please proceed to your rooms, unpack, and freshen up, and **enjoy the city of the Prophet** of Allah (S).
- ❖ You have **daily breakfast (6am-10am)** and **dinner (6pm-9:30pm)** as part of your package!

*We are used to hear the word "haram (sacred)" for Masjid Al-Haram in Makkah. However, in Saudi it's a bit different. When you say "haram" in Medina, the understand is that you are referring to Masjid An-Nabwi. In Makkah, it will be Masjid Al-Haram.

Let's Get Oriented

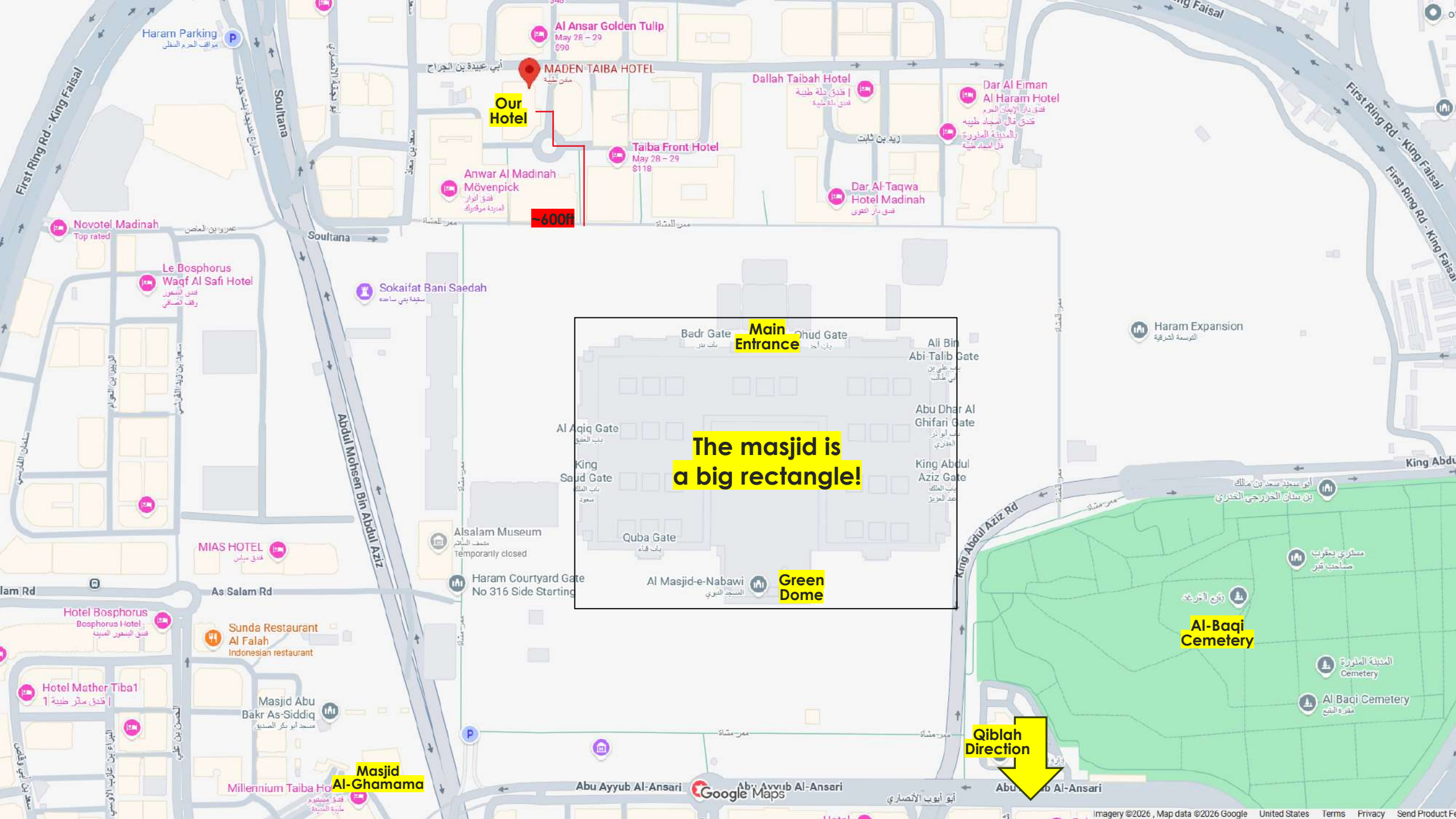




Main Entrance

Green Dome

Qiblah Direction



Our Hotel

~600ft

The masjid is a big rectangle!

Main Entrance

Green Dome

Qiblah Direction

Novotel Madinah
Top rated

Le Bosphorus
Waqf Al Safi Hotel
فندق البوسفور
واقف الصافي

MIAS HOTEL
فندق مياس

Hotel Bosphorus
Bosphorus Hotel
فندق البوسفور المسية

Hotel Mather Tiba1
فندق ماثر طيبة 1

Sunda Restaurant
Al Falah
Indonesian restaurant

Masjid Abu
Bakr As-Siddiq
مسجد ابو بكر الصديق

Millennium Taiba Ho
Al-Ghamama
فندق ميلينيوم
طيبة الغمامة

Anwar Al Madinah
Mövenpick
فندق انوار
المدينة موفنبيك

Sokairat Bani Saedah
سوقفة بني ساعدة

Alsalam Museum
متحف السلام
Temporarily closed

Haram Courtyard Gate
No 316 Side Starting

Al Ansar Golden Tulip
May 28 - 29
\$90

MADEN TAIBA HOTEL
مدن طيبة

Taiba Front Hotel
May 28 - 29
\$118

Dallah Taibah Hotel
فندق دلة طيبة
فندق دلة طيبة

Dar Al Eiman
Al Haram Hotel
فندق دار الإيمان الحرم
فندق دار المحمد طيبة
بالمدينة المنورة
فندق دار المحمد طيبة

Dar Al Taqwa
Hotel Madinah
فندق دار التقوى

Map of the Haram complex with various gates labeled:

- Badr Gate
- Ohud Gate
- Ali Bin Abi-Talib Gate
- Abu Dhar Al Ghifari Gate
- King Abdul Aziz Gate
- Quba Gate
- Al Masjid-e-Nabawi
- Green Dome
- Al Aqiq Gate
- King Saud Gate
- Haram Expansion

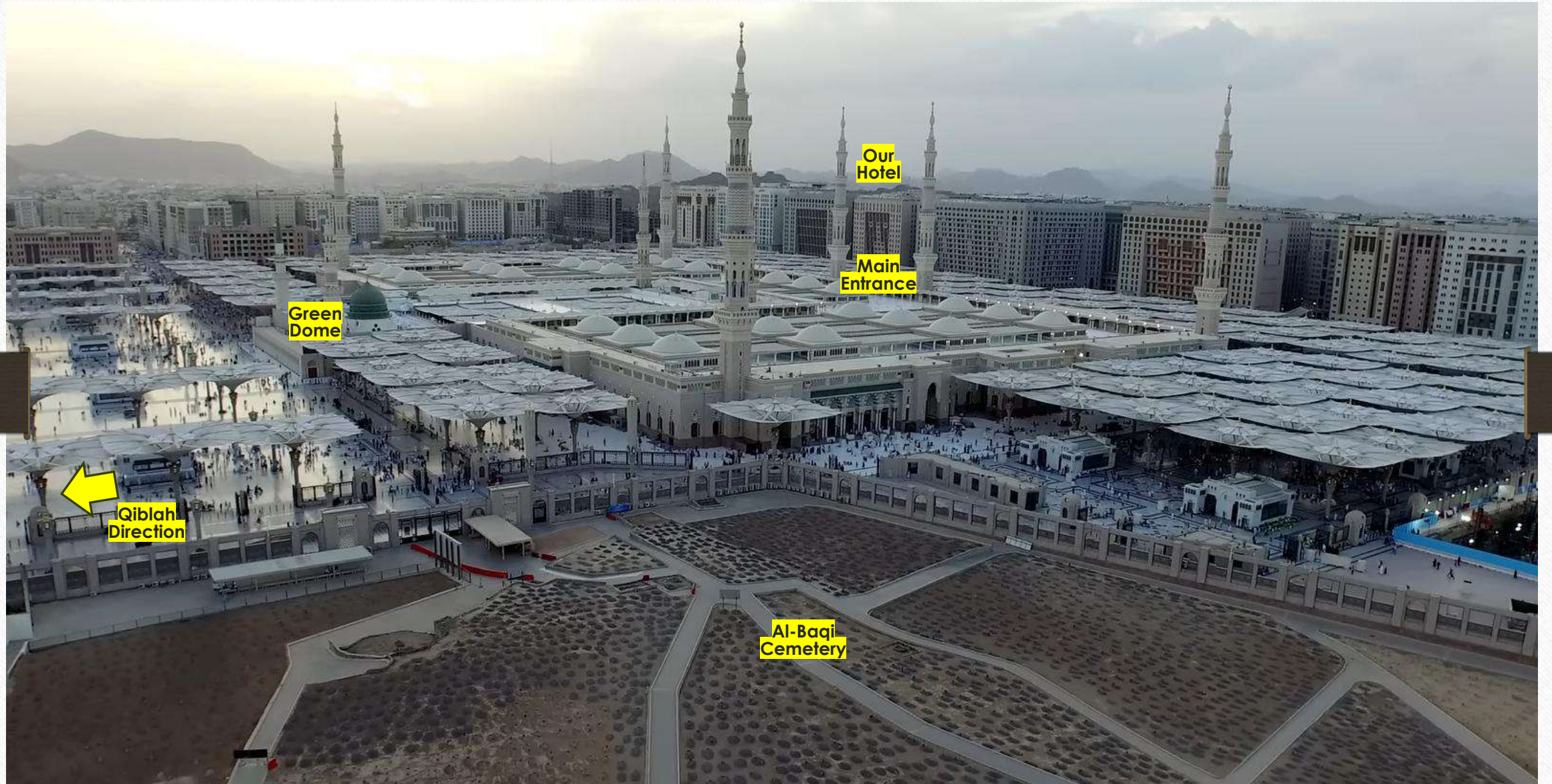
Haram Expansion
التوسعة الشرقية

Al-Baqi Cemetery

مسكوي يحقوب
صاحب قبر

المدينة المنورة
Cemetery

Al Baqi Cemetery
مقبرة البقيع



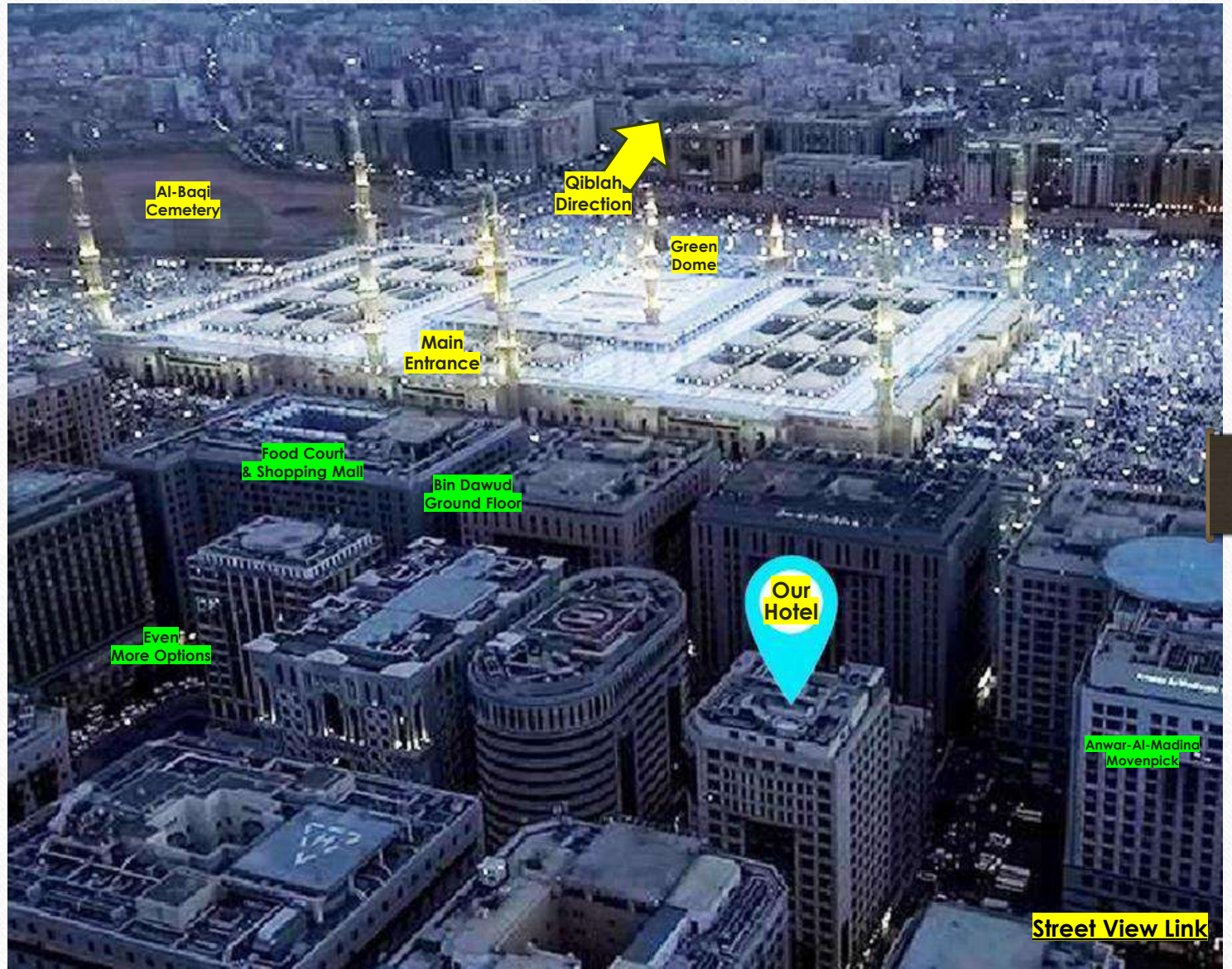
Our Hotel

Main Entrance

Green Dome

Qiblah Direction

Al-Baqi Cemetery



Al-Baqi Cemetery

Green Dome

The masjid is a big rectangle!

Main Entrance

Even More Options on this Main Street

Bin Dawud Ground Floor

Food Court & Shopping Mall

Our Hotel



فشدوا الرِّضَالِ صِ الْهَنَاءِ
Qiblah Direction

Daily Itinerary – 5/19 [Day 2]

Tuesday, May 19th | 2nd Dhu al-Hijjah



❑ Sightseeing (Mazarat/Ziyarat) in Medina after **Asr (TBD: 4:30 pm – 8:00 pm)**

- ❖ We will leave for the Sightseeing Tour immediately at ~ **4:30 pm**. Please be in the lobby ready to go right after Asr by **4:15pm**.
- ❖ We usually do this tour after Fajr but because of all the travels, we'll push it to after Asr iA. We will be visiting the following sites in Medina
 - **Mount Uhud**
 - **Masjid Quba (plan to pray Maghrib here)**
 - If time permits: Ethiq Well, Qiblatain, & Almustathel Garden
 - Service Tip: 15SR (\$4)/person to be given to group leader for the bus driver.
- ❖ *This is an optional group activity.* Please join us especially for the 'umrah' reward at Quba!
- ❖ **Tuesday Medina Arrivals:** Since some of us are arriving today, Al Rajhi will offer another Sightseeing Tour for you! We will inform of you the time soon!

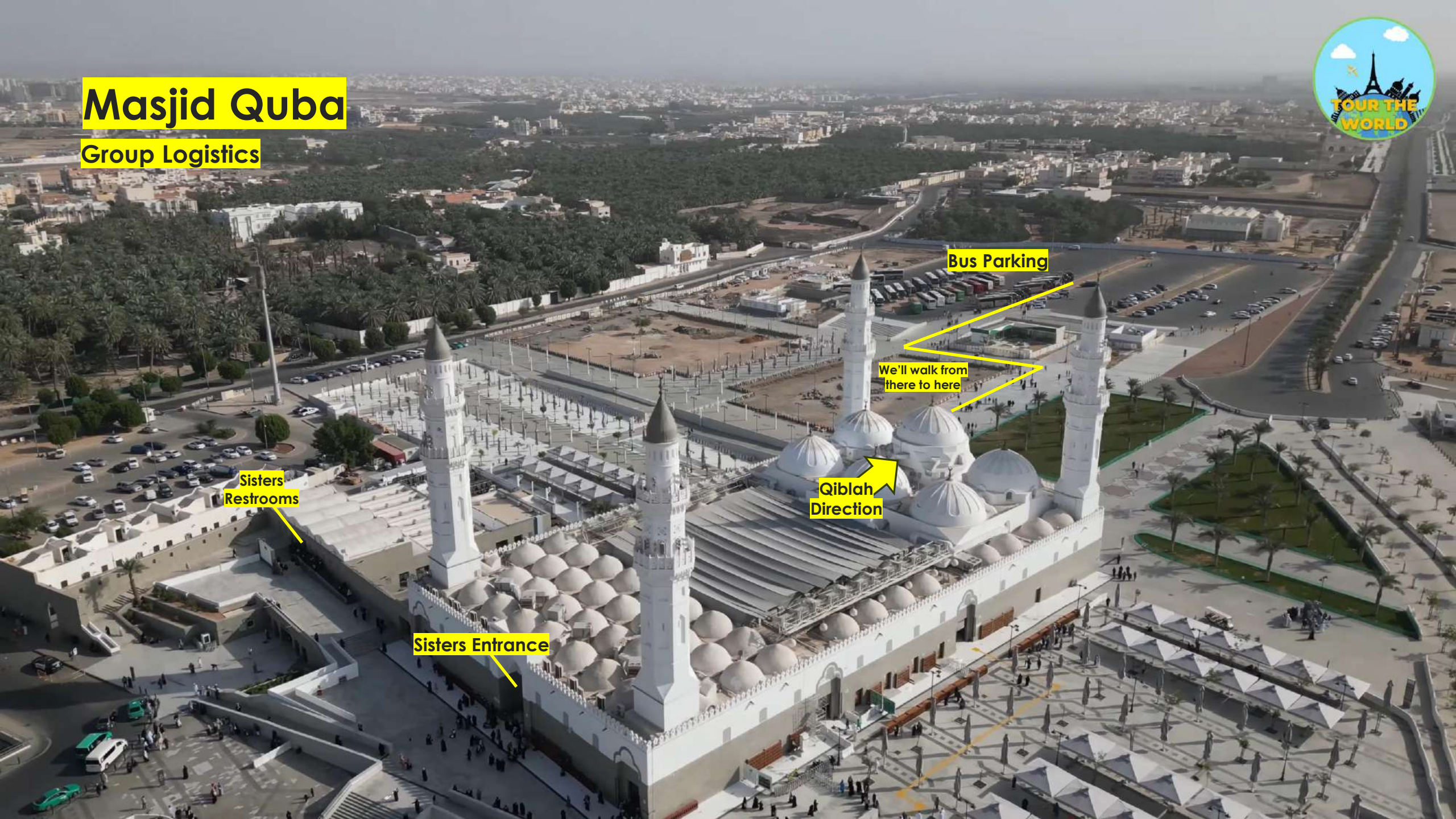
❑ **Walking Tour/Orientation of What's Around Our Hotel after Isha (9 PM):**

- ❖ If not done yesterday, we may do a quick tour of **what's around the hotel** insha' Allaah.
 - ❖ Food courts, Bin Dawud, shopping areas, currency exchange, lay of the land as they say.

❑ **Lastly, enjoy the daily prayers at the Haram.**

Masjid Quba

Group Logistics



Sisters Restrooms

Sisters Entrance

Qiblah Direction

Bus Parking

We'll walk from here to here



Masjid Quba

Group Logistics



Sisters Entrance

Landmark to Remember
Big Domes Facing
Bus Parking Lot

Direction
to Women
Prayer Area

Sisters
Restrooms

Brothers
Restrooms

Mihrab

Brothers
Entrance

622 CE

Bus Parking

Mount Uhud

Group Logistics

1. On the back side of this building, there is a map of the Battle of Uhud, we go there first to learn more

2. Uhud Shuhada Cemetery

Recently (2020ish) constructed Masjid

3. Archer's Mountain

Bus generally drops us here



3rd Dhul Hijjah

Part 1

Daily Itinerary – 5/20 [Day 3]

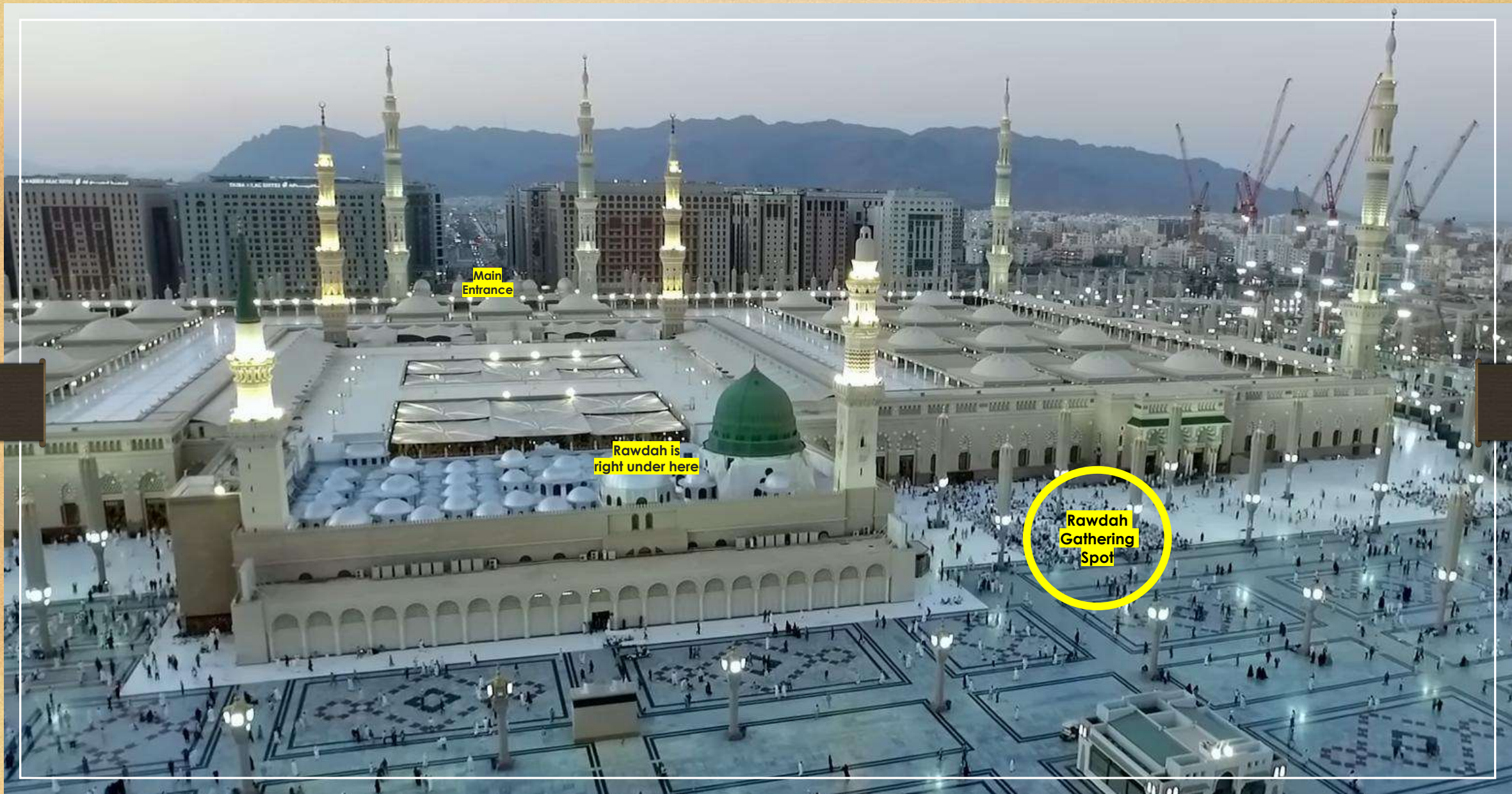
MADINA BLOCK

Wednesday, May 20th | 3rd Dhu al-Hijjah | Last Full-Day in Medina



- ❑ **Please enjoy the five daily prayers at the Haram**
 - ❖ You may also reach us via WhatsApp at any point if available.
 - ❖ **Please Note:** We will be using WhatsApp intensively during this trip.
- ❑ **Umrah Workshop with Ust. Hassan (between Asr & Maghrib i.e. 4:45 – 6:00pm)**
 - ❖ We will have an Umrah Workshop today!
 - ❖ We will inform you of the location via Whatsapp insha'Allaah
 - ❖ Access the **How to Put on Ihram?** reference video here: [click here](#)
- ❑ **> Group < Rawdah Appointment (Tentative)**
 - ❖ This will also be the day when we are hoping our group Rawdah appointments will be.
 - ❖ The brother's group and sister's group will have their own group timings.
 - ❖ The times will be shared on WhatsApp and you will be asked to gather **an hour** before the time and start walking to Rawdah area **45 mins** before so to not miss the appointment.
- ❑ **Pro Tip:** Please get acclimated with heat of Medinah and Makkah. How? **By keeping the thermostat to around 74-76 °F.**

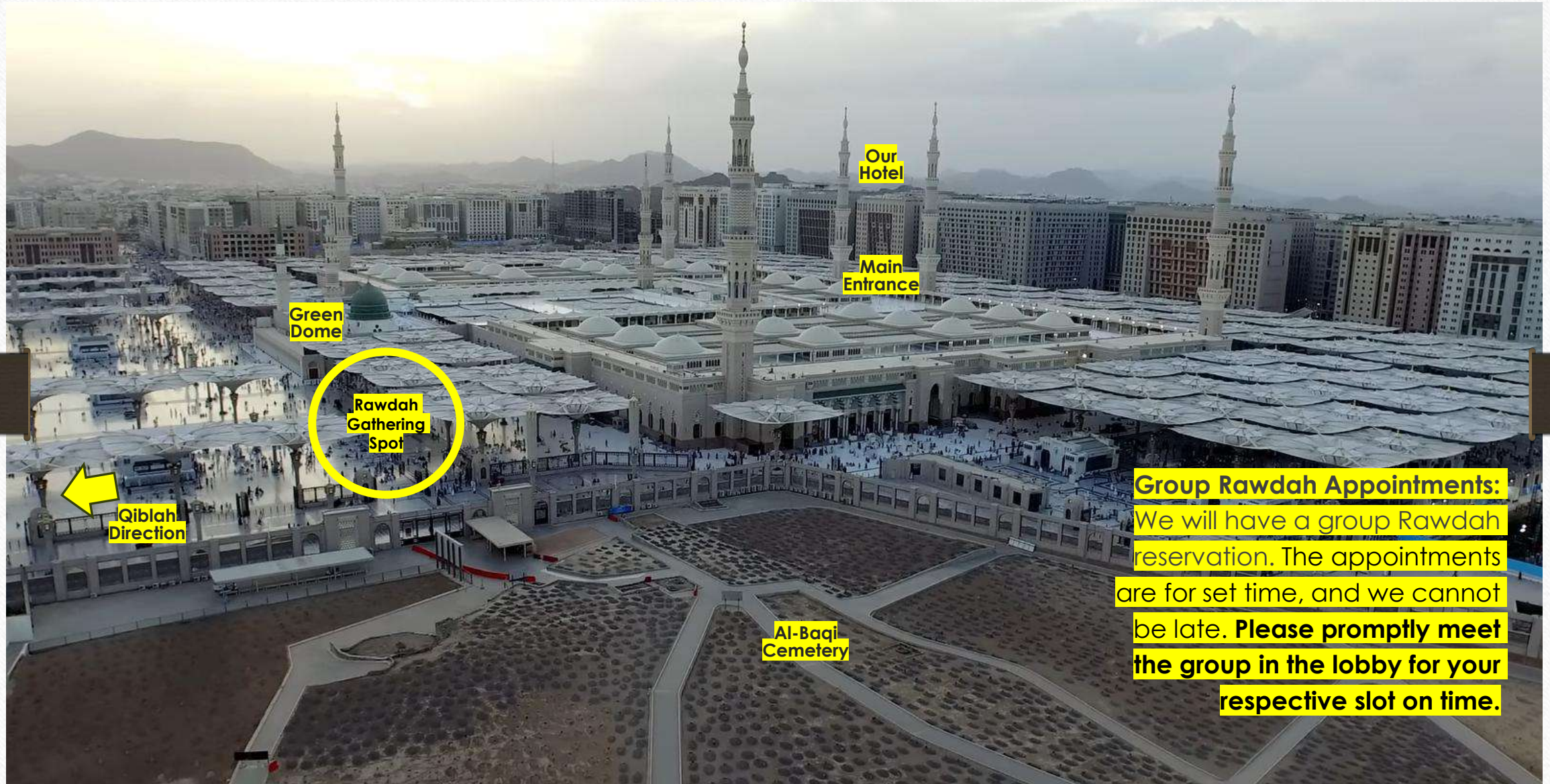
"Our Lord, and make us Muslims [in submission] to You and from our descendants a Muslim nation [in submission] to You." – Surah Al Baqara 128



Main Entrance

Rawdah is right under here

Rawdah Gathering Spot



Our Hotel

Main Entrance

Green Dome

Rawdah Gathering Spot

Qiblah Direction

Al-Baqi Cemetery

Group Rawdah Appointments:

We will have a group Rawdah reservation. The appointments are for set time, and we cannot be late. **Please promptly meet the group in the lobby for your respective slot on time.**

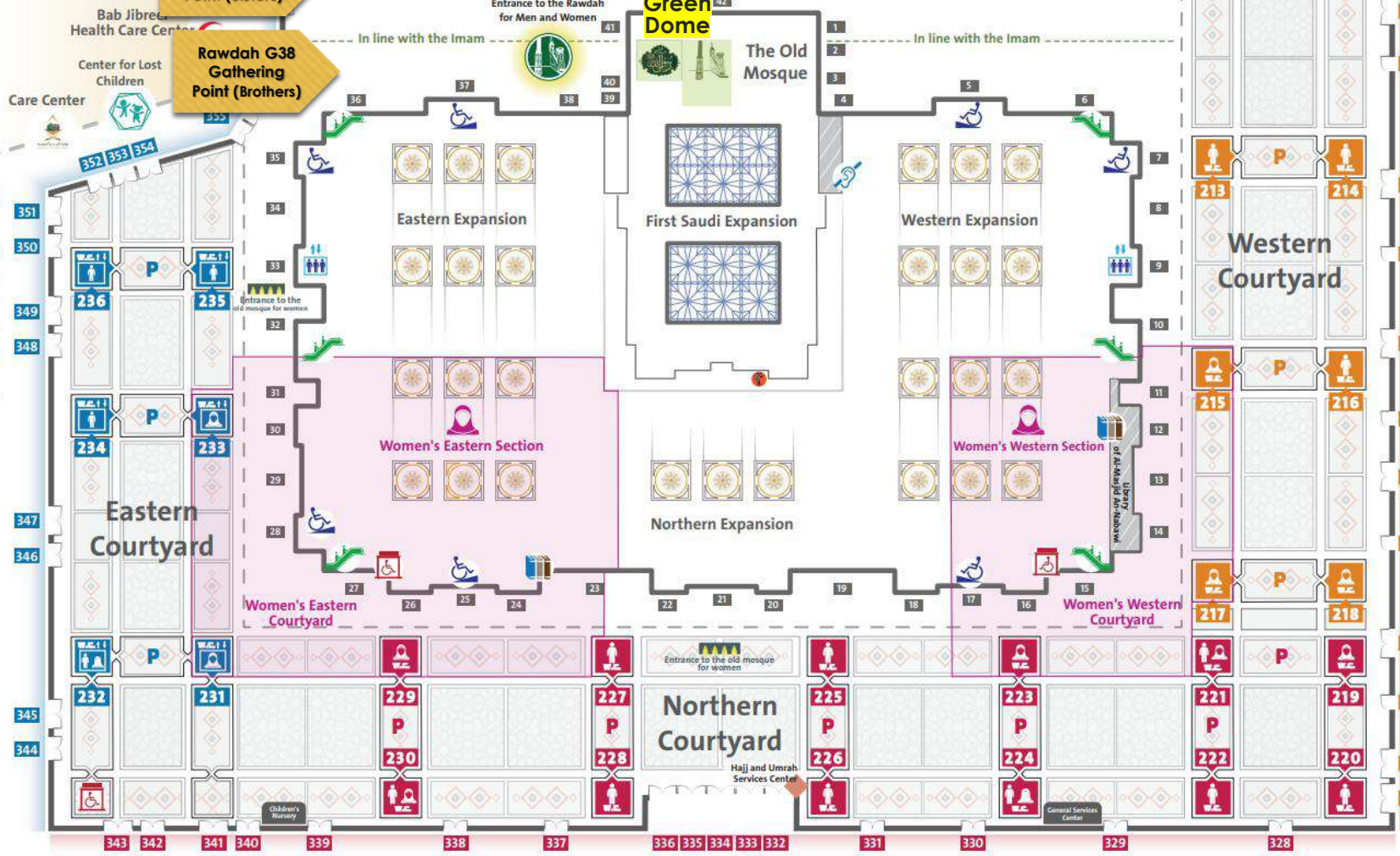


Al-Baqi' Graveyard

Rawdah G37 Gathering Point (Sisters)

Rawdah G38 Gathering Point (Brothers)

King Abdulaziz Road



King Fahd Road

Avenue
General Authority Building

Abu Bakr As-Siddiq Mosque
Mosque Ali Ibn Abi Talib

As-Salam Road

As-Salam Museum

Map of Al-Masjid An-Nabawi and Surrounding Courtyards

Colors of the sides

- Southwest
- South
- East
- West
- North

Entrance to Rawdah for Men and Women	Rawdah
Entrance to Offer Salam upon the Prophet	Zamzam Filling Location
Women's Restrooms W.C.	Men's Restrooms W.C.
Escalator	Wheelchair Access
Lost and Found	Library of Al-Masjid An-Nabawi
Wheelchair Distribution Location	Restrooms for People with Special Needs W.C.
Elevator to the Roof	Prayer Area for People with Speech and Hearing Impairments, Western Roof
Underground Parking	Health Care Centre
Hajj and Umrah Services Center	Care Center
	Center for Lost Children

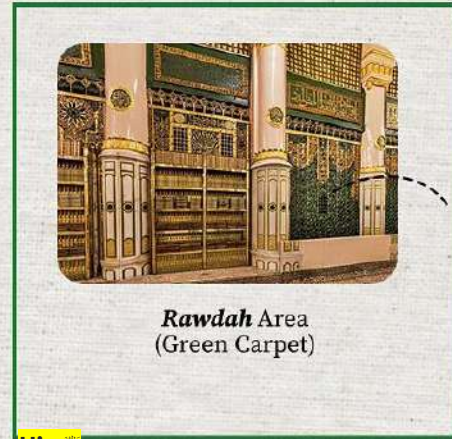
Western Courtyard of the Third Saudi Expansion

Saqifah Bani Sa'idah

الخريطة باللغات
Multilingual Maps
مختلفة اللغات

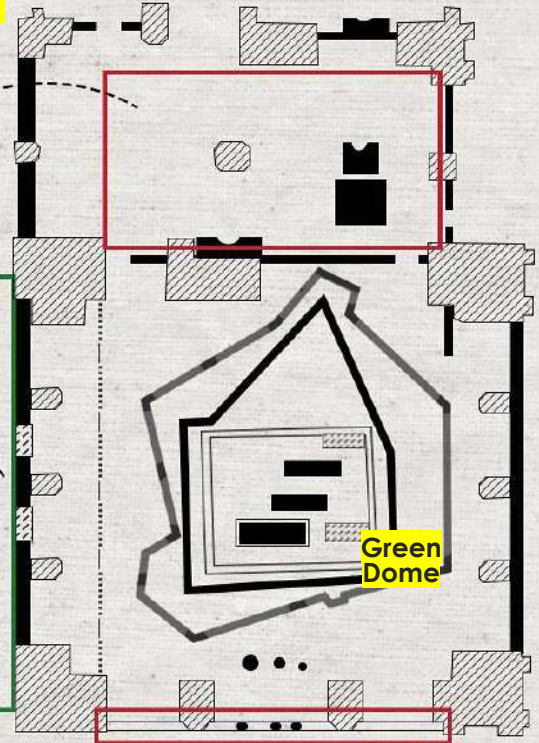
"The area between my house and my Minbar is one of the gardens of Paradise."
What is Rawdah?

Area house of *Fatima and Ali*



Rawdah Area
(Green Carpet)

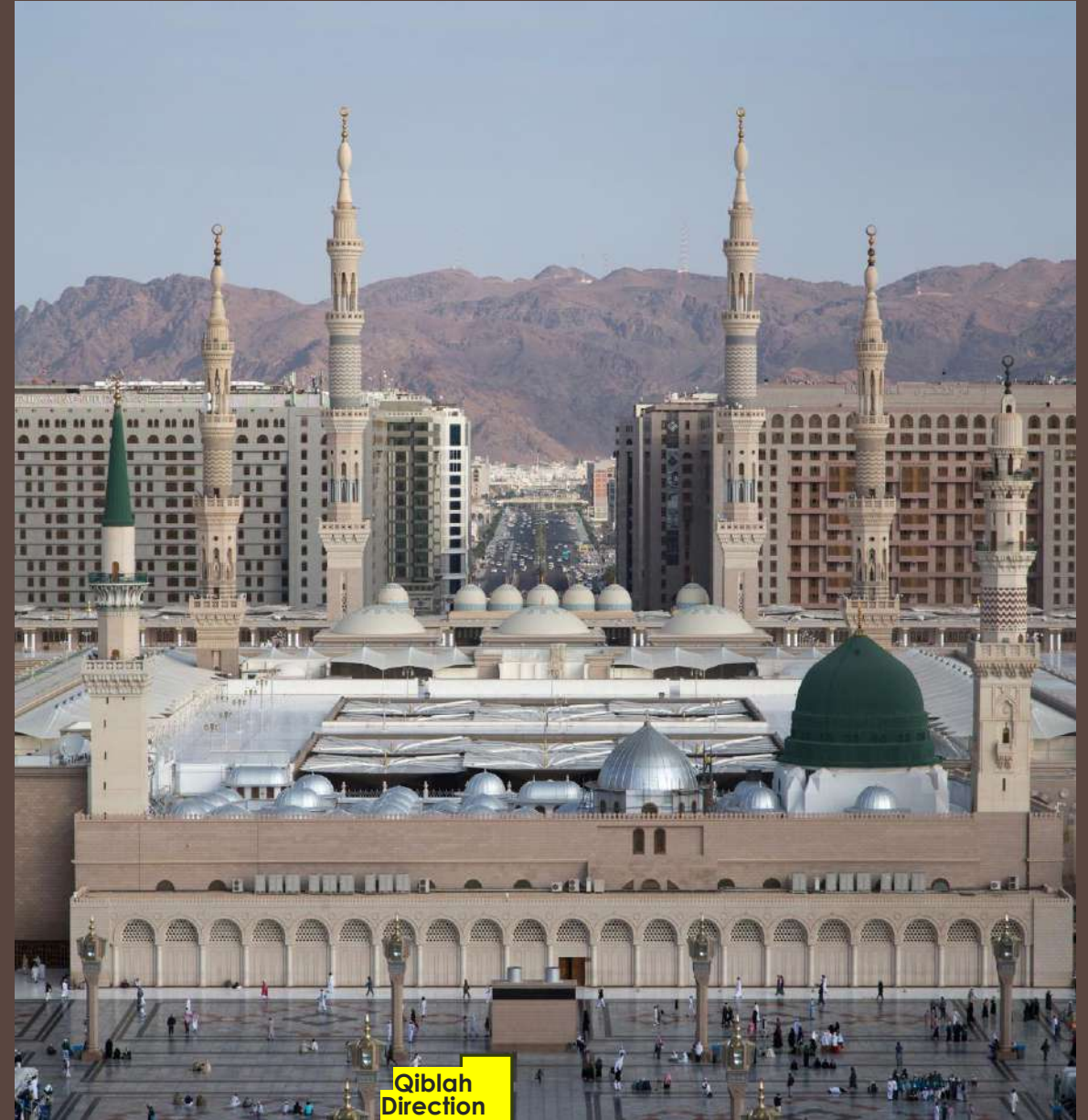
His Minbar



Qibla
Direction

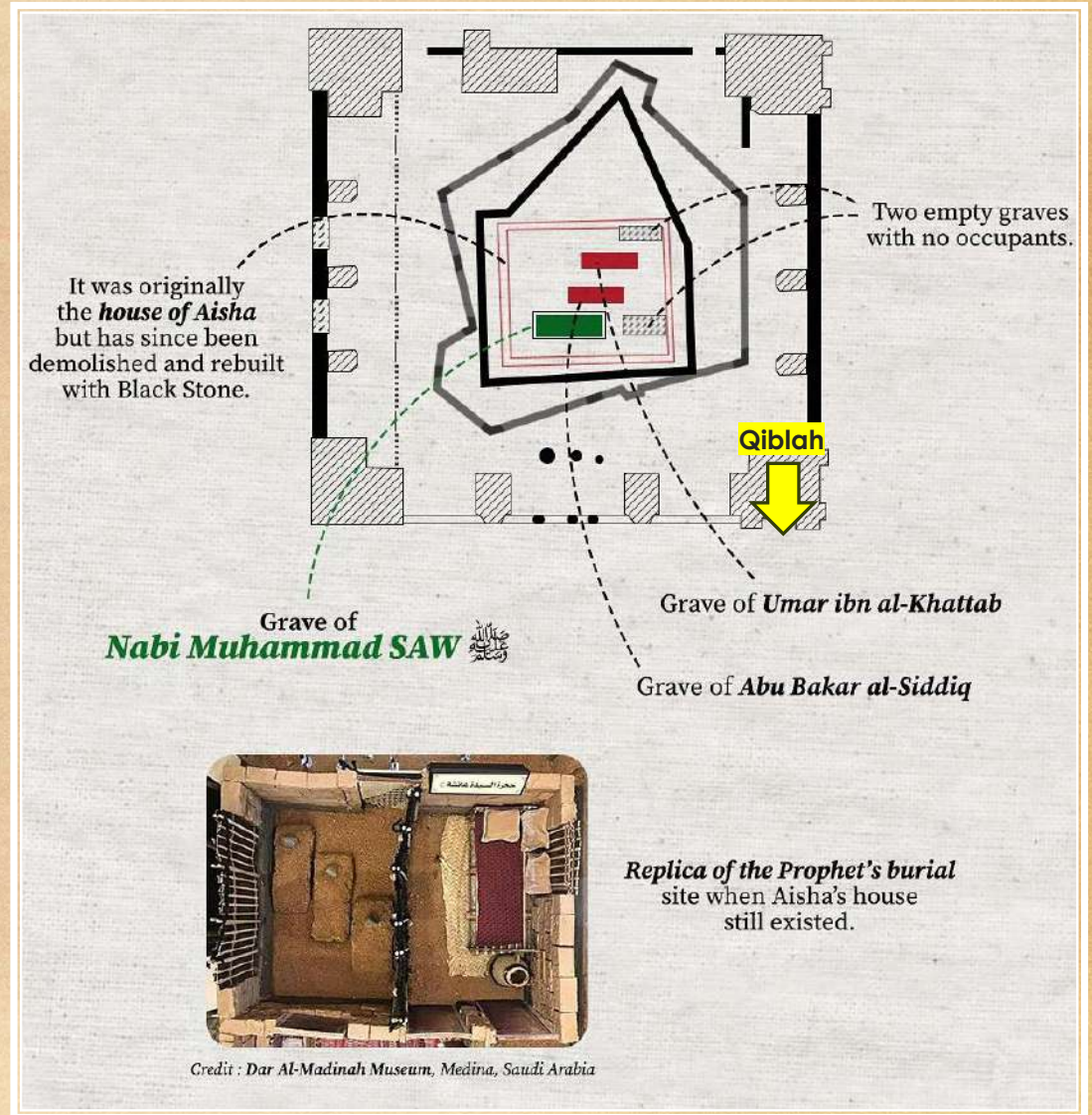
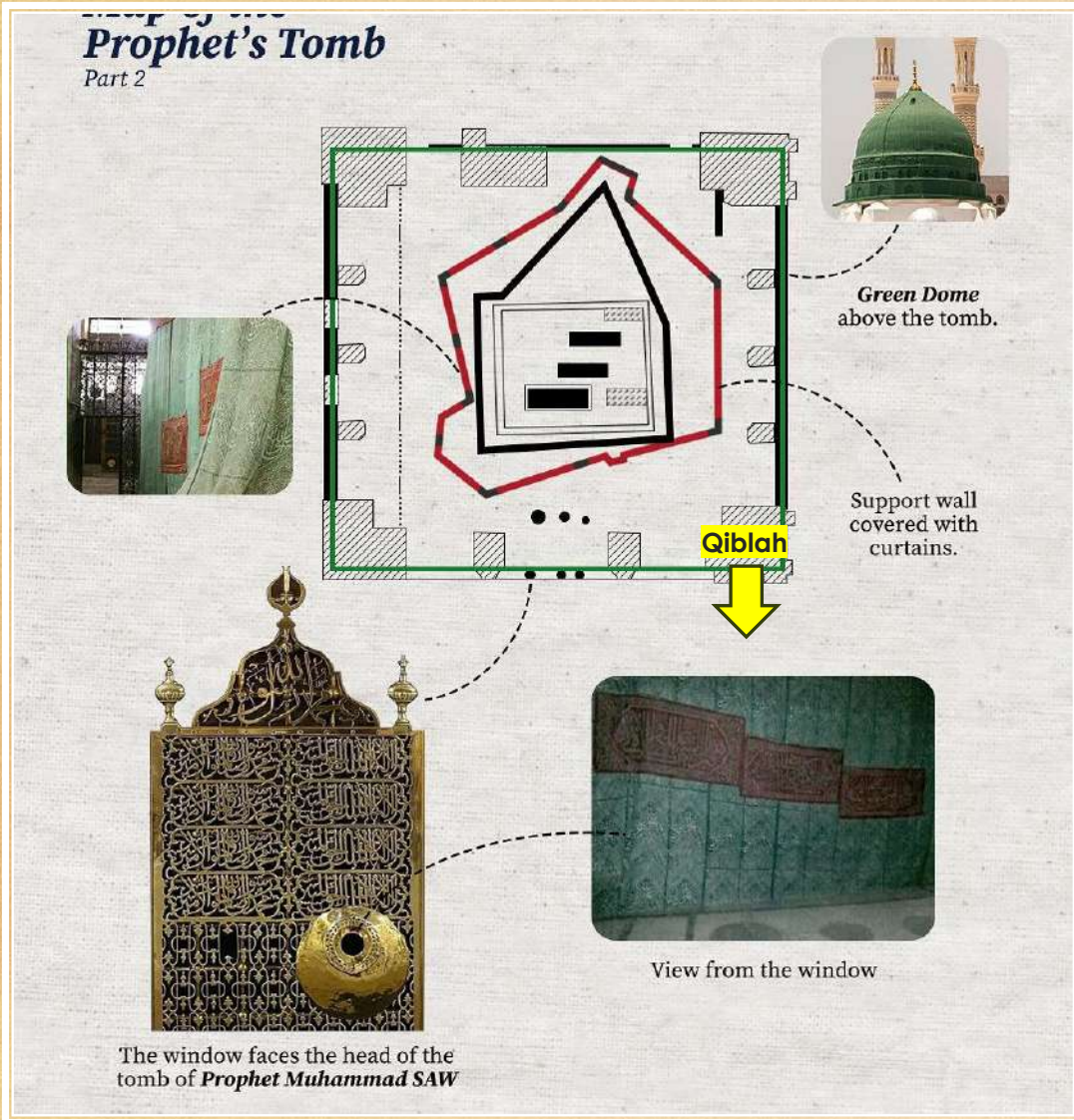


Golden Grills

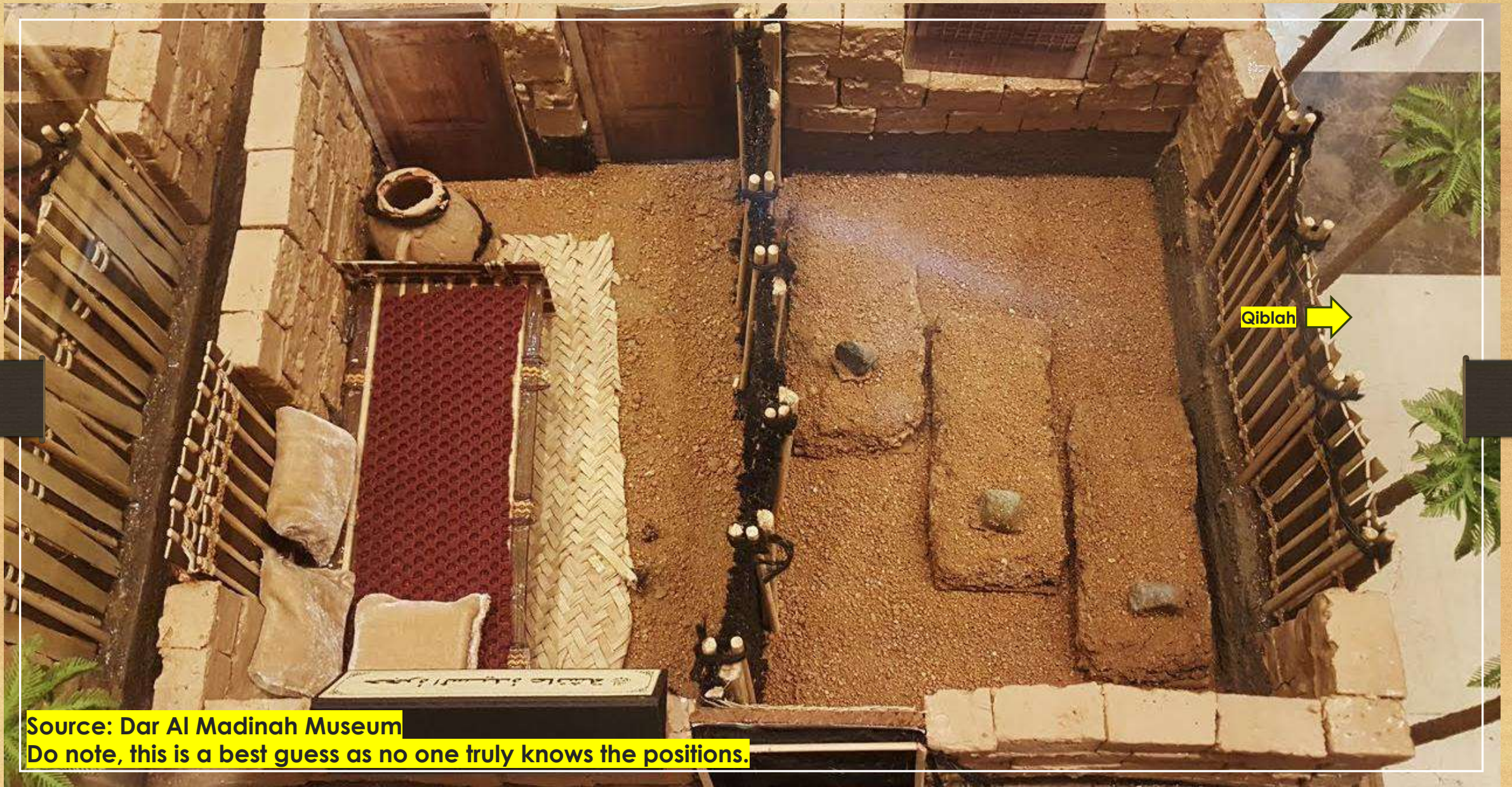


Qiblah
Direction





Source: Dar Al Madinah Museum
Do note, this is a best guess as no one truly knows the positions.



Qiblah →

Source: Dar Al Madinah Museum
Do note, this is a best guess as no one truly knows the positions.



This is what the brothers see from the first row of the masjid when giving salam to the Prophet S
Here is a video of the entire experience: [Click Here](#)

Qiblah
↓

Daily Itinerary – 5/20 [Day 3]

Wed., May 20th | 3rd Dhu al-Hijjah | Umrah Workshop & Makkah Prep.



❑ **One More Thing:** Preparing for Makkah Departure & Sending our Luggage ahead

- ❖ We are taking the train to Makkah insha'Allaah. However, we are only allowed one bag per passenger ([read more](#)) on the train. And since most of us will have more than one bag, we will be **sending our luggage (suitcases) in a cargo truck ahead** of our train schedule.
- ❖ Please pack your larger suitcases and make sure a clear label is in on them with your name, phone, and U.S. address. Also, mark your luggage with “**Your Group Number**” – Al Rajhi’.
- ❖ And we will put them outside our rooms, in front of the door or next to the wall in the lobby for bellman pickup. **Please have the bags out by the given time.**
- ❖ Please **do not** pack **medicine or absolute necessities** in the suitcases. **Keep them with you!**
- ❖ You may take a carry-on or personal item with you. | **Pro Tip:** Use the drawstring backpack!

❑ Please enjoy the five daily prayers at the Haram



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The Rites of Umrah

JOURNEY OF A LIFETIME

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With **USTADH HASSAN MASOOD**



Daily Itinerary – 5/21 [Day 4]

Thursday, May 21st | 4th Dhu al-Hijjah | **Transfer to Makkah & Perform Umrah**

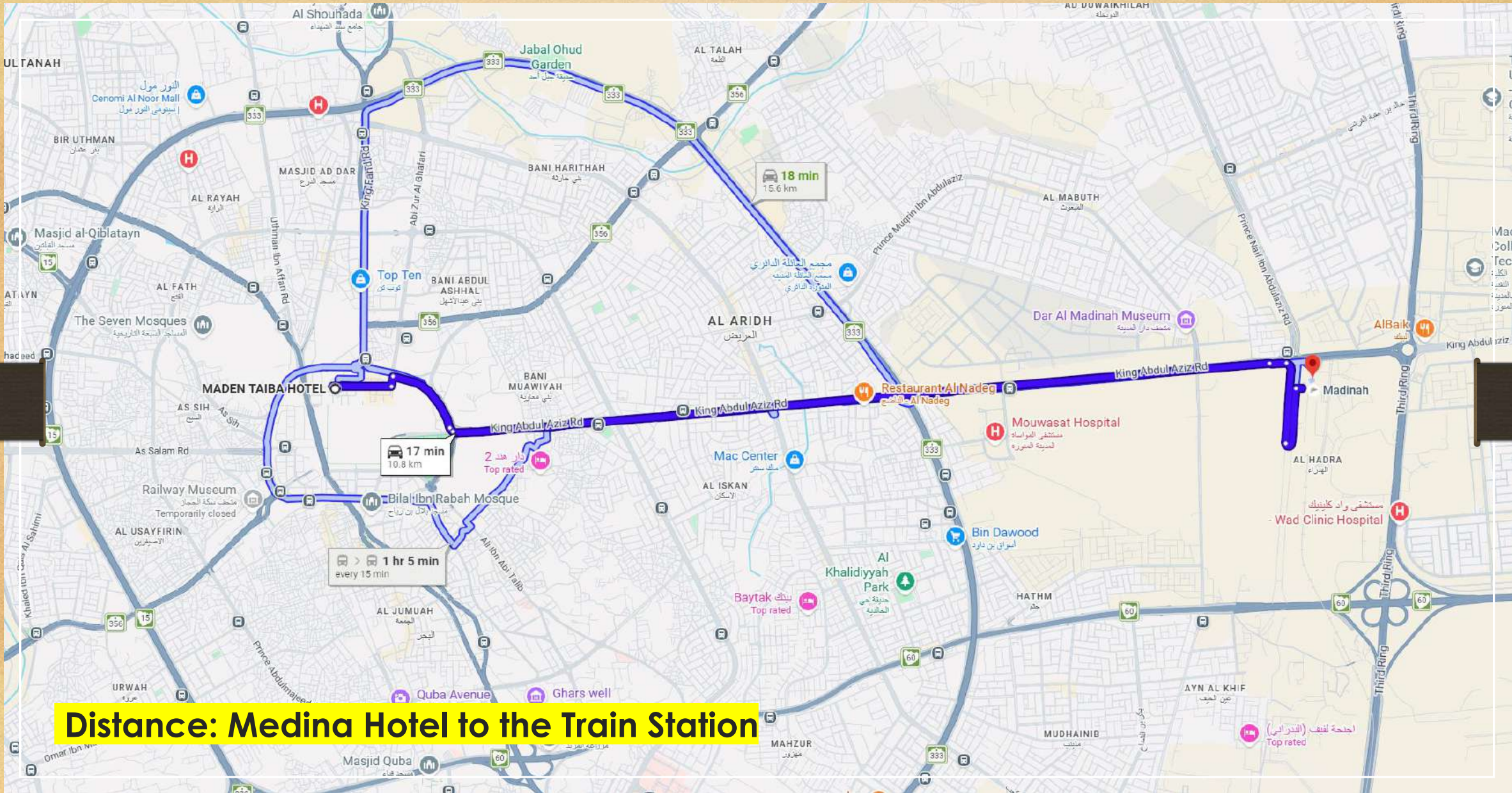


❑ Luggage Transfer (~ Fajr)

- ❖ Please put your larger **labeled** luggage out by **Fajr** as discussed – **we'll confirm the time.**
- ❖ Place them in front of the door or next to the wall in the hallway for bellman pickup.
- ❖ Please **do not** pack medicine or other absolute necessities in these suitcases.

❑ Board the Train to Hilton Suites (Makkah) before 2 hours before departure time

- ❖ Put on the ihram **(without the intention)** and gather your belongings.
- ❖ If we are leaving at **2:00 pm** to the bus station, we will start loading and boarding the bus around **1:15 pm** and head out for the train station by **2:00 pm**. It's **about 20 min drive.**
- ❖ If it is an earlier time or a bit later, be in the lobby 30 mins ahead in ihram with your bags.
- ❖ Upon arrival at the train station, we will disembark, and go through the boarding process.
- ❖ At this time, you still haven't made the intentions yet, this will be done in the train:
- ❖ To make the intention, say: "**Labbayka, In response to your call O Allah, I perform Umrah**"
- ❖ Continue to make talbiyah! The train ride is about **two hours and fifteen minutes.**
- ❖ Keep your best to stay together with us or at least make sure you know where the group leaders and Imam are!



Distance: Medina Hotel to the Train Station

Itinerary Check!

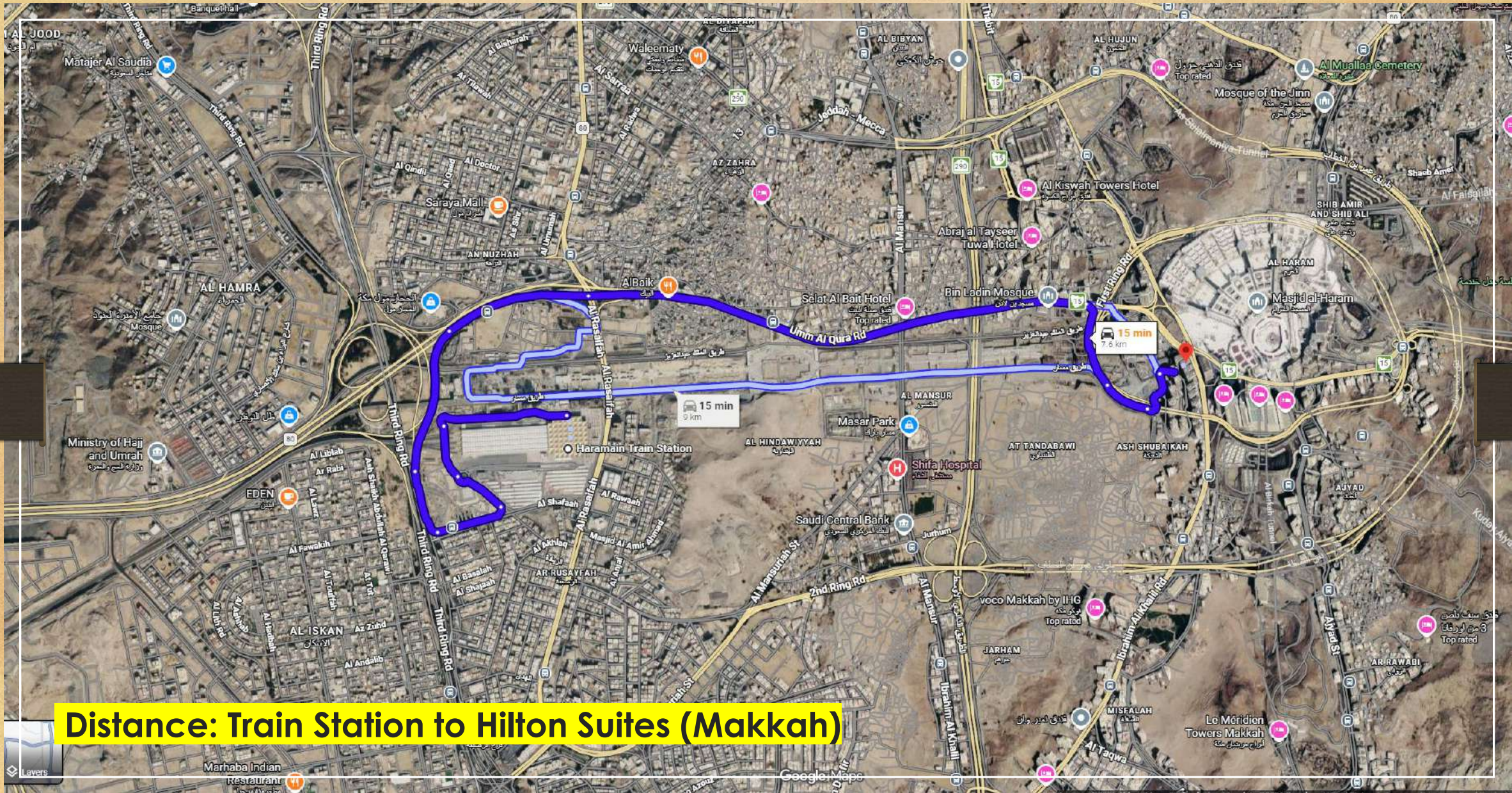
JOURNEY TIMELINE

	MAY 2026										JUN							
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	29 DQ	30 DQ	1 DH	2 DH	3 DH	4 DH	5 DH	6 DH	7 DH	8 DH	9 DH	10 DH	11 DH	12 DH	13 DH	14 DH	15 DH	16 DH
Luxury 2 baseline		✈	Madinah			Makkah				Hajj Days						Makkah	✈	



DAY-BY-DAY GANTT

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Luxury 2		✈	✓ Madinah	✓ Madinah	✓ Madinah	Makkah	Makkah	Makkah	Makkah	Mina	Arafah	Tashreeq	Tashreeq	Tashreeq	Tashreeq	Makkah	✈	



Distance: Train Station to Hilton Suites (Makkah)

Let's Get Oriented

New
Expansion

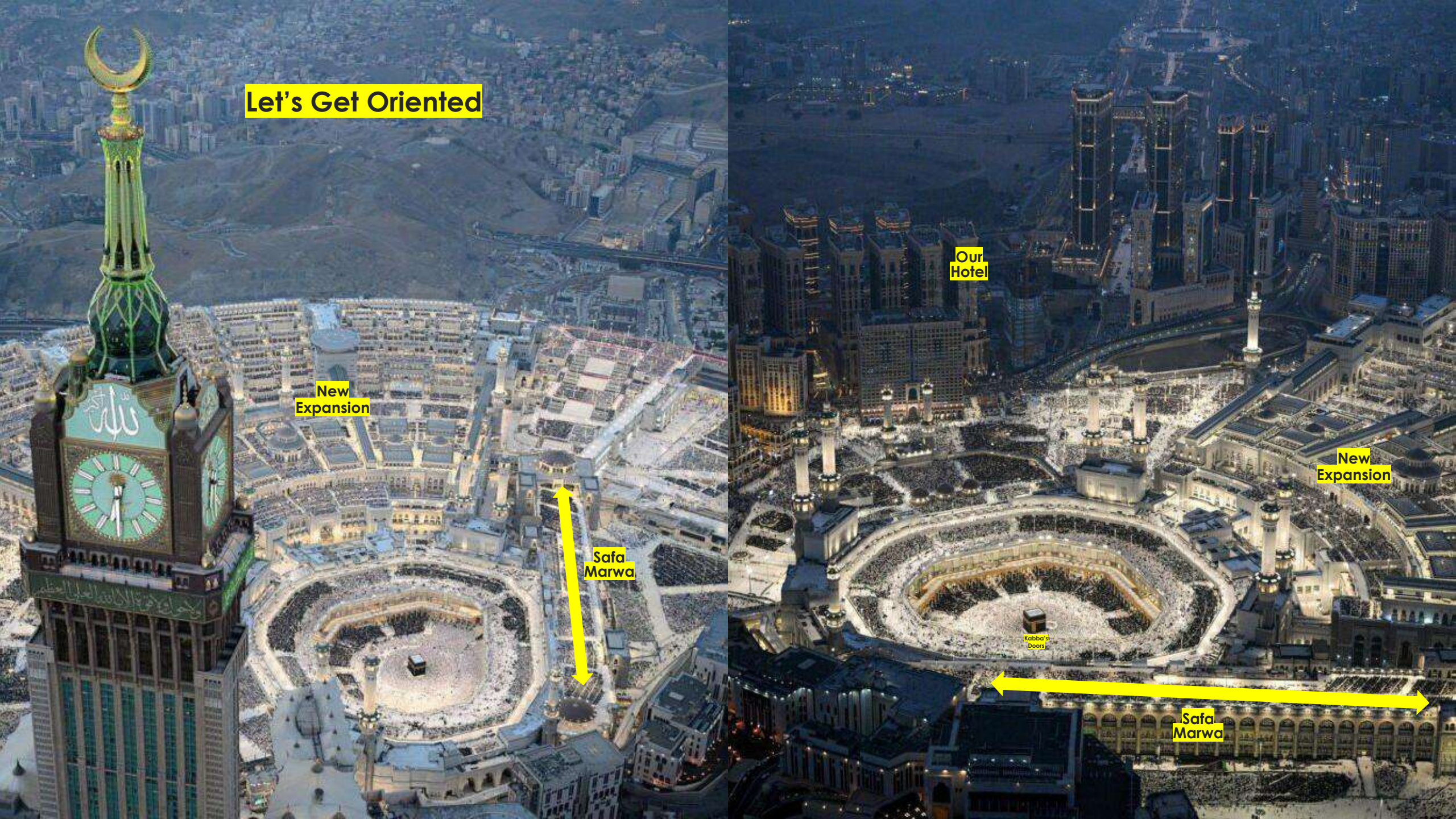
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Marwa

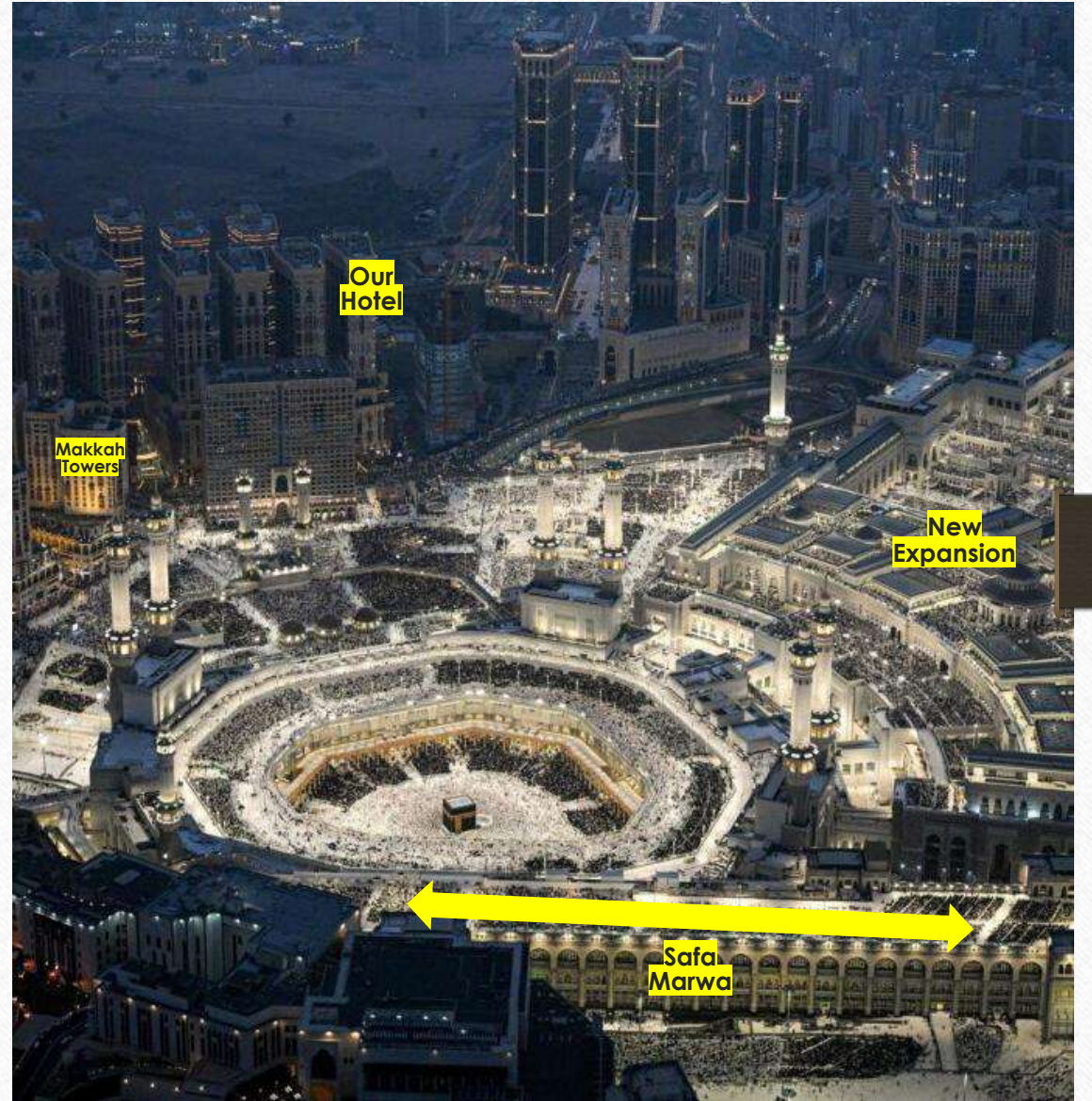
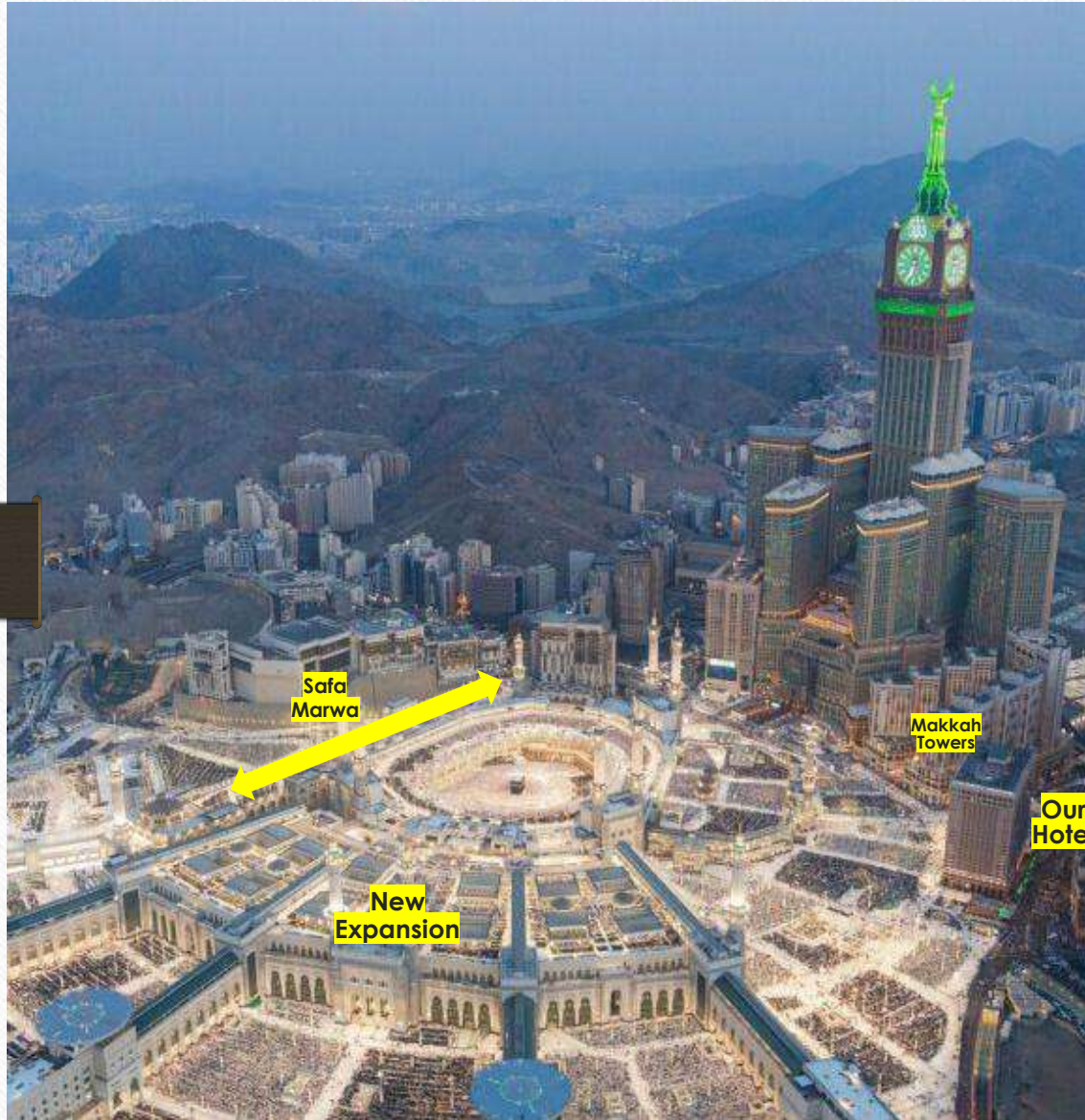
Our
Hotel

New
Expansion

Kabba's
Doors

Safa
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Jamarat Structure

Our Hotel, Hilton Suites, has a musallah in it, Bin Dawud, food court spanning two floors, pharmacy, as well as additional two floors of shops of different products and brands.

New Expansion

Our Hotel Hilton Suites

Safa Marwa

Ayyad Bus Station
Note for later



Thursday, May 21st | 4th Dhu al-Hijjah | Arriving at Makkah & Perform Umrah



❑ Arrive at the Makkah Train Station

- ❖ Upon arrival, we will **deboard the train**, exit, and **board our bus** to our hotel (30 mins).
- ❖ Please **don't forget** any of your belongings you brought on the train!
- ❖ Once we **arrive at the hotel**, please take your carry-on and personal items, and follow/go to the lobby for your room keys, wifi access, meal times/location, and **group umrah time**.
- ❖ Please proceed to your rooms to lightly **unpack and to freshen-up**.

❑ Group Umrah Times

- ❖ We would wait to do Umrah until **after Isha as after 10/11pm** the crowd dies down a bit.
- ❖ **The times will be announced on the WhatsApp group.**

❑ Road to Umrah Mabroorah!

- ❖ At the given group umrah time, we will **meet in the lobby** and proceed together to the Haram. If you wish to join us, please note we will **leave 10mins after** the given time.
- ❖ After we are able to enter the haram (tawaf area has a max occupancy) we will pray any missed salah together and continue the **umrah rites starting with the tawaf**.
- ❖ After the tawaf, sai, & shave/cutting of the hair, you have completed the Umrah requirements, therefore, are able to exit out of the state of ihram. **Umrah Mabroorah!**
- ❖ **P.S.** For those who wish to go to Umrah themselves, you are welcome to go anytime.

Daily Itinerary – 5/22

Friday, May 22nd | 5th Dhu al-Hijjah | **Recover & Jumu'ah at Haram!**



- ❑ Please enjoy the five daily prayers at the Haram (especially Juma @ 12:17 PM)
 - ❖ To attend **Juma in the Haram**, for a good spot, you would need to be in the haram at almost after Fajr or latest **7am** – pace yourself!
 - ❖ Breakfast and dinner are provided at the hotel.
 - ❖ ***This is your day aH***, enjoy the Haram and may Allah accept from us all!

Date	Fajr	Sunrise	Dhuhr	Asr	Maghrib	Isha
May 21	4:15 AM	5:40 AM	12:17 PM	3:33 PM	6:55 PM	8:25 PM
May 22	4:15 AM	5:40 AM	12:17 PM	3:33 PM	6:55 PM	8:25 PM
May 23	4:14 AM	5:40 AM	12:17 PM	3:33 PM	6:55 PM	8:25 PM
May 24	4:14 AM	5:39 AM	12:18 PM	3:33 PM	6:56 PM	8:26 PM
May 25	4:14 AM	5:39 AM	12:18 PM	3:32 PM	6:56 PM	8:26 PM
May 26	4:13 AM	5:39 AM	12:18 PM	3:32 PM	6:57 PM	8:27 PM
May 27	4:13 AM	5:39 AM	12:18 PM	3:32 PM	6:57 PM	8:27 PM
May 28	4:13 AM	5:39 AM	12:18 PM	3:32 PM	6:58 PM	8:28 PM
May 29	4:12 AM	5:38 AM	12:18 PM	3:33 PM	6:58 PM	8:28 PM
May 30	4:12 AM	5:38 AM	12:18 PM	3:34 PM	6:58 PM	8:28 PM

Daily Itinerary – 5/23

Saturday, May 23rd | 6th Dhu al-Hijjah | **Masjid Al Haram!**



- ❑ **Please enjoy the prayers at the Haram.**
 - ❖ Breakfast and dinner are provided at the hotel.
 - ❖ **No group plans** scheduled for this day.
 - ❖ If we found a location, we might do a lecture this day.
 - ❖ ***This is your day aH***, enjoy the Haram and may Allah accept from us all!

- ❑ **Tip: Take this time to maximize your time at the haram while also maintaining your strength for the Hajj journey!**

Daily Itinerary – 5/24

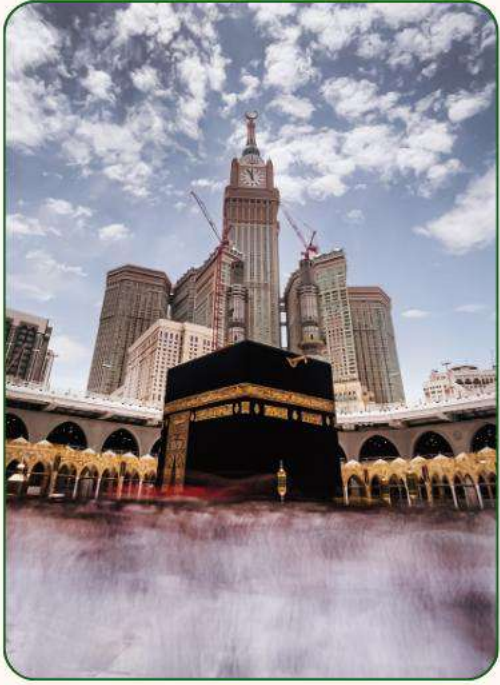
Sunday, May 24th | 7th Dhu al-Hijjah | Preparation for Mina & Hajj



□ Hajj Workshop & Mina Preparation

- ❖ Ust. Hassan will be holding a **Hajj Workshop** today!
- ❖ We will inform you of the location via Whatsapp insha'Allaah
 - ❖ Access the **How to Put on Ihram?** reference video here: [click here](#)
- ❖ The exact time for our departure will be communicated prior (most likely ~ 11 am).
- ❖ Please use the checklist (or see below) provided and prepare your hajj backpack as needed.
- ❖ Remember, you have access to the hotels during the Days of Hajj.
- ❖ Please do not forget your **medications!**

“¹⁰⁰ The following items are a **must**: **UV protective umbrella**, **sunglasses**, **SPF50 sunscreen**, **cooling towels**, **visor**, **Liquid IV unscented body wipes** (or sanitizers), **over the door hook (MUST)** for bathrooms bc not all bathrooms have a hook to hang stuff on, **misting fan**, **tote bag/plastic bag** to carry toiletries to the bathroom, **drawstring bags** to carry footwear, **unscented soap (get liquid)**, unscented chapstick, **pocket tissues**, cotton swabs, **ziploc bags for pebbles** and **extras just in case**, scissors for cutting hair, laundry bag, snacks, **universal travel adapter**. I recommend this **Anti-chafing balm**, although you could just use **vaseline**. ”



HAJJ 2026 · WORKSHOP TWO

The Rites of Hajj

JOURNEY OF A LIFETIME

[Click Here to Access the Hajj Guide](#)

With **USTADH HASSAN MASOOD**



Recap: Overview of the Rites

1

8 Dhul Hijjah **MON.**
Enter Ihram & Go to Mina
Hajj begins · head to Mina



2

8 Dhul Hijjah · Tarwiyah **MON.**
Overnight at Mina
Stay overnight · prepare spiritually



3

9 Dhul Hijjah · Yawm Arafah **TUE.**
Go to Arafah
Until Maghrib · the rukn of hajj



4

9 Dhul Hijjah · night **TUE. NIGHT**
Go to Muzdalifah
Stay until Fajr · gather pebbles for stoning



5

10 Dhul Hijjah · Yawm an-Nahr · Eid **WED.**
The four rites of Eid day & Exit Ihram

- a · Stoning of Jamrat al-Aqabah
- b · Sacrifice (hady)
- c · Shave or trim hair (halq / taqsir)

d · Tawaf al-Ifadah and Sa'i

Tawaf and Sa'i can delay to 11/12/13 DH

6

10 Dhul Hijjah · evening **WED. NIGHT**
Return to Mina
Spend the night at Mina



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11–13 Dhul Hijjah · Tashreeq **THU. - FRI. / SAT.**
Stoning after Dhuhr
All three jamarāt · stay at Mina most of the night



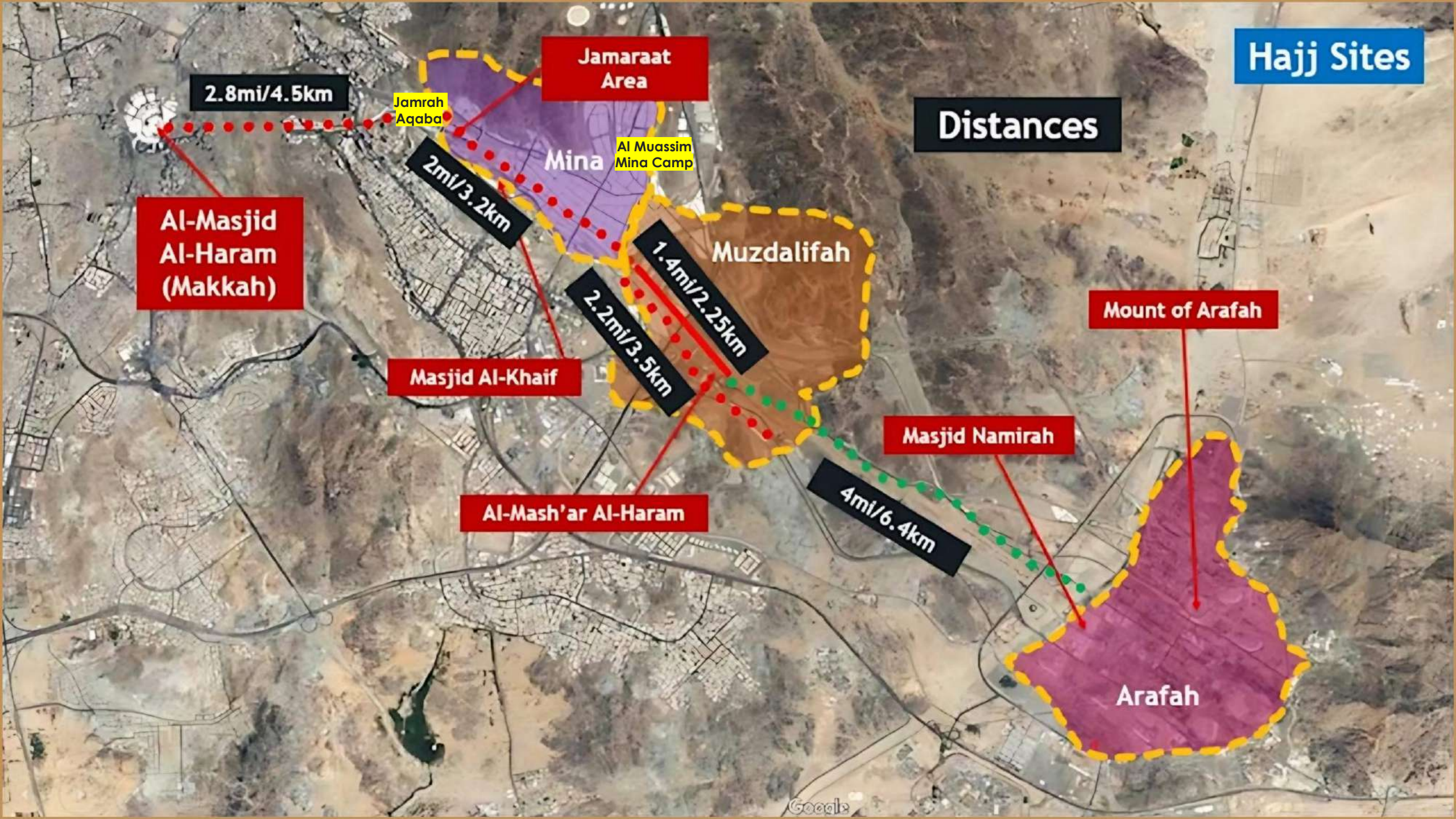
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And onwards **SAT./SUN. & ONWARD**
Farewell Tawaf
Tawaf al-Wada before leaving Mecca



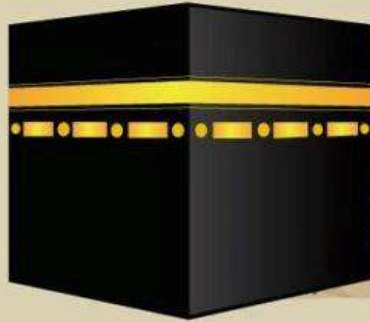
Hajj Sites

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THE SACRED JOURNEY

What it takes to complete the holy pilgrimage of Islam



The pilgrim enters Makkah and expresses the intention to perform Hajj.

It is then obligatory for the pilgrim to circle the Kaaba 7 times, whilst reciting prayers, in what is known as Tawaf.

The pilgrim will then pass between the hills of Safa and Marwah 7 times.

5 10 ZH
Mecca 11 - 13 ZH

Pilgrims will then make their way back to Makkah where the Tawaf will be performed and prayers will be offered.

The crossing between the hilltops of Safa and Marwa is also completed 7 times.

Pilgrims also drink from the Zam-Zam well.

Having returned to Mina, Male pilgrims proceed to stone 3 pillars representing the devil.

Pilgrims usually stay in Mina to offer prayer for a few days.

11 - 13 ZH
10 ZH

4 Mina

Pilgrims will then make their way to Mina, a short distance away, to perform 5 prayers starting with Zuhr in the afternoon and ending with Fajr in the early hours of the morning.

Here, male pilgrims will perform the stoning of the devil ceremony where pebbles are thrown at a stone pillar.

An animal sacrifice, whose meat is to be distributed to the poor, is also made.

9 ZH
3 Muzdalifah

Here, pilgrims will collect pebbles needed for the "stoning" ceremony.

Before the sun rises, Pilgrims will set off back to Mina.

Pilgrims will make their way to Arafat and time will be devoted to prayer.

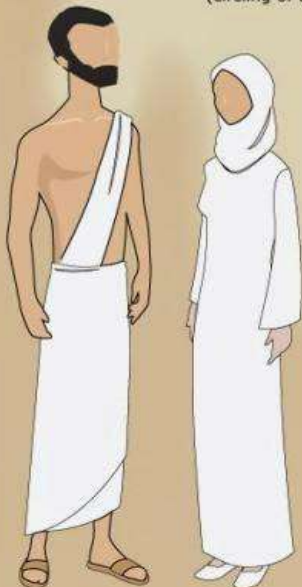
9 ZH
2 Arafat

When the sun sets, pilgrims will leave Arafat for Muzdalifah.

The 5 stages of Hajj

1. Start of the main pilgrimage
2. Prayers at the Plain of Arafat
3. Pilgrims sleep at Muzdalifah
4. Jamaraat - stoning the pillars
5. Return to Mecca

Finally, Pilgrims can return to Makkah and the holy Masjid al-Haram to perform the farewell Tawaf (circling of the Kaaba).



The required pilgrimage dress:

Men wear two white cloths, one of which covers the body from the waist down, and one that is gathered around the shoulder, this is known as an "Ihram"

Women usually wear a simple white dress and headscarf, or their own native dress. Any garment which covers her so she is dressed modestly.

The required pilgrimage dress is a symbol of **purity** and **equality**.

Itinerary Check!

JOURNEY TIMELINE



DAY-BY-DAY GANTT





Daily Itinerary – 5/25 [Day 1 for Hajj]

Monday, May 25th | **Day of Tarweyah (Departing to Mina)**



❑ Departing from your hotel to Mina at the designated time!

- ❖ At the given time, we will meet in the lobby with your **ihram on** & **hajj backpack/carry-on**.
- ❖ Please put on the ihram (without the intention) prior to meeting us in the lobby.

❑ Arriving at Mina

- ❖ We will board our respective bus and proceed to Mina. (est. 45 minutes due to traffic)
- ❖ After we reach the Mina camps, please we will lead you to our specific camp.
- ❖ We will lead you to our tent, identify the prayer space, coolers, and the buffet area.
- ❖ **Once we arrive, make sure to drop pin using your favorite map app!**
- ❖ **For all the prayers in Mina, we'll shorten but not combine.**

❑ Day of Tarweyah (at Mina)

- ❖ Throughout your leads will be there to assist you. Ust. Hassan and others will continue the talks and discussions at Mina. The talks will take place in our tents.
- ❖ After Asr, we may take a short tour so we are familiar with the camp and identify ours for directions purposes. There will be dinner served at the buffet area.
- ❖ After dinner, join us for Maghrib and later Isha.
- ❖ **Lastly, please rest for a very important day tomorrow, the Day of Arafah.**

"And remember Him, as He has guided you, for indeed, you were before that among those astray."



Mina Experience



Credit: Omar D. Magdi



Tips for Mina!

1. Limit your food intake. At least before Eid day!
2. Try to limit processed & sugary food / juices.
3. Stay hydrated; take your vitamins, probiotics!
4. The restrooms are the busiest before and after salah, as well as after meals so plan accordingly.
5. Bring ear plugs or similar item as needed.
6. Be mindful of the change in weather.

Daily Itinerary – 5/26 [Hajj Day 2 - Morning]

Tuesday, May 26th | 9th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Arafah



☐ Morning at Mina & Departing to Arafah

- ❖ We will **pray Fajr at Mina**. Then either have breakfast at Mina or leave for Arafah first & eat there.
- ❖ The way it will go, the announcement will come. All the groups in mina camps are getting ready to head out. We will meet at a designated spot outside our camp, board the bus, and then head to our Arafah tents.
- ❖ **A rule of thumb, at these crucial movements, do your best to be attentive to our instructions. This is the time you should be ready to head out soon. Once we announce, we must as a group, come together, with our stuff, and together walk outside, board the bus, and head to Arafah.**
- ❖ Remember, everyone is trying to head to Arafah, so there will be delays, and wait times, etc.. so please enjoy the process, make dua, and keep up with the group to the best of your ability.

☐ Day of Arafah

- ❖ After we arrive at entrance, we will **walk as a group to our assigned tent**.
- ❖ We will identify key areas, such as bathrooms, buffet area and other spots you can be.
- ❖ After we are settled, please spend time connecting with and asking Allah, **this is the day**.
- ❖ We will have the **khutba of Arafah** and **pray Dhuhr and Asr**, we will combine and shorten.
- ❖ There will be lunch served at the buffet area as well.
- ❖ **We will continue our worship and Duaa' until about Maghrib time.**
- ❖ **Pro Tip:** Do not starve yourself that you are unable to worship. Do not fill yourself that we get tired and just end up sleeping or have to take many breaks for restroom.



Arafah Experience



Daily Itinerary – 5/26 [Hajj Day 3 - Evening]

Tuesday, May 26th | 9th Dhul Hijjah | Night of Muzdalifah



❑ Departing Arafah [IMPORTANT: STAY TOGETHER & INFORMED OF ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS!]

- ❖ Right **around Maghrib time**, everyone we'll be getting ready to **depart** for Muzdalifah.
- ❖ We will make our way to the bus. Please stick to the group and follow our group's sign.
- ❖ **This is where the delays happen a lot!**
- ❖ **How it should go:**
 - ❖ Around sunset, get your belonging together, be prepared to head out.
 - ❖ **Blocker:** We have to wait until our bus for our group would arrive. [**@government buses**]
 - ❖ Once I am informed of the bus arrival window, I will let everyone through our Whatsapp group so you can plan accordingly.
 - ❖ **It is also not as simple as the bus arrive, just walk to the gate and leave.** All the groups are trying to leave at once, and everyone wants to get to Muzdalifah first.
 - ❖ At our time, we'll gather as group and walk out of our tents towards the main entrance.
 - ❖ We will get in the queue, and it may take some time, an hour or more in the queue.
 - ❖ We will then board the bus and head to Muzdalifa.
 - ❖ Depending on the window, maybe we'll rest/nap at Arafah a little bit.

Daily Itinerary – 5/26 [Hajj Day 3 - Evening]

Tuesday, May 26th | 9th Dhul Hijjah | Night of Muzdalifah



- ❑ [Cont] Departing Arafah **[IMPORTANT: STAY TOGETHER & INFORMED OF ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS!]**
 - ❖ **Please wait in your tent until the we inform you to move outside to line up for our bus.**
 - ❖ **Pro Tip: Make sure you use the restroom in Arafah!!!** In Arafah, we do have the luxury these semi-private bathrooms assigned to each tent. However, in Muzdalifa, its only open public restrooms, so the lines will be extremely long, and they may not be as clean as Arafah. **So take the blessing and plan accordingly!**
 - ❖ **ProTip: There will be delays. There will be unknowns. Be prepared!** Let's make the best of it.
 - ❖ **After all, said and done, we will be on the bus heading to Muzdalifa Insha'Allaah!**

- ❑ **Arrival at Muzdalifah**
 - ❖ When we will arrive at **Muzdalifah**, we will pick a spot that we can **camp at for the night**.
 - ❖ If we do get split, we will try to get everyone together.
 - ❖ After we settle, we will **pray Maghrib and Isha**, we will **combine and shorten**.



Muzdalifa Experience



Credit: Omar D. Magdi



Muzdalifa Experience



Daily Itinerary – 5/26 [Hajj Day 3 - Evening]

Tuesday, May 26th | 9th Dhul Hijjah | Night of Muzdalifah



❑ Night at Muzdalifah (Cont.d)

- ❖ Some type of carpet will be provided by Al Rajhi for you to rest on.
- ❖ **We will also take this time to collect pebbles.** If you are unable to find the place, let us help!
- ❖ **Please stay together as a group! And inform your leaders if you leave or continue by yourself.**
- ❖ After Muzdalifa we will be going to our Mina Camp and then Jamarat.

❑ Departing for Mina + Jamarat

- ❖ The following will be gated by what time we had arrived and how much time we have spent in Muzdalifa.
- ❖ We will be leaving to Mina in two groups. **It could be one, if the majority have the concession.**
- ❖ **Midnight Group:** This group will **leave for Jamarat right after midnight** (~12:15 am). The exemptions is for elderly, women, and those who are accompanying them (mahram).
- ❖ **Fajr Group:** This group will leave **after praying Fajr at Muzdalifah** (~4:45 am). This group will be for everyone else, that is, singles and those are not accompanying their mahram.

“O you who have believed, fulfill [all] contracts.” - Al Mai'da 1

Daily Itinerary – 6/6 [Overview]

Wednesday, May 27th | 10th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Nahr (Eid)



Day of Nahr Action Plan:

❖ We have four rites to do on the Day of Eid:

5 10 Dhul Hijjah · Yawm an-Nahr · Eid **WED.**
The four rites of Eid day & Exit Ihram

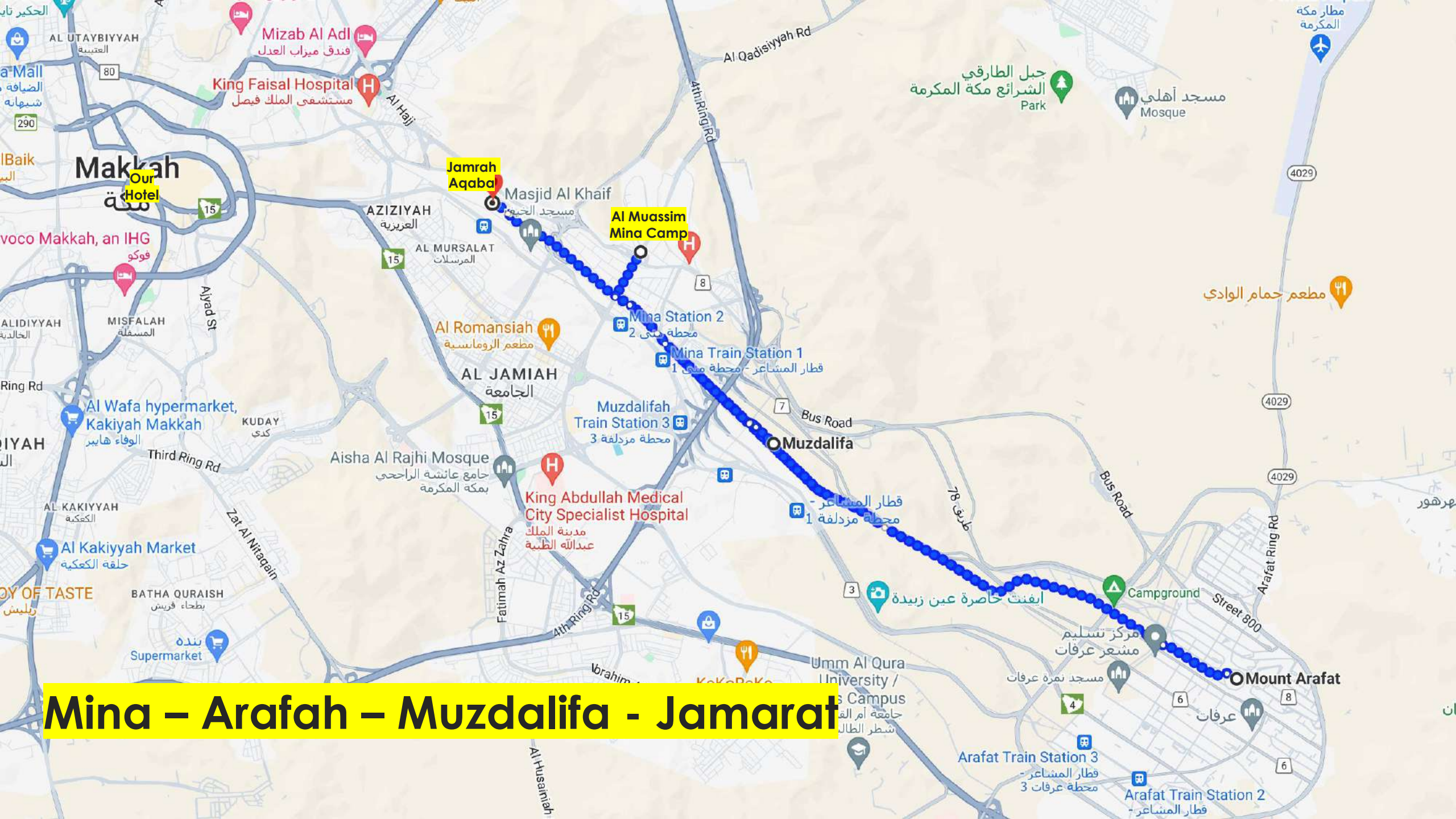
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❖ If you have done three of the four rites of this day, you can get out of the state of ihram (**minor state** as one restriction still applies which is marital relationship).

❑ **Secondly**, here is the overview of estimate walk times. (Note buses will be available).

Route	Estimated Walk Times
Muzdalifah to Mina Camp	1 hour 30 minutes
Mina Camp to Jamarat (one-way)	1 hour 15 minutes – 1 hour 30 minutes
Mina Camp to Jamarat & Back (full-loop)	2 hours 45 minutes – 3 hours 5 minutes
Jamarat Aqaba to Hilton Suites	1 hour 30 minutes
Mina Camp to Jamarat to Hilton Suites	2 hours 45 minutes – 3 hours 5 minutes



Mina – Arafah – Muzdalifa - Jamarat

King Faisal Hospital
مستشفى الملك فيصل

Jamrah Aqaba

Al Muassim
Mina Camp

Al Romansiah
مطعم الرومانسية

AL JAMIAH
الجامعة

King Abdullah Medical
City Specialist Hospital
مدينة الملك
عبدالله الطبية

Muzdalifa

Mount Arafat

جبل الطارقي
الشرايع مكة المكرمة
Park

مسجد أهلي
Mosque

مطعم حمام الوادي

مركز تسليم
مشعر عرفات

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Kakiyah Makkah
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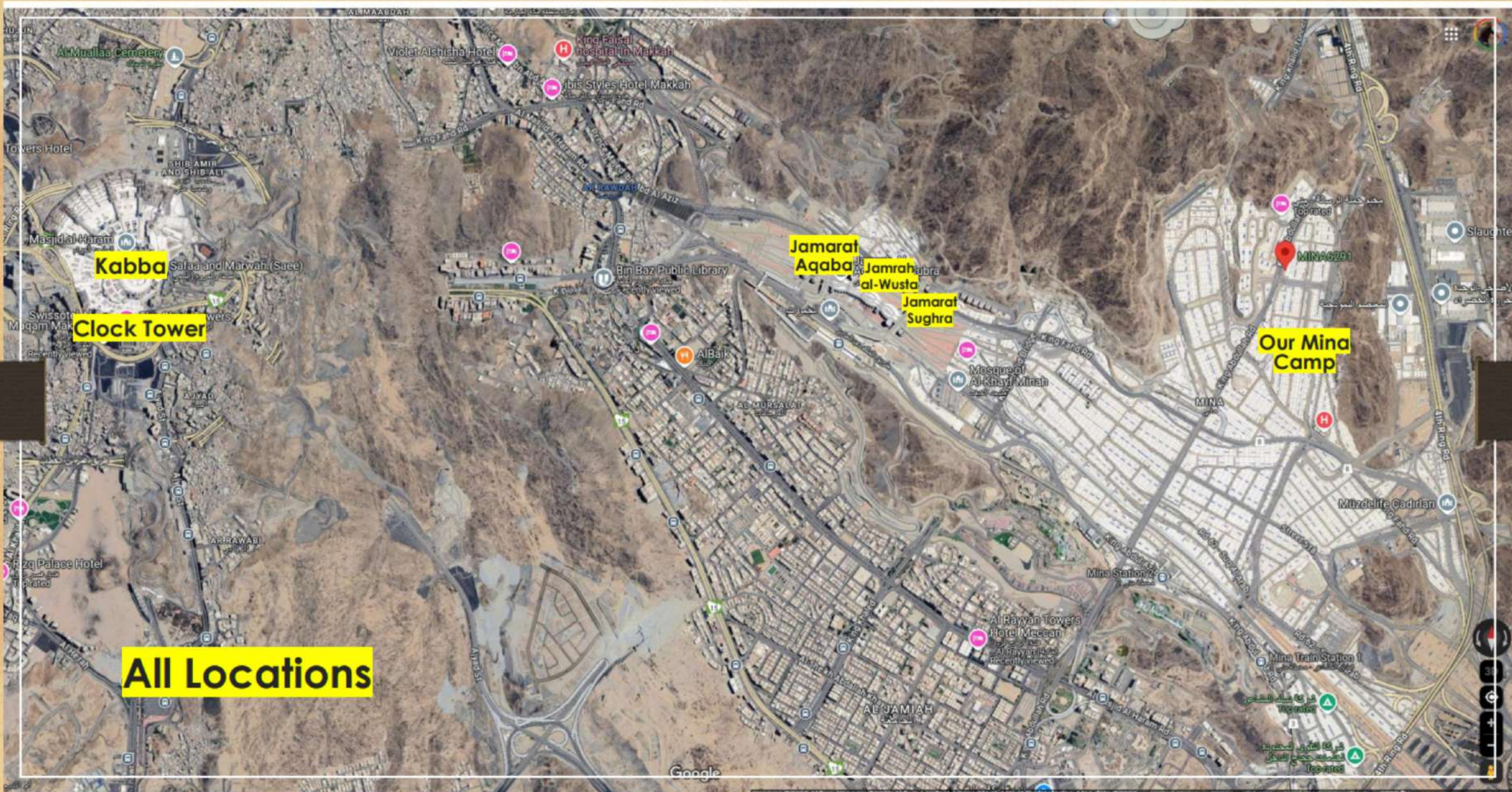
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Kabba

Clock Tower

All Locations

Jamarat Aqaba

Jamarat al-Wusta

Jamarat Sughra

Our Mina Camp

3. Mina Camp to Jamarat Aqaba (Largest)



- Walk Time: 75 – 90 mins -
est. 2.65 miles / 4.26 km

Saudi Miqat Company

Measure distance
 Click on the map to add to your path
 Total distance: 2.65 mi (4.26 km)

Terrain Traffic Transit Biking More



Restaurants

Hotels

Things to do

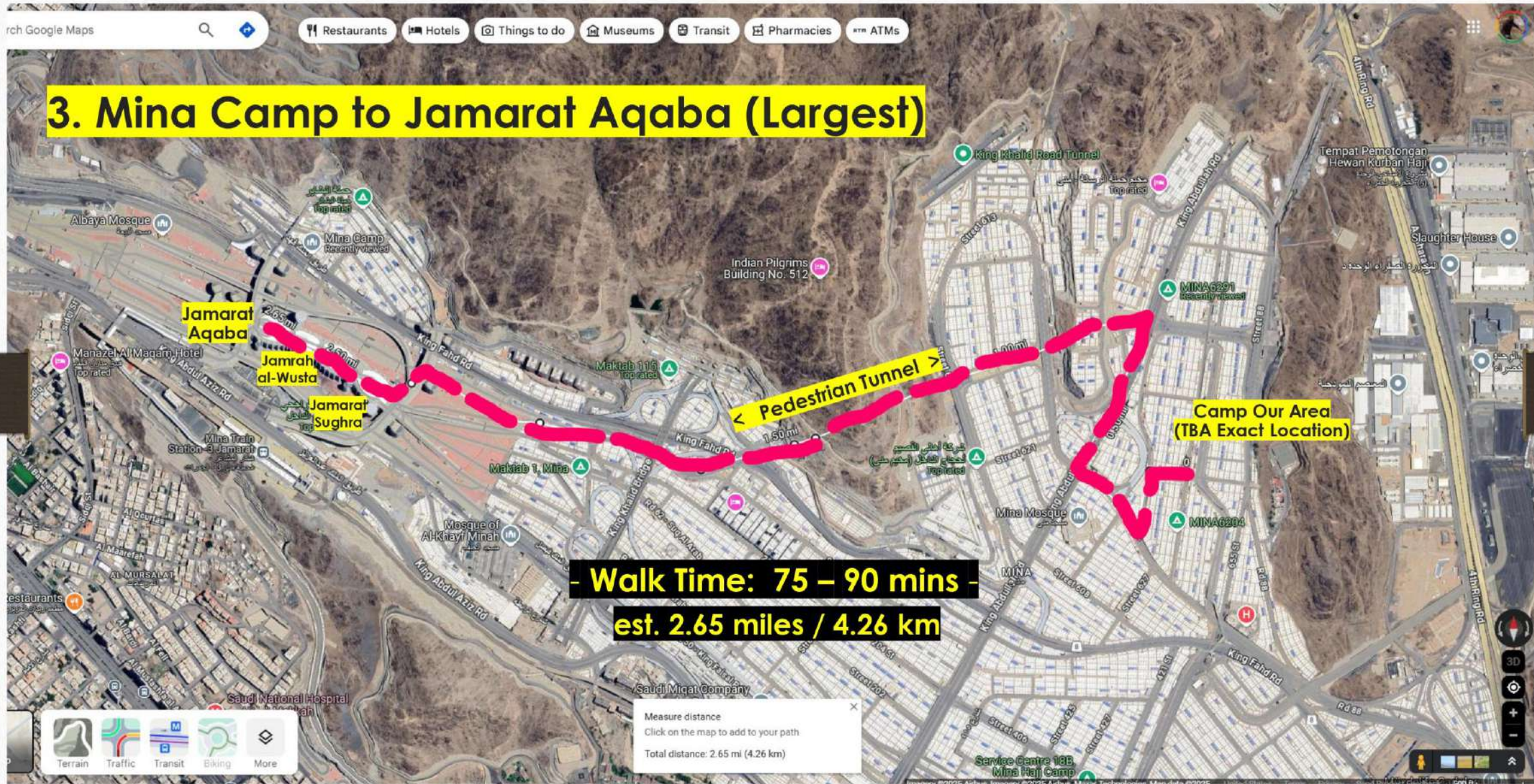
Museums

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3. Mina Camp to Jamarat Aqaba (Largest)



Jamarat Aqaba

Jamrah al-Wusta

Jamarat Sughra

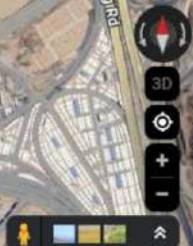
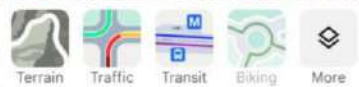
Pedestrian Tunnel

Camp Our Area (TBA Exact Location)

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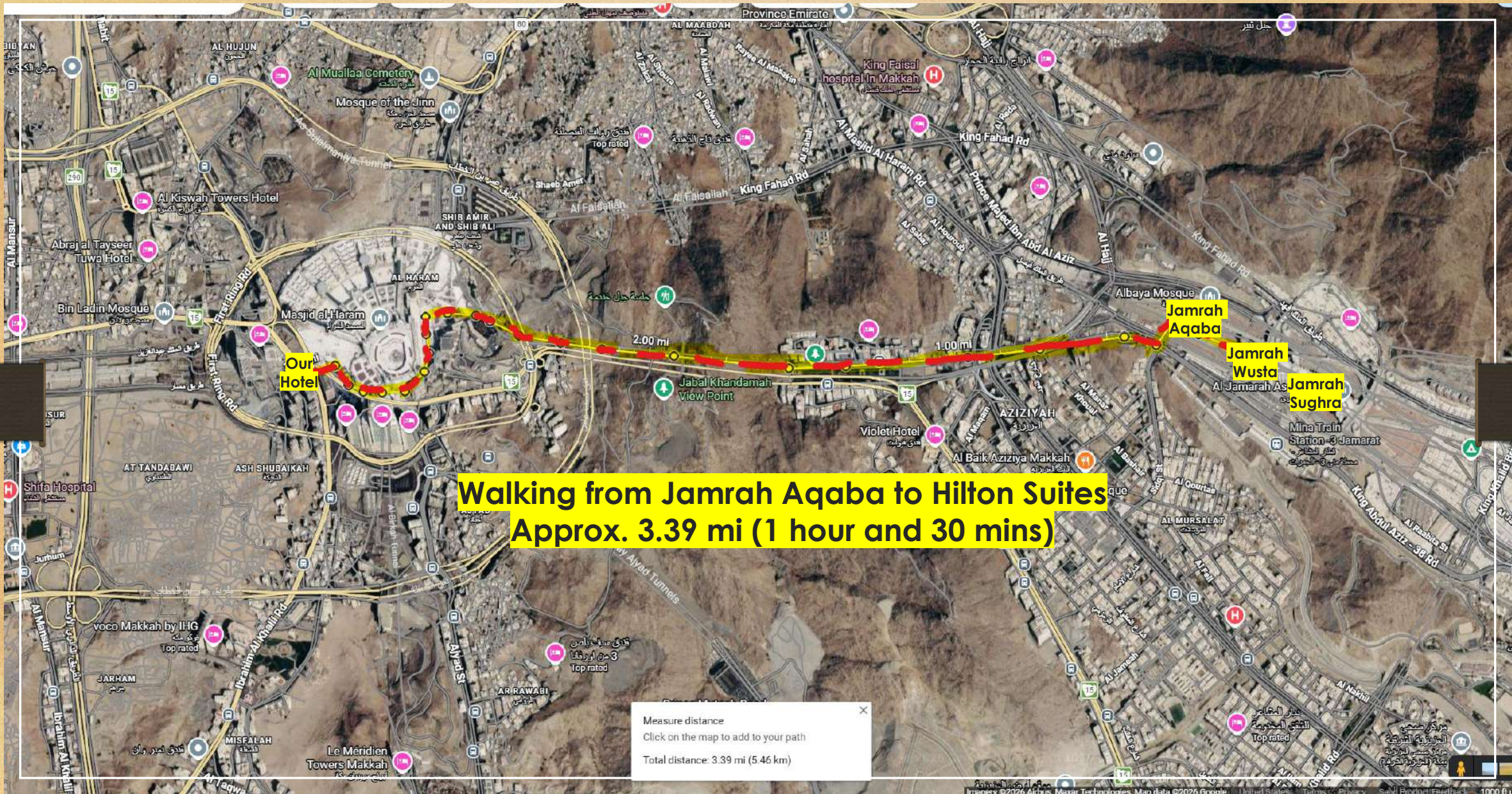
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Walking from Jamrah Aqaba to Hilton Suites
Approx. 3.39 mi (1 hour and 30 mins)

Measure distance
Click on the map to add to your path
Total distance: 3.39 mi (5.46 km)





Jamarat Structure

It's almost 80% covered (with tunnels through the mountain) and come out about here

New Expansion

Our Hotel Hilton Suites

Safa Marwa



Daily Itinerary – 5/27 [Hajj Day 4 – Pre-Dawn]

Wednesday, May 27th | 10th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Nahr (Eid)



❑ Midnight Group: The group that left for Jamarat right after midnight.

- ❖ You will **mostly likely walk** unless there is bus service at that time
- ❖ After you arrive at the Mina camp, **rest until Fajr in the Mina camp**.
- ❖ You will **pray Fajr** and **head to Jamarat** for stoning.
- ❖ After you can either go back to your camp or go to **Makkah by bus or by walking** (bus timings will be provided – it will pick us up near the Jamarat area).
- ❖ After we **arrive at the Hilton Suites**, we will head to our rooms to freshen up.
- ❖ The tawaf area is going to get more crowded by every passing minute. If you have the energy to go to make the **Tawaf Al Ifadah and Sai soon** after we are back, **do it!**
- ❖ If not done already, go ahead **shave/trim your hair**.
- ❖ At this time (~ 9am), because our sacrifice would've been carried out by then, **we have completed the rites of day of nahr** and **you can get out of the ihram completely**.
- ❖ Now you can **rest in your hotel room or enjoy haram**.
- ❖ We'll **stay in Makkah until about after Maghrib/Isha**. We have to be back to Mina by midnight.
- ❖ Alhumdulillah, we will take the **bus back to the camp** when it arrives.
- ❖ And then we will **stay the night in Mina**, to do the stoning the next day insha'Allaah!

Note: Those who cannot walk, will have stay in Mina. If the buses between camps and Makkah are unable to come, you might have to stay in Mina until departure to Makkah on the 12 Dhul Hijjah.

Daily Itinerary – 5/27 [Hajj Day 4 - Morning]

Wednesday, May 27th | 10th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Nahr (Eid)



- ❑ **Fajr Group: The group that stayed and will leave to Jamarat after Fajr. (same just few hours behind)**
 - ❖ We will **pray Fajr** at its time as a group. You will start hearing the azans at Fajr.
 - ❖ After, we will clean up, we'll head to **Mina Camp either via bus or by walking**.
 - ❖ After you arrive at the Mina Camp, head to Jamarat for stoning.
 - ❖ After Jamarat you can either go back to the camp or go to **Makkah by bus or by walking** (bus timings will be provided – it will pick us up near the Jamarat area).
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“Then let them end their untidiness and fulfill their vows and perform Tawaf around the ancient House.”

Jamarat Structure



Jamart Al-Sughra/Al-Ula
[Smallest Pillar]

Jamart Al-Wusta
[Middle Pillar]

Jamart Al Aqaba/Al Kubra
[Largest Pillar]

Makkah
Direction



Smallest pillar

Middle pillar

Largest pillar

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Jamarat Experience

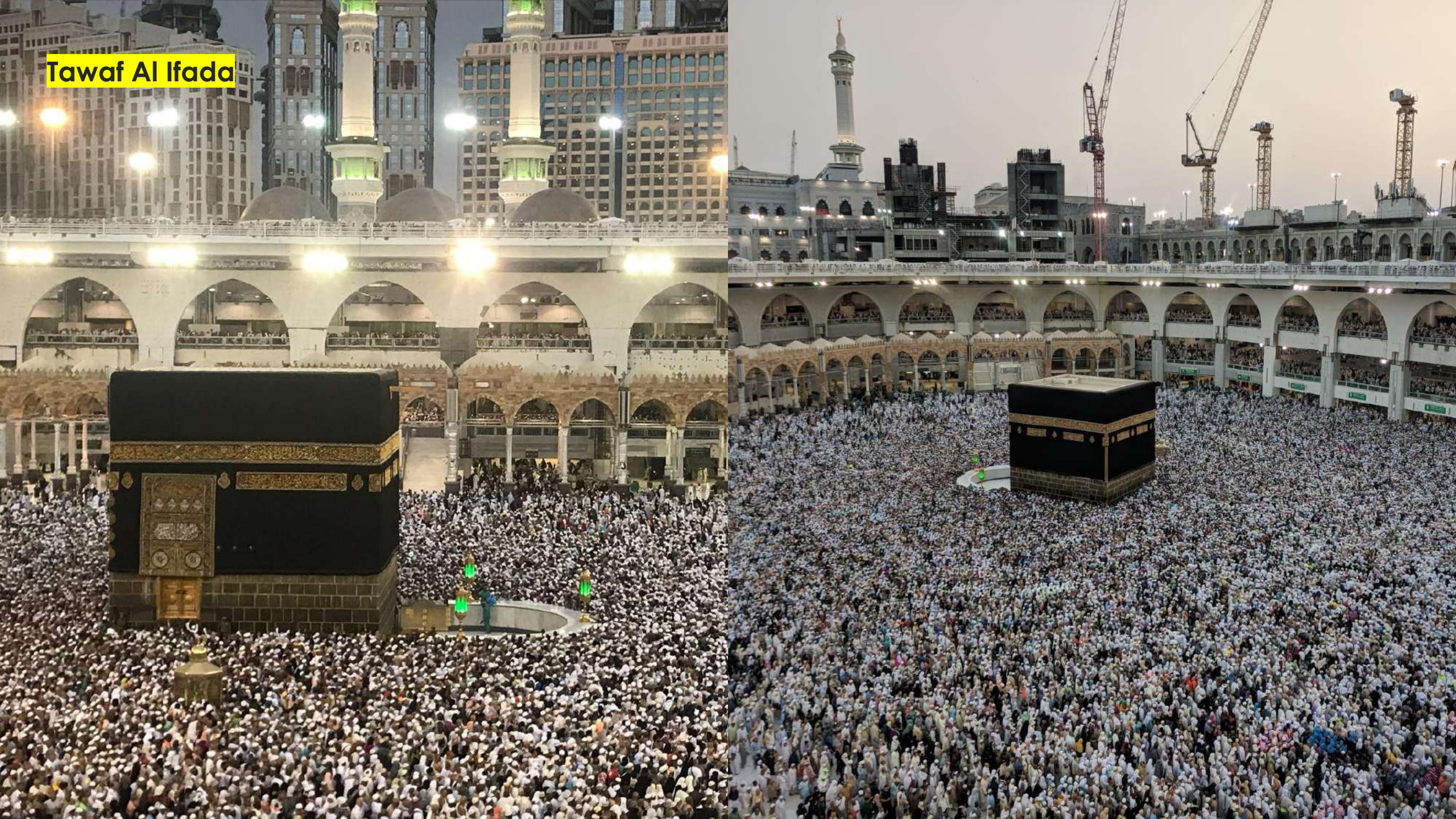


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Jamarat Experience



Tawaf Al Ifada



Daily Itinerary – 5/27 [Hajj Day 4 - Evening]

Wednesday, May 27th | 10th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Nahr (Eid)



❑ Departing Logistics for Mina on the Day of Eid (after Maghrib/Isha)

- ❖ As per the itinerary, there is no breakfast and dinner during these days at the hotel as it is offered at Mina. We do have the food court in our hotel in Makkah (2 floors).
- ❖ We will confirm the exact time the bus will be coming via Whatsapp.
- ❖ Please stay close (near the hotel) for Maghrib/ Isha so you can be at the lobby on time.
- ❖ We will board our assigned buses and head to Mina tents to stay the night.

❑ Night at Mina

- ❖ After we arrive at Mina, we will get back to our spot in the tents.
- ❖ We will continue the remembrance of Allah.
- ❖ We will continue the talks and discussions at Mina. Please join the khayr!
- ❖ Since we are arriving late in Mina, dinner service may have finished by then.
- ❖ We will stay for the night in Mina.

Daily Itinerary – 5/28 [Hajj Day 5]

Thursday, May 28th | 11th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Tashreeq



❑ Fajr & Dhuhur at Mina & Makkah Plans

- ❖ We will pray Fajr & Dhuhur as it comes at Mina.
- ❖ We will also have breakfast and lunch at Mina.

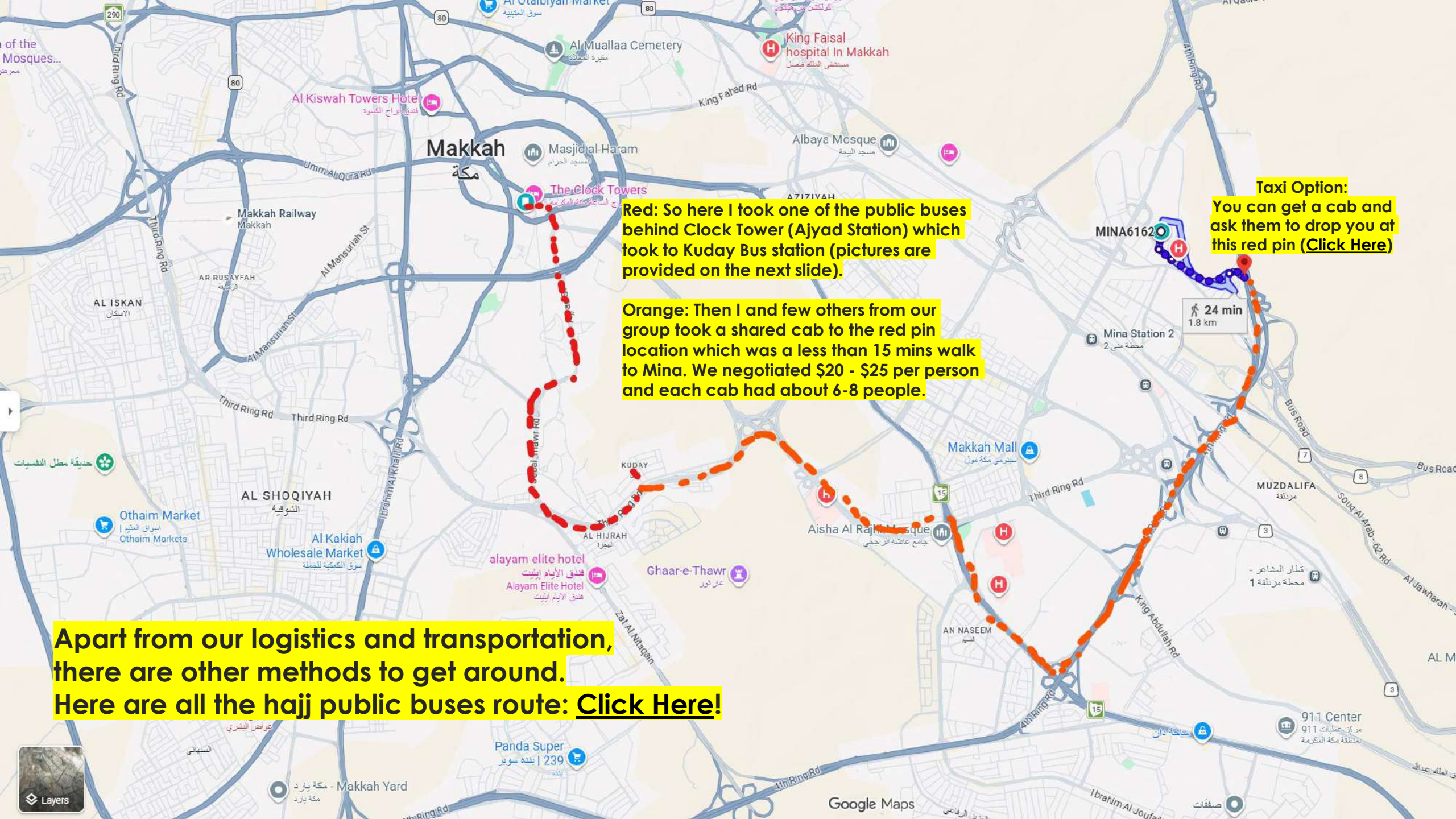
❑ Jamarat (Stoning) [21 Pebbles]

- ❖ After Dhuhur, we will proceed to Jamarat to throw the pebbles.
- ❖ After the stoning, instead of coming back, we now have the option to go to Makkah, or come back and stay in Mina until the next day, and just leave for good to Makkah after Jamarat.
- ❖ If we do go back to Makkah, it will be a similar itinerary to the Day of Eid (day before). We will do **Jamarat after Fajr** (need religious exemption – we will decide it there), **get to the bus**, get to Makkah, **stay until Isha**, and then **come back to Mina after** insha'Allaah on the bus.

❑ Last Night at Mina

- ❖ We will continue the **remembrance of Allah**.
- ❖ Those who stayed, pray Maghrib and Isha as it comes. We will not combine but will shorten.
- ❖ For those who went to Makkah, insha'Allaah they should be back by midnight.
- ❖ The **talks and discussions at Mina will continue**. Please join the khayr!
- ❖ The dinner will be served at Mina and we will stay for the night.





Al Kiswah Towers Hotel

Makkah مكة

Masjid al-Haram

The Clock Towers

Red: So here I took one of the public buses behind Clock Tower (Ajyad Station) which took to Kuday Bus station (pictures are provided on the next slide).

Orange: Then I and few others from our group took a shared cab to the red pin location which was a less than 15 mins walk to Mina. We negotiated \$20 - \$25 per person and each cab had about 6-8 people.

Taxi Option: You can get a cab and ask them to drop you at this red pin ([Click Here](#))

24 min 1.8 km

Apart from our logistics and transportation, there are other methods to get around. Here are all the hajj public buses route: [Click Here!](#)





Another Option:
Ghaza Bus Station

Our Hotel
Hilton Suites

Ajyad Bus Station
You walk under the clock
tower (there is path from
the Masjid Al Haram)



We took a cab
from here.

Few of these buses
actually go to Muassim (20
mins walk from our camp)

Kuday Bus Station

Daily Itinerary – 5/29 [Hajj Day 6]

Friday, May 29th | 12th Dhul Hijjah | Day of Tashreeq & Back to Makkah



❑ Fajr & Dhuhr at Mina

- ❖ We will pray Fajr & Dhuhr as it comes at Mina.
- ❖ We will also have breakfast and lunch at Mina. Dinner will be at our hotel in Makkah.
- ❖ Juma is not an obligation for hujjaj at Mina (and you are traveling).

❑ Jamarat after Dhuhr [21 Pebbles]

- ❖ After Dhuhr and lunch, we will cleanup in preparation to leave for Makkah.
- ❖ **This is our last day in Mina insha'Allaah. Unless you wish to stay until the 13th Dhul Hijjah.**
 - ❖ If departing Mina on the 12th, we must complete Jamarat AND physically leave Mina before Maghrib. If Maghrib catches us still in Mina, we are committed to staying the 13th.
- ❖ Those leaving today and even tomorrow, please – **do not forget anything.**
- ❖ **Bus Transfer:** There will be a bus this day to take people back to Makkah from the camp.
 - ❖ We will go to Jamarat for stoning as we did yesterday.
 - ❖ Then come back to our camp, gathering all our belongings & board the bus to Makkah.
- ❖ **Walking Folks:** You can proceed to Jamarat for stoning and walk to Makkah from there.

❑ Arriving at our hotel (Hilton Suites)

- ❖ After we arrive at the hotel, **please enjoy the rest of prayers.**

Itinerary Check!

JOURNEY TIMELINE



DAY-BY-DAY GANTT



Daily Itinerary – 5/30 [Hajj Day 7]

Saturday, May 30th | 13th Dhul Hijjah | General Advice / Departures



- ❑ **Please enjoy the prayers at the Haram.**
 - ❖ For some this is the final full day in Makkah.
 - ❖ Breakfast and dinner are provided at the hotel.
 - ❖ ***This is your day aH***, enjoy the Haram and may Allah accept from us all!

- ❑ ****Tawaaf Al Wada****
 - ❖ Please make sure you do your tawaf al wada ahead of our departures to Jeddah for our flight back to USA.
 - ❖ **Pro Tip:** Haram will be packed all day as many hujjaj have the same itineraries as ours. We recommend completing it this afternoon or after Isha. The other option is, *the latest*, **two-three hours before Fajr** or **immediately after Fajr**. The later it is the more risk that you may miss the Tawaf Al Wada al-together. DO NOT TAKE THE RISK!

- ❑ **Check your flight itinerary:**
 - ❖ Please check your flight itinerary, some of you may be traveling soon so plan accordingly!

Daily Itinerary – 5/30-5/31

May 31st – June 1st | 14th - 15th Dhu al-Hijjah | **Tawaf Al Wada / Departures**

Part 1



❑ ****Tawaf Al Wada****

- ❖ **Please** make sure you **do the Tawaf al Wada today as early as possible.**
- ❖ **Pro Tip:** Please do it today **two-three hours before Fajr** or **immediately after Fajr**. The later it is the more risk that you may miss the Tawaf Al Wada al-together. **DO NOT TAKE THE RISK!**

❑ **Please enjoy our final prayers of this journey at the Haram.**

- ❖ These are our final moments in Makkah for this journey.
- ❖ Breakfast & Dinner will be provided at the hotel.

❑ **Transfer to the Airport will have started today. You will be notified how you will be getting to the airport insha'Allah.**

❑ **The checkout generally is before noon but we will let you know!**

“Keep on doing Hajj and Umrah, for they **eliminate poverty and sin** just as the bellows eliminate impurities from iron and gold and silver.”

Daily Itinerary – 5/30-5/31

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Part 2



□ Jeddah Airport

- ❖ **Pro Tip:** Be patient and if things are not organized, go with the flow insha'Allah!
- ❖ You will be **requested to meet at the lobby at a set time** for your designated bus.
- ❖ We will load and board the bus and **proceed to Jeddah Airport.**
 - ❖ We might also have a semi truck (cargo van) for the excess luggage.
- ❖ It will be about **2 hours journey** to the Jeddah Airport.
- ❖ Once you arrive, you will receive a **5L ZamZam bottle** (packed) to take with you.
- ❖ You may pick up a free copy of Qur'an at the Airport. There will be an Airport staff handing out Qur'ans the moment you go through security.
- ❖ The **flight may get delayed** so keep your cool and go with the flow insha'Allaah!
- ❖ And insha'Allah you take off safely back home, and with that...

Hajj Mabroor!

May Allah accept our Hajj and allow us to be His guest soon, Ameen.

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