Our ancestors left us a legacy of traditions we are proud of. Our mission is to maintain and develop them as assets of the nation for future generations.”

HH Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan
The late UAE President
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Your Arabian story begins...

......in the heart of Abu Dhabi’s desert, nestled among stunning dunes, where a one-of-a-kind village will awaken your inner Bedouin with a memorable Emirati cultural experience.

Your desert journey begins as our experienced guides transport you over towering dunes, where the vastness of the landscape becomes apparent as you contemplate an endless horizon.

As you approach the village – which emerges surprisingly from a gigantic dune valley - you enter a picturesque courtyard overlooked by two traditional-styled watchtowers - Zakher and Al Manhal - each named after residences of the late Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan, The Father of the Nation.

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Paved walkways, lined with ambient lighting and flower beds, carve a palm tree shaped path through natural desert habitat, leading you to five qarya (clusters), faithfully named after Abu Dhabi’s Shahama, Baynouma, Remah, Hameem and Razeen neighbourhoods.

These enchanting clusters house roomy tents, charming rooms and exquisite suites designed to deliver space, privacy, style, and tranquility to your stay.

The entire village is a masterpiece inspired by traditional and recent Emirati culture, where you can channel your inner Bedu (desert dweller) and write your own Arabian story.

Skilled artisans, engineers, architects and hospitality professionals, have faithfully recreated traditional Emirati houses giving guests – whether on private stays or joining a corporate function – a unique desert experience, where the tranquility of the desert can be enjoyed in comfort, peace and safety with an exclusive level of hospitality.
Tents, Rooms & Suites

All our rooms are in private, detached houses with spellbinding Arabian interiors where dark woods, Arabian weaves, glasswork, and sumptuous natural materials immerse you in different lifestyles from Abu Dhabi’s past.

〜 Bedouin tents – Bayt Al Shaaer
〜 Palm houses – Bayt Al Bahar
〜 Desert houses – Bayt Al Bar
〜 The Fort Tower – Al Manhal

All our tents, rooms & suites have:

〜 Comfortable guest beds
〜 Air conditioning
〜 Private en-suite bathrooms
〜 Environmentally-friendly toiletries
〜 Complimentary welcome fruit basket
〜 Complimentary water and soft drinks
〜 Mini bar
〜 In-room safe
〜 Housekeeping
〜 Desert views
All our bathrooms have:

- Walk-in shower
- Hot & cold water
- Premium herbal toiletries
- Vanity set
- Dental kit
- Shaving kit
- Towels

Escape the bustling world

Because we aim to immerse you in culture and give you peace and quiet, you won’t find any of the following in your rooms:

- Satellite TV
- International telephone

We do, however, have our own dedicated mobile mast so you can stay in touch and so we can contact appropriate authorities in the case of emergencies.
Bayt Al Shaaer (The Woven House)

In the Razeen cluster, houses adorned with authentic and colourful Sadu (UAE weave patterns) are perfect for intrepid travellers or families who want to live and sleep like true desert dwellers.
Bayt Al Bahar (House of the Sea)

Abu Dhabi has a rich sea faring heritage. To reconnect with the lifestyles of our trading and pearl diving past, live and sleep in palm frond houses modelled on traditional Emirati coastal homes. Don’t be surprised if, in the quiet of the desert surrounds, you dream of tales of the deep.

Bayt Al Bahar are in the Remah and Hameem clusters.

Suites
- 1 Master Bedroom
- 1 Lounge / 2nd Bedroom
- 2 Bathrooms
- 4 Guests
- 44 sq.m

Double Rooms
- 1 Master Bedroom
- 1 Bathroom
- 2 Guests
- 22 sq.m
Bayt Al Bar (Desert Home)
Blend in, and become at one with your desert surroundings by living and sleeping in sand coloured houses inspired by the mud built homes that evoke another chapter in Abu Dhabi’s architectural and cultural history.

You’ll find Bayt Al Bar in our Shahama and Baynouna clusters.

Suites
- 1 Master Bedroom
- 1 Lounge / 2nd Bedroom
- 2 Bathrooms
- Private Terrace
- 4 Guests
- 44 sq.m

Double Rooms
- 1 Master Bedroom
- 1 Bathroom
- Private Terrace
- 2 Guests
- 22 sq.m
Al Manhal Fort Tower

The majestically named Al Manhal Fort Tower Suite is in the grandest of our village homes. Live and breathe a luxurious lifestyle with three presidential bedrooms, each with opulent bathrooms, and lavish interiors elegantly furnished with rich fabrics, natural materials and authentic design details that will make your stay extraordinary.

The tower suite is a cultural gem lifted straight from the pages of UAE history, a fortified watchtower with modern luxury, comfort, and a finishing touch of extravagance.

Three Bedroom Suite

- 1 Master Bedroom
- 2 Double Bedrooms
- 3 Bathrooms
- Central Majlis / Lounge
- 2 Floors
- 6 Guests
- 188 Sq.m
From sunrise to sunset, the desert is a horizon-less playground. Here you can ride camels, watch the sun set over awe-inspiring dunes, rev-up a quad bike to surmount the towering crescents, get the adrenalin pumping by dune bashing with fully qualified drivers, and sand surf down sheer inclines.
In the desert, water is viewed as the gift of life. Stories of travellers and nomads perishing just metres from an undiscovered well are the stuff of legends. Historically nomadic tribes would traverse the whole Empty Quarter by using their inherited knowledge of fresh water well locations.

Camels are adapted to survive in the desert on very long journeys; however without their human handlers to find them water, they too could not survive the hardship of desert life.

When you first peer over the dunes that surround our village you’ll see what at first seems like a mirage is in fact a real oasis surrounded by palm trees.

Our Oasis Pool has an epic desert view during the day and you can watch shooting stars on the clear crisp nights. Our guests class our swimming pool as one-of-a-kind, one they will remember for a lifetime.
Al Maqam Restaurant
Arabic & International Cuisine

‘Al Maqam’ means ‘The Gathering Place’ and this is where we meet and eat together.

The bustling atmosphere of a vibrant Arabian village, the ambience of the dining hall, palm thatched terraces with views of desert dunes rolling into the distance, the tantalising aroma of fresh traditional food, warm and attentive service, live entertainment from musicians, belly dancers, henna artists and falconers, encapsulates the overall flavour of Al Maqam dining.

Food & Beverage:
- Local Emirati dishes
- Traditional Arabic dishes
- International culinary classics
- Live cooking stations & spit roasts
- Live bread making
- El Tanoor & Saj
- Healthy food choices
- Arabian banquets
- Complimentary soft drinks
- A wide selection of beverages

Al Maqam features:
- Arabian style floor level and sunken seating
- Arabian majlis style
- Authentic handmade crockery with Arabian calligraphy
- Fire pits for winter nights
- Live entertainment
- Open air seating
- Palm thatched terrace
- Shisha
Our one-of-a-kind venue guarantees a stand-out corporate event where guests and delegates can get away from city distractions and become as one with Emirati culture. We deliver the inspired to inspire.

Corporate Events

- Customized packages
- Corporate events
- Product Launches
- Private Events
- Team Building

Features & Benefits:

- Value for money & hassle free
- No additional logistic costs
- Half day or full day packages
- Event management
- Service reliability
- 48 hrs from deal to delivery
- A variety of event catering
- Self contained event and conference site
- Security
- All conference space is fully air conditioned
- Extensive audio-visual equipment
- Event lighting
- Transportation to and from the city to the village included
- Unrivalled variety of exciting corporate entertainment
- Premium transport options
- Event support staff
Arabian Nights Village

- Open 2012
- Experienced hospitality team
- Security
- Nurse and clinic
- HACCP certified food
- RSB certified sewage treatment
- CSR and environmental programs
- Swimming pool for overnight guests
- Pool access for day guests with additional charge
- Modern fully equipped fleet of Toyota Land Cruisers
- Licensed and certified safari drivers
- Transport from AUH Airport or anywhere in Abu Dhabi

Rooms and Suites

- 30 x Double rooms
- 5 x One bedroom suites
- 1 x Three bedroom suite

Oasis

- 200 sq.m
- Oasis Pool Bar

Conference Room

- Seats 18 people
- 65 sq.m

Total Area:

- The area of the village is 85,000 sq.m
- Built on area 55,000 sq.m
- Building footprint 55,000 sq.m

Al Maqam facts:

- Total Restaurant area 414 sq.m
- Indoor seating area 142 sq.m
- Restaurant terrace 205 sq.m
- Private Dining Room (A) 21 sq.m - Moroccan theme
- Private Dining Room (B) 23 sq.m - Emirati theme
- Kitchen 259 sq.m

Where you’ll find us:

We’re in the Razeen Area of Al Khatim on the Abu Dhabi – Al Ain highway.

You’ll find a link on our website to the exact location on Google maps.

Our location makes us unique, as Arabian Nights Village is strategically positioned not far from the city, yet far enough away to find complete peace and to observe the majesty of the stars at night.
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‘Al Bayt Baytak’

‘Our house is your house’