

# The Noble Sanctuary

Portrait of a Holy Place  
in Arab Jerusalem

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An aerial photograph of the Dome of the Rock in Jerusalem. The central feature is the large, gleaming golden dome, which is topped with a crescent moon and star. The dome sits on a circular base with intricate blue and white tilework. Below the dome is a large, open courtyard with several smaller domed structures and a colonnade. The surrounding city of Jerusalem is visible in the background, with its characteristic stone buildings and hills under a clear blue sky. The lighting suggests a bright, sunny day, casting long shadows across the courtyard.