

Levantine Arabic transcript:

ليندا: كيف بنتحرك من بلد لتاني؟ بالحقيقه نحنا في عنا مطار أو مطارات فينساقر بالطياره من بلد لتاني يعني من سوريا لبلاد بره. وكمان في عنا مطارات داخل للبلاد يعني بنتحرك بالطياره من الشام مثلا لمدينه. كمان بنركب الباص، بنوخذ الباص، من مدينه لمدينه تانيه. إذا بدكن تروحوا على تدمر، بتدمر ممكن تركبوا جمل بس بالعاده ما في عنا جمال.

English translation:

Linda: How do we get from city to city? Actually, we have an airport, or airports, so ... we travel by plane from country to country. I mean from Syria to another country. And we also have domestic airports. We travel by plane from Damascus to another city, for example. We also ride the bus. We take the bus from one city to another. If you want to go to Tadmur -- in Tadmur you can ride a camel. But usually we don't have camels.

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