

# 9-Day Egypt luxury holiday to Cairo with a Nile Cruise

**Q** Cairo, Luxor, Aswan.

	Duration	Tour type	Group size		Runs
0	9 Days	Luxury Tour	8	M	Everyday

#### Overview

9-day Egypt luxury holiday package to Cairo, Luxor, and Aswan with a Nile Cruise that will take you back into the ancient Egypt magic! Tour the Grand Egyptian Museum, the Great Pyramids of Giza, and the Sphinx in Cairo, then fly to Luxor and Aswan for a luxury cruise on the Nile, visiting the Valley of the Kings and the magnificent temples at Karnak, Edfu, and Kom Ombo. Egypt luxury tours will help you enjoy the gigantic temples of Abu Simbel, sense Nubian village life at Elephantine Island, and top your journey off with a peaceful sunset sail on the Nile. Book now!

## **Itinerary**



### **Arrival in Cairo**

Welcome to Egypt! Upon your arrival at Cairo Airport, our friendly tour guide will meet and greet you right before border control to assist you with security, customs, and baggage handling procedures. After clearing customs, your driver will be waiting to take you to your hotel in Cairo overlooking the mighty Nile River. Our tour guide will check you into your hotel to get you settled and ready for your luxury Egypt tour the next day.

(Meals are not included)

## Visit the Grand Egyptian Museum & Giza Pyramids

Start your Egypt luxury vacation package with a tour of Cairo's most historic sites, guided by your seasoned tour guide and accompanied by your driver to:

#### **Grand Egyptian Museum:**

Explore the mysteries of ancient Egypt in the largest archaeological museum in the world <u>Grand</u> <u>Egyptian Museum</u>. Your guide will reveal fascinating facts about objects like the Golden Mask of King Tutankhamun, along with the thousands of artifacts that reside here, and thereby provide you with a better understanding of Egypt's rich past.

## Giza Pyramids & Sphinx:

Be awed by the Great Pyramid, the only one of the Ancient World's Wonders to survive. Learn about its construction and history from your guide when you visit the monument. Ride a camel across the desert to take in panoramic views over the pyramids. End your Egypt adventure at the Great Sphinx, an amazing fusion of human intellect and lion strength.

After the Egypt private luxury tour, you will be returned to your hotel to rest and spend the evening. **Optional Activity:** Sound and Light Show at the Giza Pyramids

(Breakfast and lunch are included)

## Day 3

## Visit Saqqara & Ancient City of Memphis

After your breakfast, you will be met by your guide and chauffeur for a Cairo cultural tour to the center of ancient Egypt:

### Saqqara:

Stroll through Memphis's necropolis, where the <u>Step Pyramid</u>, the world's first building built of limestone. Your guide will show you amazing sights like the Tomb of Mihu, the Tomb of the Butchers, and the Tomb of the Two Brothers, with vibrant carvings illustrating everyday life long ago. Stop at any one of the pyramids and gaze in amazement at the hieroglyphics that have stood the test of time for

millennia.

## **Memphis Ancient City:**

See the open-air museum at the location of Egypt's first capital, where your guide will recount tales of this ancient city once full of life. Stand before the massive statue of Ramses II, a breathtaking portrayal of the pharaoh's magnificence, and the alabaster Sphinx of Memphis, an exquisite testament to ancient craftsmanship.

Have lunch at a local restaurant before returning to your hotel for the evening.

(Breakfast and lunch are included.)

## Day 4

## Fly to Luxor & Board Your Nile Cruise

Our tour guide and driver will escort you to Cairo airport for an early morning flight to Luxor, and then meet our local tour guide, who will introduce you to your private tour guide. Begin your Luxor trip experience with a visit to two of its most famed temples:

## **Karnak Temple:**

Your guide will take you on a tour of this enormous religious complex, pointing out the massive Hall of Columns, the Sacred Lake, and hidden treasures such as the Temple of Opt Festival and the Temple of Khonsu. All of these places will lead you to learn about the rituals and deities that shaped the ancient Egyptian faith at Karnak Temple.

### **Luxor Temple:**

Experience the magic of visiting the <u>Luxor Temple</u> at night, glowing with beauty and mystique, as you walk down the Avenue of Sphinxes while your guide shares its fascinating history.

After the <u>Egypt tour</u>, our driver will take you to the cruise. Check in on your <u>Nile cruise</u> with assistance from our tour guide and enjoy the exquisite dinner onboard.

(Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are included.)

**Optional Activity:** Sound and Light Show at Karnak Temple.

Day 5

## Explore Luxor & Sail to Edfu

After breakfast, your tour guide will escort you through a Cairo guided tour of Luxor's West Bank, where the secrets of ancient Egypt are brought to life:

## Valley of the Kings:

Your tour guide will escort you to the tombs of <u>Valley of the Kings</u> such as King Tutankhamun, whose mummy you can view inside, and Ramses VI's tomb. View lesser-visited Dra Abu el-Naga and its flamboyant Roy and Shoury tombs.

## **Temple of Hatshepsut:**

Take in the stunning mortuary <u>Temple of Hatshepsut</u>, constructed to honor Egypt's sole female pharaoh. Your guide will discuss her reign and the ingenious design that went into constructing the temple.

#### **Colossi of Memnon:**

Stop to take photos with these <u>Colossi of Memnon</u> statues as your guide points out their significance in history as protectors of the Theban necropolis.

Following the tour, you will be returned to the cruise. Lunch onboard as we cruise toward Edfu. Relax and enjoy viewing the landscape of the Nile.

(Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are included.)

Day 6

Visit Edfu & Kom Ombo Temples

After breakfast, your guide will take you to see two marvelous temples that line the banks of the Nile:

## Temple of Edfu:

After a horse-and-carriage ride to this incredibly well-preserved temple of the god Horus, your guide will show you <u>Temple of Edfu</u>, shimmering carvings, and sacred inner sanctum. You will return to the cruise to sail to Kom Ombo and enjoy lunch afterward.

## **Kom Ombo Temple:**

Your guide will take you through the double temple of <u>Kom Ombo Temple</u>, introducing you to the Almighty Sobek, the crocodile god. While there, also stop at the Crocodile Mummification Museum to see mummified crocodiles and learn about their symbolism in Ancient Egypt.

After the egypt luxury holiday, you are transported back to the cruise, and after lunch, you will relax and head to the Edfu temple.

(Lunch and dinner are included.)

## Day 7

## **Explore Abu Simbel & Nubian Culture**

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## **Abu Simbel Temples:**

The Temples of <u>Abu Simbel</u>: stare at the monumental temples hewn out of mountain stone by Ramses II. Your guide will elaborate on the massive statues and intricate reliefs that depict the pharaoh's victories and divine associations.

## **Elephantine Island:**

Walk with your guide on <u>Elephantine Island</u>, where they will share insights into its rich Nubian heritage and traditions.

#### **Sunset Felucca Ride:**

Board a traditional felucca for the sunset over the Nile with a glass of sparkling wine while listening to stories from your guide about the river's importance.

After the tour, you will be transferred back to the cruise for an overnight.

(Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are included)

## Day 8

## Visit Philae Temple & return to Cairo

After breakfast, start your Nile cruise and your tour guide will accompany you to visit:

## **Philae Temple:**

Located in the reservoir of the Aswan Low Dam, downstream of the Aswan Dam and Lake Nasser, the <a href="Philae Temple">Philae Temple</a> complex is an island-based marvel in Africa. It was originally situated on Philae Island, near the expansive First Cataract of the Nile in Upper Egypt.

Afterward, your driver will transfer you to the Aswan airport to take your flight back to Cairo, where our tour guide will assist with check-in at the Airport Hotel for your final night in Egypt.

(Breakfast is only included.)

## Day 9

## **Final Departure**

Breakfast will be served at the hotel, then guests will walk to the international terminal for departure. Our tour guide will ensure a smooth end to your vacation, leaving you with memories of the wonders of ancient Egypt. And here your luxury trips to Egypt have come to an end and are waiting for you to

experience a new experience of Egypt luxury tours.

(Breakfast is the only meal included)

## What's Included

Hotel pickup and drop-off.

Meet-and-assist service at airports.

Expert Egyptologist guide during your tour.

All transport by private air-conditioned vehicle.

- 4 Nights accommodation in Cairo.
- 4 Nights accommodation on Nile Cruise.

Entrance fees for all mentioned sights.

All meals as mentioned in the itinerary.

All service charges and taxes are included.

## What's Not Included

Tipping.

Entry visa to Egypt.

International flights.

Personal expenses.

Optional Activities.

Travel Insurance.

# • Price Table

#	May->Sep	Oct->Apr
Single	US\$ 3700	US\$ 3750
Double	US\$ 3000	US\$ 3050
Triple	US\$ 2750	US\$ 2800

**Price start from** 

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US\$ 2613 <sub>/USD</sub>





