# **Egypt Itinerary 9 Days**

Туре	Run	Duration	Pick up
Private	Everyday	9 days	Any Time

Enjoy 9 Days Egypt Tour Itinerary, Visit the Pyramids of Giza, The Sphinx, Cairo museum and 3 Nights Nile Cruise, drive to Alexandria and Enjoy 3 days Relaxing in Alexandria

## **Inclusions: Exclusions:** Meet & assist at Cairo International flights to Egypt International Airport + transfer to Any other optional tours if required hotel by air-conditioned vehicle diT Lunch at a local restaurant in Cairo 3 nights accommodation at 5 stars Nile Cruise on full board All sightseeing tours on board your Nile cruise include: Day Trip to Abu Simbel from Aswan • Tour to the High Dam, Philae Temple in Aswan Tour to Kom Ombo and Edfu Temples. Tour to Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut temple & Colossi of Memnon. • Tour to Karnak and Luxor Temples. Entrance fees to all sites as mentioned in the program Flight tickets Cairo Aswan-Alexandria • All The prices are per person and in us dollars • English speaking guide • 3 nights accommodation in Cairo including breakfast & all taxes - 5 stars Hotel • 3 nights accommodation in 5 stars Hotel in Hurghada based on Inclusive All service charges and taxes · Assist & transfer to Cairo



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International airport on final departure

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# **Days Table**

First Day: Day 1 Arrival Day

Marsa Alam tours representative will meet & assist you at Cairo International Airport, Transfer to hotel by private air-conditioned vehicle

Free evening

Overnight in the Hotel

Depends on your arrival. If your flight arrives, If you have an early flight to Cairo you can contact us to make a tour suggestion

Optional trip to the sound and the light show at Giza Pyramids and costs 40 \$ Per person.



Second Day: Day 2-Giza Pyramids and The Museum

You will be picked up from your hotel in Cairo by our tour guide to enjoy a great excursion to The <a href="Pyramids of Giza">Pyramids of Giza</a> (<a href="Cheops">Cheops</a>, Cheops</a>, Chephren, and <a href="Mykerinus">Mykerinus</a>. Then proceed to visit the Great Sphinx, which dates back to the time of and visit <a href="the Valley Temple">the Valley</a> <a href="Temple">Temple</a>. enjoy a free camel ride

Lunch will be served during the Pyramids at the local restaurant in Giza

Then visit the **Egyptian Museum** 

The Museum of Egyptian Antiquities in Tahir

It exhibits a rare collection of over 250,000 genuine artifacts that date as far back as 5000 years, including an exclusive exhibit dedicated to the Tutankhamen - A collection of treasures, gold, and jewelry that were buried in his tomb for over 3,500 years before they were discovered in 1920 when his tomb was excavated.

If you wish to visit the mummies royal hall. You need to ask the





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tour guide to take the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization and you pay for this. It will cost 50\$ per person extra

The New Grand museum is not open yet. It will be open soon in 2023

Enjoy free time in the old bazaar for shopping

Overnight in the Hotel Cairo

Third Day: Day 3 Alexandria

Enjoy a Private day Trip to <u>Alexandria from Cairo by Private</u> Vehicle, Discover the old Greco-Roman Capital of Egypt, Visit the new Library of <u>Alexandria</u>, the Roman Catacombs Kom El shoqafa, The Citadel of Sultan Qeitbay and Pompei pillar??????

Start your Private tour to <u>Alexandria</u> From Cairo, starts am 7:00 am with Pickup from your hotel by our Egyptologist, and transfer by Private A/C Vehicle to <u>Alexandria</u>, The distance is 220 k/m Northwest of Cairo. Arrive at <u>Alexandria</u> around 10 am



#### The Catacombs Kom el Shoqafa

Start your day Tour in <u>Alexandria</u> Visiting The Roman Catacombs of Kom el Shoqafa

Archaeologists believe that the Catacomb of Kom el Shoqafa was started in the 2nd century A.D. and was used to intern the dead for the next 200 years. This was a period in the history of the city of Alexandria when there was a great mixture of different cultures. Of course, there was the ancient history of the great Egyptian kingdoms which went back thousands of year

**4Th Day**: Day 4 - Cairo-Aswan

Early this morning you will be transferred to the airport for a short internal flight down to Aswan. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to our 5-star Nile cruise ship.

Embarkation& Lunch on board of the Nile Cruise, proceed Visits of Aswan including the Temple of Philae and tour by Felucca around Elephantine, the High Dam, the Unfinished Obelisk



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#### Phiala temple:

Built to honor the goddess Isis, this was the last temple built in the classical Egyptian style. Construction began around 690 BC, and it was one of the last outposts where the goddess was worshipped.

#### The High Dam:

Aswan High Dam is a rock-fill dam located at the northern border between Egypt and Sudan. The dam is fed by the River Nile and the reservoir forms Lake Nasser. Construction for the project began in 1960 and was completed in 1968. It was officially inaugurated in 1971.

#### The Unfinished Obelisk:

Aswan was the source of ancient Egypt's finest granite, used to make statues and embellish temples, pyramids, and obelisks. The large unfinished obelisk in the Northern Quarries has provided valuable insight into how these monuments were created, although the full construction process is still not entirely clear. Three sides of the shaft, nearly 42m long, were completed except for the inscriptions. At 1168 tonnes, the completed obelisk would have been the single heaviest piece of stone the Egyptians ever fashioned.

12:00 lunch on board the Cruise

Optional trip to the Nubian village

The Nubian village is one of Aswan's attractions. It's worth visiting and spending 2 hours. The place is very authentic and genuine, Colorful and artistic, the Nubian Village will surprise you in every corner! While walking in the village, you will straight away feel the soul of this place!

Dinner & overnight on board the Cruise.



5th Day: Day 5- Trip to Abu simble

### Abu Simbel temples

The two temples of Ramses the second and the Queen Nefertari were carved out of the Mountain on the west bank of the Nile between 1274 and 1244 B.c, The Great Temple was dedicated to Ramses the second, Ra-Harakhty, Amun Ra, and Ptah, with 4 Colossal statues, The second temple was dedicated to The Queen



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Nefertari and Goddess Hathor, the two temples were dismantled stone by stone and rebuilt on higher ground, The preservation of the two temples of Abu Simbel must Rank as the greatest Achievement of the Unesco

13:00 sail to Kom Ombo

#### Visit The temple of Kom Ombo

The temple and the associated settlement site are located 40 K.m north of Aswan, the temple was dedicated to the deities Sobek and Horus and date mainly to the Ptolemaic and Roman periods (332 B.b -395 A.c)

Sail to Edfu-Overnight in Edfu Dinner &overnight onboard the Cruise Galabyia Party.



6th Day: Day 6 -Edfu- Luxor temple

Breakfast on the board on the Nile cruise, Breakfast on the Nile Cruise, Visit the Edfu

#### Edfu temple:

Upper Egyptian site dominated by a large well -Preserved temple, dedicated to the hawk-God Horus, The Construction of Ptolemaic temple of Horus, which was founded on the site of a much earlier temple, dated to the period between the reigns of Ptolemy the Third(246 B.c), The descriptions on the walls include the Myth of contending of Horus and Seth(Probably performed annually as a religious Drama.

Sail to <u>Luxor</u> through Esna lock Visit <u>Luxor</u> temple

#### **Luxor Temple:**

Largely built by the New Kingdom Pharaoh Amenhotep the Third and Completed by King Tutankhamon and the Great King Ramses the second, The First pylon was raised by Ramses the second and Decorated with His Military Battle of Kadesh Dinner & Overnight on board the Cruise.



7th Day: Day 7 west bank of Luxor



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Optional Trip to the balloon ride 80 \$ per person.

In the morning, enjoy an early morning air balloon ride. This is an incredible way to see the "world's largest open-air museum, See the valley of the Kings and temples.

Breakfast on the board the Nile cruise, Breakfast on the Nile Cruise, Visit the west bank of <a href="Luxor">Luxor</a> and <a href="Karnak">Karnak</a>



### The Valley of the Kings:

Once called the great Place of the Truth, this valley is Called now the valley of the Kings, It is a Majestic domain of the Pharaohs who once lay in great stone Sarcophagi, awaiting immortality, The isolated valley behind Deir el Bahri is dominated by the Pyramid-Shaped Mountain Peak.

#### The colossi of Memnon:

Massive pair statues Know as the Colossi of Memnon, Rising about 18 M from the plain, They are the remains of what once the largest complex on the west bank, Built by Amenhotep the Third.

#### The Queen Hatshepsut temple:

Rising out of the desert Plain, in a series of terraces, The temple of <a href="Hatshepsut">Hatshepsut</a> Mergs with sheer limestone Cliffs of the eastern face of the Theban Mountain as if Nature herself had built this Extraordinary monument.

Karnak temple

<u>Karnak</u> is more than A temple, is a spectacular Complex of Sanctuaries, Kiosks, Pylons, and Obelisks, All dedicated to the Theban gods and to the Greater Glory of Egypt's Pharaohs, <u>Karnak</u>

\_\_was the Most Important place for the worship of the Theban Triad(Amun, Mut, and Khonso)

Disembarkation fly to Cairo

8th Day: Day 8 - Old Cairo



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Pick Up time from your hotel in Cairo or Giza at 08:00 am with your Egyptologist tour guide, Enjoy a fantastic orientation tour of Cairo on an 8-hour excursion that takes in the major monuments of Old Cairo and the maze of streets and stalls of the historic Khan El Khalili Bazaar. Following a hotel pick-up from Cairo or Giza, you will drive up to the Saladin Citadel, constructed by Salah al-Din on the Moqattam Hills in 1183 AD as a defense against Crusader armies. Known for its fresh air and sweeping views of Cairo, it is now a preserved historic site of mosques and museums, including the Mosque of Muhammad Ali Pasha



Designed by the Turkish architect Yousif Boushnaq, who came to Cairo especially from Istanbul to build the great building, the mosque's alabaster structure stands in beautiful contrast to the sandstone city.

Lunch will be served in Local restaurant in Old Cairo

Then, visit Old Cairo to see major attractions such as the Hanging Church, the Ben Ezra Synagogue, the Church of St. Barbara, and the Church of Abu Serga, one of the oldest Coptic churches in Cairo

Continue to the Khan el-Khalili Bazaar, one of the oldest bazaars in the Middle East. Discover a maze of alleys that have been at the center of Cairo's trading activities since the 14th century. Overnight in Cairo.

9th Day: Day 9 Departure

Pick up from Your hotel in Cairo and Fly to Cairo for the international flight If you wish to extend your stay in Egypt, please contact us.





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