10 Days Egypt Itinerary Cairo and Nile Cruise

Туре	Run	Duration	Pick up
Private	Any day	10 days	Any time

Book now 10 Days Egypt Itinerary Cairo and Nile Cruise, Include 5 nights in Cairo,4 nights Nile Cruise,1 Night in Luxor Visit Pyramids of Giza and The Egyptian Museum then travel to Luxor and enjoy 4 nights Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan.

Inclusions: **Exclusions:** Meet & assist at Cairo International flights to Egypt International Airport + transfer to Entrance fees inside any of the hotel by air-conditioned vehicle pyramids or inside the mummy • 03 nights accommodation in Cairo room at the Egyptian Museum. including breakfast & all taxes Any other optional tours if 3-Days tour in Cairo as mentioned required. in the program Tip. Flight Tickets -Cairo-Aswan-luxor-Cairo Lunch at a local restaurant in Cairo 03 nights accommodation at 5 stars Nile Cruise on full board • 02 nights at Steigenbeger Nile Palace All sightseeing tours on board your Nile cruise including: • 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 • The prices are per person and in us dollars English speaking guide All service charges and taxes · Assist & transfer to Cairo



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International airport on final departure.

Itinerary:

Book now your 10 Days Egypt Itinerary Cairo and Nile Cruise, Includes 4 nights in Cairo,4-nights -Nile Cruise, Visit Pyramids of Giza and the <u>Egyptian Museum</u> then travel to Aswan enjoy your 5 stars Nile Cruise Tours, from Aswan to Luxor explore the magical sites between Aswan and Luxor, then travel to Cairo, Visit the Pyramids of Giza, Alexandria and old Cairo.

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Days Table

First Day: Days 1 Arrival to Cairo

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-Steigenberger Pyramids Cairo

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



Second Day: Days 2- Tour to Giza Pyramids and the Egyptian museum

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

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



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 tour guide to take the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization and you pay for this. It will cost 30 \$ Extra per person

The New Grand museum is not open yet. It will be open soon may open by end of 2022





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

.Overnight in Cairo

Third Day: Days 3-the valley of the kings

You will be picked up from your hotel by Marsa Alam tour guide to enjoy Cairo Day Tour to Memphis Sakkara and Dahshur Pyramids. You will start with the Step Pyramid at Sakkara, which is considered the world's oldest major stone structure. It was built in the 3rd Dynasty for King Djoser. Then Proceed to have your lunch at a local restaurant. After that transfer to Memphis which was founded by King Menes, and was the capital of Egypt during the Old Kingdom, it was considered to be a center of rule and culture for over 3000 years the first capital of Egypt, and see the Statue of Ramses II and the Alabaster Sphinx of Memphis. Then drive to Dahshur, Two of the later pyramids constructed here have been completely destroyed by time, and the elements and several others, such as the Black Pyramid (12th Dynasty, 1929-1885 BC), are badly damaged, but Dahshur also boasts two of Egypt's bestpreserved early pyramids. Both built during the reign of King Sneferu (2613-2589 BC), the founder of the 4th Dynasty, the Bent Pyramid, and the Red Pyramid at Dahshur are massive evidence of the architectural development that lead to the construction of the Great Pyramid and it companions at Giza. Then drive to your hotel.



Optional Tours & Extra tickets

Entrance fees to the tomb of Meresankh III (10 \$ per person)

Entrance fees to the Serapeum (15 \$ per person)

Entrance fees to the burial chamber of the Step Pyramid (10 \$ per person)

Entrance fees to the tomb of Ptah Hotep (10\$ per person)

Entrance fees to the tomb of Mereruka (10 \$ per person))

4Th Day: Days 4- Cairo-Aswan-Nile Cruise

Pick up from Giza Hotel to Cairo airport for a short flight to Aswan from Cairo An Early flight from Cairo to Aswan

Embarkation& Lunch on board 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

at 16:00 sailing trip with Felucca around Elphinatine island and Visit Lord Kitchener island- Then visit 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 onboard the Cruise

Kom Ombo temple:



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21:00 arrive Aswan and overnight on board the Cruise

Cruise: MS Amwaj Living Stone Nile Cruise

5th Day: Days 5- Abu simble-sail to kom ombo

Breakfast & Lunch on board the cruise.

Early Visit to Abu Simbel from Aswan

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 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

The temple of Kom Ombo:

The temple and the associated settlement site 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 period(332 B.b -395 A.c)

Sail to Edfu-Overnight in Edfu

Dinner & overnight onboard the Cruise Galabyia Party.

6th Day: Days 6- Edfu and sail to Luxor temple

Breakfast on the board on the Nile cruise, Breakfast on the Nile Cruise, Visit the Edfu around 08:00 by horse carriage

Edfu temple:





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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



You will be back around 10:00

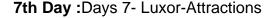
Lunch on the Cruise
At 10:30 Sail to Luxor through Esna lock

Arrive <u>Luxor</u> at 18:00 Visit <u>Luxor</u> temple.

<u>Luxor</u> 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

Optional trip to the sound Light Karnak temple - 40 \$ P.P



Optional trip Balloon ride over the valley of the Kings 80 \$ per person

Breakfast on the board on the Nile cruise, Breakfast on the Nile Cruise, Visit the west bank of <u>Luxor</u> and <u>Karnak</u>

The Valley of the Kings:

Once called the great Place of the Truth, this valley 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



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





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The Queen <u>Hatshepsut</u> temple:

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

Karnak :

<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)

Lunch during the trip- Fly to Cairo- transfer to the hotel in Cairo-Overnight in Cairo

8th Day: Days 8-Alexandria trip from Cairo

Pick up from Hotel in Luxor and Depart to Dendera

An Early pick up from your hotel in <u>Luxor</u> and Drive to <u>Dendera</u> temple, The Distance is 60 K.m and it takes 1 Hour driving, We will take <u>Luxor</u>-Qena Agricultural road, Get Great Experience about life in Egyptian upper Egypt villages

rrival to Qena, Qena is a very beautiful City and Cross the Nile to the west bank to Visit <u>Dendera temple</u>

Dendera temple

The Temple of Hathor was largely constructed during the Late Ptolemaic period, specifically during the reign of Ptolemy XII and Cleopatra VII. Later additions were made during the Roman period. Although built by a dynasty of rulers who were not native Egyptians themselves, the design of this temple has been found to be in accordance to that of other classical Egyptian temples, with the exception of the front of the hypostyle hall, which, according to an inscription above the entrance, was constructed by the Emperor Tiberius.

Apart from these, there are also scenes in the temple complex portraying the Ptolemaic rulers. For example, carved onto the external face of one of the temple walls is a huge relief of Cleopatra VII and her son by Julius Caesar and co-ruler, Ptolemy XV (better known as Caesarion). The two Ptolemaic rulers are





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shown dressed in Egyptian garb, and offering sacrifices.

Hathor was also regarded as a goddess of healing, and this is evident in the presence of a sanatorium in the temple complex. Here, pilgrims would come to be cured by the goddess. Sacred water (which was made holy by having it poured onto statues inscribed with sacred texts) was used for bathing, unguents were dispensed by the priests of Hathor, and sleeping quarters were provided for those hoping that the goddess would appear in their dreams, and so aid them.

overnight in the Hotel-Steigenberger Nile Palace

9th Day: Days 9-old Cairo

Pick up from Hotel in luxor to luxor airport ,Fly to Cairo to enjoy 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. 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 a 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 in the Hotel-Steigenberger Pyramids Cairo

10th Day: Days 10-International departure



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You will be transferred to Cairo airport for the international departure. If you wish to extend your stay in Cairo, please contact us.





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