## Cairo and Egypt Luxury Tours Packages

**Price Starting From: \$1150** 

8 days Cairo, Luxor and Aswan Egypt

An unforgettable journey through the enchanting wonders of Cairo and Egypt with our luxurious tour packages. Immerse yourself in the rich history with <u>Egypt tours</u>, vibrant culture, and awe-inspiring landscapes of this extraordinary destination.

Upon your arrival in Cairo, you will be warmly welcomed by our expert Cairo Top Tours tour guide, who will accompany you throughout your journey. Transfer to your luxurious hotel and take some time to relax with the <u>Egypt day tour</u> and prepare for the exciting days ahead.

Our <u>Cairo day tour</u> and <u>Egypt luxury tour</u> offer a perfect blend of history, culture, and luxury, ensuring an unparalleled experience of Egypt's wonders. From the iconic pyramids to the tranquil Nile River with <u>Egypt tour packages</u>, immerse yourself in the captivating beauty of this ancient land.

# Overview Inclusion

- Upon your arrival at Cairo, Luxor, and Aswan airports, our professional Cairo Top Tours representatives.
- Enjoy three nights of luxury at the hotel in Cairo. Experience the utmost comfort and elegance during your stay. On the Nile cruise, you will be accommodated on the cruise for four nights, indulging on a full-board basis.
- We will take care of your domestic flights from Cairo to Luxor and from Aswan back to Cairo, ensuring convenience and a seamless travel experience.
- All entrance tickets to archaeological sites listed on the Egypt and Nile Cruise Luxury Tour itinerary will be provided.
- Enjoy delicious lunches at oriental restaurants during your Cairo tours, providing you with an opportunity to savor authentic Egyptian cuisine and immerse yourself in the local flavors and culinary traditions.
- Private Transfers.
- Exclusive private excursions.
- Enjoy meals at hotels, local restaurants, and on the Nile cruise as indicated in the itinerary, ensuring a delightful culinary experience throughout your journey.
- Shopping Tours.

#### **Exclusion**

- Air Tickets.
- Visa.
- Any Optional Excursions in Cairo, Luxor, or Aswan
- Drinks at Meal Times.

#### **Itinerary**

### Day 1: Arrival in Cairo

Enjoy a fun classic tour of Egypt before embarking on your luxurious trip. Our agents will help you at <u>Cairo International Airport</u> and walk you through the process until your luggage is delivered. After that, you'll be driven to your Cairo hotel. Verify your check-in time, please. We'll assist you with hotel check-in and give you a morning tour of Cairo.

# Day 2 : Giza Pyramids - the Egyptian Museum - Coptic Cairo tour

The hotel's main restaurant will serve you a delicious breakfast before you meet your tour guide, who will take you on your first tour of Cairo, to see the Giza Pyramids.

Our tour guide and private driver will then take you to enjoy a visit to the <u>Egyptian Museum</u>, which includes the largest and most precious collection of Egyptian artifacts in the world, especially the royal treasure that was found intact, the collection of the Golden Pharaoh Tutankhamen.

The journey then goes on to Coptic Cairo, where guests can see the old Roman castle of Babylon, the Hanging Church—built suspended from its historic towers in a prime location—and the church of St. Sergius, which is also well-known for its exquisite beauty. Sergius is sometimes referred to as the Holy Family Church or the Church of the Cave. You continue your tour of Coptic Cairo until we arrive at the Ben Ezra Synagogue, which is thought to be the location of the palace where the pharaoh's daughter removed Moses' box from the Nile.

After lunch, you will be taken to the area of Islamic Cairo to see the walls and gates of the medieval city founded by the Fatimid leader Badr Al Gamali and the old, narrow streets of colorful stores dating back to the 10th century. You'll go all the way to have mint tea in Al-Fishawy (one of the oldest coffee shops in Khan El Khalili Bazaar) during your travels to Islamic Cairo.

Meals: breakfast, lunch

## **Day 3: Luxor East Bank Tours**

After breakfast and checking out of your hotel in the early morning, you will be transferred to Cairo airport for your flight to Luxor. Upon arrival, our representatives will meet and assist you, as usual, ensuring a smooth transition to your 5-star Egypt Nile cruise. Enjoy a delicious lunch on board before beginning your tour of the Luxor East Bank.

Your first stop will be the magnificent Karnak Temple, the largest man-made religious center in the world. Explore its vast complex and marvel at the grandeur of ancient Egyptian architecture and the intricate hieroglyphic inscriptions. Learn about its historical significance as the center of religious and political power during ancient times.

Next, visit the <u>Luxor Temple</u>, which will be beautifully illuminated at night. Step back in time as you witness the grandeur of this temple and imagine the prosperity and opulence of ancient Egypt. Admire the colossal statues, imposing columns, and detailed carvings that adorn the temple.

After completing the tour of the Luxor East Bank, you will be transferred back to the cruise ship for dinner and a relaxing evening on board as you continue your journey along the Nile.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

### Day 4: West Bank of Luxor - Edfu

Start your day with a delightful buffet breakfast on board the Nile cruise ship. Your Egyptologist guide will accompany you on a tour of Luxor's West Bank, where you'll discover the fascinating treasures of ancient Egypt.

First, marvel at the Colossi of Memnon, two colossal statues of Amenhotep III that stand tall in the desert. Learn about their historical significance and admire their impressive craftsmanship.

Continue to the <u>Valley of the Kings</u>, a remarkable necropolis where more than 62 New Kingdom pharaohs, including Tutankhamun and Ramses II, were laid to rest. Explore the elaborately decorated tombs carved into the mountainside and marvel at the intricate paintings and hieroglyphics that adorn the walls.

Next, visit the Temple of Hatshepsut, also known as El Deir El Bahari. This temple is a testament to the reign of Queen Hatshepsut, the first female ruler in Egyptian history. Admire the unique architecture and learn about the powerful queen who defied convention to leave her mark on ancient Egypt.

After a delightful lunch on board the cruise ship, sail to Edfu, where dinner and entertainment await you on board.

Optional: Luxor Hot Air Balloon Tour

Experience the breathtaking beauty of Luxor from above with an optional hot-air balloon tour. Take to the skies and enjoy panoramic views of the temples, the Nile River, and the surrounding landscape during a magical sunrise flight (additional cost).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

#### Day 5: The Temple of Edfu - Kom Ombo

Start your day with another delicious oriental breakfast in the main restaurant of the Nile Cruise. Afterward, visit the well-preserved <u>Temple of Edfu</u>, dating back to the Ptolemaic era. This magnificent temple is dedicated to the falcon-headed god Horus and provides insights into the religious beliefs and rituals of ancient Egypt.

Next, sail to Kom Ombo, where you will visit the captivating Temple of Kom Ombo. This unique temple is dedicated to two gods: Sobek, the crocodile god, and Horus, the falcon-headed god. Explore the temple's fascinating dual design and discover the ancient Egyptian beliefs associated with these deities.

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the ship as you sail towards Aswan. Take in the beautiful scenery along the Nile and relax on the deck.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

#### Day 6: Aswan Sightseeing Tours

After enjoying your breakfast on the Nile cruise, your guide will accompany you on a tour of Aswan's famous landmarks.

First, visit the High Dam, an impressive engineering marvel and one of the most significant projects in modern Egypt. Learn about its construction and the impact it has had on the country, particularly in terms of controlling the Nile's annual floodwaters and generating hydroelectric power.

Next, embark on a motorboat ride to the island of Philae, where you will explore the magnificent Temple of Philae. Dedicated to the goddess Isis, this temple is beautifully situated on the island and showcases exquisite Egyptian architecture and ancient religious symbolism. Marvel at the intricate carvings and hieroglyphics that adorn the temple.

Afterward, visit the granite quarries in Aswan, where you will encounter the <u>Unfinished Obelisk</u>, the largest known obelisk. Learn about the ancient techniques used to carve these grand structures and the significance of obelisks in ancient Egyptian culture.

Return to the cruise ship and enjoy your dinner on board as you spend the night in Aswan, soaking in the tranquil ambiance of the Nile.

Optional: Abu Simbel Tour

Consider embarking on an optional tour to Abu Simbel, a UNESCO World Heritage site renowned for its impressive temples dedicated to Ramses II and his wife, Nefertari. Marvel at the colossal statues and intricate artwork that adorn these temples (additional cost).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

#### Day 7: Back to Cairo

Enjoy a satisfying breakfast on board the Steigenberger MS Minerva Nile cruise ship. Afterward, disembark the ship and proceed to Aswan Airport for your return flight to Cairo. Upon arrival at Cairo Airport, our representatives will meet and greet you, assisting with the transfer to your hotel. The remainder of the day is yours to spend at your leisure, allowing you to relax or explore Cairo at your own pace.

Overnight at the hotel in Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast.

#### **Day 8: Final Departure**

Start your day with a buffet breakfast at the hotel. You have some free time at leisure to enjoy the amenities of the hotel or take advantage of one of the daily tours available in Cairo to further explore the city's iconic attractions.

Later, you will be transferred to Cairo International Airport for your final departure. Bid farewell to Egypt, carrying with you cherished memories of its ancient wonders and rich cultural heritage.

Meals: Breakfast.