Days off with MS Tuya Nile River Cruise

Price Starting From: \$0

5 Days-4 Nights Luxor, Aswan Egypt

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Embark on a mesmerizing journey through time and beauty aboard the luxurious MS Tuya Nile River Cruise with the <u>Best Nile cruise from South Africa</u> This exceptional tour offers an enchanting escape, immersing you in the wonders of ancient <u>Egypt trips</u> while pampering you with modern comforts and amenities. Experience the Nile River, the lifeblood of Egypt, as it winds its way through some of the world's most iconic and historically rich landscapes.

Join us on this exceptional MS Tuya Nile River Cruise <u>Egypt tours packages</u> and witness the legacy of one of the world's most captivating civilizations unfold before your eyes. Immerse yourself in the grandeur of Egypt's ancient history while enjoying the comforts of a deluxe floating retreat. Book your journey now with <u>Egypt tour packages from South Africa</u> and create lasting memories that will stay with you forever.

Overview Inclusion

• Pick-up and drop-off service from Luxor or Aswan airports, as well as the train station.

Cairo Top Tours Representative will meet and help you upon arrival and departure.

All transportation is provided by a modern AC coach with competent drivers.

Tuya Nile cruise accommodation for four nights Breakfast, lunch, and supper are all included in the full board price.

All of our Egypt tours include a professional English-speaking guide.

All Egypt Nile Cruise Tours are included in our schedule.

All of our Egypt Travel Packages include complimentary bottled mineral water.

During Egypt Day Tours, a soft drink in a local cafe. (If there is time)

All locations require admission fees while on your Tuya Nile cruise.

Edfu temple was transported by horse carriage.

A motorboat was used as a ferry to the Philae temple.

- Excursions in Luxor and Aswan Sightseeing Tours include shopping tours. (as requested)
- All taxes and service fees are included.
- WIFI is only available in the reception area.

Exclusion

- Flights to other countries are not included.
- Gratuities for (drivers, guides, and ship employees) are examples of personal stuff.
- Beverages are not included.
- Any extra Egypt Day Tours that are not specified in the itinerary.

Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Luxor - Visit Luxor

Our Cairo Top Tours agent will meet you at the Luxor Airport or train station with a placard bearing your name to begin your Egypt Day trips Begin your Tuya Nile River Cruise and then drive a private airconditioned vehicle to the two massive temples on the Nile's eastern side.

The first is the <u>Karnak Temple</u> Complex, which is made up of many destroyed temples and other monuments. The complex's construction began during Senusret I's reign in the Middle Kingdom and lasted until the Ptolemaic period. It is a massive open-air museum and the world's second-largest ancient religious site. It is primarily used to honor the Theban triad (the gods <u>Amun Re</u>, Mut, and their son Khunso).

The <u>Luxor Temple</u> is the Second Temple. It is thought that one of the ancient Egyptian festivals was celebrated inside the temple, as there are many pictures on the walls depicting the festival's celebration. The inner half was built by King Amenhotep III, while the outer half was completed by <u>King Ramses II</u>. Both King Thutmose III and Alexander the Great built chapels behind the temple. Following that, you will board the Nile River Cruise (M/S Tuya) for lunch, a folkloric show, dinner, and overnight on board at Luxor.

Lunch and dinner are served.

Day 2: Luxor West bank

Start your Luxor day tours after breakfast aboard your Egypt Nile River Cruise, as you will be picked up for a tour of the archaeological sites of ancient Egypt on the <u>Luxor West Bank Tours</u>, including (the <u>Valley of the Kings</u>, where you will see the well-preserved tombs of the new kingdom's kings, including the great ruler Ramses II and the child <u>Tutankhamen</u>, and the mortuary temple of Queen Hatshepsut, It has three levels connected by ramps and various scenes showing the heavenly birth of the Queen and her Commercial journey to Punt Land on its walls. The temple is primarily dedicated to worshiping the supreme <u>god Amon-Ra</u>, as well as the two Colossi of Memnon (two gigantic sculptures of <u>King Amenhotep III</u> in a seated position). Then it's back to the floating hotel for lunch and a folklore performance before sailing to Edfu and spending the night on board.

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

Day 3: Edfu & Kom Ombo Temples

Breakfast is served upon arrival at <u>Edfu</u> Then you'll go see Egypt's most complete and well-preserved temple, flanked by magnificent granite statues of the falcon god Horus. The Ptolemaic temple was devoted to "<u>Horus</u>", the falcon god. The reliefs that decorate the temple's walls, columns, and doorways are a vital source of information about ancient Egyptian religious and political philosophy. The most interesting of these reliefs depict Horus getting his revenge on Seth for the murder of his father, <u>Osiris</u>, an incident that was re-enacted every year in the temple. Other reliefs describe the stages of the temple's construction and provide completion dates for various building parts. After finishing our visit to Edfu Temple, we returned to the boat and sailed to <u>Kom-Ombo temple</u> while eating lunch. When you get to the location, you will travel to see the

extraordinary double-built temple devoted to the Falcon god "Haroeris" (the southern portion) and the Crocodile god "Sobek" (the northern section). It was constructed during the Ptolemaic era. The picture on the inner face of the temple's back wall is very interesting, as it most likely depicts a set of surgical instruments. We're returning to the boat, having dinner, and then sailing to Aswan overnight.

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

Day 4: Abu Simbel Tour (Optional) / Felucca Ride

Optional: In the early morning, you will drive to <u>Abu Simbel temples</u> (about 3 hours) to see the most famous temples (The Great and Small Temples) of King Ramses II and his wife <u>Queen Nefertari</u> The most impressive characteristic of this temple is its location in solid rock above the Nile River. The complex is part of the UNESCO World Heritage Site known as the "Nubian Monuments," which extends downriver from Abu Simbel to Philae temple (near Aswan). The ancient Egyptian architects are said to have positioned the temple's axis so, the sun's rays would penetrate the sanctuary and illuminate the sculptures on the back wall, except for the statue of Ptah, the god associated with the Underworld, who remained in the dark. These are the king's birthday and coronation day, according to legend.

then returning to Aswan in the afternoon Following that, you will take a felucca ride around the islands of Aswan, including (Kitchener's Botanical Garden, where you will see various beautiful types of subtropical, exotic, and rare plantings, and Elephantine Island, which is the largest island in the Aswan area. Elephantine is Greek for elephant, and it is believed that the island received its name because it was a major ivory trading center. On the island, various monuments have been found, including the ruins of a temple devoted to the ram god Khnum, also known as the "God of Water." Elephantine was regarded as a cult center for the god Khnum before returning to the voyage to spend the night onboard.

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

Day 5: Aswan Sightseeing - Disembarkation

After breakfast, you will disembark. Transfer to the Aswan High Dam, widely regarded as one of Egypt's most significant achievements of the twentieth century. It includes 18 times the material used for Cheops' Great Pyramid, provides Egypt with water and energy and protects the country from the Nile's devastating floods. Then you'll go to Philae Temple to witness the Isis Temple, which was built during the time of Ptolemy II and completed by Roman emperors. It was also devoted to Isis, who was revered as the mother of all gods. She is Horus's mother and Osiris's companion.

In the afternoon, transfer to Aswan Airport to take a flight back to Cairo.

Breakfast is the meal of the day.