

BREEZES OF THE NILE



13 Days FROM **\$4,340**

(3) Cairo • (7) Nile River Cruise • (2) Cairo



HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the grandeur of Cairo, Alexandria, Luxor, and the Nile by land and river
- Delve into Old Cairo, see the world's largest collection of Pharaonic artifacts at the Grand Egyptian Museum
- Journey to mystical Alexandria guided by a certified Egyptologist on a full day excursion
- Explore the Colossi of Memnon, the Valley of the Queens, and the Valley of the Kings, famed for its tombs and royal burial chambers adorned with hieroglyphic writings
- Board your luxury vessel in Luxor for a leisurely sailing along the glorious Nile and explore astounding antiquities in Esna, Edfu, Kom Ombo, and Aswan
- Marvel at the Great Pyramids of Giza, the Sphinx



DAY 1 – ARRIVE CAIRO Arrive in the Land of the Pharaohs. Upon completion of immigration and customs formalities at Cairo International Airport, you will be met at the exit by our representative and escorted to your hotel.

DAY 2 – CAIRO - FULL DAY CAIRO PYRAMIDS & GEM MUSEUM WITH LUNCH Enjoy breakfast at the hotel before heading out for a full-day tour exploring Cairo's most iconic sites. Visit the Giza Plateau, home to the Great Pyramids of Khufu, Khafre, and Menkaure, as well as the enigmatic Sphinx. Continue to the Grand Egyptian Museum, where an extensive collection of ancient treasures awaits. Lunch is included at a local restaurant during your touring. Return to your hotel for an evening at leisure. (B,L)

DAY 3 – CAIRO / ALEXANDRIA / CAIRO - FULL DAY ALEXANDRIA EXCURSION WITH LUNCH Start your excursion to Alexandria by air-conditioned vehicle with an English-speaking Egyptologist as your guide. Visit the Catacombs of Kom-Alshukafa, the largest Roman Cemetery in Alexandria which is dated back to the second century. Discover Pompey's Pillar the most prominent remaining Greek landmark in Alexandria, then proceed to Visit the Roman Amphitheater, the center piece of the Kom al Dikka archaeological site. After lunch, visit Alexandria Library (The Biblioteca Alexandrina), the largest library in the world now with 8 million books, then you will enjoy your drive along the Cornish to see the whole city passing over the Bridge of Stanley landmark of modern Alexandria on your way to Quitbay fortress, built over the ruins of the ancient light house of Alexandria. Later in the evening, transfer back to Cairo. (B, L)

DAY 4 – CAIRO / LUXOR After breakfast, transfer to Cairo International Airport for your flight to Luxor. Upon arrival, transfer to your cruise ship. Accommodation on board consists of outside cabins with private facilities. Overnight onboard. (B,L,D)

DAY 5 – LUXOR / ESNA Have breakfast on board your Nile River vessel and then depart for an early morning visit to the West Bank where you will discover the Colossi of Memnon; the Valley of the Queens and the Valley of the Kings, burial sites for many of the most powerful and successful pharaohs and high priests; the Temple of Hatshepsut; and Medinet Habu Temple. Return for lunch on board as the ship sets sail to Esna. Overnight onboard. (B,L,D)

DAY 6 – ESNA / EDFU / KOM OMBO Continue the journey south for a brief stop at Edfu before sailing to Kom Ombo for a visit to the temple. This temple, unlike many others in Egypt, was dedicated to two gods; the Southern section is dedicated to Sobek, the crocodile headed man known as the god of fertility, and the Northern section to the falcon-headed god Horus. There is also a fascinating crocodile museum to visit with many artifacts and mummified crocodiles. Overnight onboard. (B,L,D)

DAY 7 – KOM OMBO / ASWAN Sail to Aswan and enjoy breakfast on board followed by a visit to the world-famous High Dam in Aswan, built in 1960-1971 to provide electricity to the villages along the Nile; see the Unfinished Obelisk, and explore the Temple of Isis on Philae Island. Lunch is on board followed by an afternoon at leisure with an opportunity to revisit the Temple of Philae for an optional sound and light show in the evening (extra cost). Overnight onboard. (B,L,D)

DAY 8 – ASWAN Early in the morning, transfer to Aswan Airport for your flight to Abu Simbel. Visit the Great Temple of Ramses II and the temple of his beloved Queen Nefertari. After visiting this magnificent site, you will be transferred to the airport for your flight back to Aswan. Upon arrival in Aswan, you will be transferred back to your ship. Have lunch onboard, followed by sailing along the Nile by felucca around Kitchener's Island and Agha Khan Mausoleum. Overnight onboard. (B,L,D)

DAY 9 – ASWAN / EDFU Sail to Edfu where you will visit to the Temple of Horus, the falcon god. Dating from 237 B.C., it is considered the best-preserved temple in Egypt and the second largest after the Temple of Karnak. Overnight onboard overnight. (B,L,D)

DAY 10 – EDFU / ESNA / LUXOR Enjoy breakfast on board as you sail to pass through the Esna Lock and continue sailing towards Luxor. After lunch, head out for a visit to the “world’s largest greatest open-air museum” at the Karnak Temple complex, covering a large area of land and featuring several temples, including the impressive Temple of Amun. Enjoy one last visit to Luxor Temple then return to the ship. Overnight onboard (B,L,D)

DAY 11 – LUXOR / CAIRO Disembark and transfer to the airport for scheduled flight to Cairo. Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. (B)

DAY 12 – FULL DAY EGYPTIAN CIVILIZATION MUSEUM, CITADEL & KHAN EL KHALILI WITH LUNCH After enjoying your breakfast, you will visit the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization, home to a rich and diverse collection that spans Egypt's history from prehistoric times through the modern era. Don't miss the Royal Mummies Hall, where several of Egypt's most famous ancient rulers are on display. Next, it's on to the Saladin Citadel of Cairo, a medieval fortification located on Mokattam where you can take in fresh air and sweeping views of the city. Today, it is a preserved historic site featuring mosques and museums. Then you'll have lunch at a local restaurant and continue your exploration with a visit to Khan El Khalili bazaar. (B, L)

DAY 13 – DEPART CAIRO After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departure flight. (B)

The itinerary may change in sequence but not in visits.

Meals as per itinerary (B= Breakfast, L= Lunch and D= Dinner)

INCLUDED FEATURES

- Meet and greet service upon arrival in Cairo.
- 5 nights' accommodation in Cairo at the hotel of your choice on bed & breakfast basis
- 7 nights' accommodation on board Nile Cruise of your choice on full board basis
- 29 included meals consisting of (12 buffet breakfasts, 10 lunches and 7 dinners)
- English-speaking licensed Egyptologist during the sightseeing
- Full Day Cairo city tour including lunch while touring in a local restaurant.
- Full Day Pyramids, GEM Museum including lunch while touring in a local restaurant.
- Full Day Alexandria excursion including lunch while touring in a local restaurant.
- Nile cruise sightseeing:
 - West Bank: Kings, Hatshepsut & the Colossi of Memnon
 - Kom Ombo Temple
 - The High Dam, Obelisk & Philae Temple
 - Felucca ride around Kitchener Islands
 - Edfu Temple
 - Karnak & Luxor Temples
- Excursion Abu Simbel by plane from Aswan (Including domestic flights ASW/ABS/ASW)
- All transfers and luggage handling
- All hotel taxes and service charge
- Domestic flights (Cairo/Luxor/Cairo) ***Added value**

PREFERRED HOTELS (OR SIMILAR)

City	Nts.	Hotels	Cat.
<i>Tour starts in Cairo on Friday</i>			
Cairo	3	Ramses Hilton	First Class
Cruise	7	M/S Monaco	First Class
Cairo	2	Ramses Hilton	First Class
<i>Tour starts in Cairo on Wednesday</i>			
Cairo	3	Sofitel Downtown Nile	Deluxe
Cruise	7	H/S Nebu	Deluxe
Cairo	2	Sofitel Downtown Nile	Deluxe

EXCLUSIONS

- Visa fees
- International air
- Tips and gratuities
- Any beverages & alcohol on-board
- Any item not mentioned as included

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Single and triple rooms: On Request
- Single supplement: On Request
- Price is per person based on double occupancy
- Rates for additional nights in first and last city are available

Temple of Kom Ombo on the River Nile





2026 TOUR DATES & PRICES

First Class (Tour starts in Cairo on Wednesday)

Tour's Start	Tour's End	Price
JAN 07, 14, 21, 28	JAN 19, 26, FEB 2, 9	\$4,775
FEB 04,	FEB 16	\$4,775
FEB 11, 18, 25	FEB 22, MAR 3, 9	\$4,735
MAR 04,	MAR 16	\$4,685
MAR 11,	MAR 23	\$4,735
MAR 18, 25	MAR 30, APR 6	\$4,750
APR 01	APR 13	\$4,350
APR 08, 15	APR 20, 27	\$4,775
APR 22	MAY 4	\$4,740
APR 29	MAY 11	\$4,475
MAY 06, 13, 20, 27	MAY 18, 25, JUN 1, 8	\$4,450
JUN 03, 10, 17, 24	JUN 15, 22, 29, JUL 6	\$4,450
JUL 01, 08, 15, 22, 29	JUL 13, 20, 27, AUG 3, 10	\$4,450
AUG 05, 12, 19, 26	AUG 17, 24, 31 SEP 7	\$4,450
SEP 02, 09, 16	SEP 14, 21, 28	\$4,450
SEP 23	Oct 5	\$5,050
SEP 30	OCT 12	\$5,050
OCT 07, 14, 21, 28	OCT 19, 26, NOV 2	\$5,150
NOV 04, 11, 18, 25	NOV 16, 23, 30 DEC 7	\$5,150
DEC 02, 09	DEC 14, 21	\$5,150
DEC 16	DEC 28	\$5,350
DEC 23, 30	Jan 4,11	\$5,400

Deluxe Class (Tour starts in Cairo on Wednesday)

Tour's Start	Tour's End	Price
JAN 07, 14, 21, 28	JAN 19, 26, FEB 2, 9	\$6,990
FEB 04, 11, 18, 25	FEB 16, 22, MAR 3, 9	\$6,990
MAR 04, 11, 18, 25	MAR 16, 23, 30, APR 6	\$6,990
APR 01, 08, 15	APR 13	\$8,350
APR 22	APR 20, 27	\$6,990
APR 29	MAY 4	\$6,890
MAY 06, 13, 20, 27	MAY 11	\$6,850
MAY 18, 25, JUN 1, 8	MAY 18, 25, JUN 1, 8	\$5,960
JUN 03, 10, 17, 24	JUN 15, 22, 29, JUL 6	\$5,960
JUL 01, 08, 15, 22, 29	JUL 13, 20, 27, AUG 3, 10	\$5,960
AUG 05, 12, 19, 26	AUG 17, 24, 31 SEP 7	\$5,960
SEP 02, 09	SEP 14, 21	\$5,960
SEP 16	SEP 28	\$6,060
SEP 23, 30	OCT 5,12	\$7,250
OCT 07, 14, 21, 28	OCT 19, 26, NOV 2	\$7,250
NOV 04, 11, 18, 25	NOV 16, 23, 30 DEC 7	\$7,250
DEC 02, 09	DEC 14, 21	\$7,250
DEC 16	DEC 28	\$8,860
DEC 23	Jan 4	\$9,150
DEC 30	Jan 11	\$7,500