

Explore the Nile Valley

05 Days / 04 Nights

Small Group Tour | Run every Saturday, Monday or Thursday
Nile Cruise | Cultural & Historical | Adventure



Introduction:

TOUR SUMMARY

Try this unforgettable trip to Egypt and enjoy a four-night cruise from Luxor to Aswan. The Nile Cruise enables you to see the beaten tracks and the hidden sites that can't be visited easily by road. The classical Nile Cruise itinerary shall cover visits to the these sites; the High Dam, Philae Temple, the Unfinished Obelisk and a felucca tour in Aswan, Temple of Kom Ombo, Temple of Horus in Edfu, the Karnak Temples Complex, the Temple of Luxor, the Valley of the Kings, Temple of queen Hatshepsut at Deir El-Bahari and Colossi of Memnon.

In addition to the classical tours in Luxor and Aswan, many optional tours can be offered in both cities like a Hot Air Balloon adventure, a felucca tour in Luxor or a sound & light show at Karnak Temples in Luxor. However, in Aswan, you can try such a very nice walking tour to the local market, where they can shop many kinds of herbs and spices, attend the sound & light Show at Philae Temple or enjoy a special bird-watching tour at the Nubian Village to find out a great place called, Nubia, where the paradise is represented on earth.

Looking forward to welcoming you soon!

Sincerely,
Vantage Travels Team

Detailed Itinerary:

DAY BY DAY PROGRAM

Day 01: East Bank of Luxor

Upon arrival to Luxor airport, you'll be met by our representative, who will help & assist you in all formalities at the airport. Later on, he will transfer you by private Air-conditioned vehicle to your Nile Cruise ship. Check-in before Lunch. Afternoon, you will visit **Temple of Karnak**, almost all the impressive items of the Karnak we see today date back to the new kingdom specially the huge amazing columns of the hypostyle hall, which are constructed by the famous king, Ramses II. We will then visit **Luxor Temple**, which was established around the 14th century BC and the construction continued for many years afterwards by Ramses II, Queen Hatshepsut, and others kings. After the tour, we will get back to our ship for overnight. [Lunch & Dinner]

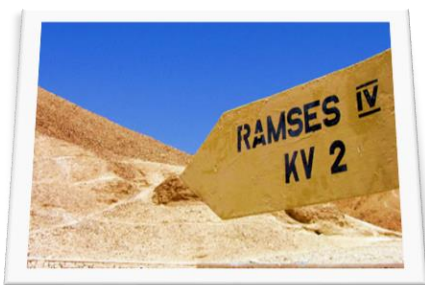


What's included?

- Guiding by our Professional, Egyptologist Tour Guide.
- Transportation by Air-conditioned vehicles with qualified driver.
- Entrance fees to the indicated tourist sites.

Day 02: West Bank of Luxor

Morning time is FREE at leisure, as we can offer you a Hot Air Balloon over the west bank of Luxor. One of the marvelous "Adventure Tours" in Luxor as it gives you a marvelous chance to see Luxor from the sky! After breakfast, we will visit **Valley of the Kings**, the richest and most fascinating ancient tombs in Egypt. This was the burial site of the kings from the New Kingdom. Our next visit will be to **Temple of Deir El Bahari**, constructed during the reign of the 18th dynasty by Queen Hatshepsut. On our way back to the cruise, we will stop to see the marvelous **Colossi of Memnon**, the only remaining items of the great funerary temple of king Amenhotep III. Finally, we will get back to our ship for overnight. [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]



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Day 03: Temple of Edfu & Kom Ombo

Energizing breakfast will be served on board before our full day tour. Our Nile Cruise ship will land at the location of the city of Edfu, where we will visit the **Temple of Horus**, constructed by the Ptolemies in the 3rd century BC for the worship of the god Horus, the avenger of his father. After that, we will get back to our Nile Cruiser for lunch, rest and refresh. We will then proceed to visit the **Temple of Kom Ombo**, established in the Ptolemaic period and completed in the Roman era. Finally, you will be transferred back to your Nile cruise ship for rest and refresh. Evening time, Egyptian folklore show on board. [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]



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Day 04: Aswan Classic Tour

Breakfast meal will be served on board. After that, you will prepare yourself to join your expert tour guide to explore the wonderful city of Aswan. Our first visit will be to **the High Dam**, which was constructed by the former president, Gamal Abdel Nasser to store the water, and then generate a large volume of the electricity. We will then ride in a motorboat to visit **Temple of Philae**, constructed in the 3rd century BC in the Greco Roman era as the cult center of the goddess Isis. Our last visit will be to **the Unfinished Obelisk**, which was found in the granite quarry in the Southern part of Aswan. After the day tour, we will drive back to our Nile cruiser, so we can enjoy the tasty lunch. Afternoon, we will have a free time, so you can relax on board your cruise ship or sail by a **Felucca Ride around Aswan Islands** & enjoy the view of Agha Khan Mausoleum. The rest of the day is FREE at leisure on your own in Aswan, where we can offer you such a lovely tour to the Nubian Village, a very unique place in the city, you'll deal with its nice and so kind people, enjoy Henna drawings and birdwatching too. Get back to our ship & overnight. [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]



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Day 05: Check Out & Departure

Check out after breakfast. Later on, you'll be met by our local representative in Aswan, who will transfer you by private Air-conditioned vehicle to Aswan Airport / Aswan Train Station / Your hotel in Aswan, where our service will be ended – Hopefully to welcoming you again! [Breakfast]



**End of
The Program Itinerary!**