

# 10 Days Christmas holiday in Cairo, Alexandria, Luxor & Aswan

**Price Starting From: \$1505** 

10 Days Cairo, White Desert, Bahariya Oasis, Aswan, Luxor Egypt

Get ready to experience an unforgettable Christmas holiday in Egypt with our 10-day tour of Cairo, Alexandria, Luxor, and Aswan. You'll have the opportunity to visit some of the most iconic landmarks in Egypt, such as the awe-inspiring Giza Pyramids and the Egyptian Museum, which houses over 120,000 artifacts dating back to prehistoric and early historic times. During the Coptic Cairo tour, you'll explore some of the city's historic churches and monuments, including the Hanging Church.

In addition to exploring Cairo, you'll also have the chance to visit the Roman and Medieval sites of Alexandria City and pay your respects at the El-Alamein World War II Cemetery during El Alamein tours. Then, travel to Luxor and Aswan to discover the main sites of the New Kingdom through our incredible <u>Egypt trips</u> package.

## Overview Inclusion

Meet and assistance services at the airport by <u>Cairo Top Tours</u> agents.

your accommodation in Cairo Pyramids Hotel for 4 nights on a bed & breakfast basis.

Your accommodation for 1 night in Alexandria on a breakfast basis.

Your capacity for 2 nights in Aswan on a breakfast basis.

Your accommodation for 2 nights in Luxor on a breakfast basis.

Domestic flight tickets from Cairo to Luxor and from Aswan to Cairo.

Entry fees to all the historical sites throughout Egypt Christmas Tours.

Stops for snacks upon request.

Lunch at quality restaurants during our Egypt Tours.

All transports from/ to airports and hotels during <u>Egypt Travel Packages</u> by a private nonsmoking airconditioned vehicle.

All sightseeing tours are strictly private.

Bottle of mineral water and soft drinks during your 10 Days Egypt Christmas Package Tour.

A stop to have a soft drink in a local Cafe during <u>Cairo Day Tours</u> if we have time.

An authorized Egyptologist guide will guide you at all the sites.

Shopping tours in Cairo (if requested).

All taxes and service charges are included.

#### **Exclusion**

International flight tickets.

Beverage during meals.

Entry visa to Egypt the country (25 American dollars at the Airport).

Tipping is not included in the prices of your Egypt Xmas Tours 2023.

Tour cost only applies during the peak season of <u>Christmas</u>, and <u>New Year</u> in Egypt.

#### <u>Itinerary</u>

#### Day 1: Arrive Cairo, Egypt

We will be picking you up from the <u>Cairo International Airport</u> and taking you to your accommodation in Cairo. We will help you to check in and make sure everything goes smoothly. You'll also have the opportunity to revise your 10 Days Egypt amazing Christmas Package Tour.

Overnight in Cairo, hotel Welcome Drink.

#### **Day 2: Pyramids and Cairo Tours**

Your tour guide will meet you at your hotel, after having your breakfast to start your <u>Egypt luxury</u> <u>tours</u>, you will get to see the unique sites in Egypt, like The Giza Pyramids, see the Great Pyramid of <u>Cheops</u>, the biggest of the three pyramids and which is also known as The pyramid of Kufu, the middle pyramid of King <u>Chephren</u> which is also called (The second Pyramid) too and the smallest pyramid and the third one which was built for the King <u>Mecerinus</u> to serve as a tomb and took 20 years to be built.

Tour the area of Giza Necropolis which includes the three pyramids along with the sphinx and the other pyramids complexes, and explore the <u>Sphinx of Giza</u>, which symbolizes power and wisdom, with the head of a man and it is said that the head looks like the king Chephren. You will have enough time to ride a camel if you request so and take photos to remember these unforgettable <u>Cairoday tours</u>. Afterward, you will visit the <u>Egyptian Museum</u> which is in the heart of the city that displays a collection of unique artifacts, more than 120,000 of the daily life tools and accessories used by ancient Egyptians, in addition to huge coffins, huge statues, and King Tutankhamun golden collection

who was the youngest pharaoh. After having lunch in a local restaurant you will continue your trip to visit <u>Coptic Cairo</u>. which includes 6 old churches, and the <u>Hanging Church</u> of the Holy Virgin Mary which is one of the oldest churches which is at the heart of old Cairo. And the Abu Serga Church is an ancient church in Egypt that probably dates back to the 4th century, also you will visit the ancient Jewish <u>Synagogue of Ben Ezra</u> which was originally a Christian church. After you are done with your tour you will be transferred to your hotel overnight.

Overnight in Cairo hotel. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **Day 3: Alexandria Trip**

Take your delicious breakfast then meet up with your Egyptologist guide to start your Alexandria day tours from Cairo, which is the second capital of Egypt, resides in it the famous Citadel of Qaitbay, the Medieval fortification which dates back to the 15th Century and originally created as a fortress to defend Alexandria. Alexandria the second largest city in Egypt was built by Alexander in 331 B.C. who was one of the great rulers in ancient Egypt.

The citadel is not the only Islamic monument in Egypt, but you can find many historical Islamic buildings in Cairo which are usually visited during islamic Cairo trips. You will visit the Roman Catacombs of Kom El-Shoqafa which is believed that it was started in the 2nd century A.D, Pompey's Pillar which was built around 300 AD for the Roman emperor Diocletian and Roman ruins at the site, and the Alexandria Bibliotheca which is an important library in Alexandria and serves as a cultural center. You will have lunch and an overnight in the Alexandria hotel. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### Day 4: Alamein World War II Cemetery and Military Museum

After having breakfast you will visit El-Alamein Common wealth Cemetery which contains many cemeteries and memorials to commemorate the victims of the battle from different nationalities, there is also a church, a mosque, and a small museum, as well as the German exaltation and the Italian cemetery, also the Military Museum which consists of five halls, the main lobby on its sides murals that tell the stories of war and carved images of the leaders of the warring enemies. Then you will go and visit the Italian, the German, and the Australian Cemeteries, at the end of your Alamein tour from Cairo, you will be driven back to Cairo. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **Day 5: Fly to Luxor - East Bank Tours**

Your English-speaking tour leader will transfer you to Cairo International Airport after first having your breakfast in order to catch your flight to Luxor, (Thebes) which was the capital of Egypt during the New Kingdom and is considered the biggest open-air museum. you will start your <u>Luxor Day Tours</u> to visit <u>Luxor Temple</u>, which was dedicated to the worshipping of the god "Amun" and his wife" Mut" and their son "Khonsu", in the form of the god Min, the fertility god. Explore the <u>Karnak Temple</u> complex built by King Amenhotep IV and was known as Ipet Isu or the most select of places. At the end of the day, you will be escorted back to your hotel in Luxor for check-in and overnight. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **Day 6: Luxor West Bank Tours**

You will start the 6th day of your trip on Luxor West bank and trying Egypt Nile cruise tours by visiting the Valley of the Kings which has about 63 royal tombs, after having breakfast where kings and pharaohs of the New Kingdom rest in Peace, then go to visit the Temple of Ramses III at Medinet Habu that was built by Ramses II in the 13th century BC in the ancient Egyptian capital Abydos, to be his house million years in which he worshiped and held religious rituals after his death, and it was believed that this is where God Amun first appeared. You will end your 6th-day tour by visiting the Colossal Statue of Amenhotep III which is known as Colossi Memnon, the gigantic statue of the King rising about 18 meters high. Then you will be transferred back to your hotel in Luxor. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **Day 7: Kom Ombo and Edfu Temples**

Check out after having breakfast to start your visit to the <u>Temple of Edfu</u>, Known as the Temple of Horus, the Edfu Temple is one of the most beautiful and most luxurious Egyptian temples ever built, it was built in the 2nd century BC and is dedicated to the worship of the God Horus, Then continue your tour to visit Kom Ombo temples which is located above a high hill, overlooking the eastern bank of the Nile. The foundation of the temple dates back to the era of Ptolemy VI, which was built to honor, the crocodile god Sobek and one of the forms of God Horus which was worshipped in Kom Ombo. Transfer to your hotel in Aswan for check-in and overnight.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

#### **Day 8: Aswan Sightseeing Tours**

We will show you most of Aswan today, After having breakfast, you will start your <u>Aswan day tours</u> to visit the magnificent High Dam of Aswan which is located between Egypt and Sudan and is from the achievements of the century, after that, you will visit the <u>Unfinished Obelisk</u> in Egypt that was built in 1508–1458 BC by Queen Hatshepsut, that was made from a single piece of stone. Then you will visit the Temple of Philae, which was built to honor the goddess Isis. It was built by Ptolemy II and completed by the Roman Emperors. Overnight in Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

## **Day 9: Abu Simbel Temples**

Check out after having breakfast to start the fantastic <u>tour to Abu Simbel Temples from Aswan</u>, the temples were built by Ramses II and represent the miracles of ancient Egyptians in astronomy, engineering, and architecture, that was cut into a rock cliff, it was dedicated to Ramses the second and his wife, the two temples of Abu Simbel are hewn into the mountain by Ramses II. The Temple of Ramses II is dedicated to the four universal gods Ptah, Re-Her-Akhtey, Amun-Re, and to Ramses II himself. it is also called The Sun Temple of Ramses II. the smaller temple is built for his favorite wife, the Nubian Queen Nefertari. You will be transferred to Aswan Airport to take your flight back to Cairo

and stay overnight in the Cairo hotel. Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

## **Day 10: Final Departure**

Our professional tour leader will transfer you after having the last day's breakfast for your departure from <u>Cairo International Airport</u>. Meals: Breakfast

End of your Egypt Christmas Holidays 2023!