

## Steigenberger Omar el Khayam Lake Nasser Cruise

Price Starting From: \$1180

5 Days 4 Nights Egypt Aswan - Abu Simbel

Set off on a luxurious 5-day voyage through Egypt aboard the graceful Steigenberger Omar El Khayam, sailing the calm waters of Lake Nasser. This **Egypt tour** blends luxury with cultural discovery, offering a thoughtfully planned itinerary that immerses you in the ancient wonders of Egyptian civilization.

Your journey begins with a visit to the magnificent <u>Abu Simbel temples</u>, an architectural marvel of ancient times, where the massive statues and detailed carvings are sure to leave a lasting memory. As you cruise, you'll explore other important historical sites, including the temples of Amada, Wadi El Seboua, and Kalabsha, each holding its own piece of Egypt's vast history.

While on board, you'll enjoy premium amenities, excellent service, and spacious, comfortable cabins. This Nile cruise offers not only a glimpse into the past but also a peaceful retreat, as you drift past breathtaking landscapes and hidden gems along the Nile. Whether you're passionate about history or simply looking for a memorable travel experience, this Egypt tour combines relaxation and cultural discovery in an unforgettable way.

# Overview Inclusion

Meeting and assistance of our representatives upon arrival and departure.

The assistance of our staff to work with guests during your tour to Egypt.

All transfers during tours to Egypt by air-conditioned car.

Your stay at the 5-star Steigenberger Omar El Khayam Lake Cruise Hotel is based on full board.

All tours of Egypt with a cruise on the Nile, as indicated above.

Tickets and entrance fees to the aforementioned places between Aswan and Abu Simbel.

A specialized English-speaking guide during a trip to Egypt.

All service fees and taxes are covered.

Shopping during a sightseeing tour of Aswan. (on request)

Stops for a snack on request.

A refreshing drink at a local cafe during day trips around Egypt. (if we have time)

#### **Exclusion**

All extras not mentioned in the itinerary.

Gratuities are not included in the prices of your Nile River cruises in Egypt in 2023\2024.

Drinks during meals.

**Itinerary** 

#### Day 1: (Monday) Check-in

After meeting your representative, he will assist you and take you to check-in at the Steigenberger Omar El Khayam Lake Nasser Cruise . Your lunch will be served on board while admiring the incredible view of the Nile . Relax on board the lake cruise boat and enjoy your delicious dinner while watching the incredible Nubian spectacle.

Meals: Lunch, Dinner

#### Day 2: (Tuesday) Kalabsha Temple - Sail to Wadi Elsebou

Your open-buffet breakfast begins in the early morning, then you will be escorted by our professional guide during your <u>Aswan day tours</u> to visit the outstanding Ptolemaic and Roman structures, <u>Kalabsha Temple</u> is a Nubian temple located south of Aswan and dates back to the <u>18th dynasty</u>. It was built for the worship of the Nubian god Mandoulis.

We will continue <u>Aswan excursions</u> to see <u>Beit El Wali</u> which is a rock-cut temple built by Ramses II and dedicated to <u>Amun-Re</u>, <u>Khnum</u>, Anuket, and Re-Horakhti. The temple was also used as a house for priests and Christian leaders during the Christian period. The construction of the temple looks like the <u>Temple of Abu Simble</u>. After that, continue sailing to <u>Wadi El Sebou</u> while enjoying your lunch aboard the cruise boat.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

#### Day 3: (Wednesday) Wadi El Seboua Temple - Amada temple

Breakfast aboard the Nile cruise boat, then we will escort you to make one of the most interesting Egypt Day Tours, visit Wadi El Sebou which means the Valley of the Lions. Wadi El Sebou temple consists of two temples built in honor of Ramses II. Continue the Excursions in Aswan to the famous Amada Temple which is the oldest temple ever discovered in Nubia it was built by Pharaoh Thutmose III for the worship of the god Amon Ra. It has to be said that the temple is home to some beautifully preserved features, including several very fine cut reliefs highlighting vibrant colors. Lunch and dinner will be served, then overnight near Amada.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

### Day 4: (Thursday) Kasr Ibrim from Sundeck - Abu Simbel

Enjoy your breakfast buffet while sailing to Qasr Ibrim, which contains remarkable monuments that date back to several periods of Egyptian history. It includes tombs of the Nubian rulers during the reign of Pharaoh Thutmosis III. Visit the site from the outside then continue sailing to Abu Simbel where you will visit the most impressive Temple in the Middle East yet in the whole world, Abu Simbel Temples.

It is a complex of two temples dug into the mountainside during the reign of Pharaoh Ramses II. They are monuments dedicated to the king and his queen Nefertari, and to celebrate her victory at the Battle of Kadesh, their huge rock reliefs outside became emblematic. Lunch and dinner will be served on board the ship after the Abu Simbel visits.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner

### Day 5: (Friday) Check-out

Eat your last breakfast on board the Steigenberger Omar El Khayam Lake Cruise, the Cairo Top Tours guide will transfer you to Abu Simbel Airport for final departure.

End of service. Meals: breakfast