

# **Best 4-Days Nile Cruise Tour from Aswan to Luxor**

**Price Starting From: \$600** 

4-Days / 3-Nights Aswan / Luxor Egypt One Country Two Cities Every Friday

Discover the Wonders of Egypt's Nile River: 4-Day Cruise from Aswan to Luxor. Enjoy an unforgettable Egypt tour package with our 4-Day Nile River Cruise from Aswan to Luxor, perfect for **Easter Tours**2025. This Nile Cruise Tours experience will immerse you in the rich history and captivating landscapes of ancient Egypt.

Upon your arrival in Aswan, you'll be greeted and transferred to your Nile cruise ship. After settling in, embark on a guided tour of the High Dam, the Unfinished Obelisk, and the enchanting Philae Temple, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Start your day with an early morning excursion to the majestic Abu Simbel temples, one of the most iconic landmarks of ancient Egypt. On your return, visit the Temple of Kom Ombo, which is dedicated to the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Haroeris.

Sail to Edfu and explore the well-preserved Temple of Horus, one of the best-kept ancient sites in Egypt. Continue your journey to the East Bank of Luxor, where you'll visit the magnificent Karnak Temple Complex and the impressive Luxor Temple.

Spend your final day on the West Bank of Luxor, visiting the Valley of the Kings, the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, and the Colossi of Memnon. After your tour, you'll be transferred to the airport for your departure, bidding farewell to this extraordinary **Egypt tour package**.

This 4-day <u>Nile River Cruise</u> from Aswan to Luxor is the perfect way to experience the wonders of Egypt during the Easter Tours 2025 season. Immerse yourself in the rich history, stunning landscapes, and captivating Nile Cruise Tours, creating memories that will last a lifetime

### Overview Inclusion

- Cairo Top Tours representatives provide airport pickup and drop-off services.
- A 3-night, fully staffed, five-star Nile River CruiseEntry Fees to All Temples and Historical Sites IncludedTravelling in a nonsmoking.
- air-conditioned vehicle with an experienced English-speaking Egyptologist guides the 4-day Nile

River Cruise From Aswan To Luxor.

- Private MealsThroughout the Nile Cruise.
- all Aswan excursions and Luxor day tours were included. On request.
- snack stops are served during the Egypt day tours. If time permits.
- If time permits, soft drinks are served at a nearby cafe during the tours.
- Bottled water is included on every tour in Egypt.
- All applicable taxes and service fees are paid.

#### **Exclusion**

- Tickets For International Travel Are Not Included
- Any Extras Not Stated In The 4-Day Nile Cruise Tour Itinerary Are Not Covered
- Any Extra Excursions Chosen During The Aswan Or Luxor Nile River Cruises Are At An Additional Cost
- Gratuities For The Cruise Crew Are Not Included In All Egypt Travel Packages
- Drinks During Meals On The Nile River Cruise Are Not Provided

### <u>Itinerary</u>

### Day 1: Hi, From Aswan

Upon your arrival at the **Aswan Airport**, you will be warmly greeted by our local representative, who will assist you with your luggage and transfer you to your Nile cruise ship. After settling into your comfortable accommodations, embark on a guided tour of some of Aswan's most iconic ancient sites.

Your first stop will be the <u>Unfinished Obelisk</u>, a massive stone monument that provides a fascinating glimpse into the engineering prowess of the ancient Egyptians. Marvel at the sheer size and scale of this partially completed obelisk, which offers a unique perspective on the challenges faced by the skilled craftsmen of the past.

Next, you will visit the magnificent <u>Temple of Queen Hatshepsut</u>, a stunning example of ancient Egyptian architecture. This elegant, terraced temple pays homage to one of Egypt's most powerful female rulers and offers a glimpse into the rich history of the region. As you explore the temple, admire the intricate reliefs and carvings that depict the life and achievements of Queen Hatshepsut.

Your day will conclude with a visit to the enchanting **Philae Temple**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site located on the picturesque island of Agilkia. Accessible by boat, this temple complex was dedicated to the goddess Isis and is known for its well-preserved hieroglyphics and stunning natural setting. Wander through the temple's halls and courtyards, and immerse yourself in the spiritual essence of this ancient site.

As the day draws to a close, you can enjoy a leisurely dinner on board your Nile cruise ship, reflecting on the rich history and culture you have experienced during your first day in Aswan.

Meals Provided: Lunch, and dinner

## Day 2: Discovering the Majestic Monuments of Abu Simbel and Kom Ombo

Your second day begins with an early morning excursion to the iconic **Abu Simbel temples**, a

remarkable feat of ancient engineering. These two massive rock-cut temples were commissioned by the renowned Pharaoh Ramses II and are renowned for their impressive statues depicting the pharaoh himself. As you explore the site, marvel at the intricate carvings and the precise alignment of the temples, which were designed to catch the sun's rays during specific astronomical events.

Following your visit to Abu Simbel, you will return to your Nile cruise ship and sail to the Temple of Kom Ombo. This unique temple was dedicated to two different gods – the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Haroeris. The temple's distinctive dual design reflects the importance of these two deities in ancient Egyptian mythology. Take the opportunity to learn about the significance of the crocodile **god Sobek**, who was associated with fertility, the Nile River, and the power of the pharaohs.

As you wander through the well-preserved halls and chambers of the **Kom Ombo Temple**, imagine the bustling activity that once took place within these walls. This temple complex offers a fascinating glimpse into the religious practices and beliefs of the ancient Egyptians, providing a deeper understanding of their rich cultural heritage.

After your visit to Kom Ombo, you will return to your Nile cruise ship, where you can enjoy a delightful lunch and relax as you sail to your next destination.

Meals Provided: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

# Day 3: Exploring the Grandeur of the Temple of Horus and the Captivating Sound and Light Show at Karnak

Today, your journey takes you to the magnificent <u>Temple of Horus</u>, located in the city of Edfu. This well-preserved temple is dedicated to the falcon-headed god Horus, one of the most significant deities in ancient Egyptian mythology. As you explore the temple's imposing pylons, intricate reliefs, and towering columns, you'll be transported back in time to witness the rituals and ceremonies that once took place within these sacred walls.

One of the highlights of the Temple of Horus is the impressive sanctuary, where you can see the beautifully preserved statue of the god Horus himself. The temple's exceptional state of preservation allows you to fully immerse yourself in the ancient Egyptian religious experience and gain a deeper understanding of the importance of Horus in the pantheon of Egyptian gods.

In the evening, you will have the opportunity to witness the captivating <u>Sound and Light show</u> at the Karnak Temple in Luxor. This mesmerizing performance brings the ancient temple complex to life through a seamless combination of lighting, music, and narration. As you wander through the impressive hypostyle hall and gaze upon the towering obelisks, you'll be captivated by the tales of the pharaohs and the gods that once ruled this magnificent site.

**The Karnak Temple** Complex is one of the largest religious sites in the world, covering over 200 acres. It was a place of worship for over 2,000 years, with successive pharaohs adding to the temple's grandeur throughout the centuries. The Sound and Light show allows you to appreciate the sheer scale and architectural splendor of this ancient wonder, as well as the profound religious significance it held for the ancient Egyptians.

After this enchanting experience, you will return to your Nile cruise ship, where you can reflect on the day's discoveries and prepare for the next leg of your journey.

Meals Provided: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

## Day 4: Exploring the Wonders of the East and West Banks in Luxor

On your final day in Egypt, you will have the opportunity to explore the remarkable sites on both the **East and West Banks** of the Nile River in Luxor.

Your day will begin with a visit to the awe-inspiring <u>Karnak Temple</u> Complex on the East Bank. This vast temple city was built over the course of many centuries and was dedicated to the god Amun-Ra, the king of the gods. As you wander through the massive hypostyle hall, with its towering columns and intricate carvings, you'll be struck by the sheer scale and grandeur of this ancient site.

Next, you'll visit the <u>Luxor Temple</u>, another magnificent temple complex located on the East Bank. This temple was dedicated to the god Amun and was connected to the Karnak Temple by the famous Avenue of Sphinxes. Admire the impressive obelisks, colossal statues, and well-preserved reliefs that adorn the temple's walls, and gain a deeper understanding of the religious and political significance of this site.

After exploring the East Bank, you'll cross the Nile to the West Bank, where you'll visit the iconic **Valley of the Kings**. This ancient burial ground was the final resting place for many of Egypt's most powerful pharaohs, including the renowned King Tutankhamun. Step into the tomb of one of these illustrious rulers and marvel at the exquisite wall paintings and artifacts that have been preserved for centuries.

Your West Bank exploration will continue with a visit to the magnificent <u>Temple of Queen</u> <u>Hatshepsut</u>, a stunning example of ancient Egyptian architecture. Admire the elegant, terraced design of the temple and learn about the life and achievements of this remarkable female pharaoh.

As you make your way back to the East Bank, you'll stop at the <u>Colossi of Memnon</u>, two massive stone statues that once guarded the entrance to the mortuary temple of Amenhotep III.

Before your journey comes to an end, you'll have the opportunity to launch on <u>a hot air balloon</u>
<u>excursion</u> over the West Bank of Luxor. Soar above the ancient sites and witness the breathtaking
landscapes from a unique aerial perspective, capturing unforgettable memories of your time in Egypt.

As the sun sets on your final day, you'll return to your Nile cruise ship, filled with a deep appreciation for the rich history and captivating culture of this extraordinary country.

Meals Provided: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.