

[Alexander the Great](#) during the Greco-Roman Era, and it was once the most beautiful city in the entire world as well as one of the largest cities in the world.

After visiting [Pompey's Pillar](#), a site from the Greco-Roman era, and the ruins of a Roman temple complex, you'll enjoy a delicious seafood lunch before continuing on to your hotel in Alexandria for the night.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 4: Continue Alexandria Excursions

The day will begin with breakfast at the hotel, followed by visits to the modern Bibliotheca of Alexandria, one of the most significant cultural centers in Egypt, and a top-notch restaurant serving delectable fresh seafood. [The Citadel of Qaitbay](#) is a vast defensive fortification built in the 15th century and is situated on the Mediterranean seacoast where the famed lighthouse [Pharos](#) (one of the seven man-made wonders of the world) once stood.

Enjoy the sea view and Alexandria's picturesque streets for the remainder of the day. overnight at the hotel after returning.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 5: Back to Cairo

Have breakfast at the hotel and then begin the drive back to Cairo; get to the hotel in Cairo and check in; spend the night there; or sign up for one of our many tours that depart from Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 6: Coptic Cairo / Saladin Citadel / Khan El Khalili

Beginning with [the Hanging Church](#) and the Church of St. Sergius and continuing on to Ben Ezra Synagogue, which is one of [Cairo's oldest](#) synagogues, we will begin our Coptic Cairo tour by touring the historic churches in the Coptic neighborhood of Cairo.

Continue your [Islamic Cairo](#) tours by visiting [the Citadel of Saladin](#), a medieval fortress built by the renowned Sultan Saladin in [the 12th century](#). Be amazed by the enormous towers and visit one of the citadel's most beautiful mosques, the alabaster mosque of Mohamed Ali Basha, who was sent by the Ottoman Caliphate to defeat Napoleon Bonaparte's French expedition in Egypt.

You will be transferred back to your hotel in Cairo for an overnight stay after having a blissful lunch meal.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 7: Fly to Luxor / Embarkation / East Bank Tours

After breakfast at your hotel, you will be taken to Cairo International Airport to begin your Luxor excursions, which are the most charming of all of your Egypt Travel Packages. Take a flight to Luxor, where you will be met and driven to the starting point of your Egypt Nile cruise, where lunch will be served. Start your [Luxor East Bank](#) tours by visiting the Avenue of Sphinxes-connected [Karnak Temple](#) and Luxor Temple, which are two of the best things to do in Luxor. Then, have dinner and spend the night on a Nile cruise boat.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 8: West Bank Tours in Luxor

After breakfast on board your Egypt Nile River cruise, you'll visit [the Valley](#) of the Kings, which features the magnificent tombs of 62 kings of [the new kingdom](#). Next, you'll tour the Temple of El-Deir El-Bahari, which was constructed as a mortuary temple for Queen Hatshepsut, the second female pharaoh, and then you'll see [the Colossi of Memnon](#), which are two enormous stone statues of King After lunch, set sail for [Edfu](#), where you can spend the evening and the next day on a Nile cruise ship.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 9: Edfu and Kom Ombo Temples

You will now visit the Ptolemaic Temple of Edfu, which is dedicated to the falcon God Horus, after eating your customary open-buffet breakfast. You will then sail to Kom Ombo to visit the Temple of [Kom Ombo](#), which is dedicated to [God Sobek](#). Return to your cruise to overnight on the Nile cruise ship as you travel to Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 10: Aswan Sightseeing Tours

After breakfast, you will explore [the Philae Temple](#), which was constructed for the worship of the Goddess Isis, before visiting [the Aswan High Dam](#), which is the most useful project in contemporary Egypt because it shields Egypt from the annual Nile flood. Spend the night on the Nile cruise ship.

Day 11: Disembarkation / Back to Cairo by Flight

After a filling breakfast, you will disembark your cruise and be met by our representative who will help you with the hotel check-in process in Cairo so you can spend the night there before taking a flight back to Cairo from Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 12: Saqqara Necropolis / Memphis City / Dahshur Pyramids

After breakfast, meet your private tour guide to explore the location of the Step Pyramid of King Djoser, the second king of the third ruling family during [the old kingdom](#), which is home to the first stone pyramid in recorded history. When you reach the Saqqara necropolis, enter the site through the original entrance to begin your sightseeing in Cairo.

You will have access to one of the pyramids of [the 6th dynasty](#) kings, the Pyramid of Teti, as well as the tomb of his son-in-law Kagemni, one of the most well-preserved noble tombs at Saqqara. Inside, you will see various carvings and inscriptions for daily life scenes in ancient Egypt, such as hunting and making offerings to the gods. The pyramid of King Teti is not the perfectly round structure we are accustomed to seeing; instead, it is primarily an elevated hill with a burial shaft.

Have a nice lunch at a [Saqqara](#) restaurant before moving on to see the artifacts on display in the museum of Memphis, which served as Egypt's ancient capital from 5000 years ago. You'll see there the alabaster sphinx, which is the second-largest sphinx in ancient Egypt after [the Great Sphinx](#) in Giza. You'll also see the enormous colossal statue of King Ramses II, who ruled Egypt during the new kingdom.

Now we will see the two beautiful pyramids in Dahshur, [the Red Pyramid](#), and [the Bent Pyramid](#) that were built for King Snefru, father of Cheops who built the greatest pyramid in Giza.

You will be transferred back to your hotel for an overnight stay.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 13: Cairo To El Minya - Tal El Amarna - Tuna El Gabal

After picking you up from your hotel in a private air-conditioned vehicle, our knowledgeable guide will take you on a privately guided Cairo Day Tours to El Minya from Cairo. The drive to El Minya along the modern road takes almost four hours. When you arrive at your destination, you will first visit the vast plain where Akhenaton received his divine inspiration to build Aketaten, which would become the center of worship for the god Aten.

After that, you will travel to Tuna El Gabal, which is home to burial homes and is distinguished by its distinctive wall paintings because it was created using a combination of Roman and ancient Egyptian art.

Resuming your [El Minya tours](#) from Cairo will allow you to see the Petosiris tomb, Ibis and baboon catacombs, and Isadora's tomb (which dates [to the second century](#) AD and is home to the famous Isadora, known for her love story in the city of Hermopolis).

After visiting these sites, Stop to enjoy your lunch in an oriental restaurant, then you will go to the Hotel and check in.

Overnight in El Minya.

Day 14: Beni Hassan Tombs - Tel El Amarna - Back To Cairo

Enjoy your breakfast, then your private Egyptologist guide provided will accompany you to experience the sightseeing in Beni Hassan, which contains around 300 tombs that belong to the middle pharaonic era, and some of them are opened for tourists to visit the tombs of the noblemen and rulers of the region during the Middle Kingdom, starting with the tomb of the high-ranking official called Bakhet III, the Khnumhotep tomb (Khnumhotep was a governor under Amenemhat III in the 12th dynasty), as well as the tomb of Khety, the governor of the region in the 11th dynasty.

After that, we'll eat lunch at a reputable neighborhood restaurant before traveling on to Tel El Amarna, the former home of Akhenaten and his queen Nefertiti. When you arrive in Amarna, you will see the northern tombs, such as Ahmose and Huya tombs, and you will also go to the location of the royal palace.

After finishing your Cairo tours and excursions to El Minya we will transfer you back to your hotel in Cairo.

Day 15: Fly to Sharm El Sheikh - Check-in - Optional Safari Trip

Enjoy a sumptuous breakfast at the hotel, and then the Cairo Top Tours representative will accompany you to the domestic departure terminal at Cairo International Airport to catch your flight to [Sharm El-Sheikh](#). After being greeted and assisted at Sharm airport and being transferred to your hotel, you will have the chance to escape the crowds and unwind on Sharm El-Sheikh's beautiful beaches. You can go swimming, diving, or snorkeling, among other water sports. It is optional to take the Desert Safari excursion in Sharm El Sheikh, which is located in the heart of the Sinai Desert. Dinner and lunch will be served to you at the hotel.

Overnight in Sharm hotel

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 16: Free Day at Leisure in Sharm El Sheikh

Enjoy a delicious breakfast at the hotel. Today you have the opportunity to relax on the stunning beaches of Sharm. A variety of water activities await you, including swimming, diving, or snorkeling. If you wish, you can travel to [Ras Mohamed](#) by boat from Sharm el Sheikh to see the beauty of the crystal-clear waters of [the Red Sea](#), exploring the many species of fish and coral reefs.

Overnight in a hotel in Sharma

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 17: Sharm El Sheikh Optional Quad Bike Adventure

Enjoy a leisurely morning of free time. or take a free excursion Pick up from your hotel at 14:00, and then drive the 15 minutes to the ATV Center. You can start your quad bike adventure in Sharm after a brief safety and driving tutorial. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery as you travel through the sand dunes of the Sinai Desert. A free evening and hotel stay are planned.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 18: Sharm El Sheikh Optional Tour to St. Catherine Monastery

Spend your free time in Sharm or sign up for our optional trip to St. Catherine's Monastery, which is situated in the heart of Sinai at the base of Gebel Musa, also known as Mount Sinai, where Moses received the Ten Commandments. The Greek Orthodox Church owns and runs St. Catherine's Monastery, which is encircled by gardens and cypress trees. After the Vatican, its expansive library is home to the second-largest collection of illuminated manuscripts in the world. The Burning Bush and numerous antique works of art, including priceless icons, magnificently carved doors, lovely wall paintings, and other exquisite religious ornaments, will be on display.

Overnight in Sharm.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 19: Fly Back to Cairo

Delicious breakfast at your hotel in Sharm El Sheikh and then you will proceed to Sharm El Sheikh airport for your flight to Cairo. Overnight in Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 20: Final Departure

Following your last breakfast at the hotel, a representative from our company will pick you up and take you to Cairo International Airport in preparation for your departure at the conclusion of your 20-day trip to Egypt.

Meals: Breakfast