

# Cairo and Nile Cruise Luxury Trip package

**Price Starting From : \$1350**

10 Days

Egypt

Cairo, Luxor, Aswan and Alexandria

Embark on a 10-day Egyptian adventure with Cairo Top Tours, designed to offer a blend of history, luxury, and cultural exploration. Start with an immersive exploration of Cairo's iconic landmarks, including the Giza Pyramids and the Sphinx, and delve into the rich collections of the Egyptian Museum.

Experience the pinnacle of luxury aboard the Steinberger MS Minerva Nile cruise. Sail through the heart of Egypt, marvelling at ancient temples and monuments while enjoying top-notch amenities and service.

Your journey continues to Alexandria, where you'll discover historical treasures like the Citadel of Qaitbay and the legendary Library of Alexandria.

This meticulously crafted tour combines opulent accommodations and exclusive experiences to ensure a memorable Egyptian getaway, blending the grandeur of the Nile with the charm of the Mediterranean.

## [Overview](#)

### [Inclusion](#)

- Benefit from specialised airport assistance on arrival.
- Stay 5 nights at the Kempinski Nile Hotel Garden City Cairo, with breakfast provided.
- Enjoy 4 nights on the 5-star Steinberger MS Minerva Nile Cruise, including full board.
- Your package includes flights from Cairo to Luxor and back from Aswan to Cairo.
- A private guide will be with you for all visits to archaeological sites.
- Sightseeing tours in Cairo, Alexandria, Luxor, and Aswan are included as detailed in your itinerary.
- All entry fees and ticket costs for the sites listed in your itinerary are covered.
- An English-speaking tour guide will accompany you throughout your travels.
- Private, air-conditioned transport is provided for your convenience.
- Meals are included at your hotels, on the Nile cruise, and during tours as outlined in the itinerary.
- Complimentary bottled water is available to keep you hydrated.
- Optional shopping tours in Cairo can be arranged upon request.
- Rest stops and snack breaks are available as required.

### [Exclusion](#)

- International airfares are not part of the package.
- Entry visa fees for Egypt are not included.
- Drinks with meals are not covered.
- Gratuities for the staff are not included.
- The tour price excludes peak season periods such as Christmas, New Year, and Easter.

## [Itinerary](#)

**Day 1: Arrive to Cairo / Start your Egypt Luxury Tours**

Upon landing at Cairo International Airport, a representative from Cairo Top Tours will greet you. You'll be whisked away to your hotel in a private, air-conditioned car. At the hotel, enjoy a refreshing welcome drink while our staff assists with a smooth check-in. You'll review your itinerary and confirm pick-up and drop-off times for a seamless experience.

Overnight in Cairo.

## **Day 2: Pyramids and Sakkara Tour**

On the second day of your trip, start with a briefing from our expert Egyptologist. You'll then head to Giza to explore iconic sites such as the Valley Temple, the Great Sphinx, and the pyramids of Chephren, Mycerinus, and Cheops. Enjoy a sweeping panoramic view of the Giza Plateau and take a memorable 15-minute camel ride at the pyramids. This experience follows breakfast at your hotel.

After a delightful lunch, your guide will take you to Saqqara to discover the Step Pyramid Complex, known for its pioneering stone construction. Explore the Djoser Pyramid, the oldest pyramid built entirely of stone, and visit the Pyramid of Teti, renowned for its stunning interior. Experience ancient Egyptian daily life through the vividly decorated tombs of the nobles.

The next stop is Memphis, the ancient capital of the pharaohs, located about thirty minutes south of Giza in the modern village of Mit Rahina. Marvel at the remnants of this historic city.

Return to your Cairo hotel for the evening. An optional sound and light show at Giza is available upon request.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch.

## **Day 3: Fly to Luxor \ Nile Cruise Trip**

On the third day of your trip, you'll be transported to the airport for a morning flight to Luxor. Upon arrival, you'll be greeted and escorted to the elegant 5-star Steinberger MS Minerva Nile cruise.

In the afternoon, embark on a tour of Luxor's East Bank. Explore the awe-inspiring Karnak Temple and the nearby Luxor Temple, both showcasing the grandeur of ancient Egyptian history.

After your afternoon adventure, return to the cruise ship for dinner and relax with afternoon tea. You'll spend the night on board.

Your day includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

## **Day 4: Luxor Nile Cruise Sightseeing trip**

After having a delicious breakfast, we'll head to Luxor's West Bank for a day of exploration. Visit the impressive Temple of Hatshepsut and its surrounding mortuary complex, as well as the colossal statues of the

Colossi of Memnon, which will offer an unforgettable glimpse into ancient history.

As we navigate through the Esna lock towards Edfu, enjoy a delicious lunch and afternoon tea on board.

Dinner will be served on the cruise, where you'll spend the night in Edfu.

Meals included: breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

## **Day 5: Edfu and Kom Ombo Temples Tour**

Start your day with breakfast on board, then head to the Temple of Horus in Edfu, renowned for its impressive Ptolemaic architecture and grandeur.

After lunch aboard the ship, we will continue our journey to Kom Ombo. Here, we'll visit the unique double temple dedicated to the gods Sobek and Haroeris, known for its intriguing design and historical significance.

## **Day 6: Aswan sightseeing Tour**

After having breakfast on board the cruise ship, your Aswan day tours will commence. You'll visit the High Dam, the Unfinished Obelisk, and the grand Philae Temple, which was the central location for the worship of the goddess Isis in ancient Egypt.

Following the day's excursions, you'll return to the cruise ship for lunch and dinner. You'll spend the night on the ship in Aswan.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.

## **Day 7: Aswan to Cairo**

After breakfast, you'll disembark from the Steinberger MS Minerva Nile Cruise and enjoy some free time in Aswan. We'll arrange your flight back to Cairo, and upon arrival, our representative will meet you at the airport and transfer you to your Cairo hotel.

You'll spend the night in Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast.

## **Day 8: Cairo day trip**

The day will start with a visit to the Egyptian Museum, which houses the world's largest and most valuable collection of Egyptian artifacts, including the intact treasures of Tutankhamun.

Next, you'll visit the Citadel of Saladin, featuring the impressive Mohamed Ali Alabaster Mosque, which offers stunning panoramic views of the historic mosques, minarets, and domes of Islamic Cairo.

You'll then explore the Coptic area of Cairo, visiting the ancient Roman fortress of Babylon, the Hanging Church suspended over the old towers, and the Church of St. Sergius, also known as the Cavern Church or the Holy Family Church.

During the Coptic Cairo tour, you'll also visit the Ben Ezra Synagogue, believed to be the site where the Pharaoh's daughter found Moses in a basket in the Nile. This ancient synagogue is one of the oldest in the city and reflects the city's fascinating history.

An optional tour of the Sound and Light show in Giza is available.

Meals included: Breakfast and lunch.

## **Day 9: Alexandria day trip**

Alexandria, Egypt's vibrant second-largest city, boasts a rich history and stunning Roman remnants. Begin your day exploring the ancient Pompey's Pillar, a striking pink granite monument, and immerse yourself in the city's lively ambience.

Next, visit the Qaitbay Citadel, a historic 15th-century fortress that once protected the Mediterranean coast. Discover the Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa, an intriguing three-level burial site from the Roman era, offering a glimpse into ancient practices.

The renowned Bibliotheca of Alexandria, a major ancient library and centre of learning, awaits your visit. You'll also see notable landmarks such as the statue of Alexander the Great and the Alexandria statue honouring the unknown soldier.

Stroll along Cornish Avenue and cross the Stanley Bridge, which provides stunning views of modern Alexandria. After a full day of exploration, return to Cairo for the night.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch.

## **Day 10: Cairo - Fly Back Home**

After enjoying your breakfast, you'll be taken to Cairo International Airport to catch your departing flight, bringing your incredible 10-day Egyptian journey to a close.

Meals: Breakfast