## 4 Days Nile cruise from Aswan

**Price Starting From: \$600** 

4 Days Aswan/ Luxor Every Friday Egypt Luxor and Aswan

A new and unique adventure in a floating hotel on the Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan. Enjoy the enchanting time of sailing and seeing the different highlights of the two enchanting cities of Luxor and Aswan. Travel back in history to the time of the Egyptian civilization and the miracles of architecture of various eras. Spend four days embraced by the Nile River, unique birds, and beautiful islands. See the local celebrations of the kind citizens of the Luxor and Aswan.

# Overview Inclusion

- Meet and Assist services are covered by Cairo Top Tours representatives upon arrival and departure.
- A full board accommodation for 3 nights aboard one of the best a 5-star cruise Nile River Cruise
- Entrance and admission fees are included to the temples and historical sites as mentioned in detail.
- Service of transportation by a special nonsmoking air-conditioned vehicle.
- An English-speaking Egyptologist guide will be in your accompany you during your <u>Egypt Tour</u> Packages.
- A private excursions during Luxor day tours during Egypt Nile Cruise Tours
- Meals will be covered as mentioned in the itinerary
- Stops for snacks upon request.
- A soft drink is provided during your day tours
- Bottled water during all the **Tours in Egypt**.
- All taxes and service charges.

#### **Exclusion**

International flight tickets are excluded from the cost.

Any extras are not included in our 4-day Nile cruise tour from Aswan day tours itinerary.

Any optional excursions not mentioned in Aswan or Luxor during your Egypt Nile River Cruises.

Tipping for the cruise crew is not included in the cost of all Egypt Travel Packages.

Drinks during meals.

#### **Itinerary**

## Day 1: start of your enahnting Nile cruise

A new adventure is about to start. Start your Nile cruise tour without exerting effort. In the beginning, you will be assisted after you arrive at the Aswan train station or Aswan Airport. You will be assisted by our leader to start your tour.

Your private tour guide will accompany you on a unique adventure to discover the hidden secrets of the Egyptian pharaohs and reveal the hidden gems for you. Your first destination will be the High Dam of Egypt. The Egyptian government sought to build it to keep Egypt secure from any rise in the water of the Nile, to keep the electricity existing, and to provide for the factories in Egypt.

The second visit will be for the unfinished obelisk; it was carefully carved and shaped under the supervision of the great architects to be transferred and used in Karnak temple. They have been surprised that great stone from the granite has been exposed to be cracked without any known reason, so they have stopped working on it. Despite the crack in it, it is still one of the greatest architectural works.

The third visit is to Philea Temple. It is a fascinating temple on the Niel River. The temple is also known as the Temple of Isis. The existence of the temple is a miracle because it was cut and put on a new island and then started to restore the pieces of the temple to their original shape before being submerged in the water.

It is not the end of the day, Get back to your Nile cruise to enjoy the delicious oriental lunch and relax in one of the best 5-star Nile cruises.

### Day 2 : Sail to Edfu Temple and Kom-Ombo temple

The second day will start by having your tea and delicious breakfast after being prepared on board. Your private Car and certified guide will be waiting for you to start your tour to visit:

Kom-Ombo Temple is a great temple, attracting visitors from around the world to visit it and see its architecture. It was founded by Ptolemy III, and then the process of decorating it was during the Roman era. The temple has 22 crocodiles found in the area near the temple. The temple has a massive project to enlighten it to enable visitors to be entertained to watch its details during the visit.

Edfu Temple is one of the most ancient temples in history, built in the Ptolemaic era to worship the god Horus, who had a prominent place in ancient Egyptian mythology. The walls of the temple tell the story of the conflict between the god Horus and the goddess Set, as Edfu was the last guard post on the Pharaonic border with Nubia.

Its time to go back to your Nile cruise to have comfortable time and enjoy the Night on the Nile River

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner

### Day 3: Discover Luxor East Bank

On your third day, your Nile cruise will reach the beautiful city of Luxor which is called the open-air-museum. It contains a large number of monuments and artifacts; it is one of the most known cities around the world because of its beauty and the Nile River that surrounds its artifacts and temples. After meeting your professional guide you will start your day by visiting

Karnak temple: The temple gained great importance in ancient Egypt for the ancient Egyptians due to its religious significance. Karnak temple was one of the temples that has gained a huge attention from each king, each king in modern Egypt, has left his impression and print in the temple.

The next destination will be Luxor Temple: One of the best temples that you can ever visit, you can see the huge statues, and the Pharaonic carved paintings on its columns. Its very near to Karnak Temple and it has a way decorated with moderate sized statues of sphinxes linking the two temples. This was used during the celebrations of the Egyptian events.

After this, you will get back with your private car and your private guide to your Nile cruise to enjoy the last night on the Nile cruise

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner

#### Day 4 : See the West bank of Luxor

Now, it is the fourth day of our Nile cruise trip, after having your delicious breakfast with the enchanting view of the Great Nile River. You will have a totally new adventure in Egyptian history; travel back with the Egyptian history and stories of Egyptian life. your first adventure will be seeing

Hatshepsut temple: It's called the Gem of Luxor's temples, and it is one of the unique funeral temples on the west bank. It is also known as Hatshepsut Temple or El Deir El Bahari. She was a powerful queen who ruled Egypt and had a great impression on the Egyptian ruling system, and its artifacts stand still till now. The temple is known for its rare art of architecture and distinctive cravings decorating its walls.

Our second destination will be the Memnon statues, which are very high statues that were built by King Amenhotep III. In the past, there was a funeral temple for King Amenhotep, but it no longer exists. The statue has gained the name of Memnon after a short funny story in ancient Egypt in which sounds were coming from the passing of the air through the cracks of the statues, similar to a sad song. Therefore, the Greeks said that these sounds were the cries of the mother of the hero Memnon, who was killed by Achilles in the Trojan War, hence the name Memnon.

The final stop will be the Valley of Kings, which is considered the largest tomb in the world for Egyptian kings and nobles. It is a colorful painting from thousands of years that is still colorful and beautiful, like it was painted yesterday. The powerful New Kingdom kings were buried beneath the top of a pyramid-shaped rocky cliff that surrounded the area of the valley, which wasn't by chance. It has been chosen believing that the pyramid is a symbol for the resurrection and rebirth.

Finally, you will be transported to Luxor airport or Luxor station upon your request.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch and dinner