

13-Day Cairo, Nile Cruise, Fayoum, and Oasis Christmas Trip Package

Price Starting From : \$0

13 days

Cairo, Luxor, Aswan, Fayoum, and Bahariya

Egypt

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Our **13-day Cairo, Nile Cruise, and the Oasis Christmas Tours** from our [Egypt travel packages](#) will take you on exciting Christmas Tours. This is one of our best [Egypt Christmas vacations](#), with options for great tours of Luxor, Aswan, and more!

We have carefully selected the best [Egypt Tours](#) to allow you to explore some of the most beautiful and fascinating cities in Egypt. The 13-day Cairo, Nile Cruise, and the Oasis Christmas Tours include a variety of attractions in Cairo, including the Giza Pyramids and the legendary Sphinx. You will be surprised by the amazing achievements of the ancient Egyptians 5,000 years ago, during a time when different cultures were still developing.

We'll be traveling to Luxor and Aswan while traveling aboard one of the best Egypt Nile River Cruises. We'll see the Western Desert during our [Egypt Desert Safari Tours](#) and go on a desert safari experience that includes the White Desert and the Black Desert as well as the important Oases in Egypt like Bahariya Oasis, Dakhla Oasis, Farafra, Kharga, and Bahariya Oasis!

[Overview](#)

Inclusion

- 6 Nights in a hotel in Cairo
- 4 Nights on a Ship Similar to the Blue Shadow Nile all-inclusive
- 1 Night spent at Fayoum lunch and dinner
- 1 Night (breakfast and lunch) at the Bahariya Oasis
- AC automobile transportation to and from hotels and locations
- Admission to each of the locations mentioned
- The cost includes taxes.
- Tickets for domestic flights

Exclusion

- Tickets for overseas travel
- Egypt visas
- Additional websites
- Personal costs
- Tipping is not included in the [Egypt Christmas tours from USA](#) package cost.

[Itinerary](#)

Day 1: Arrival Day

In order to make arrangements for the following days [Egypt travel packages](#), our knowledgeable Egypt luxury tour leader will pick you up from the [Cairo International Airport](#) and drive you directly to your hotel in Cairo in a private AC vehicle.

Lunch and the first beverage of the day

Day 2: Giza Pyramids Tour

Begin your second day with a delicious breakfast before embarking on an exciting [Cairo day tours](#) to explore the captivating attractions of Egypt.

Start your day by visiting the renowned [Giza Pyramids](#), which stand as one of the Seven Wonders of the World. Marvel at their towering height, with each side measuring 231 meters. These architectural marvels were constructed with immense precision, and each brick weighs a staggering 2.5 tons. The sheer weight of the pyramid totals a remarkable 6 million tons. Located in the western region of [the Nile River](#) in Egypt, the Giza Pyramids are a testament to the ingenuity and grandeur of ancient Egyptian civilization.

Next, venture to the ancient city of [Memphis](#), which was founded by King Mina and served as the capital of ancient Egypt. Immerse yourself in the rich history of this fascinating city as you explore its remarkable landmarks. Admire the majestic statue of Ramses II and marvel at the enigmatic Sphinx, the iconic symbol of Egypt's past glory.

Continue your journey to Saqqara, a site that houses the impressive [Step Pyramid](#) of King Djoser. This architectural masterpiece is the oldest major stone structure in the world, dating back to the Third Dynasty. Explore the intricate design and learn about the historical significance of this ancient monument, gaining deeper insights into the wonders of ancient Egypt.

After a day filled with exploration and discovery, you will be transported back to your hotel for a comfortable overnight stay.

Enjoy your included meals of breakfast and lunch, savoring the flavors of Egypt as you fuel up for your exciting adventures ahead.

Day 3: Cairo Day Tour

On the third day of your 13-day Cairo, Egypt Nile cruise, Fayoum, and Baharyia Oasis package start your day with a delicious breakfast before embarking on a day filled with fascinating visits.

First, visit [the Egyptian Museum](#), the oldest archaeological museum in the Middle East. It houses the largest collection of ancient Egyptian antiquities in the world. Explore the vast collection, which spans from the pre-dynastic period to the Greek and Roman periods, and marvel at the treasures of ancient Egypt.

Next, make your way to the [Salah El Din Citadel](#), situated in the Citadel neighborhood overlooking Cairo. This historic fortress was built on a hill separated from Mount Mokattam and is one of the prominent landmarks of [Islamic Cairo](#). The Citadel offers panoramic views of the city and is an important tourist attraction. Immerse yourself in the rich history and architectural beauty of this significant site.

End your day by visiting the lively [Khan El Khalili](#) Bazaar. This bustling marketplace has a long history and is known for its vibrant atmosphere. Step into a world of bustling shops where you can find a wide array of goods, from traditional crafts and jewelry to spices and souvenirs. Immerse yourself in the sights, sounds, and scents of this iconic market, and practice your bargaining skills as you explore the diverse offerings.

After a day filled with exploration, return to your hotel for a comfortable overnight stay.

Enjoy your included meals of breakfast and lunch, savoring the flavors of Egypt as you refuel for your exciting adventures ahead.

Day 4: The East Bank of Luxor

Rise and shine early in the morning and indulge in a delicious breakfast before proceeding to the airport. From there, you will board a flight to Luxor, where your next adventure awaits. Upon arrival, complete your check-in process on the Nile cruise, your floating sanctuary for the coming days.

Begin your exploration with a visit to the awe-inspiring [Karnak Temple](#). This remarkable temple complex is renowned for its diverse and numerous temples, with construction dating back to the 11th Dynasty around 2134 BC. Enclosed within brick walls, the temples are interconnected by corridors adorned with statues, including the famous rows of sphinxes known as the Avenue of Rams. Immerse yourself in the grandeur of this ancient site, marveling at its intricate architecture and rich historical significance.

Next, a Luxor [day tour](#) to the splendid Luxor Temple, situated on the east bank of the Nile in the city of Luxor, formerly known as Old Thebes, this vast temple complex is a testament to the magnificence of ancient Egyptian architecture. Built around 1400 BC, [Luxor Temple](#) was dedicated to the worship of Amun-Re, his wife Mut, and their son Khonsu, collectively known as the Theban Trinity. Explore the temple's grand halls, towering columns, and beautifully preserved structures, as you delve into the religious and cultural significance of this ancient site.

After a day of exploration, return to your Nile cruise for a relaxing and comfortable evening onboard.

Enjoy an all-inclusive dining experience throughout the day, savoring a variety of delicious meals as you soak up the ambiance of your Nile cruise.

Day 5: The West Bank of Luxor

On the fifth day of your 13-day Cairo, Nile cruise, Fayoum, and Oasis Christmas package, begin your morning with anticipation as you prepare for another day of exploration.

Embark on a visit to the renowned [Valley of the Kings](#). This ancient burial ground is characterized by its white sand, which serves as a distinctive marker during excavations. The presence of black dirt or black pebbles indicates a pharaonic cemetery, while pottery with a black line in the middle is a strong indication of a pharaonic tomb. As you explore the valley, keep an eye out for these telltale signs and, if fortunate, the discovery of bones, which signify the presence of a pharaonic tomb. Immerse yourself in the rich history of the valley as you uncover the mysteries of the ancient pharaohs.

Next, proceed to the remarkable [The Mortuary Temple Of Hatshepsut](#). This temple holds great significance as it was one of the first and grandest temples built under the orders of a female pharaoh. Marvel at its

impressive architecture, which showcases the ingenuity and artistry of ancient Egyptian craftsmanship. Learn about the extraordinary reign of Queen Hatshepsut and her legacy as you explore the temple's magnificent halls and detailed reliefs.

Conclude your day's excursion with a visit to the [Colossi of Memnon](#). These colossal statues are the only remnants of the once-majestic temple of Amenhotep III. Stand in awe of these towering statues, which have withstood the test of time, and imagine the grandeur of the temple that once stood in their presence.

Once your tour is complete, return to your Nile cruise, where you can relax and reflect on the wonders you've witnessed.

Enjoy an all-inclusive dining experience onboard, savoring a delightful array of meals throughout the day as you bask in the comfort and luxury of your Nile cruise.

Day 6: Edfu and Kom Ombo Temples

On the sixth day of your tour, you will begin your journey to Edfu after enjoying a delightful breakfast on board your Nile cruise. Prepare for a day of exploration and immerse yourself in the wonders of ancient Egypt.

Your first destination is the remarkable [Edfu Temple](#). The city of Edfu holds great historical and cultural significance, dating back to ancient times. It was once a prominent and prosperous Egyptian city and remains one of the most important tourist attractions in the region. As you explore the Edfu Temple, admire its impressive architecture and intricate carvings. Gain insights into the religious practices and cultural traditions of ancient Egypt and marvel at the preservation of this magnificent site.

Continuing your journey, you will visit the [Kom Ombo Temple](#). This temple was constructed by the Ptolemies and was dedicated to two deities: Sobek, the crocodile god, and Horus, the falcon god. The temple complex consists of two parallel temples, each honoring one of the deities. Explore the well-preserved structures and observe the traditional components of ancient Egyptian religious architecture. Admire the detailed reliefs and learn about the significance of Sobek and Horus in Egyptian mythology.

Once you have completed your visits to Edfu Temple and Kom Ombo Temple, return to your Nile cruise and continue your voyage along the majestic Nile River.

Enjoy an all-inclusive dining experience on board, savoring a variety of delicious meals throughout the day. Take pleasure in the comfort and amenities provided by your Nile cruise as you relax and reflect on the incredible sights and experiences of your journey so far.

Day 7: Aswan Day Tour

On day 7 of your 13-day Cairo, Nile Cruise, Fayoum, and Oasis Christmas package, after having breakfast, you will be taken to visit several attractions. The first stop will be [the High Dam](#). This impressive dam was proposed by the Egyptian-Greek engineer Adrian Daninos during the leadership of the 1952 revolution. Its purpose is to control the floodwaters of the Nile, store water, and generate electricity.

Next, you will visit the [Unfinished Obelisk](#). This ancient obelisk holds great significance as a sacred stone. It is believed to symbolize the sun god Ra, and during the reign of Akhenaten, it was thought to be a petrified

beam of the Aten, the sun disk.

Afterward, you will proceed to the [Philae Temple](#). These historic antiquities were relocated from the original island of Philae to the nearby island of Agilkia during the UNESCO Nubia campaign in the 1960s. The relocation was necessary to preserve the sites that would have otherwise been flooded due to the construction of the Aswan High Dam.

Finally, you will be transferred back to your Nile cruise. Throughout the day, your meals will be all-inclusive. Enjoy the rest of your journey!

Day 8: Sail to Abu Simbel

On the 8th day of your tour package, after enjoying a delicious breakfast, you will be transferred to begin your journey by sailing to Abu Simbel.

Abu Simbel is a remarkable archaeological site that houses two temples. These temples had to be relocated to prevent them from being submerged when the construction of Lake Nasser took place after the completion of the Aswan High Dam. Despite the relocation, [Abu Simbel](#) remains one of the top tourist attractions in Egypt, known for its historical and cultural significance.

After exploring Abu Simbel, you will return to your Nile cruise. Take some time to arrange your luggage, as you will be flying back to Cairo. Once you arrive in Cairo, you will spend the night at a hotel.

For the day, your meals will include breakfast. Enjoy the rest of your [Egypt tour Packages from USA](#) and the experiences that await you in Cairo!

Day 9: Free Tour

Free day tour in Cairo to enjoy a stroll through the city with residents and some downtime, or we can provide you with other tours suggested by your tour guide.

Breakfast is a day's meal.

Day 10: Travel to Al Fayoum

On the next day of your tour package, after enjoying a satisfying breakfast, you will travel to Fayoum. Your first destination will be Wadi El-Hitan.

It is believed that 40 million years ago, [Wadi El-Raya](#). It is believed that this area was once covered by a vast ocean that eventually receded, leaving behind a wealth of marine fossils. Among the remarkable discoveries in [Wadi El Hitan](#) are the fossilized skeletons of primary whales, along with numerous shells, sharks, and other marine creatures. Exploring this site offers a unique opportunity to observe and learn about this ancient marine ecosystem.

After visiting Wadi El Hitan, you will have your lunch in Tunis village, known for its picturesque charm and local cuisine.

You will then spend the night in Fayoum, allowing you to fully immerse yourself in the beauty and tranquility of the region.

For the day, your meals will include breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Enjoy the culinary delights and remarkable discoveries that await you in Fayoum!

Day 11: The Last Day at Fayoum

After enjoying a tasty breakfast, you will be transferred to the first spot of the day, which is Lake Qaroun.

Lake Qaroun is situated between agricultural lands and a rugged desert in the southwest of Cairo. It has served as a vital source of various types of fish, including tilapia, seabass, sea bream, and shrimp (prawns). These fish species have provided a sustainable livelihood for the local fishermen in the surrounding villages.

Next, you will visit Wadi El Rayan, located approximately 65 kilometers southwest of Faiyum city. This area is known for its two artificial lakes, which were created to redirect excess agricultural drainage water from the Fayoum oases. Wadi El Rayan is also home to Egypt's only waterfalls. Previously, the water from the Fayoum Oasis used to flow into Lake Qaroun in the north.

After exploring [Lake Qaroun](#) and Wadi El Rayan, you will travel back to Cairo, where you will spend the night.

For the day, your meals will include breakfast and lunch. Enjoy the scenic beauty, the diverse wildlife, and the tranquil atmosphere of Lake Qaroun and Wadi El Rayan during your visit.

Day 12: Baharyia Oasis

After having breakfast in the early morning, you will embark on a journey to [Baharyia Oasis](#) to visit two remarkable attractions.

The first stop is the [White Desert](#), situated approximately 45 kilometers north of [Farafra Oasis](#) in the New Valley Governorate, southwest of Cairo. The name "White Desert" originates from the predominantly white color that covers most of its landscape. This expansive desert spans a total area of 3,010 square kilometers and was declared a nature reserve in 2002. It serves as an open museum for studying desert environments, geological phenomena, fossils, wildlife, and even ancient artifacts dating back to the prehistoric era. The White Desert is a breathtaking sight to behold.

Next, you will visit the Black Desert. Located at the edge of the Black Desert are volcanic hills that erupted long ago, resulting in the emergence of a volcanic substance called Jasper. This substance forms the distinctive black landscape of the Black Desert. The English Mountain, which is the highest peak in the Black Desert, adds to the scenic beauty of the area.

After exploring the White Desert and the Black Desert, you will be taken back to Cairo, where you will spend the night at a hotel.

For the day, your meals will include breakfast and lunch. Enjoy the unique geological formations, the contrasting colors of the deserts, and the fascinating natural wonders during your visit to Baharyia Oasis.

Day 13: The End of Service

Take your breakfast, then travel to the international airport in Cairo to catch your flight, marking the end of our service.

Breakfast is a day's meal.