

EGYPT

09 Nights/ 10 Days

Cairo(03N) – Nile Cruise (03N)- Hurghada (03N)

DAY 01: ARRIVE CAIRO

Arrive at Cairo International Airport, where you will be warmly welcomed and assisted through immigration formalities. Transfer to your hotel via Old Cairo, enjoying panoramic views of the historic Citadel and the city's famous mosques along the way. Upon arrival, check in and take some time to refresh. In the evening, enjoy dinner at a traditional oriental restaurant. You may also choose to attend the optional Sound & Light Show at the Pyramids before returning to your hotel for an overnight stay in Cairo.

DAY 02: CAIRO - PYRAMIDS, SPHINX, MUSEUM, KHAN EL KHALILI

After breakfast, begin your day with a visit to the magnificent Pyramids of Giza, including the Great Pyramids of Cheops, Chephren, and Mycerinus. Continue to the iconic Great Sphinx, one of Egypt's most famous monuments. You may also choose to visit a traditional papyrus institute or a local perfume shop (optional) to learn about Egypt's ancient crafts.

Enjoy lunch at a traditional oriental restaurant before heading to the world-renowned Egyptian Museum, home to an extraordinary collection of ancient Egyptian artifacts and treasures. Later, take a scenic drive through downtown Cairo and explore the vibrant Khan El Khalili Bazaar, where you can browse for souvenirs, handicrafts, spices, and local delicacies. Return to your hotel for dinner and an overnight stay in Cairo.

DAY 03: CAIRO TO ASWAN - NILE CRUISE

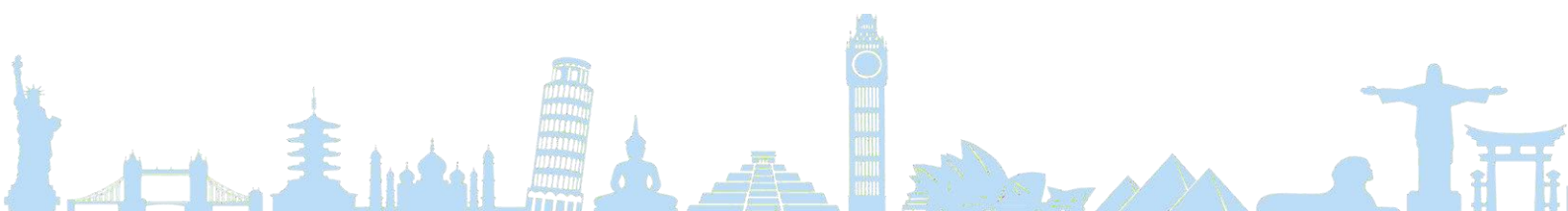
After an early morning flight to Aswan, begin a guided tour of this beautiful city. Visit the impressive Aswan High Dam and the historic Old Aswan Dam, followed by a tour of the magnificent Temple of Philae, dedicated to the goddess Isis. Later, board your luxurious Nile Cruise and complete the check-in formalities. In the afternoon, unwind with a traditional felucca sail around the scenic Elephantine Island and the Botanical Island, offering breathtaking views of the Nile. Return to the cruise for dinner and enjoy an overnight stay onboard.

DAY 04: ABU SIMBEL (OPTIONAL) - NILE CRUISE (KOM EMBO, EDFU)

Start the day with an optional early morning excursion to the magnificent Temples of Abu Simbel, one of Egypt's most remarkable archaeological treasures, renowned for their colossal statues and rich history. Return to the Nile Cruise and sail towards Kom Ombo, where you will visit the unique Ptolemaic Temple dedicated to the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Horus the Elder (Haroeris). Continue cruising along the Nile to Edfu, enjoying the scenic landscapes and relaxing atmosphere onboard. Overnight stay on the Nile Cruise.

DAY 05: EDFU TO LUXOR

After breakfast, visit the remarkably well-preserved Temple of Horus in Edfu, one of the finest ancient temples in Egypt. Return to the Nile Cruise and sail through the Esna Lock towards Luxor, enjoying the picturesque scenery along the Nile. Upon arrival in Luxor, explore the magnificent Karnak Temple Complex,

					
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the largest religious site ever built in ancient Egypt. Later, enjoy an exterior view of the beautifully illuminated Luxor Temple before returning to the cruise. Overnight stay onboard the Nile Cruise.

DAY 06: LUXOR _WEST BANK TOUR _ TRANSFER TO HURGHADA

After breakfast on board, check out from the Nile Cruise and begin your exploration of Luxor's legendary West Bank. Visit the renowned Valley of the Kings, the royal burial site of Egypt's pharaohs, followed by the magnificent Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, celebrated for its impressive architecture and historical significance. After the tour, disembark from the cruise and transfer by air-conditioned coach to the beautiful Red Sea resort of Hurghada. Upon arrival, check in to your hotel and spend the remainder of the day at leisure, relaxing or enjoying the resort's facilities. Overnight stay in Hurghada.

DAY 07 HURGHADA – FREE AT LEISURE

Enjoy leisurely days in the beautiful Red Sea resort of Hurghada, where you can relax on pristine beaches or explore the area's exciting attractions at your own pace.

A wide range of **optional activities** is available, including snorkeling and scuba diving among vibrant coral reefs, boat cruises, windsurfing, kitesurfing, waterskiing, and an unforgettable underwater adventure aboard the Sindbad Submarine. For those seeking adventure on land, optional desert safaris, camel rides, traditional Bedouin dinners, and stargazing experiences offer a unique glimpse into Egypt's desert landscapes and culture. Overnight stays in Hurghada.

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DAY 09: HURGHADA - CAIRO

After breakfast at the hotel, check out and transfer to Hurghada International Airport for your domestic flight to Cairo. Upon arrival in Cairo, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Check in and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure, allowing time to relax or explore the city on your own. Overnight stay in Cairo.

DAY 10: DEPARTURE

After breakfast at the hotel, check out and transfer to Cairo International Airport for your onward flight.

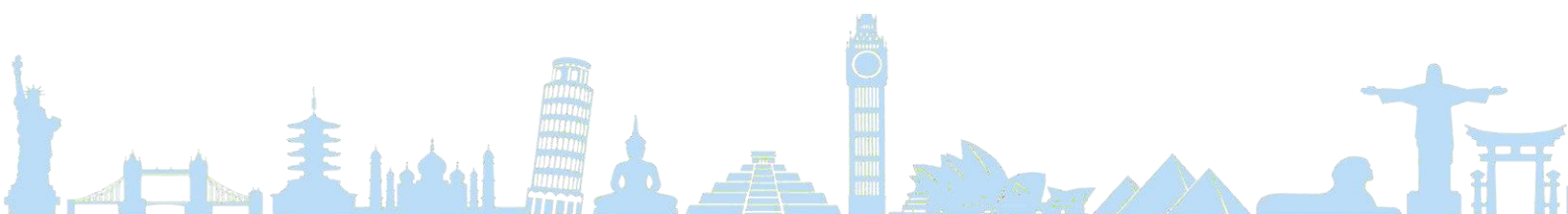
INCLUSIONS:

- Meet and assist services upon arrival and departure at Cairo, Aswan, and Luxor Airports.
- All airport and hotel transfers in private, air-conditioned vehicles.
- Private full-day guided sightseeing tour of the Pyramids of Giza, the Great Sphinx, the Egyptian Museum, and Khan El Khalili Bazaar, including entrance fees.
- 3 nights' accommodation in Cairo on a Bed & Breakfast (BB) basis.

- 3 nights' accommodation onboard a 5-star Nile Cruise on a Full Board (FB) basis, including breakfast, lunch, and dinner (beverages not included).
- 3 nights' accommodation in Hurghada on an All-Inclusive (AI) basis.
- Private sightseeing excursions during the Nile Cruise (for Excel Travel clients on cruises following the same itinerary), accompanied by a professional English-speaking guide.
- Sightseeing in Aswan, including the High Dam and the Temple of Philae.
- Visits to the Temples of Kom Ombo and Edfu while cruising along the Nile.
- Sightseeing in Luxor's West Bank, including the Valley of the Kings, the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, and the Colossi of Memnon.

EXCLUSIONS

- Egypt entry visa fees.
- Expenses of a personal nature, including tips, laundry, telephone calls, beverages, and any other personal expenses.
- Entrance fees to the interior of any of the three Pyramids of Giza.
- Domestic flights, which will be charged as per the applicable airfare at the time of booking.
- Mandatory Christmas and New Year's Eve Gala Dinner supplements, where applicable.
- The itinerary is based on departure from Luxor. Any request for return transfers to Cairo on Day 7 will incur an additional transfer charges



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