



Ancient Egypt Expedition

Oct 20-Oct 28, 2021

The Best of Ancient Egypt. We will begin in **Cairo** where we will have guided tours of the Giza plateau featuring the Great Pyramid, Sphinx, Memphis and Sakkara. Along with a tour of the Egyptian National Museum, where you will be amazed by King Tut's treasures, Khan El Khalily Bazaar and the mosques and architecture of old Cairo. We will then make our way to **Luxor** to board the Nile Queen for a 6-day river cruise traveling from Luxor to Aswan. We will be treated to breathtaking views while sailing on the Nile where we will stop for day trips to see ancient ruins, archaeological treasures, and ancient villages.



Nile River Cruise. Embark on Oct. 23 for 6 days/5 nights traveling from Luxor to Aswan. Sail on the beautiful Aggressor **Nile Queen** and travel back in time to see the land of the pharaohs that has changed little since they ruled. The Nile Queen has 8 air-conditioned staterooms, each with a large picture window, a private bathroom and shower. No big cruise ship for our group! Your adventure will include daily guided tours of Karnak Temple, Luxor Temple, Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut Temple and many other ancient sites. This is truly an adventure of a lifetime!

Package Includes:

- ❖ 3 night hotel stays in Cairo (Le Meridien Pyramids)
- ❖ Meet & Greet from tour staff
- ❖ All transfers and sightseeing by private AC coach
- ❖ English speaking guides
- ❖ Breakfast each morning in Cairo
- ❖ RT Airport Transfer to Nile Queen in Luxor
- ❖ Accommodation aboard Nile Queen
- ❖ All meals, snacks, non-alcoholic beverages, local beer & wine aboard Nile Queen
- ❖ All tours, entrance fees & transfers on Nile River Cruise
- ❖ Abu Simbel flight (if opting for Abu Simbel add-on)
- ❖ Trip swag
- ❖ Pre & post trip parties
- ❖ Group escort



Not Included:

- ❖ International & Domestic Airfare
- ❖ Entry Visa
- ❖ \$80 USD Port Fee
- ❖ Meals & beverages not listed
- ❖ Gratuities
- ❖ Travel insurance
- ❖ Airline luggage fees
- ❖ Transportation & fees for independent activities

ADD ON OPTIONS:

Hot Air Balloon over Luxor--\$199 pp

Take to the skies by the light of sunrise as you glide over landmarks of Luxor in a hot air balloon. Observe the complex of temples and chapels at Karnak to the east, then cast your eyes to the west for views of Hatshepsut Temple in its dramatic spot at the foot of colossal cliffs. A truly magical way to experience the Valley of the Kings.



- *Must be paid in full upon booking to reserve your spot.*
- *Non-refundable. Space is limited*



Abu Simbel Excursion--\$399 pp

The site of Abu Simbel is one of Egypt's most awe-inspiring structures. Comprised of two temples; one devoted to Ramesses II and next to it a smaller temple dedicated to his wife Queen Nefertari. Overlooking Lake Nasser this landmark has a storied history, both ancient and recent. In the 1960s the temples had to be disassembled and moved due to the rising water levels of Lake Nasser caused by the construction of a new high dam in Aswan. Our tour will

begin at the High Dam, after which we will take a short flight (included in price) to Abu Simbel. Our English-speaking guide will lead us on a tour of the Sun Temple of Ramesses II & the Temple of his wife the Queen Nefertari. After our tour, we will return to Aswan and have a chance to tour Philae Temple & the Unfinished Obelisk and then proceed back to the Aswan airport for our flight back to Cairo.

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Master Stateroom

**Queen Bed, 150 sq. ft., Larger bathroom*

\$2799 cash/club member

\$2899 credit card
(only 2 rooms available)

Deluxe Stateroom

**Twin Beds, 100 sq. ft., Smaller bathroom*

\$2679 cash/club member

\$2779 credit card

All pricing based on double occupancy, single occ additional charge

Non club member add \$50 to cash price, add \$150 to cc price

- ❖ **Egypt Tour Only**—You must arrive in Cairo (CAI) by Oct. 20 & return on Oct. 28/29
- ❖ **Egypt Tour + Diving**—You must arrive in Cairo (CAI) by Oct. 20 & return from either Cairo (CAI) or Hurghada (HRG) on Nov. 7

Inter-Country Flights:

- Cairo (CAI) to Luxor (LXR)—Oct 23
- Aswan (ASW) to Cairo (CAI)—Oct 28 ***If you are doing Egypt Tour Only***
- Aswan (ASW) to Cairo (CAI) to Hurghada (HRG)—Oct 28 ***Continuing on to Red Sea Liveboard***

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