

# **Egypt Classic**

08 Days | Private Tour | Run every Tuesday from Cairo Family, Nile Cruise, Cultural & Historical



# Introduction:

TOUR SUMMARY

This stunning tailor-made tour to Egypt is especially designed for the lovers of the ancient Pharaonic civilization, impressive temples and unique temple complexes, the Cairo & Nile Cruise package is one of the finest Egypt travel packages Vantage Travel is proud to offer.

It enables our dear guests, coming from all over the world to visit Egypt, a unique chance to explore the top tourist sites of Cairo in two days to visit the Great Pyramids of Giza, the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities and many other attractive sites including the unique collection of our Coptic & Islamic sites. This is besides having the chance to enjoy a three-nights cruise from Aswan to Luxor, passing by the highlights of the south including the impressive collection of the ancient Egyptian temple complexes, the stunning royal tombs and the awesome open air museums that located everywhere in Luxor & Aswan.

Looking forward to welcoming you soon!

Sincerely, Vantage Travels Team



# **Detailed Itinerary:**

DAY BY DAY PROGRAM

#### Day 01: Tuesday "Arrival to Egypt"

Upon arrival to Cairo International Airport, you will be met by our English-speaking representative, who will help you in all formalities at the airport like passing the passport control and collecting your luggage. Then, you will be transferred to the hotel in Cairo by private Air-conditioned vehicle. We will check in the hotel within few minutes! The rest of the day is FREE at leisure on your own in Cairo, where we can offer you various OPTIONAL tours that enable you to explore this marvelous city by night. [No Meals]







#### What is included?

- ✓ Meet and assist by our English-speaking representative.
- ☑ Transportation by Air-conditioned vehicles with qualified driver.
- ✓ One bottle of mineral water per person.

#### Day 02: Wednesday "Cairo Pyramids Tour"

Energizing breakfast at your hotel. After that, you will be met by our expert, Egyptologist tour guide, who will join you in such awe-inspiring tour to visit Pyramids of Giza, constructed around 2500 BC as the necropolis of the kings of the fourth dynasty. We will then proceed to Sakkara to visit The Step Pyramid Complex, which is considered to be the oldest surviving stone monument in the whole world. We will then have a short break for lunch at local restaurant in Cairo. Our last visit will be to The Open-Air Museum in Memphis, which was established in the 32nd century BC by King Narmer after he unified Upper and Lower Egypt and became the first capital of the whole country. After that, we will transfer you back to your hotel for rest and refresh. Overnight in Cairo. [Breakfast & Lunch]







### What's included?

- ☑ Guiding by our Professional, Egyptologist Tour Guide.
- ☑ Transportation by Air-conditioned vehicles with qualified driver.
- ☑ Entrance fees to the indicated tourist sites.



# Day 03: Thursday "Cairo City Tour"

Breakfast will be served at your hotel. After that, you'll be met by our expert, Egyptologist tour guide, who will join you in such a wonderful tour to the Egyptian Museum, the largest museum in the world with a huge collection of displays dating back to various periods of the ancient Egyptian history. We will then drive to Old Cairo Area to visit the Citadel of Saladin, constructed in the 10th century by Saladin to protect Egypt and became the residence of Egypt's rulers for more than seven centuries. At the end of the tour and before we get back to our hotel, we will have a short visit to the Coptic Cairo Area, including the Hanging Church and the well-known church of Abu Serga. We will then transfer you back to your hotel. The rest of the day is FREE at leisure on your own in Cairo to explore the city by night! Truly amazing! [Breakfast & Lunch]







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#### Day 04: Friday "Aswan Classic Tour"

Early check out from your hotel. Later on, you'll be met by our representative in Cairo, who will transfer you to Cairo Airport, to catch your domestic flight to Aswan. Upon arrival, you'll be met by our local representative in Aswan, who will transfer you to your five-star Nile Cruise boat. After lunch, we will start our city tour in Aswan by visiting the High Dam, originally constructed to store the water and then generate electricity. Later on, we will ride a motorboat to Agilika Island, where we will visit Temple of Philae, constructed in the 3rd century BC in the Greco Roman period and was dedicated to goddess Isis, mother of Horus. At the end of our city tour in Aswan, we will visit the Unfinished Obelisk, if completed, it would have been the largest piece of stone humans ever dealt with. Finally, we will get back to the boat to have some rest before the evening show that will be operated on board by the staff. It is a nice and interesting show. [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]







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- ☑ Transportation by Air-conditioned vehicles with qualified driver.
- ✓ Entrance fees to the indicated sites.



#### Day 05: Saturday "Kom Ombo & Edfu"

Energizing breakfast on board before our full day tour. Our Nile Cruise ship will land at the location of the city of Kom Ombo to visit Temple of Sobek & Haroeris, which was established in the Ptolemaic period and completed in the Roman era and was dedicated to two gods, Sobek and Haroeris. After that, we will get back to our boat for Lunch. Arrange yourself for the second visit of the day to Temple of Horus in Edfu, the finest preserved ancient Egyptian temple in the land of the Nile. After that, we will return to our Nile Cruise ship for rest and refresh. Evening time is free at leisure on your own on board, so you can enjoy the oriental show that will be operated by staff. Dinner and overnight on board. [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]







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- ☑ Entrance fees to the indicated sites

#### Day 06: Sunday "West Bank of Luxor"

Morning time is free at leisure on your own in Luxor, where we can offer "optional tour" to try the Hot Air Balloon over the West Bank of Luxor. After breakfast, we will explore the Valley of the Kings, the richest and most fascinating ancient tombs in Egypt. This was the burial site of the kings from the New Kingdom. The next visit of the day will be to the impressive Temple of Deir El Bahari, constructed during the reign of the 18th dynasty by Queen Hatshepsut, one of the greatest rulers of Egypt. We will then visit the Colossi of Memnon; these two huge statues are the only remaining items of the great funerary temple of Amenhotep III constructed in 1350 BC and became a landmark of Luxor afterwards. After this marvelous tour, we will transfer you back to your Nile Cruise to have some rest. Evening time is yours to explore the beaten tracks of Luxor on your own, however, we can offer you marvelous attractive OPTIONAL tours if you wish like the attractive Sound & Light Show at the Karnak Temples – this one is highly recommended! [Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner]







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# Day 07: Monday "East Bank of Luxor"

Enjoy your breakfast on board before exploring the east bank of Luxor including two marvelous temple complexes. Our first visit of the day will be to Karnak Temples Complex, almost all the impressive items of the Karnak we see today date back to the new kingdom specially the huge amazing columns of the hypostyle hall, which are constructed by the famous king, Ramses II. We will then visit the Temple of Luxor, which was established around the 14th century BC and the construction continued for many years afterwards by Ramses II, Queen Hatshepsut, and many other Pharaohs. After the tour, we will transfer you by private Air-conditioned vehicle to Luxor airport in order to catch your domestic flight to Cairo. Upon arrival to Cairo Airport, you'll be met by our representative, who will help and assist you in collecting luggage, and transfer you to your hotel in Cairo for check in-rest and refresh. Evening time is FREE at leisure on your own, in order to enjoy this beautiful city by night! Cairo is clean, modern and safe city. Overnight in Cairo. [Breakfast]







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- ☑ Entrance fees to the indicated sites.

### Day 08: Tuesday "Departure from Egypt"

Check out after breakfast. Later on, you'll be met by our English-speaking representative, who will transfer you to Cairo International Airport in order to catch your departure flight to your next destination after spending few days exploring the awesome monuments of Egypt. [Breakfast]







End of The Program Itinerary!