

8 Days on the Nile: A Luxor to Luxor Journey of a Lifetime

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About

Embark on a **7 Night Nile Cruise** and sail through the heart of Egypt's most iconic historical treasures. This is not just a trip it's a transformative experience that brings you closer to the ancient world, with every moment offering a new discovery. Glide along the legendary Nile River, from Luxor to Aswan and back, visiting some of the most famous archaeological sites in the world, including the **Valley of the Kings**, **Karnak Temple**, and **Philae Temple**. All the while, you'll enjoy the comfort of a **5-star cruise ship**, with exquisite dining, expert guides, and breathtaking scenery.

Whether you're marvelling at the grand temples or watching the serene beauty of the Nile from your deck, this **7 Night Nile River Cruise** offers an unparalleled way to experience Egypt, making it a journey you will cherish forever.

Cruise Schedule: Every Saturday, Monday, or Thursday

? Why book with Journey To Egypt?

U.S.-registered corporation and travel agent

TripAdvisor Traveler's Choice Award Winner from 2016 to 2024

Expert local guides and authentic experiences

? Why You'll Love This

- Sail aboard a 5-star cruise ship on the world's most iconic river.
- Visit the Valley of the Kings, home to the tombs of Egypt's most legendary pharaohs.
- Discover breathtaking temples in Edfu, Kom Ombo, and Aswan.
- Sail on a traditional felucca through the tranquil waters of the Nile.
- Personalise your experience with optional tours like Abu Simbel or a Nubian village visit.

? Important to Know

Prices are quoted in US Dollars Per Person Per Trip, Except during Christmas, New Year (From 20th December to 2nd January)& Easter holidays (From 28th of March to the 17th of April).

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Kom Ombo

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? Included

- Meet and assist upon arrival and departure.
- 7-night accommodation on a 5-star Nile cruise, full board.
- Certified professional tour guides.
- All excursions and entrance fees as mentioned in the itinerary.
- Traditional felucca ride in Aswan.
- Bottled water during excursions.
- All service charges and taxes.

? Excluded

- Domestic flights (Cairo/Luxor and Luxor/Cairo).
- Optional tours.
- Drinks (available at an additional cost).
- Gratuities for guides, drivers, and cruise staff.
- Optional Tours: Hot Air Balloon Ride in Luxor – \$125 per person.
- Optional Tours: Abu Simbel Tour from Aswan – \$130 per person.

Prices

Day 1

Arrival in Luxor and Boarding Your Nile Cruise

Upon arrival at **Luxor airport** (or any other location, including the train station or your hotel), you will be met by our team and transferred to your **5-star Nile cruise ship**. After check-in, enjoy a leisurely lunch onboard as you begin your journey along the majestic Nile River. Settle into your cabin and prepare for a once-in-a-lifetime adventure.

Meals: Lunch, Dinner.

Day 2

Valley of the Kings & West Bank Exploration

Begin your day exploring the West Bank, home to some of the most incredible ancient sites in Egypt. Walk through the **Valley of the Kings**, where you'll enter the tombs of Egypt's greatest rulers, including the tomb of **Tutankhamun**. Next, visit the awe-inspiring **Temple of Queen Hatshepsut**, one of the most famous temples in the world. End your tour with a stop at the towering **Colossi of Memnon**, two massive stone statues that have watched over the Nile for millennia. In the evening, your **7 Night Nile Cruise** continues as you sail towards Edfu.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 3

Visit Edfu and Kom Ombo Temples Along the Nile

Today, your **7 Night Nile River Cruise** takes you to the **Temple of Horus** in Edfu, one of Egypt's best-preserved temples, dedicated to the falcon god Horus. After lunch, the cruise heads towards **Kom Ombo**, where you'll visit the unique **Temple of Kom Ombo**, shared by two gods—Sobek and Haroeris. This evening, enjoy a special **Egyptian Night** on board, where you can dress up in traditional Egyptian attire and join in the celebrations.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 4

Explore Aswan: Philae Temple & Scenic Felucca Cruise

Arriving in **Aswan**, the cruise takes you to visit the **Aswan High Dam**, a marvel of modern engineering that has shaped the course of Egypt's future. From there, enjoy a scenic boat ride to the stunning **Philae Temple**, which was painstakingly relocated to an island to protect it from the rising Nile waters. In the afternoon, relax on a traditional felucca as it sails around the peaceful islands of Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 5

Optional Excursions: Iconic Abu Simbel or Vibrant Nubian Village

Enjoy a flexible day as part of your **7 Night Nile River Cruise**, with **two optional experiences available**:

Abu Simbel Temples: Discover the incredible twin temples of Abu Simbel, built by Ramses II and one of Egypt's most impressive sights (Pre-bookable at \$130 per person).

Nubian Village Visit: Experience the vibrant culture of the Nubian people with a guided tour to a traditional Nubian village, where you'll learn about their customs and way of life (Optional at \$125 per person).

Return to the cruise for a relaxing evening.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 6

Explore Kom Ombo & Sailing to Edfu

On this day, stop again at **Kom Ombo** to explore the temple further and visit the **Crocodile Museum**, where you'll see mummified crocodiles that once basked along the Nile. Sail towards Edfu, enjoying the picturesque scenery of the Nile and the lush greenery that lines its banks. This evening, join in for another **Egyptian Night** onboard, full of festivities and entertainment.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 7

Karnak Temple Complex & Luxor Temple Exploration

Your **7 Night Nile cruise** returns to Luxor for an awe-inspiring exploration of the **Karnak Temple Complex**, one of the most extraordinary archaeological sites in the world. Walk through the impressive **Hypostyle Hall** with its towering columns, and marvel at the ancient carvings that tell the stories of the pharaohs. Afterward, visit the **Luxor Temple**, a grand monument to ancient Egyptian civilisation.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner.

Day 8

Departure from Luxor

After breakfast, it's time to disembark your 5-star Nile cruise. You'll be transferred to Luxor airport or another chosen destination, with memories of your **7 Night Nile River Cruise** that will stay with you forever.

Meals: Breakfast.

Cancellation Policy

Free rescheduling is available up to **30 days before the travel date**, subject to availability. No rescheduling fee will be charged; however, any increase in the package price for the new travel date must be paid by the guest.

Location & Meeting Point

Meeting point: Luxor Airport (or any other location, including the train station or your hotel)