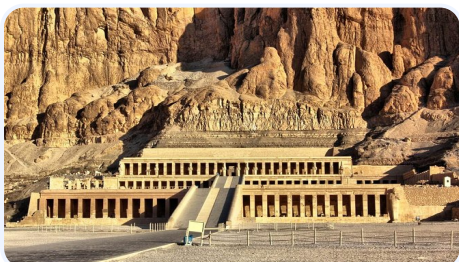


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About

Experience a truly unforgettable journey through Luxor's most iconic treasures, combining an exhilarating aerial adventure with an immersive cultural discovery. Your day begins at first light, lifting off into the skies to watch the sunrise illuminate ancient monuments, before returning to earth to explore the spectacular royal treasures of the West Bank. Led by your dedicated private certified Egyptologist guide, this comprehensive tour seamlessly wraps high-flying adventure, monumental history, and a peaceful Nile cruise into one extraordinary, personalized Egyptian experience.

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- Enjoy the complete exclusivity and personalized pace of a fully private ground tour
- Ascend at sunrise for a breathtaking shared hot air balloon flight over the Nile Valley
- Visit the royal tombs of the Valley of the Kings and uncover the eternal secrets of the pharaohs
- Stand before the iconic Temple of Hatshepsut and discover the incredible legacy of Egypt's powerful female ruler
- Enjoy a peaceful, private glide across the Nile on a traditional canvas-sail felucca surrounded by timeless charm

Important to Know

- **Accessibility:** This activity is strictly unsuitable for anyone with recent injuries, individuals who have had surgery, anyone with back, hip, or knee problems, severe health concerns, walking difficulties, serious auditory conditions, or guests who are or may be pregnant.
- **Extra fees to be paid on site:** Entry to three royal tombs is fully included with your standard Valley of the Kings ticket. Please note that the interior tombs of King Tutankhamun and Ramses VI require separate entry tickets, which can be purchased at the main gate using a credit or debit card only.
- **Know in advance:** Please note that while the ground tour, transfers, guide, and felucca ride are completely private for your group, the hot air balloon flight itself takes place in a shared basket with other travelers.
- **To book,** select the option that corresponds exactly to your specific group size (from Option 1 for a solo traveler up to Option 6 for groups of 6 to 15 participants). Pricing is charged per person and includes your private vehicle and private Egyptologist guide.
- The hot air balloon flight is entirely subject to favorable weather and wind conditions. In the rare event that weather prevents the balloon from operating, you will receive a partial refund for that component of the tour. If wind conditions prevent the felucca from sailing, it will be replaced with a traditional motorboat.
- Flight duration is normally around 45 minutes, but can vary between 40 and 90 minutes based on air temperature and air currents.
- Please provide a reliable mobile number at checkout so the local operator can send you your final exact pickup time 24 hours before the experience begins.
- The minimum age for children on this flight is 6 years, and they must be accompanied by an adult.
- **Remember to bring:** A digital or physical copy of your passport (required during the confirmation process).
- A sun hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, your camera, comfortable casual clothing, sturdy walking shoes, and small bottles of water.
- Since this tour departs very early in the morning, we highly recommend requesting a complimentary breakfast box from your hotel reception or cruise ship coordinator the evening before departure.

Related Cities



Luxor

Egypt

Included

- Private certified local expert tour guide
- Private transportation in a comfortable, air-conditioned vehicle
- Shared hot air balloon flight with an expert pilot
- Entrance fees to the Valley of the Kings (3 tombs) and Hatshepsut Temple
- Private traditional felucca sailboat ride with light refreshments
- Hotel or cruise ship pickup and drop-off

Excluded

- Tipping (gratuities for your private guide, driver, balloon pilot, and boat crew)
- Entry tickets for the Tombs of Tutankhamun or Ramses VI
- Drinks and personal expenses

Day By Day Itinerary

Day

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Your adventure begins with an early morning pickup directly from your hotel lobby or cruise ship in Luxor in a comfortable, private air-conditioned vehicle. You will transfer straight to the West Bank launch site, where you'll join a shared basket for an unforgettable hot air balloon flight, spending approximately 45 minutes floating gracefully above the desert plains, green fields, and timeless villages as they glow in the morning sun. After a smooth landing near the historic Colossi of Memnon, you will leave the shared flight group behind to meet your private guide. From there, you will head straight to the world-renowned Valley of the Kings. Here, your private guide will lead you inside three magnificent royal tombs to marvel at the vibrant, well-preserved hieroglyphics and wall paintings. Next, you will visit the breathtaking Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, a dramatic terraced architectural masterpiece carved directly into the towering limestone cliffs of Deir el-Bahari. To conclude your extraordinary day, your group will step aboard a traditional wooden felucca for a private sailboat ride across the Nile, crossing smoothly from the West Bank back to the East Bank while enjoying light refreshments, before being transferred back to your hotel or cruise ship.

Cancellation Policy

Receive a 100% refund if you cancel up to 72 hours before the experience begins.

Prices

Explore our plans and start your journey.

Persons (From)	Journey price	general.old_price
Per person from 6 Persons	\$230	-
Per person from 5 Persons	\$240	-
Per person from 4 Persons	\$260	-
Per person from 3 Persons	\$285	-
Per person from 2 Persons	\$345	-
One Person Traveling Alone	\$505	-

Location & Meeting Point

Private pickup and drop-off service is fully included from your hotel lobby or cruise ship dock in Luxor. Please provide your hotel name and address for pick-up at checkout. The pick-up location is in the hotel's lobby unless otherwise specified.

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