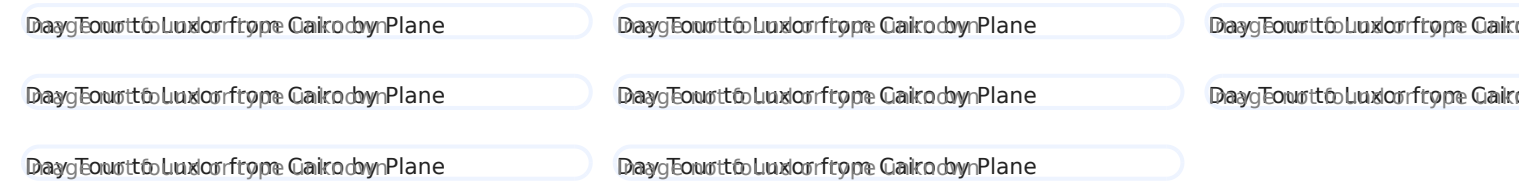


Explore Luxor in a Day from Cairo by Plane | Generated: July 31, 2026

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About

Experience the magic of ancient Egypt's capital on an exclusive, private day trip to Luxor from Cairo by plane. Designed for travelers who want to maximize their time, this fully guided excursion invites you to discover the world-famous Valley of the Kings and the breathtaking Temple of Queen Hatshepsut on the West Bank, followed by the monumental Karnak Temple on the East Bank. From your initial morning pickup to your return flight, the Journey To Egypt team will handle every single detail, providing a seamless, stress-free adventure to the world's greatest open-air museum.

? 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

- **Fly-In Convenience:** Skip the exhausting train or bus rides and arrive in Luxor relaxed, refreshed, and ready to explore.
- **West Bank Treasures:** Walk through the Valley of the Kings and stand before the breathtaking cliffside temple of Queen Hatshepsut.
- **Traditional Nile Sailing:** Experience a peaceful felucca ride along the Nile, capturing beautiful panoramic views of Luxor's riverbanks.
- **Complimentary Relaxation Room:** Enjoy a complimentary daytime hotel room in Luxor after your tour ends, giving you a private space to refresh and unwind before your evening flight.

? Important to Know

Required Details After Booking:

- Passport Copies: We require clear copies of all passenger passports immediately after booking in order to secure your domestic airline tickets.
- Hotel Details: Please provide your exact Cairo hotel name and address for your morning and evening transfers.

Flight & Free Time Information:

- Approximate Flight Times: Cairo to Luxor departs around 6:00 AM and arrives around 7:00 AM. Luxor to Cairo departs around 10:00 PM and arrives around 11:00 PM.
- Unwind Before You Fly: Your guided sightseeing tour will wrap up around 4:00 PM (16:00). Because your return flight is later in the evening, Journey To Egypt provides a complimentary hotel day-use room free of charge so you can relax, shower, and rest. If you prefer to fill this evening time with additional activities, your private guide will be delighted to arrange extra excursions on-site for an additional fee.

What to Pack:

- Please wear comfortable walking shoes and lightweight, breathable clothing. Bring a sun hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, a bottle of water, and cash for shopping, extra drinks, and tipping.

Related Cities

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Luxor

Egypt

? Included

- Round-trip domestic flight tickets
(Cairo–Luxor–Cairo)
- Full meet-and-greet service at both airports
- Private, certified professional Egyptologist tour guide
- All site entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Scenic Nile Felucca boat ride in Luxor
- Delicious lunch at a local Luxor restaurant
- Private, air-conditioned vehicle transfers
- Complimentary day-use hotel room in Luxor to relax
- All service charges, local taxes, and hotel transfers

? Excluded

- Entry ticket to go inside King Tutankhamun's tomb
- Tipping and gratuities for your guide and driver
- Any personal shopping, snacks, or extra drinks

Day

Luxor Sightseeing Tour from Cairo by Plane

Your private Egypt day tour begins with an early morning pickup from your Cairo hotel by a friendly Journey To Egypt representative, who will transfer you comfortably to Cairo International Airport for your short flight to Luxor. Upon landing, your private, expert Egyptologist guide will be waiting for you right outside the arrival exit door, holding a sign with your name. Your exploration kicks off as you cross the Nile River to Luxor's legendary West Bank, home to the richest and most celebrated ancient burial grounds on earth: the Valley of the Kings. Here, you will step inside magnificent royal tombs carved directly into the desert rock, where vivid paintings and hieroglyphs still preserve their ancient splendor. You will even stand in the very valley where King Tutankhamun's treasure-filled tomb was famously discovered in November 1922.

Next, you will proceed to Deir El-Bahari to marvel at the mortuary Temple of Queen Hatshepsut. Built around 1500 BC, this architectural masterpiece features dramatic terraced colonnades that blend seamlessly into the towering limestone cliffs behind it. Afterward, you will make a stop at the colossal twin statues known as the Colossi of Memnon, where your guide will share the ancient Roman legends of the "singing statues" cracked by an ancient earthquake. After a delicious lunch at a local restaurant, you will cross over to the East Bank of the Nile to explore the awe-inspiring Karnak Temple complex. Dedicated to the sun god Amun-Ra, this massive complex functions like a history book in stone, consisting of incredible halls, obelisks, and sanctuaries added to by successive pharaohs over thousands of years, stretching all the way to the Roman era. Your Luxor experience also features a relaxing Nile felucca tour, allowing you to sail the historic waters in a traditional Egyptian sailboat. At the conclusion of your sightseeing, you will be transferred back to Luxor Airport for your return flight to Cairo, where our driver will be waiting to take you safely back to your hotel.

Location & Meeting Point

Pickup & Drop-off: Convenient round-trip transportation is included directly from your hotel or accommodation anywhere within Cairo or Giza. Simply enter your accommodation details during checkout, and our team will coordinate your airport transfer.