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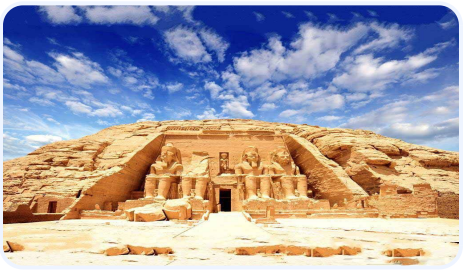
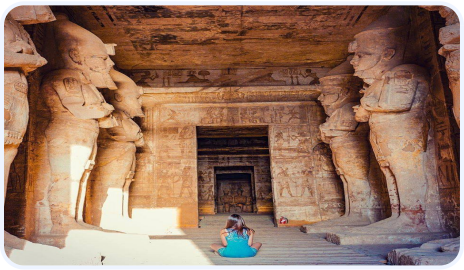

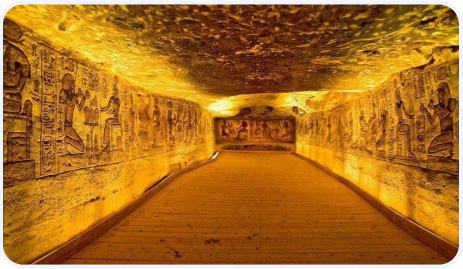
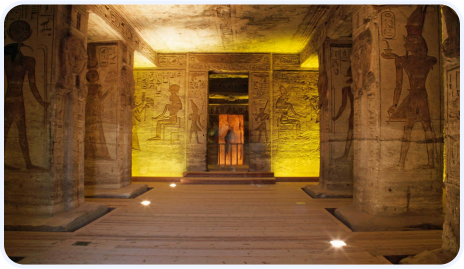

About

Journey deep into the Nubian desert to discover the monumental Great Temples of Abu Simbel, one of the most breathtaking architectural achievements of the ancient world. This full-day excursion takes you from Aswan to the edge of Lake Nasser, where the colossal rock-cut statues of Ramesses II and Queen Nefertari stand guard. Guided by a certified local expert tour guide, you will uncover the deep historical significance of these 13th-century BC structures and hear the fascinating modern engineering tale of the massive 1960s UNESCO relocation project that saved them from the rising waters of the Nile. After exploring these ancient wonders, you will immerse yourself in local culture with an authentic Nubian lunch—a delicious, aromatic fusion of North African and Middle Eastern flavors served in a traditional setting.

Why book with Journey To Egypt?

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Why You'll Love This

- Marvel at the giant, world-famous rock-cut temples of Abu Simbel on a comprehensive day trip
- Learn the epic history and engineering legends of Ramesses II from a local expert tour guide
- Experience authentic Nubian hospitality and savor a rich, flavorful lunch blending African and
- Middle Eastern culinary traditions
- Enjoy a seamless day with hassle-free round-trip transport from Aswan included

Important to Know

- Know in advance: The tour itinerary and timing are guidelines and may vary slightly based on local traffic, weather, or operational schedules.
- This is a 100% private ground tour tailored exclusively for your group, providing complete flexibility and personalized pacing without a fixed group schedule.
- Remember to bring: Lightweight, comfortable clothing, a sun hat, sunglasses, and high-factor sunscreen for the desert heat.
- A bottle of water to stay hydrated throughout the tour.
- Local currency (Egyptian Pounds) for personal expenses, souvenirs, or tipping.

Related Cities

Aswan

Egypt

Abu Simbel

Egypt

Included

- All official general entrance tickets and fees to the Abu Simbel Temple complex
- Traditional Nubian lunch at a local restaurant
- Certified local expert tour guide
- Round-trip transportation in a private, modern air-conditioned vehicle

Excluded

- Beverages and drinks during lunch
- Tipping and gratuities for the tour guide and drivers
- Personal expenses or optional purchases at the site

Prices

Price quotes are in US dollars per person:

- $200 One Person Traveling Alone.
- $130 From 2 to 3 Persons.
- $120 From 4 to 6 Persons.

Day By Day Itinerary

Day

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Your day begins with a convenient early morning pickup directly from your hotel reception or Nile cruise dock in Aswan. Travel comfortably through the scenic desert landscape in a modern, private air-conditioned vehicle. Upon arrival at Abu Simbel, your local expert tour guide will lead you through the grand complex, starting with the Great Temple of Ramesses II, famous for its four towering seated figures, and continuing to the elegant Temple of Hathor, dedicated to Queen Nefertari. You will have ample time to marvel at the intricate interior reliefs, battle carvings, and the sanctuary chambers. Following your temple exploration, you will be escorted to a local Nubian restaurant to savor a traditional lunch. Indulge in authentic regional specialties, including slowly simmered Tagines cooked in classic conical clay pots alongside freshly baked breads and rich, spiced meats. After a memorable day of history and cultural dining, your private vehicle and driver will smoothly transport you back to Aswan for an afternoon drop-off at your original pickup point.

Cancellation Policy

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

Prices

Explore our plans and start your journey.

Persons (From)	Journey price	general.old_price
Per person from 4 to 6 Persons	$150	-
Per person from 2 to 3 Persons	$160	-
One Person Traveling Alone	$230	-

Location & Meeting Point

Convenient pickup and drop-off service is fully included from the front reception desk of your Aswan hotel or your specific Nile cruise ship dock. Please state your accommodation details at checkout.

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