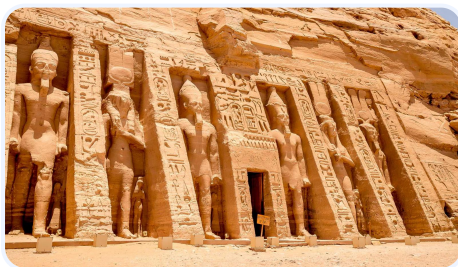
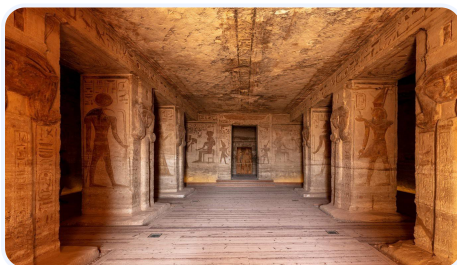
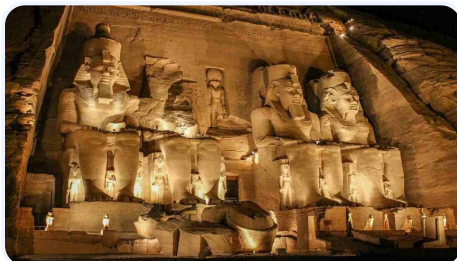


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About

Experience one of the most unforgettable journeys in Upper Egypt with our exclusive overnight Abu Simbel tour from Aswan. Instead of rushing through a long and exhausting day trip, this relaxed adventure allows you to experience the magic of the Nubian desert at a peaceful pace. Your journey includes an evening at the world-famous Abu Simbel Sound and Light Show, a comfortable overnight stay just steps from the majestic monuments, and a captivating sunrise visit. Accompanied by your certified local expert tour guide, you will dive deep into the history of these ancient wonders without the daytime crowds.

Why book with Journey To Egypt?

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Why You'll Love This

- Enjoy a deeply relaxed pace compared to a rushed, exhausting single-day excursion
- Witness the magnificent Abu Simbel Sound and Light Show, widely considered the best in Egypt
- Stand before the colossal rock-cut statues at sunrise before the daytime crowds arrive
- Benefit from the complete exclusivity, comfort, and personalized care of a 100% private tour

Important to Know

- This is a 100% private ground tour tailored exclusively for your group, providing dedicated transportation and your own personal guide throughout the experience.
- The tour timing and schedule can vary slightly based on local weather conditions or your specific hotel location in Aswan.
- It is highly recommended to wear comfortable walking shoes and bring layers, as desert temperatures can be cool in the early morning and evening.
- Remember to bring: A sun hat, sunglasses, high-factor sunscreen, your camera, and personal drinking water.
- Extra cash in local currency for personal shopping, souvenirs, or tipping.

Related Cities



Aswan

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Included

- One-night hotel accommodation in Abu Simbel (Half Board: Dinner and Breakfast included)
- Certified local expert tour guide
- Round-trip private transfers between Aswan and Abu Simbel in a modern, air-conditioned vehicle
- Official entrance tickets to the Abu Simbel Temples and the Sound and Light Show
- One delicious lunch at a quality local restaurant on Day 2
- Complimentary bottled water during transfers
- Meet and assist services by a local representative in Aswan
- All local taxes and service charges

Excluded

- Tipping (gratuities for your local guide and drivers)
- Beverages and drinks during lunch and dinner
- Personal expenses, shopping, or optional activities

Day By Day Itinerary

Day 1

Aswan to Abu Simbel & Evening Sound and Light Show

Your tour begins with an afternoon pickup directly from your hotel lobby or Nile cruise ship in Aswan. Relax inside a comfortable, private air-conditioned vehicle during the scenic 3.5-hour drive across the desert plains to Abu Simbel. Upon arrival, you will check into your hotel and have a few hours to unwind. As darkness falls, you will head to the illuminated temple complex for the spectacular Abu Simbel Sound and Light Show. This immersive multimedia performance uses magnificent lights and dramatic narration to bring the ancient history of Ramesses II and Queen Nefertari to life under the desert stars. Afterward, return to your hotel for a peaceful dinner and overnight stay.

Meals included: Dinner

Day 2

Sunrise Temple Exploration & Return to Aswan

Wake up early for a once-in-a-lifetime sunrise visit to the Great Temples of Abu Simbel. Beating the massive day-trip crowds arriving from Aswan, your local expert tour guide will lead you through the breathtaking twin temples, revealing the rich symbolism, powerful history, and miraculous UNESCO rescue operation behind these world heritage sites. Marvel at the Great Temple of Ramesses II—perfectly aligned with the sun to illuminate the inner sanctuary twice a year—and the elegant Temple of Queen Nefertari, dedicated to the goddess Hathor. After your tour, enjoy a delicious lunch at a local restaurant before making the smooth return journey to Aswan, arriving back at your hotel or cruise ship by late afternoon.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch

Cancellation Policy

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

Location & Meeting Point

Private pickup and drop-off service is fully included from your hotel lobby or Nile cruise ship dock within the Aswan area. Please provide your exact accommodation details at checkout and wait for your representative in the lobby.

