

Splendors of Egypt

Featuring 5 Day Deluxe Nile Cruise plus
Alexandria, Memphis, Sakkara & Dahshur

13 Days – 11 Nights
Friday Departures
Limited to 18 participants

Tour Includes:

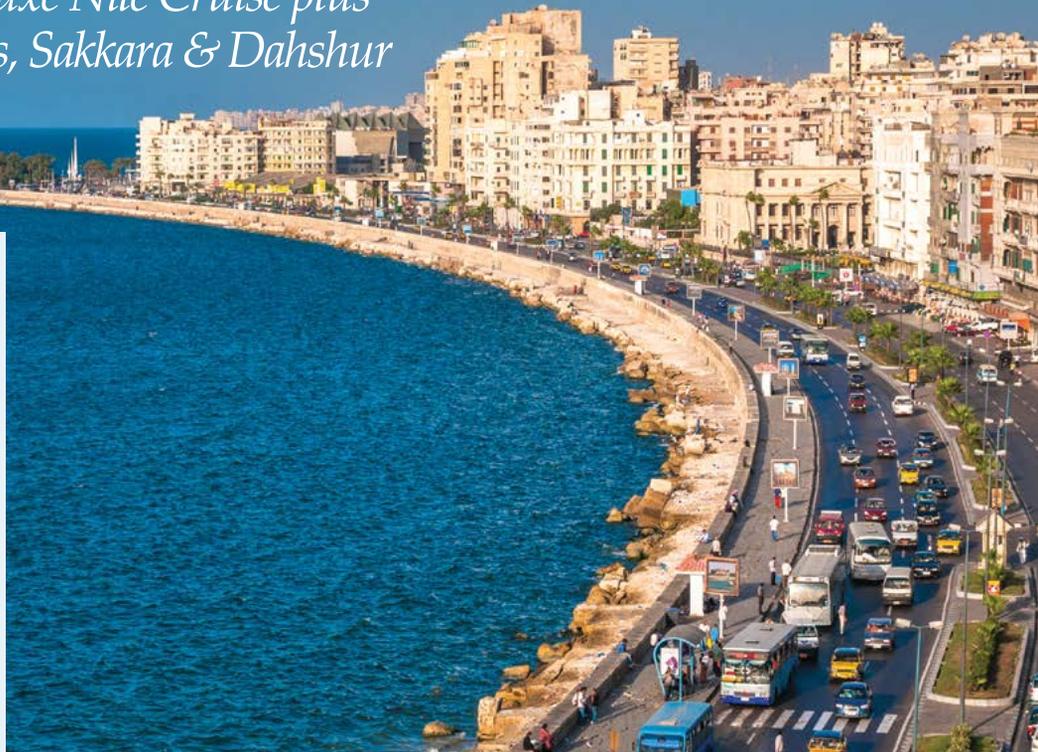
- Escorted by Egyptologist Guide in Cairo
- Deluxe Hotels
- Deluxe 5 Day/4 Night Nile Cruise
- Meals: Buffet Breakfast Daily, 3 Lunches, 1 Dinner in Cairo, All Meals on Cruise
- All Transfers as indicated
- Sightseeing & Shore Excursions by Exclusive Isram Services
- All Entrance Fees to Sites as indicated
- Flights within Egypt as per Itinerary
- Visa for Egypt (USA and Canadian Passports)

Highlights:

- Enter the Great Pyramid of Khufu
- Camel Ride by the Pyramids
- Visit the *NEW* Grand Egyptian Museum & enter the Mummy Room at the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization
- Air Excursion to Abu Simbel
- Visit Alexandria's National Museum and the famed Library of Alexandria
- Explore ancient Memphis, Sakkara & Dahshur

Deluxe Hotels & Nile Cruise:

City/Cruise	Nights	Accommodations
Cairo	2	Sofitel Cairo Downtown Nile - <i>Deluxe Nile View Room</i>
Nile Cruise	4	Sonesta St. George - <i>Deluxe Cabin</i>
Cairo	2	Sofitel Cairo Downtown Nile - <i>Deluxe Nile View Room</i>
Alexandria	1	Steigenberger Cecil – <i>Superior Front Sea View Room</i>
Cairo	2	Sofitel Cairo Downtown Nile - <i>Deluxe Nile View Room</i>
(B) Breakfast	(L) Lunch	(D) Dinner



Corniche – Alexandria

ITINERARY

Friday: En Route

Depart the U.S.A. on your flight to Cairo, Egypt.

Saturday: Cairo

Arrival Cairo; meeting, assistance and transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is at leisure.



Sunday: Cairo

Begin the day with a visit to Giza to see the Three Great Pyramids, the oldest surviving structures built by man; enter the Great Pyramid of Khufu, the oldest and largest of the three pyramids. Stand in awe at the magnificent Sphinx carved out of a single piece of stone, guarding the Giza plateau. Try a camel ride before continuing for lunch at a local restaurant. On to the new, spectacular, must-see Grand Egyptian Museum (GEM), the largest archaeological museum in the world with objects covering 5000 years of ancient Egyptian civilization. GEM is host to over 100,000 artifacts, including King Tut's entire treasure collection. Return to Cairo for overnight. (B,L)

Monday: Cairo / Luxor NILE CRUISE

Transfer to the airport for an early morning flight to Luxor. Arrive and transfer to your Nile Cruise for a 5 Day/4 Night Cruise. After lunch, visit the Avenue of the Sphinxes and the imposing Temple of Luxor with its grand colonnades, standing alone in the heart of town. Continue to the vast Karnak Temple-Complex, built by generations of Pharaohs over a 2000-year period. Evening, enjoy on board entertainment featuring belly dancing. Overnight in Luxor. (B,L,D)

**Tuesday: Luxor / Esna
NILE CRUISE**

After breakfast, visit the Valley of the Kings containing the secretive tombs of New Kingdom Pharaohs. On to the beautifully terraced Temple of Queen Hatshepsut at Deir el Bahari. Pass the famed Colossi of Memnon, standing nearly 70 feet tall. Sail to Esna. Balance of the afternoon at leisure. Join your Captain for a welcome cocktail before dinner. Overnight in Esna. (B.L.D)

**Wednesday: Esna / Edfu / Kom Ombo
NILE CRUISE**

Early morning set sail to Edfu. Visit the Temple of Horus, the best preserved of all large Egyptian Temples, built over 180 year period. In the afternoon arrive in Kom Ombo, a hill town over-looking the banks of the Nile. Visit the Greco-Roman Temple of Kom Ombo, dedicated to Horus, the Sun God and Sobek, the Crocodile God. This evening, a traditional fun-filled Galabeya party. Overnight in Kom Ombo. (B.L.D)

**Thursday: Kom Ombo / Aswan
NILE CRUISE**

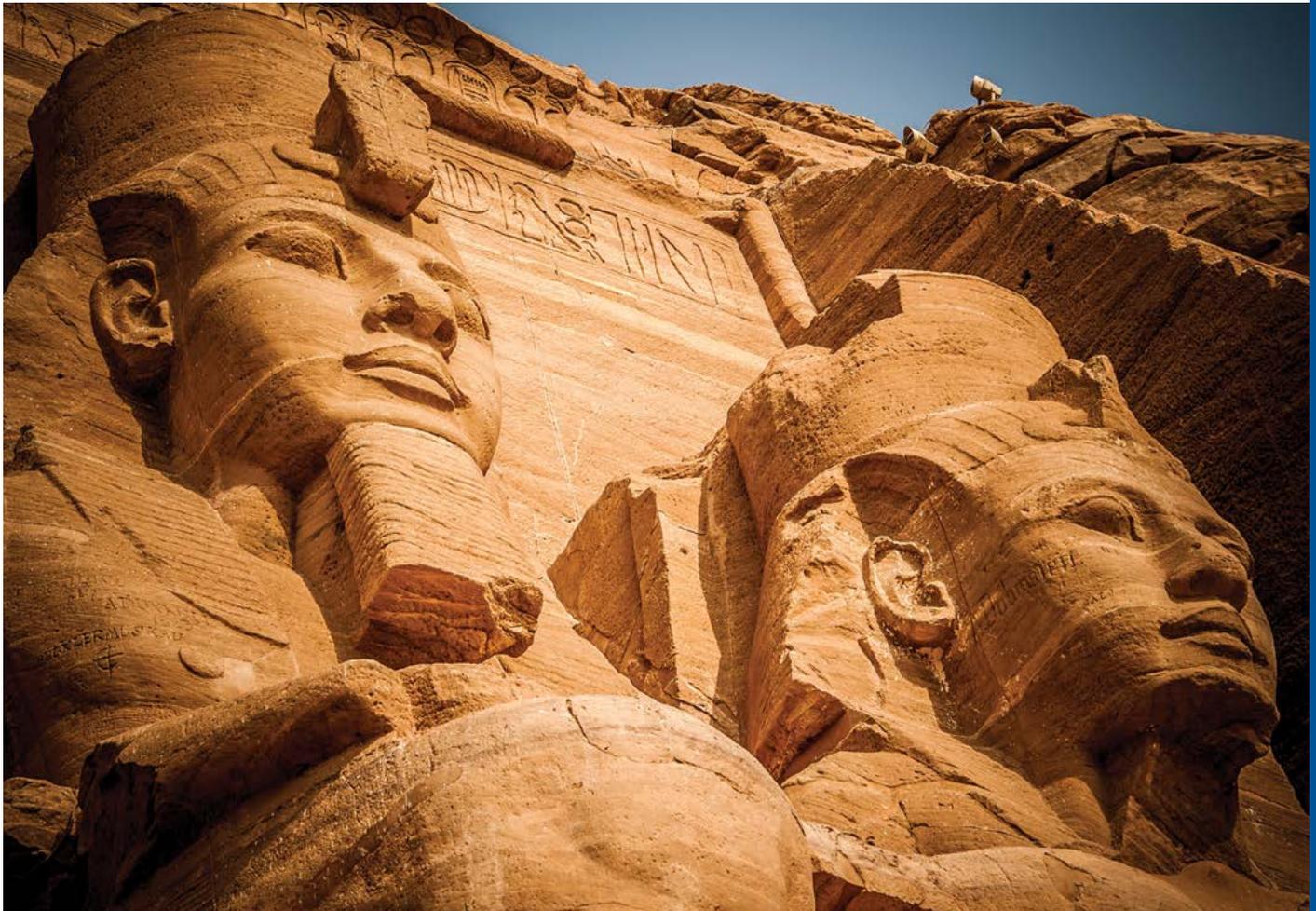
Morning set sail to Aswan. Visit the Aswan High Dam and the granite quarries where



Queen Hatshepsut Temple

the stone for the ancient monuments and modern dam of Aswan were cut. View the gigantic, unfinished Obelisk of Queen Hatshepsut. Continue by motorboat to the beautiful island of Philae to see the exquisite, gleaming white Temple of Philae. After lunch, sail on a

traditional Egyptian "felucca" (sailboat) which glides along the Nile, passing by Lord Kitchener's Island and the dramatic white marble Aga Khan Mausoleum. Nubian Show this evening after dinner on board. Overnight in Aswan. (B.L.D)



Ramses II Statue close up, Abu Simbel



Village on the Banks of the Nile, Aswan

Friday: Aswan / Abu Simbel / Cairo

After disembarkation, board a short flight together with your guide from Aswan to the Sun Temple of Abu Simbel. Marvel at the colossal temples of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari, carved into rock over 3,000 years ago. Famous for their massive statues and solar alignment, the temples were relocated to save them from flooding - an incredible feat of modern engineering preserving ancient glory. Return flight to Cairo where you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Overnight in Cairo. (B)

Saturday: Cairo

Depart this morning to explore ancient Memphis, with its colossal statue of Ramses II, founded in 3100BC as the first capital of the newly united kingdom of Upper and Lower Egypt, and her vast and astounding necropolis of Sakkara, where architecture was born. See the first large buildings built in hewn stone in history. Stand before the soaring centerpiece Step Pyramid of Pharaoh Zoser, the first stone structure to appear in the world. Continue for lunch before you visit the Pyramid of Dahshur, a fascinating link between the first Pyramid of Sakkara and the mighty Pyramid of Giza. Explore the imposing Red Pyramid and the Bent Pyramid. Return to Cairo for overnight. (B.L)

Sunday: Cairo / Alexandria

After breakfast, drive from Cairo to Alexandria. Arrive in Alexandria; drive along the dramatic 15-mile waterfront Corniche, the city's crescent running along the eastern harbor. Visit the Alexandria National Museum with more than 1800 archaeological artifacts dated from Prehistoric and Pharaonic times to Coptic and Islamic era; stop at Pompey's Pillar and the Catacombs of Kom el Shoqafa. Continue on to the Library of Alexandria,

a spectacularly designed homage to its ancient namesake. Lunch is included in Alexandria. Overnight at your hotel. (B.L)

Monday: Alexandria / Cairo

Departing Alexandria, we'll first visit magnificent Montazah Palace Gardens, and then the Royal Jewelry Museum. On to the Fort of Qaitbay, erected on the northern tip of Eastern Port on the site of the ancient Pharos of Alexandria. Return to Cairo for overnight. (B)

Tuesday: Cairo

Morning drive to Old Cairo to see the National Museum of Egyptian Civilization. The Museum presents a richer and deeper insight into Egyptian culture through the ages; enter the fascinating Mummy Room housing all 22 Mummies.

Continue to the beautiful Coptic Church of St. Sergius where legend says Jesus and the Holy family stayed after fleeing from Jerusalem. On to the 9th century Ben Ezra Synagogue (subject to permission), the oldest in Egypt. Proceed to the Mosque of Mohammed Ali, at the 12th century Citadel of Saladin. Drive to the bustling Khan el-Khalili Bazaar where shopping is an exotic experience. Afternoon is at leisure. This evening, enjoy dinner out. Overnight in Cairo. (B.D)

Wednesday: En Route

Transfer to Cairo Airport for your departure flight; or extend your journey to Israel, Jordan or Dubai, please inquire. (B)

Please Note: The cruise line reserves the right to alter the sailing schedule.

LAND & CRUISE PRICES PER PERSON (USD)		
(Includes Intra-Egypt Domestic Flights)		
Jan-Dec '26		
Friday Departures	Twin	Single
Jan 2 thru Feb 6	\$7300	\$10525
Feb 13	7150	10230
Feb 20 thru Mar 6	7075	10080
Mar 13^	7470	10625
Mar 20, Apr 3, 10, 17	7320	10565
Mar 27	8305	12145
Apr 24	7245	10440
May 1	6465	9095
May 8, 15	6390	8945
May 22^, Sep 18	6515	9195
May 29 thru Aug 21	6085	8355
Aug 28, Sep 4	6180	8525
Sep 11	6405	8970
Sep 25 thru Dec 11	7535	11090
Dec 18	8855	13105
Dec 25	8910	13215

Prices Sep 25 – Dec 25/2026 are subject to change.
 ^ During certain Holidays, hotel in Alexandria may be substituted with other hotel due to minimum stay requirements.
 Nile Cruise embarks in Luxor – Monday Sailings.
 All tours conducted by professional Egyptologist Guides utilizing Exclusive Isram vehicles and services throughout including Shore Excursions.