

Private 7-Day Egypt Budget Tour: Cairo, Nile Cruise & Alexandria

Cairo / Alexandria / Aswan / Kom Ombo / Edfu / Luxor.

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7 Days / 6 Nights Cheap Tour Everyday

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Experience Egypt's wonders without breaking the bank! This [7-day budget tour](#) covers iconic sites in **Cairo**, **Luxor**, **Aswan**, and **Alexandria**, blending ancient history, culture, and scenic beauty.

Tour Highlights:

Cairo: Giza Pyramids, Grand Egyptian Museum

Alexandria: Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa, Pompey's Pillar, Qaitbey Citadel, Alexandria Library

Nile Cruise (Luxor & Aswan): Karnak Temple, Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut Temple, Edfu & Kom Ombo Temples, Philae Temple, Unfinished Obelisk

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Day 1

Arrival in Cairo – Nile Dinner Cruise

Airport Welcome: Your **Egypt Tours** representative will greet you at the arrival gate, assist with entry formalities, and escort you to your **5? hotel** in a private A/C vehicle.

Evening: Enjoy a **Nile dinner cruise** with live entertainment, belly dancing, and a mesmerizing **Tannoura** (whirling dervish) show.

Overnight: Cairo hotel.

Meals: Dinner

Accommodation: 5? Hotel in Cairo

Day 2

Giza Pyramids & Grand Egyptian Museum

Morning:

Breakfast at the hotel, then meet your Egyptologist guide.

Explore the **Giza Plateau:**

The Great Pyramid of Khufu, the last surviving **Ancient Wonder**, was built in 2580 BC.

Great Sphinx, the oldest monumental statue (73m long), symbolizing strength & wisdom.

Valley Temple is an ancient mummification site with well-preserved diorite statues.

Lunch: At a **Pyramid/Nile-view restaurant**.

Afternoon:

Visit the **Grand Egyptian Museum**, home to **120,000+ artifacts**, including Tutankhamun's treasures.

Evening:

Fly to **Aswan**, board your **5? Nile cruise**.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Overnight: Onboard cruise

Day 3

Aswan Highlights

Morning:

Breakfast onboard, then explore Aswan's wonders:

High Dam, a Soviet-engineered marvel (1960–1970),
controlling Nile floods, creating **Lake Nasser**.

Unfinished Obelisk, a 42m, **1,200-ton** monument
abandoned mid-construction under **Hatshepsut**.

Philae Temple Relocated by UNESCO to **Agilkia Island**,
dedicated to **Isis** and the myth of **Osiris**.

Afternoon/Evening:

Return to the cruise for lunch, dinner, and relaxation.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Overnight: Onboard cruise

Day 4

Temples of Kom Ombo & Edfu

Morning:

Breakfast onboard, then visit:

Kom Ombo Temple, a unique **double-design temple**
(205–180 BC) dedicated to **Sobek** (crocodile god) and
Horus (falcon god).

Afternoon:

Lunch onboard while sailing to **Edfu**.

Edfu Temple, the best-preserved **Ptolemaic temple** (237–57 BC), honors **Horus** and depicts his battle with **Set**.

Evening:

Continue sailing to **Luxor**; dinner and overnight onboard.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Overnight: Onboard cruise

Day 5

Luxor's Ancient Wonders

Morning:

Breakfast & check-out from the cruise.

Explore with your guide:

Valley of the Kings 63 royal tombs, including **Tutankhamun** and **Ramses II**.

Hatshepsut Temple: Stunning terraced mortuary temple of Egypt's most powerful female pharaoh.

Colossi of Memnon, twin 18m statues of **Amenhotep III**, ancient guardians of Thebes.

Afternoon:

Lunch on a Nile island during a scenic boat ride.

Karnak Temple is a vast 4,000-year-old complex dedicated to **Amun-Ra**, featuring the **Great Hypostyle Hall**.

Evening:

Fly to **Cairo**; transfer to **5* hotel**.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 6

Alexandria Highlights

Morning:

Breakfast, then drive to **Alexandria** with your guide.

Explore:

Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa, a stunning **Greco-Roman necropolis** blending Egyptian and classical art.

Pompey's Pillar 28m **Roman granite column**, mistakenly linked to General Pompey.

Afternoon:

Lunch at a seafood restaurant.

Continue to:

Qaitbay Citadel, a 15th-century **fortress** built with stones from the ancient **Lighthouse of Alexandria**.

Alexandria Library: a modern architectural marvel honoring the ancient library, housing **millions of books**.

Evening:

Return to **Cairo**; overnight at the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Overnight: Cairo

Day 7

Departure

Breakfast, then transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Meal: Breakfast

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Airport & Travel Services

Meet & assist at all destinations

Accommodation

3 nights – Cairo, at a 5? hotel

3 nights – Nile Cruise, onboard a 5? deluxe cruise

Domestic Flights

Cairo ? Aswan

Luxor ? Cairo

Transportation

All transfers by private air-conditioned vehicles

Guided Tours

Expert Egyptologist guide throughout tours

Sightseeing & Activities

All entrance fees to sites in itinerary

Taxes & Fees

All service charges and taxes included

Exclusion

- ? International airfare
- ? Gratuities (tipping)
- ? Personal expenses
- ? Optional activities
- ? Services not mentioned
- ? Entry Visa to Egypt

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2532\$ /Per Person

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