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, 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 **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 & Egyptian Museum

Morning:

Breakfast at the hotel, then meet your Egyptologist guide.

Explore the Giza Plateau:

Great Pyramid of Khufu – Last surviving **Ancient Wonder**, built in 2580 BC.

Great Sphinx – Oldest monumental statue (73m long), symbolizing strength & wisdom.

Valley Temple – Ancient mummification site with well-preserved diorite statues.

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

Afternoon:

Visit the **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 – 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 – 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 – Best-preserved **Ptolemaic temple** (237–57 BC), honoring **Horus** and depicting 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 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 – 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 – 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 – 15th-century **fortress** built with stones from the ancient **Lighthouse of Alexandria**.

Alexandria Library – Modern architectural marvel honoring the ancient library, housing **millions of books**.

Evening:

Return to Cairo; overnight at 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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Accommodation:

3 nights at 5-star hotel in Cairo

3 nights on 5-star deluxe Nile cruise

Transportation:

Domestic flights: Cairo?Aswan / Luxor?Cairo

All transfers by private air-conditioned vehicles

Experiences:

All entrance fees to sites in itinerary

Expert Egyptologist guide throughout tours

Services:

Meet & assist at all destinations

All service charges & taxes included

Exclusion

- ? International airfare
- ? Gratuities (tipping)
- ? Personal expenses
- ? Optional activities
- ? Services not mentioned

? Entry Visa to Egypt		

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2110\$ /Per Person