# Private 6-Day Cairo & Alexandria Holiday

Cairo / Giza / Alexandria.

# tour.duration Tour Type Tour Runs

6 Days / 5 Nights Classic Tour Everyday

# tour.overview

Embark on a heavenly adventure through Egypt's ancient capitals with our 6-Day Cairo & Alexandria Tour. Your Egypt Tours delivers exceptional service, including a private Egyptologist guide, luxury accommodations, and A/C vehicle transfers—everything you'd expect from Egypt's finest travel agency.

Discover Cairo's golden treasures, from the Great Pyramids of Giza and Khan El Khalili Bazaar to the Cairo Citadel, Hanging Church, and historic mosques. Then, journey to Alexandria, where Mediterranean wonders like the Catacombs, Qaitbay Citadel, and Alexandria Library await.

# tour.itinerary

Day 1

Arrival in Cairo - Dinner Cruise

Your unforgettable journey begins as you land in Cairo. A Your Egypt **Tours** representative will assist with passport control and luggage before escorting you to your hotel in a private **A/C vehicle**.

**Evening:** Embark on a magical **Nile dinner cruise**, savoring gourmet cuisine while enjoying a vibrant belly dancing show and the mesmerizing **Tanoura** folk performance.

Meals: Dinner

Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 2

Giza Pyramids, Saqqara & Memphis

Morning: After breakfast, your private guide will take you to Egypt's most iconic wonders:

**Giza Pyramids Complex** 

Stand before the legendary **Great Pyramid of Khufu** (2580 BC), the last surviving **Ancient World Wonder**, built with 2.3 million limestone blocks.

Marvel at the enigmatic **Great Sphinx**, a 73m-long guardian with the body of a lion and the face of a pharaoh.

Explore the Valley Temple, where mummification rituals were performed over 4,500 years ago.

**Grand Egyptian Museum (Optional VIP Access)** 

Discover priceless artifacts, including:

The colossal Statue of Ramses II

The **Hanging Obelisk** 

The **Grand Staircase** lined with royal statues

**Lunch:** Enjoy a meal at a local restaurant.

# Saqqara Step Pyramid

The world's oldest stone pyramid, designed by **Imhotep** for Pharaoh Djoser (2667–2648 BC).

# **Memphis – Ancient Capital of Egypt**

See the Alabaster Sphinx and the Giant Statue of Ramses II.

Walk through ruins of temples dedicated to **Ptah**, **Hathor**, **and Aten**.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch
Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 3

# **Alexandria Highlights Tour**

**Morning:** After breakfast, depart for Alexandria, the "Pearl of the Mediterranean."

**Qaitbay Citadel** 

Built in 1477 AD on the ruins of the legendary Lighthouse of

Alexandria (one of the Seven Ancient Wonders).

Marvel at its Islamic-era architecture, constructed with stones

salvaged from the ancient lighthouse.

Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa

A fascinating blend of Egyptian, Greek, and Roman art in a 2nd-

century AD necropolis.

Known as one of the **Seven Wonders of the Middle Ages**,

featuring intricate carvings and a three-level underground tomb.

Pompey's Pillar

A towering **28m red granite column**, mistakenly linked to Roman

general Pompey.

Features Greek inscriptions honoring Emperor Diocletian.

**Lunch:** Savor fresh seafood at a local restaurant.

**Alexandria Library** 

A modern tribute to the ancient **Great Library of Alexandria**.

Houses millions of **Arabic, English, and French** books, including rare collections.

**Evening:** Return to Cairo.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch
Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 4

**Historic Cairo Exploration** 

**Morning:** After breakfast, delve into Cairo's rich heritage with your guide.

# **Egyptian Museum**

Discover **5,000 years** of history through **120,000 artifacts**, including Tutankhamun's treasures.

Marvel at royal mummies, ancient jewelry, and statues in this **1902 neo-classical landmark**.

**Lunch:** Enjoy authentic Egyptian cuisine at a local restaurant.

# **Coptic Cairo Highlights**

**Hanging Church** – A 5th-century marvel suspended above Roman fortress ruins, adorned with **ivory-inlaid icons**.

Ben Ezra Synagogue – Egypt's oldest synagogue, believed to

house the spot where baby Moses was found.

**Islamic Cairo** 

Amr Ibn Al-Aas Mosque – Africa's first mosque (641 AD),

showcasing evolving Islamic architecture.

Al-Muizz Street – A 1,000-year-old open-air museum of Islamic

monuments and markets.

Khan El Khalili – Lose yourself in this vibrant 10th-century

bazaar of spices, lanterns, and handicrafts.

**National Museum of Egyptian Civilization** 

See the Royal Mummies Hall, where 22 pharaohs rest in

climate-controlled glory.

**Evening:** Return to your hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 5

**Islamic Cairo Discovery** 

**Morning:** After breakfast, explore Cairo's magnificent Islamic heritage:

Salah El Din Citadel

A **12th-century fortress** that protected Cairo for 800 years

Panoramic city views from this historic stronghold

#### **Architectural Marvels**

# Mohamed Ali Mosque (Alabaster Mosque):

Ottoman-style masterpiece with French Rococo influences

Features a brass clock tower gifted by King Louis Philippe

# **Sultan Hassan Mosque:**

Mamluk-era giant built with stones from the Giza Pyramids

So extravagant it nearly bankrupted the treasury

Lunch: Enjoy local cuisine with your guide

# **Afternoon Highlights**

Al Rifai Mosque: Royal burial site with stunning domes and minarets

# Ibn Tulun Mosque:

One of the world's largest mosques (26,318 sqm)

# Influenced Gothic architecture with its unique spiral minaret

Evening: Return to your hotel

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Overnight: Cairo hotel

Day 6

# **Departure**

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel

Transfer to Cairo airport for your flight home

Take with you unforgettable memories of Egypt's wonders

Meal: Breakfast

# tour.included

Airport & Travel Services

Meet & assist at airports and all destinations

Accommodation

5 nights - Cairo, at a 5? hotel

**Domestic Flights** 

Not applicable

Transportation

Private air-conditioned vehicle for all transfers

**Guided Tours** 

Licensed Egyptologist guide for all excursions

Sightseeing & Activities

All entrance fees to sites listed in itinerary

Lunch at quality local restaurants during tour days

Taxes & Fees

All service charges, taxes, and handling fees

**Exclusion** 

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

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# tour.price

**1450**\$ /Per Person