5 Days Sonesta St. George Nile River Cruise

Price Starting From: \$1800

5 Days-4 Nights Egypt Luxor. Aswan

The magnificent Sonesta St. George Nile Cruise is the greatest way to explore the mysterious Nile Valley, and it's included in our Egypt Day Tours. So, take pleasure in this opulent journey with Cairo Top Tours between Luxor and Aswan. With Egypt tours, you can have fun. Let Luxor's historical past fascinate you on this 4-night Sonesta St. George Nile River Cruise from Luxor to Aswan. Explore King Tutankhamun's renowned tomb, stroll through the Valley of the Kings, and be in awe of Queen Hatshepsut's stunning rock-carved temple.

Take advantage of an <u>Egypt travel packages</u> to see some of the top sights in Aswan, such as the ancient temples at Edfu and Kom Ombo. You can be sure that your Egypt Nile Cruise package will provide you with an unforgettable trip, regardless of the Nile cruise you end up selecting.

Overview Inclusion

- Being met and assisted upon arrival and departure by our representatives.
- The assistance of our customer relations during your stay by <u>Cairo Top Tours</u>.
- All transports are done by a modern air-conditioned non-smoking vehicle.
- Your full board accommodation for 3 nights aboard the 5 stars Sonesta St. George Egypt Nile River Cruise.
- All Egypt Travel Packages as mentioned in the itinerary sharing Nile cruise group.
- Admission fees to all sights between Luxor and Aswan during your Sonesta St. George Nile Cruise tours.
- English-speaking tour guide during your tours in Egypt.
- Shopping tours during the Excursions in Luxor and Aswan Sightseeing Tours. (upon request.)
- All service charges and taxes of your Egypt tours.
- Stops for snacks upon request.
- A soft drink at a local Cafe during Egypt Day Tours. (if we have time)

Exclusion

- Any extras or optional Egypt excursions that are not mentioned in the itinerary.
- Tipping is not covered in our Egypt Nile Cruise tour prices.
- Beverage during meals.
- International airfare.

Itinerary

Day 1 – Check-In Aboard the St. George and Sightseeing in Luxor

Our local representative in <u>Luxor</u> will greet you in the morning and transport you to your Sonesta St. George Nile River Cruise in a private air-conditioned vehicle. After lunch, join our tour guide for a visit to the ancient <u>temple of Karnak</u>, which was built over a thousand years ago. We will then proceed to <u>Luxor Temple</u>, which was built by Ramses II, Queen Hatshepsut, and other monarchs in the 14th century BC and continued to be built for many years thereafter. After the tour, you will be transferred to your Nile cruise to rest and refresh. Evenings are free to relax on board or we can arrange a visit (optional) to see the <u>sound and light show at Karnak temple</u>, one of the most impressive shows in Egypt. After that, we will return to our Nile cruise for overnight.

(Lunch & Dinner)

Day 2 - West Bank Tour and Transit to Esna

On board, a delicious breakfast will be served. Then we will go to the <u>Valley of the Kings</u>, one of the richest and most fascinating ancient tombs in Egypt. The rulers of <u>the New Kingdom</u> were buried here. The <u>temple of Deir El Bahari</u>, built by Queen Hatshepsut during the 18th Dynasty, will be our next stop of the day. Is a definite "must-see" for anyone who is passionate about <u>the history of Ancient Egypt</u>. On the way back to the boat, we will stop in front of the <u>Colossi of Memnon</u>, which are the only remains of the huge burial complex of King Amenhotep III. After that, we will take you on your cruise on the Nile.

(Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

Day 3 - Edfu and Kom Ombo Sightseeing

An exciting breakfast will be served on board before we begin our Tour to Edfu and Kom Ombo Temples. Our Nile cruise boat will dock at Edfu, where we will see the <u>Temple of Horus</u>, which was built by the Ptolemies in the 3rd century BC for the worship of Horus, the avenging deity of the father. After this great excursion, we will return to our Nile cruise ship for lunch, rest and refreshments. We will then see the <u>temple of Kom Ombo</u>, which was built during the Ptolemaic period and completed in Roman times. After that, you will be taken back to your Nile cruise ship to rest and relax. In the evening, the team will organize an Egyptian folklore show.

(Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

Day 4 – Transit to Aswan and Aswan Sightseeing

Breakfast will be served on board. Afterward, you will prepare to join your qualified tour guide for <u>Aswan excursions</u>. <u>The High Dam</u>, which was built by Gamal Abdel Nasser, the former Egyptian president, to hold back water and then generate a large amount of electricity, will be our first visit of the day. We will then board a speedboat to <u>Philae Temple</u>, which was established in the 3rd century BC as a center of worship for the goddess Isis in Greco-Roman times. The <u>unfinished obelisk</u>, discovered in a granite quarry in the

southern region of Aswan, will be our next site. After this Egypt day tour, we will return to our Nile cruise ship for an excellent lunch. In the evening, you can relax on board or take an optional excursion to Philae Temple to enjoy the sound and light show in Philae Temple and learn more about the temple and the monarchs who left their treasures there. We will then return to our Nile cruise for the evening.

(Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner)

Day 5 – Check-Out and Disembarkation in Aswan

Unfortunately, all good things must come to an end, and today marks the end of this magnificent <u>Nile River tour</u>. Before departing the ship and disembarking, enjoy a goodbye breakfast on board to reflect on the events of the last few days. Once again, one of our cheerful tour leaders will greet you and bring you to the <u>Aswan airport</u> or train station in a comfortable air-conditioned car to catch your flight to your next destination.

(Breakfast)