

5 Days Steigenberger MS Minerva Nile Cruise

Price Starting From : \$820

5 Days Luxor/ Aswan Every Thursday
Egypt
Luxor and Aswan

Explore the wonders of Egypt with [Egypt Tours](#) on the **Steigenberger Minerva Nile Cruise**, which sails every Monday for 3 nights from Aswan and every Tuesday for 4 nights from [Luxor](#). This Nile cruise, combined with [Egypt Day tours](#), will immerse you in opulence, comfort, and exceptional service as you cruise through some of the world's most captivating destinations. Join us for an exquisite vacation that blends relaxation, exploration, and sophistication.

The 5-star Nile Cruise Steigenberger Minerva provides a relaxing haven for [Egypt travel packages](#). The Steigenberger Minerva offers a range of services, including 24-hour reception, Internet access, Fitness equipments on deck, an international phone, a gift shop, laundry service, and meeting space if the ship is fully chartered.

The large restaurant serves international and oriental cuisine, including delectable Egyptian dishes; lodging is provided on a full-board basis, with daily tea service provided on the sun deck while sailing. There are 77 comfortable cabins on the Steigenberger Minerva. Every cabin has its own fully air conditioning system, marine satellite TV, internal video channels, a minibar, a music system, a safety box, and a private bathroom with a shower and a hairdryer.

[Overview](#) [Inclusion](#)

Reception on arrival at [Aswan airport](#) and departure from Luxor by representatives of [Cairo Top Tours](#).

Full assistance from our customer relations specialists throughout your 5-day cruise on the Nile between Aswan and Luxor.

Egypt Tours transportation services are provided by modern, non-smoking, air-conditioned vehicles.

A full board accommodation aboard the deluxe Steigenberger Minerva Egypt Nile River Cruise.

All [Egypt Nile Cruise Tours](#) are done privately as mentioned in the Egypt Travel Packages program.

All entrance fees and entry tickets to all the sites in the itinerary.

A certified English-speaking (or other languages if requested) tour guide during all your Egypt day tours.

All service charges and taxes are covered.

Stops for snacks upon request.

A soft drink in a local Cafe during [Egypt Day Tours](#). (if we have time)

Shopping tours during the [Excursions in Luxor](#) and [Aswan Sightseeing Tours](#). (upon request)

[Exclusion](#)

International flights.

Personal spending during our [Egypt Tours Packages](#).

Beverage during meals.

Entrance to the tombs of [Tutankhamun](#), Ramses VI, and [Seti I](#).

Tipping is not covered within the prices of your Egypt Nile Cruises 2023.

[Itinerary](#)

Day 1 – Arrival and Luxor Sightseeing

Upon arrival at [Luxor airport](#) or Luxor train station, our representative will transfer you to your MS Steigenberger Minerva luxury cruise ship in a private air-conditioned vehicle. In the afternoon, you will discover the east bank of Luxor, including [the Karnak temple](#) complex, which is the largest structure ever built in human history. The main building is that of [the god Amun Re](#), as it was considered the god's home on earth. The oldest structure dates back to [the Middle Kingdom](#), but there are some references to older buildings such as the 3rd Dynasty. Later, you will visit [Luxor Temple](#), which was built by one of the 12th Dynasty kings and completed by the famous [King Ramses II](#). This temple was located in the heart of ancient Thebes and, like Karnak, was dedicated to the main god Amun Re. After completing your day's tour, you will be transferred to your boat for rest and refreshment. In the evening, an Egyptian folkloric show will be organized by the staff. Dinner will be served and you will spend the night in Luxor.

Meals Included: Lunch and Dinner

Day 2 – Luxor Excursion, on to Esna, and Overnight in Edfu

Breakfast on the Nile cruise. Next, you will begin your magical tour to Thebes, the sacred land, by exploring [the west bank of Luxor](#), including [the Valley of the Kings](#), considered the royal burial ground of Theban kings and rulers of ancient Egypt, and the place where our pharaohs were buried. Then you will go to [the temple of Queen Hatshepsut at Deir El Bahari](#). This temple is considered one of the most beautiful examples of ancient Egyptian architecture, as it was carved entirely out of the mountain. At the end of the tour, you will visit [the Colossi of Memnon](#), which belongs to [King Amenhotep III](#). After that, you will return to your boat to have your lunch. Afternoon free. Dinner and overnight on the cruise.

Meals Included: Break, Lunch, and Dinner

Day 3 – Edfu Excursion, on to Kom Ombo, and Overnight in Aswan

Once you have had a good breakfast on board, you will disembark for an excursion to Edfu's spectacular [Temple of Horus](#), before returning to your river cruise boat and departing for Kom Ombo. Lunch will be supplied en way, and you will be driven to view the famed [Kom Ombo](#) temple once you arrive.

Finally, your boat will depart for Aswan, where it will arrive in the late afternoon or early evening. On the boat at Aswan, have another delicious dinner and a peaceful night's sleep.

Meals Included: Break, Lunch, and Dinner

Day 4 – Aswan Sightseeing and Overnight in Aswan

After another delicious breakfast on the lake, you'll be taken to see the famed [Aswan High Dam](#), the interesting [Unfinished Obelisk](#), and [the Temple of Philae](#), one of Egypt's most surviving ancient temples.

Spend the last night of your trip on the calm waters of Aswan, enjoying a delicious lunch and another great dinner on board the ship.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Day 5 – Disembarkation and Departure

Unfortunately, your 5-day Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan ends on day 5, but not before you've had another delicious breakfast on board. It will be time to check out and disembark after breakfast, and one of our tour representatives will take you to [Aswan Airport](#) or Aswan Railway Station, where everyone will say their final goodbyes.

Meals Included: Breakfast