

MS Esplanade Nile cruise

Q Luxor and Aswan.

Duration

Tour type

Group size



Private



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Saturday from Luxor & Wednesday from Aswan

Overview

Discover timeless elegance aboard the MS Esplanade luxury cruises to Egypt, a 5-star luxury Nile River Cruise in Egypt that redefines sophistication and comfort. Whether you're going on a 4-day or 5day luxury nile cruise egypt between Luxor and Aswan. This Luxury Nile Cruise Luxor Aswan offers an experience of high-level hospitality, fine dining, and world-class services in 55 elegantly appointed cabins and suites. Every nook of the ship is dripping with modern luxury, giving it the status of the top Nile River cruise for an elite client seeking a high-level experience with the Nile.

Everything on MS Esplanade is so thoughtfully designed to ensure a perfect moment for you. Elegant in-room comfort, staring down a magnificent view of the Nile; a parade of delightful tastes coming out of gourmet meals ready to tease the senses—from cabin to dining hall, each minute is created with your indulgence in mind. As you make your way between Luxor and Aswan, stop here and there to learn, under the aegis of expert Egyptologists, about the marvels of ancient temples like Karnak, Aswan philae temple, and Edfu—an essential part of the finest Egypt tours, moving one step deeper into Egypt's timeless heritage—all wrapped in the refined ambiance of the 5-star Nile Cruise Luxor Aswan, where modern luxury meets historic charm.

Whether you're searching for a Private Nile Cruise Luxor and Aswan, a tailored Luxury Egypt Nile Cruise, or simply the best Egypt Nile Cruise packages, the MS Esplanade offers an unmatched experience. This is not just a cruise, it's a Luxury Nile River Holiday in Egypt, crafted for those who appreciate elegance, authenticity, and the magic of the Nile.

Itinerary

Day 1

Welcome to Aswan in Your Nile Cruise – Explore High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple

Upon arrival at Aswan Airport or train station, you will be met by an Egypt Day Trips representative who will welcome and greet you along with your experienced Egyptologist guide.

Your Aswan city tour will begin, including a visit to the fabled.

Aswan High Dam:

Learn about this engineering marvel, the Aswan High Dam, which controls the Nile's flow.

Philae Temple:

Visit the beautiful Philae Temple, dedicated to the goddess Isis and relocated to Agilkia Island.

Unfinished Obelisk:

See the largest known ancient obelisk, Aswan <u>Unfinished Obelisk</u>, abandoned in its quarry due to cracking.

After your guided tour, go on your luxury Nile Cruise from Aswan to Luxor aboard the MS Esplanade, where you will indulge in a sumptuous lunch and afternoon tea, and relax as you enjoy a comfortable overnight stay onboard this 5-star Nile cruise Luxor Aswan, experiencing the finest in hospitality and modern luxury.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: lunch & dinner.

Temples of Kom Ombo & Edfu – Sailing the Nile in Your Nile Cruise Luxor Aswan

Start the day with an on-deck breakfast as the 5-star Deluxe Nile cruise from Aswan to Luxor vessel sails towards Kom Ombo, offering sweeping views of the new Aswan Bridge and the serene Nile landscapes. Upon arrival at Kom Ombo, enjoy a guided tour to the fascinating Temple of Sobek and Haeroris, a unique twin temple devoted to two deities—an intriguing highlight of this Luxor and Aswan Nile cruise 4 days.

Return to the ship for a lunch as you cruise onward to Edfu. When you arrive, you'll visit the stunning Edfu Temple of Horus, the best-preserved temple in Egypt, dedicated to the falcon-headed god. Relax with afternoon tea on the sun deck as the cruise continues towards Luxor, passing through the Esna Lock, It is an excellent occasion to watch everyday life and click some good pictures

Complete your day with a delicious dinner onboard the MS Esplanade Nile Cruise, enjoying a comfortable overnight stay. This Luxor and Aswan Nile cruise package offers the best experience of Egypt timeless beauty and luxury.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, & dinner.

Day 3

East Bank of Luxor – Karnak & Luxor Temples | Highlights of Nile Cruise Luxor Aswan

Begin your day with a good, rich breakfast aboard your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor and Aswan as it docks in the historic city of Luxor. Spend the morning exploring the East Bank on a Luxor tour, including the majestic

Karnak Temple:

Wander through the vast <u>Karnak Temple</u> complex dedicated to the god Amun-Ra, marveling at the Hypostyle Hall—a forest of 134 towering columns—and the sacred lake.

Luxor Temple:

Admire this stunning temple built by Amenhotep III and Ramses II, the <u>Luxor Temple</u>, featuring grand colonnades and the Avenue of Sphinxes.

After your guided tour, return to the MS Esplanade Cruise for lunch and afternoon tea onboard. The remainder of the day is free for self-exploration in Luxor or simply relaxing on the cruise while enjoying the breathtaking views of this ancient city. Dinner will be served on board, and an overnight stay will be in the 5-star Luxor-Aswan Nile cruise.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, & dinner.

Day 4

West Bank of Luxor – Valley of the Kings & Hatshepsut Temple | Must-See on Your Nile Cruise

Enjoy breakfast onboard before getting off from your MS Esplanade luxury Nile cruise egypt, one of the finest luxury Nile cruises from Aswan to Luxor. Your guide will then take you to explore the West Bank, starting with the legendary

Valley of the Kings:

On the list of the world's most famous archaeological sites, the <u>Valley of the Kings</u> served as the ancient royal cemetery for New Kingdom pharaohs of Egypt, including the most well-known, Tutankhamun. With over sixty tombs—many richly decorated and carved deep into the rock with symbolic artwork, hieroglyphs, and secret chambers—this site was designed to guide pharaohs into the afterlife.

Temple of Queen Hatshepsut:

Beautifully set against the dramatic cliffs of Deir el-Bahri, the <u>Temple of Queen Hatshepsut</u> is one of the most beautiful and well-preserved ancient Egyptian temples. This astounding mortuary temple was built to honor one of Egypt's few female pharaohs. Its terraces, statues, and relief carvings reflect the prosperity of her reign and her devotion to the god Amun. As you walk through the temple with your guide, you will hear the story of Hatshepsut—how she rose to power in a male-dominated world and how her legacy continues to captivate historians and visitors alike.

Colossi of Memnon:

For more than 3,000 years, the Colossi of Memnon have watched over the gateway to the long-lost mortuary temple of Amenhotep III on the west bank of the Nile near Luxor. Standing about 18 meters (60 feet) high, each statue is carved from a single block of sandstone.

After your tour, you have some free time to explore the bustling streets of Luxor before your transfer to catch your train or flight. This exhausting, unforgettable 4-day Nile Cruise between Luxor and Aswan on MS Esplanade concludes your experience in one of the best Luxor and Aswan Nile Cruise packages, offering the best balance of luxury and history.

Meals: breakfast only

Day 1

Luxor East Bank - Welcome to the Land of Pharaohs

Your journey begins with a warm welcome by an Egypt Day Trips representative at Luxor Airport or train station. Your expert Egyptologist guide will then accompany you on an enthralling tour of Luxor's East Bank, visiting the awe-inspiring

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After your escorted tour, go on your 5-star luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan aboard your elegant Nile cruise ship. Settle into refined comfort while enjoying a delicious lunch, afternoon tea, and dinner onboard. Later in the evening, the cruise sails from Luxor to Aswan, offering breathtaking Nile views along the way.

Optional: The sound and light show at Karnak Temple will enchant any visitor, offering a glimpse into Egypt's history in greater detail. This luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan, 5 days, is one of the best Nile cruise adventures in Egypt.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: lunch & dinner.

Day 2

Luxor West Bank - Valley of the Kings & Scenic Sailing

Start your morning with a charming breakfast onboard the 5-star Nile cruise Egypt package, the MS Esplanade, then make your way to Luxor's West Bank, where history comes alive. Explore the iconic

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Return to your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan as you sail towards Edfu, passing through the fascinating Esna Lock. Capture unforgettable photos of local life along the Nile banks and serene river landscapes on the best Nile River cruise from Luxor to Aswan. In the evening, savor a gourmet dinner onboard as the ship docks at Esna.

Overnight on the MS Esplanade Nile Cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, & dinner.

Day 3

Edfu & Kom Ombo - Temples of Horus and Sobek

After breakfast on your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan, visit the

Edfu Temple:

Dedicated to the god Horus, the <u>Edfu Temple</u> is one of Egypt's best-preserved temples, featuring a grand pylon and intricate carvings, completing your Egypt Christmas tour package.

Admire its imposing architecture and learn about the falcon-headed god Horus on this Egypt Nile cruise guided tour. Return to the cruise ship for a relaxing lunch while the vessel sails towards Kom Ombo.

Upon arrival, your guide will meet and welcome you, as they do at every tourist site. Then, enjoy a drive to

Kom Ombo Temple:

Explore the twin sanctuary dedicated to Horus and Sobek, the crocodile god, at the <u>Kom Ombo</u> Temple.

After visiting the temple, return to the MS Esplanade Nile Cruise for dinner as the ship sails to Aswan.

As you approach the city, you will admire the beautiful night view of the Aswan Bridge and the Tombs of the Nobles, ending another memorable day on your 5-star Nile cruise in Egypt.

Overnight on the MS Esplanade Nile Cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, & dinner.

Day 4

Aswan City Tour in Your Nile Cruise – High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple

After enjoying your breakfast, set out for a wonderful day in Aswan. Accompanied by your Egyptologist guide, enjoy an Aswan city tour and visit three of Aswan's most famous sites on your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan. Marvel at the impressive

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Lunch and afternoon tea will be served onboard the MS Esplanade 5-star Nile cruise. In the evening, relax amidst the tranquility of Aswan on your memorable 5-day Luxor to Aswan 5-star Nile cruise experience.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch, & dinner.

Day 5

Check Out Your Nile Cruise - Explore Aswan or Optional Abu Simbel Adventure

After breakfast Depart from from the MS Esplanade Nile cruise and enjoy leisure time strolling freely around Aswan. Take walks in the vibrant Nubian markets or simply relax and revel in the splendor of

this stunning city on your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan.

Optional: Take a highly recommended day trip to the fabulous Abu Simbel Temple by private car or a

brief flight with Egypt Air. Marvel at the giant statues of King Ramses II and the graceful temple of

Queen Nefertari before returning to Aswan.

You will then be transferred to Aswan Airport or railway station for your onward journey, carrying

unforgettable memories from your Egypt luxury tours and Nile cruise experience.

Meals: breakfast only.

What's Included

4 or 3 nights of accommodation on Nile Cruises.

Meet and assist upon arrival and departure.

All transfers in a modern, private, air-conditioned vehicle.

All Nile Cruise excursions as mentioned in the itinerary.

Entrance fees to all sites in and between Luxor and Aswan.

English-speaking tour guide on board the cruise.

One complimentary bottle of water per person per day.

All transfers are by A-C vehicles with qualified drivers.

All service charges and taxes.

What's Not Included

Entry visa to Egypt.

Any additional meals and drinks.

All personal expenses like laundry etc.

Tipping to the guide, driver, cruise crew, etc.

Any optional tours & activities.

Price start from

Price

US\$ 800 _{/USD}





