

MS Mayfair Nile Cruise

 **Luxor and Aswan.**

Duration



3 Nights or 4 Nights



Tour type

Private



Group size

Private



Runs

Monday from Luxor &
Friday from Aswan

Overview

The MS Mayfair Nile, one of the most excellent luxury Nile cruises in Egypt, offers the luxury [Nile Cruise Luxor and Aswan](#) specialized services. It is a magnificent cruise with five splendid decks and exceptional service throughout. The guests can enjoy the tastefully furnished public areas, the spacious sun deck for sunbathing, and comfortable cabins, all being looked after by a very warm and friendly crew.

A luxury Egypt Nile cruise on the MS Mayfair Nile promises to be one of a kind due to the breathtaking ancient ruins you will see during your Luxor and Aswan Nile Cruise Packages. However, in addition, it will be due to the comfort and elegance of the floating home. This is the best option for those who are after a luxury Nile cruise in Luxor and Aswan, or for the best Nile cruise in Luxor and Aswan as part of their [Egypt tours](#) and [Egypt Nile Cruise](#) package. No matter if you are going for a 4-day or 5-day Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan, this five-star Nile cruise in Luxor and Aswan will always guarantee a top-notch travel experience.

You can now book your itinerary for a Nile Cruise between Luxor and Aswan, whether you are part of a group or want the best Nile River cruise from Luxor and Aswan, and take one of the most beautiful trips through the ancient world.

Itinerary

Day 1

Welcome to Aswan – Explore High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple on your Cruise Luxor Aswan

The moment you land at Aswan Train Station or Aswan Airport, your welcoming Egypt Day Trips guide will be waiting to greet you and introduce you to your expert Egyptologist guide, and you'll be ready to start on one of your unforgettable luxury Egypt Nile Cruises. Your day begins with a tour to Aswan, a stop at the renowned.

Aswan High Dam:

Learn about this engineering marvel, the [Aswan High Dam](#), which controls the Nile's flow.

Philae Temple:

As you begin exploring Aswan, you will have a great Philae Temple tour. Visiting the beautiful [Philae Temple](#), dedicated to the goddess Isis, and relocated to Agilkia Island. Philae Temple Tour

Unfinished Obelisk:

See the largest known ancient obelisk, the [Unfinished Obelisk](#), abandoned in its quarry due to cracking.

for a magical start to your best Luxor Aswan Nile cruise tour experience as part of your luxury Nile River Cruises Egypt from Aswan to Luxor 4-day program.

After your tour, you will stay in your cozy MS Mayfair Nile Cruise in Aswan, with a delectable lunch and tea time, and relax as you enjoy an unforgettable overnight on board this 5-star Best Luxury Nile River Cruise Ships Egypt, an essential part of your Egypt luxury tours.

Overnight on a cruise.

Meals: lunch and dinner.

Day 2

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

Start the morning with an on-deck breakfast while the MS Mayfair Nile Cruise sails to

Kom Ombo Temple:

Explore the twin sanctuary dedicated to Horus and Sobek, the crocodile god, at the [Kom Ombo Temple](#).

Edfu Temple:

Dedicated to the god Horus, the [Edfu Temple](#) is one of Egypt's best-preserved temples, featuring a grand pylon and intricate carvings, completing your Egypt Christmas tour package.

Especially as part of your best Nile cruise from Aswan to Luxor 4-day experience. This journey aboard a 5-star Nile cruise Luxor Aswan adds another highlight to your Egypt tours.

Relax over afternoon tea on the sun deck as the cruise continues towards Luxor, navigating the Esna Lock—a wonderful time to view local life and take lasting photographs. End your day with a decadent dinner and an overnight stay onboard the Mayfair Luxury Nile Cruise from Aswan to Luxor while you moor in Luxor.

Overnight on Cruise

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 3

East Bank of Luxor – Karnak & Luxor Temples on your Nile Cruise

Wake up to a stunning breakfast as your MS Mayfair luxury Egypt cruise as you begin your magical journey along the timeless wonders of Egypt, offering an experience never to be forgotten on one of Egypt finest luxury Nile cruises. Your Egypt Nile Cruise today takes you to the [East Bank](#) of Luxor trip, where you see the exquisite

Karnak Temple:

Wander through the vast [Karnak Temple](#) 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 [Luxor Temple](#), featuring grand colonnades and the Avenue of Sphinxes—an ancient wonder of Egypt and a tribute to Luxor and Aswan Nile Cruises.

After the tour, return to your cruise for a leisurely lunch, then tea time. Spend the rest of the day unwinding at your own pace in Luxor or onboard the MS Mayfair, soaking up the views and serenity that have made Egyptian Nile River cruises so wonderfully memorable. Dinner onboard follows, followed by your final overnight on this Luxury Egypt Nile cruise from Aswan.

Overnight on Cruise

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 4

West Bank of Luxor – Valley of the Kings & Hatshepsut Temple on your Nile Cruise

Have breakfast on the ship before leaving the cruise. Your guide will accompany you to visit the West Bank, starting with the legendary

Valley of the Kings:

On the list of the world's most famous archaeological sites, the [Valley of the Kings](#) 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:

Nestled in the stunning outskirts of Deir el-Bahri, Queen [Hatshepsut's Temple](#) stands as one of the most elegant and well-preserved temples of ancient Egypt. This remarkable mortuary temple

construction was to honor one of the rare female pharaohs of Egypt. The temple's monuments, sculptures, and reliefs give a glimpse into the wealth of Hatshepsut's reign, her loyalty to the god Amun, and her influence. The guide will narrate the entire history of Hatshepsut as you walk through the temple, including her rise to power in a male-dominated society and how her legacy still fascinates scholars and the public.

Colossi of Memnon:

The [Colossi of Memnon](#) have been silently overlooking the entrance to the long-forgotten funerary temple of Amenhotep III for over 3 millennia, which is located on the western bank of the Nile close to Luxor. The height of each statue, which measures around 18 meters or 60 feet, is achieved by being cut from a single piece of sandstone.

The bus will take you back to your hotel, but you can opt to stroll through the lively areas of Luxor for a short while until your flight or train ride, thus ending this part of your trip with the unforgettable experience of a 5-star luxury small boat Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan.

Meals: Breakfast

Day 1

Luxor East Bank – Welcome to the Land of Pharaohs on Your 5 Days Nile Cruise

Your trip starts off with an Egypt Day Trips guide giving you a nice and cozy welcome at the Luxor Airport or train station. First, you will get to see the [East Bank](#) of Luxor with your knowledgeable Egyptologist guide, who will elaborate on it a bit, and then you will visit the fantastic

Karnak Temple:

Get lost in the huge [Karnak Temple](#) area that was set aside for the worship of the god Amun-Ra. The Hypostyle Hall, which consists of 134 incredibly tall columns, is one of the attractions here, along with the holy lake.

Luxor Temple:

Visit the magnificent [Luxor Temple](#), built by Amenhotep III and Ramses II, which consists of picturesque colonnades and the Avenue of Sphinxes.

After the tour, take your upscale Nile cruise vessel and unwind with a lavish lunch, tea-time, and dinner in the lap of luxury. In the evening, the cruise departs as part of your 5-day Nile Cruise from Luxor to Aswan, allowing you to see the stunning Nile panoramas and introducing you to one of the top-rated luxury Egypt tours included with the best Nile River cruise Luxor to Aswan.

Optional: For a more engaging historical journey, the dazzling Sound and Light Show at Karnak Temple is worth considering.

Night on a cruise.

Meals: Lunch & Dinner

Day 2

Luxor West Bank – Valley of the Kings & Scenic Sailing on a Luxury Nile Cruise

Start your day with an enjoyable breakfast on board and then travel to the Luxor [West Bank](#) where history has resurrected.

Valley of the Kings:

The [Valley of the Kings](#) is one of those archaeological places in the world that the whole world knows about, and it was the royal tombs of the New Kingdom pharaohs, among which the tomb of the famous Tutankhamun was the most renowned. This place has a lot of tombs—more than 60, and a lot of them were richly decorated, and even the very heart of the rock was carved out with symbols and the like, and so the site was made to usher the pharaohs into the afterlife.

Temple of Queen Hatshepsut:

The [Temple of Queen Hatshepsut](#) is a jewel among the ancient sites of Egypt and has even come to be considered because of its beauty and perfect state of preservation. It is a phenomenon and has been raised to the rank of one of the few female monarchs. Hatshepsut's terraces, statues, and reliefs that

embody the era's spirituality, wealth, and devotion to Amun. When your tour guides take you through the temple, they will tell you about the legendary lady-pharaoh Lean Hatshepsut—how she succeeded in a man's world and how her story continues to bewitch both historians and the public.

Colossi of Memnon:

The [Colossi of Memnon](#) have stood for more than 3000 years at the entrance of the long-gone mortuary temple of Amenhotep III on the western bank of the Nile, close to Luxor. The two huge statues are about 60 feet high, and each of them is chiselled out of one block of sandstone.

Return to MS Mayfair Nile Cruise and let the journey of luxury Nile River cruise from Luxor to Aswan continue with relaxing days that are perfectly balanced by culture and comfort. The best Nile River cruises in Egypt make you see the ancient wonders and enjoy an all-inclusive Nile cruise Egypt experience at the same time. You will experience sailing through the Esna Lock and capturing the moments of local life on the river banks—these will be the true highlights of your Upper Egypt Nile cruise experience.

Savor the gourmet food prepared by the chef on board as the ship moors at Esna.

Overnight stay on a cruise.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner.

Day 3

Edfu & Kom Ombo – Majestic Temples of Horus and Sobek on Your Nile Cruise

After breakfast, set off for a guided tour to

Kom Ombo Temple:

Visit the twin sanctuary of the gods Horus and Sobek at the [Kom Ombo Temple](#).

Edfu Temple:

The [Edfu Temple](#), erected for the god Horus, is one of the most intact temples in Egypt and highlights your Christmas tour package with a magnificent grand pylon and detailed carvings.

This incongruous temple with two deities planned is perhaps the most famous feature of your 5-day Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan.

After the trip, go back to the boat and have a delicious and easy-going dinner while the ship sails to Aswan. As the night creeps in, you will be amazed by the Aswan Bridge and the softly illuminated Tombs of the Nobles, all of it under a starry sky, which is one of the countless enchanting experiences that you will have on your opulent Nile cruise in Egypt.

Stay overnight on the cruise.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 4

Aswan City Tour on Luxury Nile Cruise – High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple

After having breakfast, it's time to get ready for a thrilling day in Aswan. Start off the day with your Egyptologist guide, who will take you on a trip to the most famous places in the city. The first stop is the

Aswan High Dam:

Discover the great engineering work of the [Aswan High Dam](#) that regulates the flow of the Nile.

Philae Temple:

Explore the stunning [Philae Temple](#) that was especially built for Isis and later moved to Agilkia Island.

Unfinished Obelisk:

Come and see the [Unfinished Obelisk](#), which was the largest ancient obelisk known, but was left in its quarry because of a crack.

An exquisite lunch will be provided on board the MS Mayfair luxury Egypt cruise, followed by a reclining afternoon with a tea of your choice at your own pace. During your luxury Nile cruise in Egypt, you will experience the quietness of Aswan. This day marks the peak of the best Nile cruises from Luxor to Aswan, where you can see the rich history of Egypt and the engineering feats through the journey of a premium Nile River cruise.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner.

Day 5

Aswan Check Out – End of Your Egypt Nile Cruise Journey with Optional Abu Simbel Tour

Breakfast, then disembark and take some time to explore Aswan at your own pace. Wander through the vibrant Nubian markets or simply relax and enjoy the charming sights of this beautiful city on your luxury Nile cruise to Aswan.

Optional: Go on a highly recommended excursion to the iconic [Abu Simbel temple](#) tour from Aswan, either by private vehicle or a quick flight with EgyptAir. Marvel at the colossal statues of King Ramses II and the elegant temple dedicated to Queen Nefertari before returning to Aswan.

Then, you will be transferred to Aswan Airport or train station for your later departure, laden with memories that will never fade from your 5-day luxury Nile cruise Luxor to Aswan and the rich on-land history you witnessed on this trip.

Meals: Breakfast

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

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