

Sonesta Star Goddess 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

Experience breathtaking beauty aboard the Sonesta Star Goddess, a 5-star luxury Nile cruise ship offering unforgettable trips from Luxor to Aswan. This exceptional Nile cruise in Egypt is available in two itineraries: a 4-day luxury Nile cruise and a 5-day luxury [Nile cruise Luxor Aswan](#), allowing travelers to choose the pace that suits their taste.

Enjoy a luxurious stay in luxurious suites, each with a private balcony and panoramic views of the tranquil banks of the Nile River. As part of your [Egypt tour](#), explore the Karnak Temple, the Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut Temple, Kom Ombo, Edfu, and the famous Philae Temple in Aswan.

This Luxor and Aswan Nile cruise package combines comfort, discovery, and culture with guided historical tours by expert Egyptologists, fine dining, and top-tier hospitality. Whether you select the 4-day Nile cruise itinerary for a quick escape or the immersive 5-day Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan, the Sonesta Star Goddess promises the best Nile River cruise experience and a deeply enriching [Egypt Nile cruise](#) journey — a highlight of any well-planned luxury Egypt tour.

Itinerary

Day 1

Start Your 5-Star Nile Cruise from Aswan – Visit High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple

Our tour guide will meet you upon arrival at Aswan Airport or train station and will take you to meet your expert Egyptologist guide. Start your tour of Egypt with a visit to the stunning

Aswan High Dam:

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

Philae Temple:

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Unfinished Obelisk:

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

After your guided tour, you'll board the luxurious Sonesta Star Goddess Nile Cruise, where you can enjoy afternoon tea and a delicious dinner while relaxing in refined elegance.

Spend your first night aboard your luxury Nile cruise from Aswan to Luxor, soaking in the tranquil atmosphere of Aswan.

Overnight on board in Aswan.

Meals: Lunch & Dinner

Day 2

Temples of Kom Ombo & Edfu – Highlights of Your Nile Cruise Luxor Aswan

Begin your day with breakfast on a leisurely Nile cruise from Aswan to Luxor, passing through Kom Ombo. Enjoy calm views of the green Nile banks and the majestic Aswan Bridge in the background. Stop at

Edfu Temple:

Dedicated to the god Horus, the [Edfu Temple](#) is one of the best-preserved in Egypt, featuring a great pylon and elaborate carvings.

Kom Ombo Temple:

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

Your journey continues through the Esna Lock, where you'll get a close-up look at traditional life along the riverbanks, a perfect moment to capture the essence of your private Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 3

East Bank of Luxor – Explore Karnak & Luxor Temples on a Luxury Nile Cruise

Have a delicious breakfast aboard the Sonesta Star Goddess Nile Cruise as your 4-day Aswan to Luxor Nile cruise arrives at the ancient city of Luxor. Begin your morning journey through history [East Bank](#) on the Luxor tour, exploring the majestic:

Luxor Temple:

Admire the stunning [Luxor Temple](#), built by Amenhotep III and Ramses II, featuring grand colonnades and the Avenue of Sphinxes.

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.

Return to the luxurious Nile cruise for a delightful lunch and afternoon tea when sailing along the scenic Nile. Spend the remaining part of the day relaxing onboard, soaking in panoramic views of Luxor, or choosing to go out and explore the city on your own.

Dinner is served as you enjoy your final night on board this unforgettable luxury Nile River cruise in Egypt.

Overnight on the cruise.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Day 4

Valley of the Kings & Hatshepsut Temple – West Bank Wonders on Your Egypt Nile Cruise

After breakfast from your luxury Nile cruise from Aswan to Luxor, your Egyptologist guide will take you to explore the famed West Bank of Luxor. See the magnificent

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:

One of the most beautiful and well-preserved ancient temples of Egypt, the [Temple of Queen Hatshepsut](#) is situated beautifully against the dramatic cliffs of Deir el-Bahri. Mortuary of the female pharaoh temple was constructed to honor one of Egypt's few female pharaohs. The terraces,

statues, and relief carvings evoke wealth under her reign and dedication to the god Amun. As you go through the splendid temple with a guide, you will hear the story of Hatshepsut and how she came to power in a male-dominated realm, which continues to spellbind 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.

This last day on your 4-day luxury Nile cruise between Luxor and Aswan offers a memorable glimpse into ancient Egypt's rich history.

Meals: Breakfast only.

Day 1

Arrival in Luxor – Explore the East Bank Temples on Your 5-Day Luxury Nile Cruise

Your Luxor Aswan Nile cruise vacation will begin with a warm welcome from our tour guide at Luxor Airport or station. Your dedicated Egyptologist guide will then take you through the secrets of an incredible experience tailored by the itinerary of the [East Bank](#) in Luxor tour,

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Before sailing on your luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan, where you can witness the golden sunset light along the Nile, you will board to eat dinner on the 5-star cruise ship, beginning your

unforgettable 5-day Nile cruise in Egypt from Luxor to Aswan.

Optional tour: Sound and Light Show at Karnak Temple – an atmospheric evening that brings ancient history to life.

Overnight on Cruise

Meals: Lunch & Dinner

Day 2

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

Head to Edfu after sailing through the intriguing Esna Lock, then return to the cruise to unwind and capture original photos of the local way of life along the banks of the Nile. In the evening, enjoy a gourmet dinner as the boat docks at Esna. Start the day with a filling breakfast before continuing your journey to the [West Bank](#) of Luxor, where you will explore the

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Take the fascinating Esna Lock walk down memory lane to Edfu after returning to the luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan. You can take breathtaking photos and experience life by the Nile here.

This unforgettable day is part of a 5 days Nile Cruise from Luxor to Aswan, one of the best Luxor and Aswan Nile Cruise Packages for travelers seeking both comfort and culture.

Overnight on the Sonesta Star Goddess Nile cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner.

Day 3

Kom Ombo and Edfu temples luxury Nile cruise experience

Start your day with breakfast before visiting one of ancient Egyptian most magnificent temples, the exquisitely preserved

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As the Sonesta Star Goddess Nile cruise continues its scenic journey to Aswan, passing beneath the iconic Aswan Bridge and offering stunning views of the Tombs of the Nobles at sunset, you will return to the cruise for a delicious dinner.

Overnight on the luxury Nile cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner

Day 4

Aswan City Tour: High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk & Philae Temple on Luxor Aswan Nile Cruise

Get ready to start your day with breakfast aboard this luxury Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan for 5 days. In Aswan, your expert Egyptologist guide will introduce you to some of the city most iconic landmarks.

Firstly, be amazed by the breathtaking

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Return to your 5-star Nile cruise for a sumptuous lunch as you sail along the Nile River. Enjoy a relaxing afternoon tea in Aswan's peaceful and scenic ambiance, the perfect way to unwind after a day of exploration. This day is part of one of the best Nile River cruises from Luxor to Aswan, making your trip an intellectually rewarding and enjoyable experience.

Overnight on Sonesta Star Goddess Nile cruise.

Meals: breakfast, lunch & dinner

Day 5

Explore Aswan & Final Departure – End of Your Luxor to Aswan Nile Cruise

After breakfast on your Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan packages, enjoy free time to explore the city of Aswan at a leisurely pace. Whether you wander through the lively Nubian markets or relax onboard while admiring the calm views of the Nile, this last day is the ideal moment to bid farewell to Aswan before departure.

The final day of the 5-day Nile cruise from Luxor to Aswan shapes the perfect conclusion to your trip and marks the end of one of the best Nile cruise packages from Luxor to Aswan. Optional trips can be arranged before disembarkation, such as private visits to the famous Abu Simbel temples, either by private vehicle or via a short EgyptAir flight.

Then you will be transferred from the cruise to Aswan airport or railway station, where onward travel awaits. With a luxury Nile cruise departing from Aswan, the end of your unforgettable Egypt tour will be smooth and comfortable.

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\$ 1600 /USD

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