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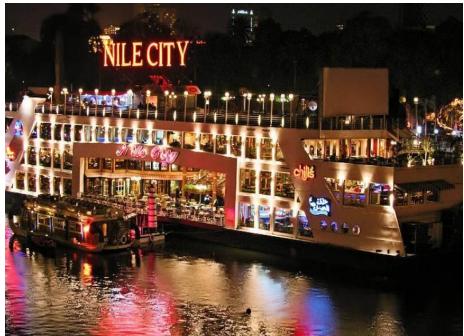
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Tour Highlights:

Our tour includes visits to several unique cities in Egypt including Cairo, Egypt's ancient but cosmopolitan capital, Luxor, Memphis, Aswan and Alexandria. The tour also includes a four-day Nile River Cruise with stops each day at unforgettable tourist sites including: The Valley of the Kings and the colossal temples built by Ramses the Second and the Temple of his wife, Nefatari.

DAY 1-3: Experience the Magic of Cairo and the Pyramids

Enjoy an unforgettable Welcome Dinner Cruise on the River Nile with delicious food, live music and Egyptian folk shows.



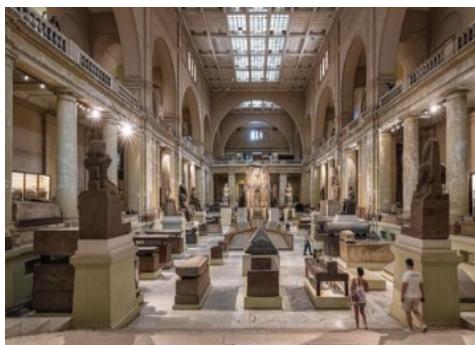
Visit the Great Pyramids, at Giza, which include the Pyramid of Khufu, which is the largest pyramid ever built.

Walk right up and have a close look at the Sphinx, a huge funeral complex guarded by the legendary lion body with the face of King Chephren.



Visit the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities, where over 250,000 artifacts illustrating over 5000 years of Egyptian history and art are displayed.

The exhibits at the Egyptian Museum include an exhibit dedicated to the King Tut collection of treasures. This gold and jewelry were enclosed in his tomb for over 3,500 years before it was discovered in the 1920's when his tomb was excavated.



Days 4-5: Fly from Cairo to Luxor and Explore the Ancient Temples.

Take a domestic flight from Cairo to Luxor. Go inside the ancient Temple of



Karnak and the Temple of Luxor. Stroll through the famous Temple courtyard and stand under the colossal granite statue of Ramses the Great.



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Days 6-9 Enjoy an unforgettable Four-Day Cruise on the River Nile

See breathtaking views while you cruise on this famous ancient river.

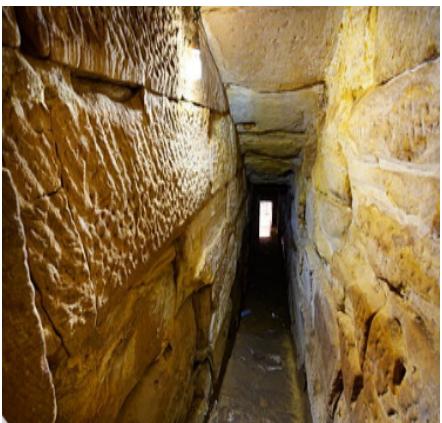


You will be assigned comfortable rooms that will allow you to relax and enjoy this once in a lifetime experience making stops each day on the cruise at places you have only read about and seen in movies.

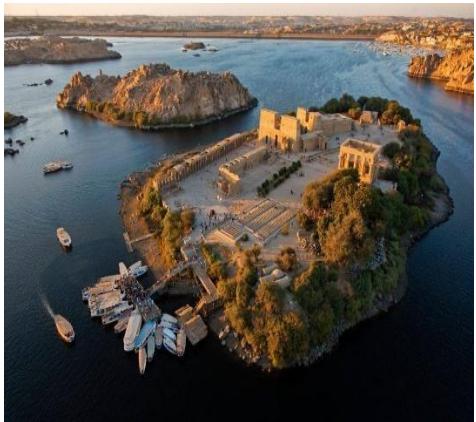
Including:

The Valley of the Kings, Nubian Egypt; the Colossi of Memnon; and the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut at El Deir El Bahari.





Visit the Temple of Horus in Edfu, and the Temple shared by the two gods Sobek and Haroeris. See the High Dam of Aswan and the Temple of Philae.

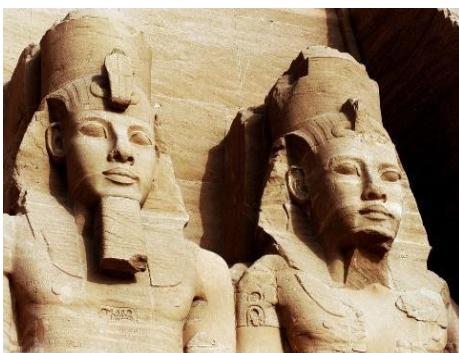
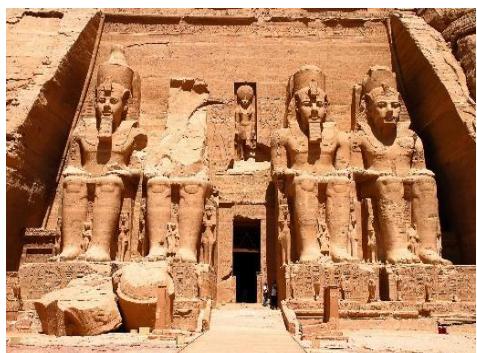


After each day of tours, we will return to the boat for dinner and a leisurely evening of cruising on the Nile River.



See the Temples of Ramses and Nefatari and more!

Visit to the colossal Temple of Abu Simbel, built by Ramses the Second and the Temple of Nefatari, the king's wife.



Days 9-10 Return to Cairo, tour Alexandria, the city built by Alexander the Great, and see more of Cairo.

Tour the Library of Alexandria, the biggest library in the world with over 8 million books. Explore this famous library's relic filled museums and stroll in the Open Court of the Library, where you can see the Statue of Alexander the Great and the Statue of Ptolemy the first, which was found underwater nearby.



Visit the site of the old Lighthouse, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World on which now stands the Castle of Qaitbey; and walk through the Abbo Elabbas Mosque, the most beautiful and the largest in the city.

Visit the ancient Roman Amphitheater of Alexandria, with its display of the sunken monuments of Alexandria which were discovered under the harbor of Alexandria.



Pray in St. Mark, the oldest church in Africa, named for the founder of the Coptic Church, depicted below; and tour the El Nabi Daniel Mosque which is believed to contain the remains of the Prophet Daniel.



We will drive through old downtown Alexandria, and see all the historical sites in this famous ancient city.



Alexandria has so much to see, feel, eat, and buy, that your day will be filled with unforgettable experiences!



Shop in the City's oldest market area, navigating its narrow streets to shop in the famous gold market where you can buy 22 karat gold or just window shop and experience the traditional market atmosphere.



We will stop for photos at some of the area's most famous sites.



We will stop at the old harbor where you can see the old fishing boats and men engaged in the traditional style of fishing. We will then continue on a leisurely 15-mile drive along the breathtaking coastline enroute to the Gardens of Montaza.





Once in the Gardens of Montaza, commonly known as the Love Garden, we will visit the royal gardens of King Farouk (the last king of Egypt) and see the royal palaces of Haramlek and Salamlek; the famous Montaza Bridge and the Tea Palace. We will end our tour with a relaxing rest stop on the famous royal beach of the queens.



Days 11-12: Tour the Famous Ancient City of Memphis; Return to Cairo and prepare for the trip back to the United States.

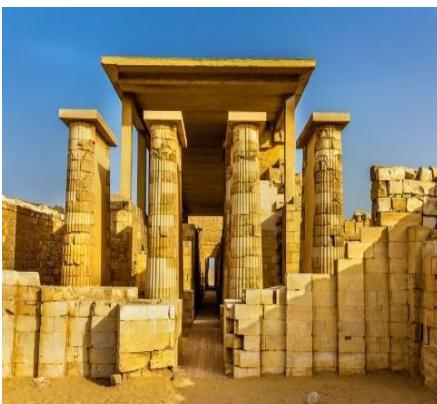
The tour of Memphis includes:

Visit to the Step Pyramids of Zoser, the world's oldest major stone structure. It was built in the 3rd Dynasty (around 2630 BC) for King Djoser.

Memphis was founded by King Menes and was the capital of Old Egypt during the Old Kingdom. Memphis was the center of Egyptian culture for over 3000 years.

See the Statute of Ramses the Second, the Red Pyramid and the Bent Pyramid at Dahshur.





After all your exciting tours, there will be plenty of time for you to rest or do some last minute souvenir shopping before your last night in Cairo and your return trip to the United States.



Single room upgrade: \$800

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