

Tour to the Pyramids, Coptic Cairo, and the Nile Felucca

Price Starting From : \$0

8 Hours
Cairo
Egypt
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Everyday

Layover tour in Cairo should be timely and well-appointed, weaving together ancient history, spiritual heritage, and a view for relaxation. Your journey begins with a trip to the Giza Pyramids, exploring the fascinating tombs of Khufu, Khafre, and Menkaure. The Great Sphinx stands before you against the panoramic views of the desert landscape. If time allows, set off on a short camel ride or even wait in line to climb inside one of the pyramids (optional entry fee). Your professional guide will turn those few hours into an unforgettable experience by unfolding the mysteries and wonders of ancient Egypt.

Then, off you go to Coptic Cairo, one of the city's oldest spiritual neighborhoods. Walking through its narrow streets steeped in history, you'll visit the Hanging Church, Cave Church of St. Sergius, and Ben Ezra Synagogue, which some believe is where baby Moses was found. These sacred sites tell stories of the layered religious history of Cairo and how the city served as a sanctuary and spiritual center through the ages. Your guide will share tales of the origins of Christianity in Egypt and what these historic spots mean.

Felucca sailing is the perfect end to your layover, allowing you to relax and contrast with the hustle and bustle of the city. As the felucca gently moves on the cruise, take the striking view of Cairo's skyline and pass by its famous bridges and lively banks. Let the cool breeze fan you while you fill a glass with an icy drink and ponder the memories formed during this journey through time.

[Overview](#)

[Inclusion](#)

- Pick-up and drop-off at your hotel or airport are included in the services.
- Air-conditioned, private vehicles are used for all transportation.
- There is a bottle of water on board for each trip.
- Access to the Giza Pyramids.
- Entry to the Hanging Church. (St. Mary, El Muallaqa, and Sitt. Mariam)
- One-hour journey on a felucca.

[Exclusion](#)

- Entry expenses.
- Professional Egyptologist guide.
- Gratuities.
- Any additional expenses not included in the itinerary.

[Itinerary](#)

Layover Tour to pyramids, Coptic Cairo, and Felucca Ride

Projects are such a rare delight! Mysteriously undergoing numerous nations, cultures, and histories, Egyptian monuments are worn into the minds of any tourist with their brightness and indomitable stance. The pyramids stand as the perfect example of enigmatic and awe-inspiring construction since no tower ever built or imagined in human history can so vividly express the grandeur of man. In the vicinity of Cairo, there are three main pyramids on the Giza Plateau erected for three pharaohs: Khufu, Khafre, and Menkaure. Since time immemorial, they have remained the greatest wonders ever built by man who ever set their sights on Egypt.

First, after arrival, collect your luggage and follow your tour guide directly to the Great Pyramids of Giza. Go sightseeing to the eternal wonders of Khufu, Khafre, and Menkaure as an expert guide skillfully translates the sombre glories of ancient Egypt into charming stories. View the striking sight of the Great Sphinx and, time permitting, a short camel ride or a visit to one of the pyramids could complete your taste of the ancient world.

Next: Given some time and a very scenic view, you shall stroll through the stone-paved lanes of a rather peaceful and mystically charged past-legendary land, laden with churches, monasteries, and ancient ruins. Visit the Hanging Church, the Ben Ezra Synagogue, and the Cave Church of Saints Sergius and Bacchus, which is said to be a refuge for the Holy Family. Your guide will further delve into the spiritual and cultural significance of this area, enriching you with an understanding of Egypt's religious diversity.#

End the layover with a calm Nile felucca ride with sights of Cairo from the water as the sun sets. Feel the cool breeze, sip on a traditional Egyptian drink, and savor the views of minarets, bridges, and the vibrant city skyline. After the sail, you will be dropped in comfort back to Cairo International Airport for your onward flight with a heartful of unforgettable memories of Egypt's history and spirituality.