

Memphis City Half-Day Tour

Price Starting From : \$45

4 Hours
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Everyday

The ancient wonders of Memphis, the very first capital of Egypt, stand as the very heart of civilization. The half-day tour takes you on a trip back in time to examine the ruins of one of the most significant cities of the ancient world. Just south of Cairo, Memphis shelters interesting archaeological wonders, enormous statues, traces of temple ruins, and inscriptions that tell tales about Egypt's glorious past.

The tour will start at the open-air museum, where the gigantic statue of Ramses II is found, truly one of the greatest sculptures of the ancient world. Meeting the alabaster Sphinx will also be anticipated; this incredible limestone structure was guarding the city. As you stroll through the ruins, your knowledgeable guide will tell some fascinating stories about the role Memphis played in the history of Egypt, the trade and political influence it wielded, and the legendary pharaohs that ruled from this very place.

The faraway historical value of Memphis, surrounded by lush greenery and ancient relics, offers a momentary getaway from the clutter and bustle of modern-day Cairo. The well-orchestrated half-day tour injecting history, culture, and serene beauty will assure memorable times truly special to history lovers and travelers wishing to indulge their senses with the great Egyptian heritage in a few hours.

[Overview](#)

[Inclusion](#)

- being greeted and helped by our agents.
- Transported in a special air-conditioned van.
- Transportation to and from your Cairo or Giza accommodation.
- You will be accompanied on your Cairo Half Day Tour to Memphis City by a knowledgeable Egyptologist guide.
- Tickets for admission to every location listed in our Egypt day trip schedule.
- Bottled water or a soft drink whilst on a day trip to Cairo.
- Cairo shopping trips.
- The rates listed by Egypt Tours include all taxes and service fees.

[Exclusion](#)

- Anything additional that isn't in the Memphis Ancient City excursion schedule.
- Individual expenditures.
- The cost of our Cairo Half Day Tours does not include tipping.

[Itinerary](#)

Cairo Half Day Tour to Memphis City

Giza or Cairo hotels will pick you up and drop you off for the first tour of Memphis, the first capital of Egypt built by King Menes more than 5,000 years ago. The tour guide will tell you about what this city was and how it was a center for culture and politics. After that, tour an outstanding open museum with wonderful relics from this once glorious city.

The visit to the Memphis museum features a gigantic limestone statue of Ramses II, a 10-meter-long artifact, and the alabaster Sphinx of Memphis, believed to represent either Pharaoh Amenhotep II or Thutmose III. Several other statues, columns, and inscriptions give a brief insight into the rich history of Memphis, making it a must-see site for all visitors to Egypt.

The tour brings you to all the ancient wonders of Memphis, allowing you to snap photos while savoring the serenity of it all. Your guide safely returns you to your hotel, although with a small stopover for a quick look at a local handicraft shop or café for a refreshment. This excursion is ideal for history and cultural enthusiasts, making Memphis an absolute must-visit.