## The best day trip to Luxor

**Price Starting From: \$115** 

1 Day Egypt, Luxor Egypt Egypt Luxor

#### Day Tour to Luxor

Enjoy networking and go back in time and witness the events, wars, wars and rivalries between kings and how these temples were built and displayed Enjoy visiting the city of Luxor, which despite its rather small area, Luxor is indeed a storehouse of Egyptian artefacts. Here in this southern Egyptian city, time mixes between the ancient, where the Pharaonic temples with their towering columns and striking stone wall carvings, and the present, where the "ferry" carries the people of the city daily from one eastern land to another western land, separated by the Nile River. In the city itself, you can see a festival of flying colourful balloons floating in a clear sky, painting a picture that will not leave the visitor's memory.

A trip to Luxor with Cairo Top Tours is different. A visitor can think of it as a unique archaeological site, or an open-air museum that houses some of the world's most famous artefacts. But at the same time, it is difficult to reduce it to the touristy nature that many other global cities are known for. Explore Luxor is a city where there are many aspects of ordinary daily life that characterise the cities of Upper Egypt, where popular markets, industries and traditional crafts abound. Luxor has become a mosaic that combines the ancient Pharaonic character with modern life.

# Overview Inclusion

- Air-conditioned vehicles for all of our transportation.
- Tickets and admission costs to the listed locations on the East and West Banks.
- Our Luxor day tours and excursions include a delicious lunch at a neighborhood restaurant.
- An Egyptologist who speaks English.
- The East and West banks of the Luxor attractions tour include soft drinks and a bottle of water.
- All service fees and taxes are paid.

#### **Exclusion**

- Entrance to King Tutankhamun's tomb, King Seti's tomb, and king Ramses XI at the Valley of the Kings.
- Tipping is not expected during the Luxor day tour to the East and the West Bank.
- Camera or photo ticket in the Valley of the kings during Luxor day tours and excursions.
- Prices also apply during Christmas and New Year tours in Egypt or Egypt Easter tours.

#### **Itinerary**

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Early in the morning, our tour guide will take you to explore the highlights of this ancient world. A private cooled car will take you to the west bank of the Nile, where you will visit the Valley of the Kings. This valley is split into eastern and western sides, and the eastern section is the most well-known because the western side does not have many tombs. This valley has over 60 known tombs, on top of 20 other grave sites that have gotten no further than being excavated.

You will then be taken to the temple of Queen Hatshepsut, Deir el-Bahari. The guide will give you a fascinating account of why this temple was built and the role it played in her life alongside the other buildings in her unique Hatshepsut temple, which is multi-colored and was designed by the priests who aided her power grab.

Once you finish with Memnon, you will be taken to a nice restaurant for lunch so you can proceed with your trip on the East Bank, which is quite distinct from the West Bank of Luxor. Learn also about the Opet Festival of celebrated importance to the Egyptians that joined the temples of Luxor and Karnak that are sited on the East Bank . It is an event that was initiated by Queen Hatsheput and it lasts for 11 days once in a year, particularly during the flood season. Learn more about the monuments. Finally, you will be transferred to any place in Luxor, whether to your hotel, your cruise or the airport.