# 4-Day Cairo and Luxor Classic Tour Package

**Price Starting From: \$0** 

4 Days 3 Nights Egypt Cairo, Luxor

### Classic Holiday Package to Cairo and Luxor

Explore Egypt's two most significant cities, Cairo and Luxor, with our classic holiday package. Known for their historical importance, these cities boast iconic landmarks such as the Pyramids, the Sphinx, and the Valley of the Kings, drawing millions of visitors each year. Embark on a 4-day, 3-night journey from Cairo to Luxor and dive deep into Egypt's storied past.

Luxor, which served as the capital of Upper Egypt during the New Kingdom and was a key cultural and religious center dedicated to the god Amun-Ra, contrasts with the continued popularity of Memphis, Egypt's ancient capital.

In Luxor, you'll visit significant historical sites central to Egyptian mythology, including the tombs of pharaohs and queens. Marvel at the temples that have remarkably withstood centuries of natural wear and tear.

# Overview Inclusion

- Meet and greet services by Cairo Top Tours representatives at the airport.
- 2 nights' accommodation at the Cairo Pyramids Hotel with breakfast.
- 1 night's stay in Luxor with breakfast.
- Internal round-trip flight tickets from Cairo to Luxor and back.
- Entrance tickets to all listed sites.
- Tasty lunch meals were provided.
- Private, non-smoking, air-conditioned vehicle for all transfers between the airport and hotel.
- Snack breaks are available on request.
- Bottled water and soft drinks during all excursions.
- Soft drink in a local café, if time permits, during your day tours.
- Expert tour guide for your Egypt Classic Tours.
- Meals served as outlined in the itinerary.
- Optional shopping trips in Cairo.
- All taxes and service charges are included in the package.

#### Exclusion

- Gratuities during the Cairo tours.
- Admission to Tutankhamun's tomb or the tomb of King Seti I in the Valley of the Kings.
- International flight tickets.
- Beverages during meals.
- Egyptian entry visa.

### **Itinerary**

## Day 1: tour to Giza Pyramids, Sphinx & Egyptian Museum

Arrive at Cairo airport, meet & greet our tour guide & transfer to your hotel by private A/C car or minivan. Afternoon visit to Giza Pyramids & Sphinx, which was built by Cheops (Khufu), Chephren (Khafre), and Mycerinus (Menkaure). The pyramids are considered one of the most magnificent architectural structures ever built by man.

The pyramid-shaped tombs were constructed with more than 2 million blocks of stone weighing more than 2 tons each and were covered with a white limestone casing that gave them their name "The White Pyramid". As well as we will visit the Egyptian museum where you can see the most ancient artifacts that give proof of the history of Egypt. After dinner at a local restaurant, we'll have free time for shopping before heading back to your hotel for an overnight stay.

Note: you can choose between the optional tour to Old Cairo and Khan El Khalili Bazaar or the optional tour to Giza Pyramids, Sphinx, and the Egyptian museum.

## Day 2

A morning flight to Luxor, Egypt, and arrival at Luxor airport. Today you will enjoy the East and West Banks of Luxor. After picking up your luggage, we will begin our tour of the city of Luxor. The first stop will be at the Temple of Karnak, one of the largest religious complexes ever built by man. It was built during the reigns of the pharaohs Amenhotep III and Ramses II and is dedicated to both Amun-Re and his son Mut-Re-Harmakhis. The next stop will be Luxor Temple which was built by Amenhotep III during the 18th dynasty and dedicated to Amon-Ra.

This temple has been considerably restored by many pharaohs such as king Tutankhamun, Horemheb, and also Alexander the Great built a shrine there to gain the blessings of the gods.

We then visit the Valley of the Kings, where an estimated 63 tombs were constructed for rulers in ancient Egypt's 18th through 20th dynasties. One of these tombs belongs to Tutankhamun who was only 19 years old when he died in 1324 BCE. His tomb was discovered in 1922 CE by Howard Carter and George Herbert (Lord Carnaryon).

Next, we visit Hatshepsut Temple at Deir el Bahari which was built during her reign as pharaoh (1503–1483 BCE) under Thutmose III's rule. The temple consists of three terraces reached by ramps with a series of colonnaded courts at each end; a hypostyle hall leads into a sanctuary.

Heading back to Cairo Airport for your flight back home