## Overnight Trip to Cairo from Port Said

**Price Starting From: \$220** 

2 Days / 1 Night Egypt Port Said and Cairo

Enjoy an unforgettable overnight trip from Port Said to the vibrant city of Cairo, where you will have the opportunity to explore the most captivating attractions in the Egyptian capital.

The highlight of your journey will undoubtedly be the awe-inspiring Giza Pyramids, which rank among the most renowned monuments in the world. These colossal structures not only represent remarkable engineering feats but also hold astronomical significance, as the pyramid sites are believed to correspond to the Orion constellation – a testament to the ancient Egyptians' profound understanding of the celestial world. During your visit, you'll have ample time to capture breathtaking photographs with the majestic Sphinx as the backdrop.

Your exploration of Cairo's historic wonders continues at the Citadel of Salah al-Din al-Ayyubi, a formidable fortress that once served as a bulwark against numerous attacks on the city. Within the citadel, you'll marvel at the stunning Muhammad Ali Mosque, an architectural masterpiece constructed entirely of gleaming alabaster, making it one of the most beautiful mosques in the Arab world.

The Citadel Saladin and the Mosque of Muhammad Ali stand as testaments to the engineering prowess of the era, showcasing the ingenuity and craftsmanship of the people who built these magnificent structures. Through your visits, you'll gain a deeper appreciation for the rich history and cultural heritage that has long made Cairo a captivating destination for travelers.

This overnight excursion to Cairo promises to be a truly unforgettable experience, allowing you to immerse yourself in the grandeur of ancient Egypt and uncover the true beauty and significance of this legendary city.

# Overview Inclusion

- Round-trip transfers from Port Said.
- One night stay in a 5-star hotel in Cairo.
- Transportation in a comfortable air-conditioned vehicle.
- Admission to all listed attractions.
- Lunch at a local restaurant during all Egypt tours.
- English-speaking guide for the Giza Pyramids and Cairo tours.
- Complimentary bottled water and soft drinks during all Cairo day tours.
- Shopping tours in Cairo are available upon request.
- All service charges and taxes included.

### Exclusion

- Additional services not specified in our Egypt Day Tours itineraries.
- Tipping is optional for our Egypt Shore Excursions.
- Entrance fees to the Great Pyramid are not included in Cairo Tours from Port Said.
- Prices are valid during Christmas, New Year, and Egypt Easter tours.

#### **Itinerary**

## Day 01: Pyramids and Saqqara Tour

Embark on your captivating Cairo tour with a seamless pick-up at the cruise exit door in Port Said. Your expert tour leader will greet you and transfer you to the Egyptian capital via a comfortable, air-conditioned vehicle, setting the stage for an unforgettable exploration of Cairo's most iconic landmarks.

Your first stop will be the awe-inspiring Giza Plateau, home to the legendary Giza Pyramids and the majestic Great Sphinx. This beautiful area features three towering pyramids, each built for a different pharaoh – Cheops, Chephren, and Mycerinus. The largest of these, the Pyramid of Cheops, also known as the Pyramid of Khufu, stands as the oldest and most colossal of the three and is the only remaining Wonder of the Ancient World. Alongside the pyramids, you'll be enchanted by the sheer size and grandeur of the Great Sphinx, a captivating figure of a human-headed lion.

Your Cairo exploration continues as you venture to the Saqqara region, where you'll visit the Step Pyramid of Djoser, the first pyramid ever constructed in history. This remarkable structure, built by the architect Imhotep, serves as a testament to the ingenuity and engineering prowess of ancient Egyptian civilization.

After a delightful lunch at a local restaurant, you'll return to your hotel in Cairo, where you can reflect on the incredible sights and experiences of your first day of Cairo tours from Port Said.

This comprehensive day-long itinerary promises to immerse you in the timeless wonders of Egypt's past, leaving you with a deeper appreciation for the architectural and cultural achievements that have made Cairo a legendary destination.

## Day 02: The Egyptian Museum - Saladin Citadel

Start your day in Cairo with a delightful breakfast at your hotel, before being transferred by your expert Egyptologist guide to embark on a captivating tour of the Egyptian Museum.

The museum houses the largest collection of ancient Egyptian artifacts in the world, offering a remarkable glimpse into the country's storied past. Among the museum's treasures, you'll have the opportunity to marvel at the intact royal treasures of the celebrated Pharaoh Tutankhamun, providing a truly extraordinary experience.

Next, you'll be transported to the Citadel of Saladin, a historic fortress that once served as a formidable defensive structure. Within the citadel, you'll explore the stunning Muhammad Ali Alabaster Mosque, a magnificent architectural masterpiece that stands as a testament to the rich Islamic heritage of Cairo.

Your tour of the Citadel will also grant you a panoramic view of Islamic Cairo, with its captivating mosques, minarets, and domes, some dating back over a thousand years. If time permits, you'll then venture to the renowned Khan El Khalili, Cairo's oldest and most vibrant bazaar, where you can immerse yourself in the bustling atmosphere and explore the intricate Islamic monuments that line the medieval streets.

At the end of your comprehensive Cairo tour, you'll be driven back to your cruise ship in Port Said, carrying with you a wealth of knowledge and memories from your exploration of this captivating city.