


## 7 Days Budget Tour to Cairo Nile Cruise by Train

 **Cairo, Aswan, Luxor.**

<b>Duration</b>	<b>Tour type</b>	<b>Group size</b>	<b>Runs</b>
 7 Days	 Budget Tour	 10	 Everyday

### Overview

Discover the timeless wonders of Egypt on this unforgettable seven-day adventure. Begin in Cairo with a warm welcome and a visit to the iconic Giza Pyramids and the Grand Egyptian Museum before boarding a sleeper train to Aswan. Explore Aswan's High Dam, Philae Temple, and the Unfinished Obelisk before embarking on a scenic Nile cruise. Sail to Kom Ombo and Edfu to uncover ancient temples dedicated to Egyptian deities.

In Luxor, marvel at Karnak and Luxor Temples on the East Bank, then explore the Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut Temple, and the Colossi of Memnon on the West Bank. Enjoy a scenic hot air balloon ride for a breathtaking view of Luxor's landscape. Conclude your journey with a return sleeper train to Cairo, where you'll be transferred to the airport for your departure, leaving with cherished memories of Egypt's rich history and majestic landscapes.

### Itinerary

#### Day 1

#### Arrival in Cairo

Welcome to Egypt! Upon arrival at Cairo International Airport, our representative will greet you and transfer you to your hotel in Cairo/Giza via private air-conditioned vehicle.

**Accommodation:** Hotel in Cairo (1 night)

**Meals:** No meals included today.

## Day 2

### **Pyramids, Grand Egyptian Museum & Sleeper Train to Aswan**

After breakfast, embark on a full-day tour:

**Giza Pyramids:** Marvel at the **Pyramids of Cheops, Chephren, and Mycerinus**, the last remaining wonders of the ancient world. Stand in awe of the **Great Pyramid of Cheops**, the largest of the three, and learn about the incredible engineering feats that have kept these monuments standing for over 4,500 years. Visit the **Great Sphinx**, a majestic limestone statue with the body of a lion and the face of a pharaoh, guarding the Giza Plateau for millennia.

**Grand Egyptian Museum:** Step into the world's largest archaeological museum, home to over 100,000 artifacts. Admire the treasures of **King Tutankhamun**, including his iconic golden mask, and explore the museum's vast collection of statues, jewelry, and relics that tell the story of ancient Egypt's grandeur.

Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant.

Later, transfer to the train station to board your **sleeper train to Aswan**.

**Accommodation:** Sleeper train (1 night)

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## Day 3

### **Arrival in Aswan – Nile Cruise Tour**

Upon arrival in Aswan, meet your guide and explore:

**High Dam:** Visit this modern engineering marvel, built to control the Nile's flooding and provide electricity to Egypt. Learn about its construction and its impact on the region's agriculture and economy.

**Philae Temple:** Take a boat ride to **Agilkia Island**, where the temple was relocated to save it from the rising waters of Lake Nasser. Dedicated to the goddess **Isis**, this beautifully preserved temple features intricate carvings and stunning columns, offering a glimpse into ancient Egyptian religious practices.

**Unfinished Obelisk:** Discover the largest known ancient obelisk, abandoned in its quarry due to cracks. This massive stone structure provides insight into the techniques used by ancient Egyptians to carve and transport these monumental works.

Transfer to your Nile cruise ship.

**Accommodation:** Nile Cruise (1 night)

**Meals:** Breakfast (on the train), Lunch, Dinner

## Day 4

### Nile Cruise – Kom Ombo & Edfu Temples

After breakfast, sail along the Nile and visit:

**Kom Ombo Temple:** Explore this unique double temple dedicated to two gods: **Sobek**, the crocodile god, and **Horus**, the falcon god. Admire the symmetrical design, ancient hieroglyphs, and the **Nilometer**, used to measure the river's water levels.

**Edfu Temple:** Visit the **Temple of Horus**, one of the best-preserved ancient temples in Egypt. Marvel at its towering **pylon entrance**, intricate carvings, and grand courtyard. Learn about the temple's role in ancient Egyptian mythology and its connection to the legend of Horus and Seth.

Enjoy lunch on board and a festive **Galabya Party** in the evening.

**Accommodation:** Nile Cruise (1 night)

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## Day 5

### Nile Cruise – Luxor East Bank

After breakfast, explore Luxor's East Bank:

**Karnak Temple:** Step into the largest religious complex ever built, dedicated to the god **Amun-Ra**. Wander through the **Hypostyle Hall**, a forest of 134 massive columns, and admire the towering obelisks, sacred lake, and intricate carvings that depict ancient rituals and pharaonic achievements.

**Luxor Temple:** Visit this stunning temple located in the heart of Luxor. Built primarily by **Amenhotep III** and **Ramses II**, the temple is a masterpiece of ancient architecture. Walk through its grand colonnades and see the **Avenue of Sphinxes**, which once connected it to Karnak Temple.

Return to your cruise ship.

**Accommodation:** Nile Cruise (1 night)

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

## Day 6

### Luxor West Bank – Sleeper Train to Cairo

After breakfast, visit Luxor's West Bank:

**Valley of the Kings:** Explore the burial site of Egypt's greatest pharaohs, including **Tutankhamun**, **Ramses II**, and **Seti I**. Descend into the elaborately decorated tombs, adorned with vivid hieroglyphs and scenes from the **Book of the Dead**, which guided the pharaohs to the afterlife.

**Hatshepsut Temple:** Visit the mortuary temple of **Queen Hatshepsut**, one of Egypt's few female pharaohs. Nestled against the cliffs of **Deir el-Bahari**, this terraced temple is a masterpiece of ancient architecture and offers breathtaking views of the surrounding landscape.

**Colossi of Memnon:** See the two massive stone statues of **Amenhotep III**, which once guarded his mortuary temple. These towering figures have stood for over 3,000 years, bearing witness to the passage of time.

Transfer to Luxor station for your **sleeper train to Cairo**.

**Accommodation:** Sleeper train (1 night)

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

**Optional Activity:**

**Hot Air Balloon Ride:** Soar over Luxor's West Bank at sunrise for a bird's-eye view of the Valley of the Kings, Hatshepsut Temple, and the Nile River (30–45 mins).

## Day 7

### Departure

Arrive in Cairo and transfer directly to Cairo International Airport for your final departure.

**Meals:** Breakfast

### Included

Meet-and-assist service at airports.

Our assistance during your stay.

All transport by private air-conditioned vehicles.

1 Night's accommodation in Cairo.

3-night accommodation in Cruise.

2 Nights accommodation sleeper train.

Entrance fees of all mentioned sights.

Private Expert English Tour Guide.

All meals as mentioned in the itinerary.

Bottled water during trips.

All service charges & taxes.

## **Excluded**

Entry visa to Egypt

Personal expenses

Optional Activities

Tipping

## **Price Table**

#	<b>May-&gt;Sep</b>	<b>Oct-&gt;Apr</b>
<b>Single</b>	0\$	0\$
<b>Double</b>	0\$	0\$
<b>Triple</b>	0\$	0\$

**Price start from**

**Price**

**0\$ /Per Person**

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