

Jaz Regent Nile Cruise
03 Nights Cruise Aswan to Luxor

Friday | High Dam / Unfinished Obelisk / Philae Temple

Meals Included: Lunch / Dinner

Arrive Aswan Airport

You will be transferred to **Jaz Regent Nile Cruise** for Check-in.

Embarkation.

12:30 Lunch on board.

14:00 Later, Leave the Cruise with your guide Proceed to the **High Dam**, drive over the Old Aswan Barrage, constructed in the 1920's over the Nile's 1st cataract. You will arrive at the site of the Aswan High Dam; one of the largest rock-filled dams in the world and considered as a great achievement of modern construction. From the top of the dam, you will look out at Lake Nasser, the largest artificial Lake in the world.

Then to the docks on Lake Nasser for a short boat ride to the island of **Philae** where you will visit the beautiful **Temple of Isis**. Dedicated for the world's most Famous Goddess Isis and also represents three great civilizations – Egyptian, Greek and Roman.

Continue to the **Unfinished Obelisk**, which is the largest known ancient obelisk and is located in the northern region of the stone quarries of ancient Egypt in Aswan.

19:30 Dinner on board
Evening Entertainment

Overnight in Aswan.

Saturday | Kom Ombo Temple / Edfu Temple.

Meals Included: Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner.

04:00 Sail to Kom Ombo.

06:30 Breakfast on board.

07:30 Visit the **Twin Temple of Kom Ombo**. It is dedicated to the hawk-headed god, Harwar and the crocodile god, Sobek. 40 km north of Aswan and 70 km south of Edfu is the Temple of Kom Ombo, also known as the dual temple of Sobek and Haroeris. "Duel" because everything is doubled in this perfectly symmetrical temple. Twin entrances, twin halls, twin colonnades, etc. The Greco-Roman temple is directly on the banks of the Nile.

09:00 Sail to Edfu.

12:30 Lunch on board.

14:00 Meet your guide in the lobby and transfer to **Temple of Edfu**, Temple of falcon-headed Horus One of the finest examples of Ptolemaic art in Egypt. You will be transferred to the temple by Caleche. The city of Edfu lies half way between Luxor and Aswan on the site of the ancient city of Djeba. Located 100 km south of Luxor, and 53 km south of Esna, it is home to the best-preserved and largest Greco-Roman temple in Egypt, the Temple of Horus.

16:00 Sail to Luxor.

- 16:30 Tea Time on Sun deck.
- 19:00 Cocktail Party.
- 19:30 Dinner on board.
- 21:00 Galabia Party.
Evening Entertainment Overnight in Luxor.

Sunday | Valley of Kings / Colossi of Memnon / Hatshepsut Tomb / Karnak Temples / Luxor Temple.

Meals Included: Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner.

- 06:00 Breakfast on board
- 07:00 Meet your guide at the lobby and Begin with the **Valley of the Kings**, lying protected by the high Gurna Hills surrounding it. Here you will visit the tombs of Egypt’s splendid Pharaohs. Deep-cut into the rocky mountainsides are the magnificent tombs of spellbinding construction and decoration.

Then to the **Temple of Queen Hatshepsut**, the most significant of Egypt's female rulers. She came to power early in Dynasty 18, at the beginning of the New Kingdom. The Temple is not only a memorial temple that honors Queen Hatshepsut; it is also one of the greatest Egyptian architectural achievements. Designed by Senenmut (Hatshepsut’s steward and architect), this mortuary temple closely resembles the classical Greek architecture of 1,000 years later.

you will pass by the two Singing Statues of King Aminophis the Third Known as the **Colossi of Memnon** facing the Nile.

- 13:00 Lunch on Board.
- 14:30 Then to **Luxor Temple**, which was once joined to the Temples of Karnak by a two-kilometer-long Avenue of Sphinx, a portion of which marks the entrance to the temple. Dominated by statues of the great warrior pharaoh Ramses II, Luxor Temple has survived Nile floods, foreign invasion and thousands of years exposed to the elements.

Continue to **Karnak Temple**. Walk along the Avenue of Sphinx to enter the complex as your guide explains how the massive facade was constructed. On entering the Temples of Karnak, you will see each legacy left by the various pharaohs as the complex grew even larger. The deeper you go into the complex, the further back in time you will travel, with the oldest ruins dating back over 3,000 years.

- 19:30 Dinner on board.
- 21:30 Belly Dance & Dervish Show.
Evening entertainment Overnight in Luxor.

Monday | Disembarkation.

Meals Included: Breakfast.

- Buffet breakfast on board.
 - Disembarkation after breakfast.
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