



2024 EGYPT DISCOVERY TOUR PLUS NILE CRUISE

Escorted by Tim Taggart • November 9-18, 2024

Come join favorite tour director Tim Taggart on a BUCKET LIST experience not to be missed! Now is the perfect time to explore the ancient land of Egypt and see its most important sites on a 9-day tour from Cairo to Aswan, and Luxor to Alexandria with a Nile cruise hosting 5-star accommodations. You can slip into the historic tombs and temples of the Nile valley as you see the sights by bus, boat, and horse-drawn carriage. You can walk the necropolis at Saqqara and the Giza Plateau, see Cairo's religious landmarks and visit the remains of the Kingdom of Upper Egypt. On the cruise from Aswan to Luxor you can disembark to see monuments along the East and West Banks of the Nile.

| Date | Daily Schedule |
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| 11/09 - Sat | USA to Cairo, Egypt |
| 11/10 - Sun | Cairo |
| 11/11 - Mon | Cairo - Giza Pyramids |
| 11/12 - Tue | Memphis – Sakkara – Aswan |
| 11/13 - Wed | Nile Cruise |
| 11/14 - Thu | Nile Cruise |
| 11/15 - Fri | Nile Cruise |
| 11/16 - Sat | Valley of the Kings - Cairo - Alexandria |
| 11/17 - Sun | Alexandria - Cairo |
| 11/18 - Mon | Flights Home |

Price from **\$3,389**
per person/double occupancy
(9 Days/8 Nights)

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Your Tour Host:

Tim Taggart has been a pioneer in LDS travel pretty much from the beginning of the industry, traveling to the lands of the scriptures in the Middle East and Europe the first time in 1981 and conducting tours since 1983. Tim has traveled to nearly every area of the world, professionally and as a tour guide. Needless to say he has a great love for travel, exploring the various regions of the world, learning of their cultures and photo journaling his experiences! His love of teaching has shown while he has conducted dozens of tours to Church History, Holy Land and Book of Mormon sites. He and his wife Gloria are the parents of two children and three grandchildren.

EGYPT TOUR Price Includes:

- Meet and assist service upon arrival & departure
- Domestic flight Cairo/Aswan - Luxor/Cairo
- Accommodation for 2 nights in Cairo including breakfast and all taxes
- Accommodation for 1 night in Aswan including breakfast and all taxes
- Accommodation for 3 nights on board 5-star cruise on a full board basis
- Accommodation for 1 night in Alexandria including breakfast and all taxes
- Assistance of our personnel during your stay and excursions
- All sightseeing tours as mentioned in the itinerary
- All transfers by a modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicle
- Group transfers (if you arrive at the suggested times)
- All Nile Cruise excursions as mentioned in the itinerary
- English-speaking tour guide during your excursions
- Entrance fees to all sites as indicated on the itinerary
- Meals as mentioned in the above itinerary.
- Bottled water during the tours
- Portage when needed.
- Egypt Travel Visa
- English-speaking tour guide during your excursions

Not included:

- International Airfare to Cairo
- Additional transfers when not arriving or departing with the group
- Any optional tours
- Personal spending like drinks during meals, phone calls, laundry etc.
- Tipping for your local guide, driver, cruise staff and Tour Director

Optional Pricing:

- Triple occupancy is \$3,389 pp
- Single Rate is \$4,439
- A CASH DISCOUNT of \$100.00 applies for all payments made by check or electronic bank transfer after the deposit

Payment Terms:

- \$500 deposit is due at the time of booking
- Final payment is due August 11, 2024

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Tour ID # 9224K09 – Tour Manger: Sarah Wangsgard phone#: (801) 483-6473, email: swangsgard@morrismurdock.com

Day 1: Saturday, November 9, 2024

USA to Cairo, Egypt

Today we depart the USA on our international flight to Cairo. Travel safe! **Meals: In-flight**

Day 2: Sunday, November 10, 2024

Cairo

Welcome to Egypt! Upon arrival, you will be met and transferred to the hotel. Here you can get some rest before our adventure begins! **Meals: In-flight**

Day 3: Monday, November 11, 2024

Cairo - Giza Pyramids

This morning we will visit the famous Egyptian museum the most important depository of Egyptian antiquities in the world. We will then explore the mysteries Egypt holds at the pyramids in Giza and discover the only remaining Wonder of the Ancient World. We have a safari on camels, or horse buggy if you prefer. We continue on to the Great Sphinx that was carved out of a solid natural rock around 2500 B.C (There is an option to enter the great pyramid for a supplement price TBA). After a stop for lunch, we visit the Papyrus institute to see how it is made and introduced to ancient Egyptian writing. An explanation is also provided as to what a cartouche is!

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 4: Tuesday, November 12, 2024

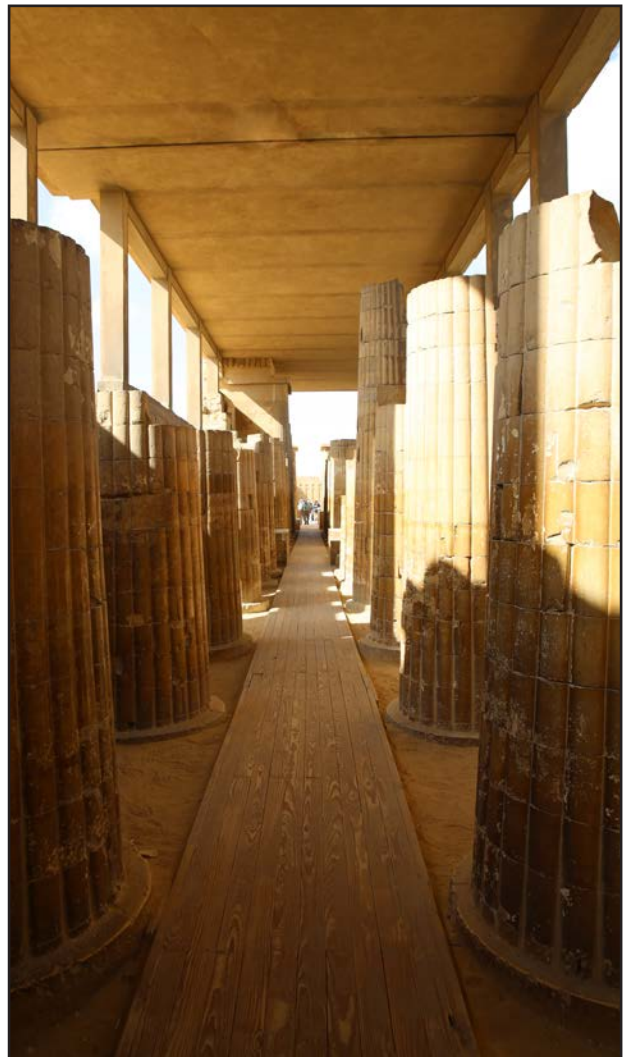
Memphis – Sakkara – Aswan

Today we journey south outside of the city of Cairo to see the area of Sakkara which is one part of the old great necropolis of Memphis. Sakkara is probably best known as the location of King Zoser's step Pyramid, one of the oldest on record. Our excursion proceeds to the old capital of Memphis, which was the capital city of the Old Kingdom. We see the ruins of the Temple of Ptah, and the gigantic colossi of king Ramses the second. While in this area, we visit a local carpet school, and we are able to watch the fascinating skills of those who make rugs by hand. We will transfer to the airport for our flight to Aswan. Upon arrival in Aswan, we will be met and transferred to our hotel. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch**

Day 5: Wednesday, November 13, 2024

Nile Cruise

Our tour begins with a visit to the famous High Dam. We will then drive to one of the most beautiful temples in Egypt, the Philae Temple, which is the temple of ISIS, goddess of magic and maternity. To access this temple, we ride a motorboat, which also provides us our first views of the local terrain and interaction with people. After our visit, we embark on our de-luxe Nile cruise boat which is our home for the next three nights. We enjoy lunch and some free time onboard. (After-noon optional visit to the Nubian village to discover the civ-



ilization and life of Nubia (this will be an optional cost to you – price TBA). **Meals : Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner**

Day 6: Thursday, November 14, 2024

Nile Cruise

Today we will start sailing North heading to Kom Ombo to visit the only double temple in Egypt which is dedicated to Horus the falcon and Sobek the Crocodile. We will continue on sailing to Edfu. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner**

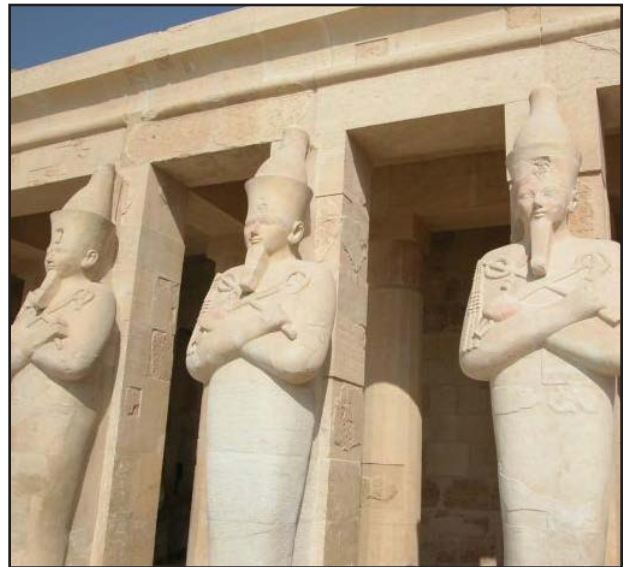


Day 7: Friday, November 15, 2024

Nile Cruise

This morning we will visit the Edfu temple the most complete temple in Egypt. We will then sail to Luxor and arrive in the evening. (You can do an optional relaxing horse cart tour around Luxor for an additional cost – Price TBA).

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 8: Saturday, November 18, 2024

Valley of the Kings - Cairo - Alexandria

For those who are adventurous and up for a thrill, there is an opportunity for an optional hot air balloon ride this morning over the Valley of the Kings in Luxor (a separate additional fee is required – price TBA). The view is incomparable and lets you appreciate the large scale of the burial place of many famous pharos. We will then disembark the ship and start our official tour today by visiting the Valley of the Kings and admire the magnificence of the grandeur of architecture which was used for many kings' burial sites. We visit 3 famous tombs, price excludes the tomb of Tut Ankh Amen (for a supplement – price TBA) We pass by the temple built by Queen Hatshepsut, the daughter of Thutmosis I for photo opportunity. This afternoon, one of the tour highlights of the whole tour is visiting the Karnak Temple, the greatest example of worship in the history of Egypt. It is dedicated to the god Amon, his wife Mut, and their son Khonsu.

We will then transfer to Alexandria and stay overnight. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch**

Day 9: Sunday, November 17, 2024

Alexandria - Cairo

Today we will visit the famous Bibliotheca Alexandrina, the catacombs of Kom Elshokafa, and the Roman Amphitheater. We will then transfer back to the Cairo airport for your early morning flight home on the 18th.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

Day 10: Monday, November 18, 2024

Flights Home

Today (early AM) we depart Egypt and take our flights home with memories to last a lifetime!

Meals: In-flight

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