

# ESCORTED BY KAY GODFREY • April 2-10, 2025

Come join favorite tour director Kay Godfrey 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 with a Nile cruise and 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	
04/02 - Wed	Home Cities - Cairo	\$2 100
04/03 - Thu	Amman Airport - Cairo, Egypt	Price from <b>\$3,199</b> per person/double occupancy
04/04 - Fri	Cairo - Giza Pyramids -Egyptian Museum - Flight to Luxor	per person/double occupancy (9 Days/8 Nights)
04/05 - Sat	Valley of the Kings - Nile Cruise	(3 Days/o Nights)
04/06 - Sun	Nile Cruise - Karnak Temple - sailing to Edfu via Esna	
04/07 - Mon	Nile Cruise - Edfu Temple - Kom Ombo Temple - Sailing to Aswan	
04/08 - Tue	Aswan - The Famous High Dam - Philae Temple	
04/09 - Wed	Cairo - Sakkara & Memphis	
04/10 - Thu	Flights Home	

Please note that while the physical activity on this tour (walking distances) is not significant, the days are full of touring from breakfast to dinner time with "down-time" only in the evening.

# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE TOUR:

- 1 tour-bus experience for the whole tour!
- Morris Murdock LDS tour Director for the whole trip along with local guides
- Licensed, insured, and bonded travel agency with 65 years of experience!! IT MATTERS!

We offer A CASH DISCOUNT of \$100.00 on this tour. It applies for all payments made by check or ACH AFTER the deposit.

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#### Your Tour Host:



**Kay Godfrey** is a graduate of Brigham Young University. He holds degrees in Historic Archaeology and Anthropology as well as Law Enforcement and Justice Administration. He has studied and researched the life of the Prophet Joseph Smith and regularly leads Church History and Israel tours. He has spoken to the issue of the "Trials of the Prophet Joseph" at numerous symposiums in Nauvoo and Independence. He has edited books and videos for various authors on the historical accuracy of materials pertaining to Joseph Smith.

## **TOUR includes:**

- Meet and greet service by our representatives at airports
- Accommodations in Cairo in a 4+ Stay hotel including daily breakfast
- 3-night Nile Cruise all meals and tours included
- 2 inter Egypt flights (Cairo/Aswan Luxor/Cairo)
- All sightseeing tours as mentioned in the itinerary and entrance fees
- English-speaking tour guide
- Entry Visa into Egypt
- Tipping for local guide/cruise tips and driver

## Not included:

- Round-trip air from your home city
- Additional transfers when not arriving or departing with the group
- Items of a personal nature
- Cancellation & Travel insurance (highly recommended!)
- Meals not specified in the itinerary

## **Optional Pricing:**

- Double Occupancy: \$3,199 per person
- Triple Occupancy: \$3,199 per person
- Single Occupancy: \$4,099 for private room

## **Payment Terms:**

- \$500 deposit is due at the time of booking
- Final payment is due January 3rd, 2025
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\*\*Please note: A minimum number of 20 passengers is needed for this tour

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To Book This Tour, Contact your favorite Morris Columbus Travel advisor or the Group Tour Manager listed below:

Tour ID #9225D02 – Tour Manger: Sarah Wangsgard, phone#: (801) 483-6473, email: swangsgard@morrismurdock.com

## Day 1: Wednesday April 2, 2025

Home Cities - Cairo Today we depart the US on our international flight to Cairo. We'll stop over in Amman. **Meals: In-flight** 

## Day 2: Thursday, April 3, 2025

Amman Airport - Cairo, Egypt

Depart today for your flight from Amman to Cairo. Welcome to Egypt!! Upon arrival, we will be escorted to our hotel to rest from the travel. **Meals: In-flight** 

# Day 3: Friday, April 4, 2025

## Cairo - Giza Pyramids - Egyptian Museum - Flight to Luxor

Today we start our exploration of 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, on our way to see the solar boat museum which sits with the pyramids. We continue on to the Great Sphinx which was carved out of solid natural rock around 2500 B.C. 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, as we will see them throughout our tour! After a stop for lunch, we continue our tour to the world-famous Egyptian Museum, home of the treasures of King Tut's tomb and the most important depository of Egyptian antiquities in the world.

Transfer to the Cairo Airport to take our flight to Luxor. We will be met and transferred to our hotel for the night. **Meals : Breakfast, Lunch** 

## Day 4: Saturday, April 5, 2025

## Valley of the Kings - Nile Cruise

We start the 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, including the tomb of King Tut Ankh Amen! We pass by the temple built by Queen Hatshepsut, the daughter of Thutmosis

I for a photo opportunity. After our visit, we embark on our deluxe Nile Cruise boat (Radamsis I) which is our home for the next four night. Tonight, after dinner we have a very unique experience of enjoying a fascinating

tour around the city of Luxor by night on horse-pulled buggies. **Meals : Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner** 

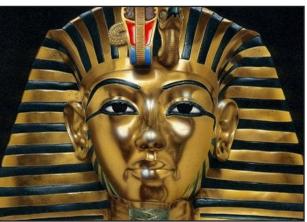
## Day 5: Sunday, April 7, 2024

## Nile Cruise - Karnak Temple - sailing to Edfu via Esna

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). The view is incomparable and lets you appreciate the large scale of the burial place of many famous Pharos's. This morning, we enjoy 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 head back to the ship for lunch and enjoy sailing. As our riverboat moves south to Edfu via Esna, we pass through a lock on the Nile in Esna which is exciting to see. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner** 







## Day 6: Monday, April 7, 2025

*Nile Cruise - Edfu Temple - Kom Ombo Temple - Sailing to Aswan* Our first visit today is to Edfu the most complete temple in Egypt. This afternoon we return to our ship and continue sailing to Kom Ombo to visit the only double temple in Egypt, which is dedicated to Horus the falcon, and Sobek the crocodile. Then we sail to Aswan. Along the way, tonight, after dinner, we enjoy a traditional Egyptian celebration dressed in our traditional wear for those who'd like to attend. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner** 

## Day 7: Tuesday, April 8, 2025

#### Aswan - The Famous High Dam - Philae Temple

After breakfast we visit the Famous High Dam which was built to save Egypt from the wild Nile floods. We continue on to visit one of the most beautiful temples in Egypt, the Philae Temple, which is the temple of ISIS, the 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. We will go back to the ship for lunch. For those who wish, we may take a motorboat up the Nile to a local Nubian village and learn about their culture and visit a local family (a separate additional fee is required). **Meals: Breakfast, lunch, Dinner** 

#### Day 8: Wednesday, April 9, 2025

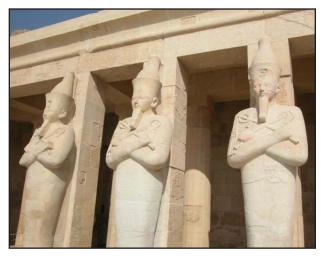
#### Cairo - Sakkara & Memphis

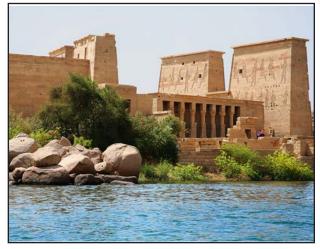
Today we say goodbye to our home on the Nile as we disembark the ship and take an early flight back to Cairo. From the airport, we depart on a tour to Sakkara which is one part of the old great necropolis of Memphis. Sakkara is probably best known as the location of King Zoser's Step Pyramid, one of 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 then check into our hotel by the airport to get some rest before our flights home. **Meals: Breakfast, Lunch** 

## Day 9: Thursday, April 10, 2025

#### Flights Home

Today (early AM) we depart Egypt and take our flight home with memories to last a lifetime. Travel safe! Meals : Breakfast, In-flight









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