# PLUS Egypt & The Nile

Featuring 5 Day Sonesta St. George Nile Cruise

## 8 Days • 7 Nights **Sunday Arrivals**

## Limited to 18 Participants

#### Tour Includes:

- Deluxe Hotel in Cairo
- Deluxe Nile Cruise
- Escorted by Egyptologist-Guide
- 16 Meals: Full Buffet Breakfast Daily, 1 Lunch Cairo, all meals on Cruise
- All Shore Excursions, Transfers, Sightseeing and Flights within Egypt
- Visa for Egypt (USA and Canada passports)

## **Special Features:**

- Entrance to one of the Great Pyramids
- Visit the Mummy Room
- See King Tuts Treasures
- Camel Ride
- Optional Excursion to Abu Simbel

#### **Deluxe Hotel & Nile Cruise:**

City/Cruise	Nights	Accommodations	
Cairo	1	Kempinski Nile Hotel -	
		Deluxe Nile View Room	
Cruise:	4	Sonesta St. George	
Cairo	2	Kempinski Nile Hotel -	
		Deluxe Nile View Room	

(B) Breakfast (L) Lunch (D) Dinner



Guest Cabin - Sonesta St. George

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#### Sunday: Cairo

Arrive at Cairo Airport. Meeting and transfer to your hotel. Remainder of the day at leisure. Overnight in Cairo.

#### Monday: Cairo/Luxor NILE ĆRUISE

Early morning flight to Luxor. Arrive and transfer to your Nile Cruiser for a 5 Day/4 Night Cruise. After lunch, visit the Avenue of the Sphinxes and the imposing Temple of Luxor with its grand colonnades, standing alone in the heart of town. Continue to the vast Karnak Temple-Complex, built by generations of Pharaohs over a 2000-year period. Overnight in Luxor. (B.L.D)

#### Tuesday: Luxor/Esna NILE CRUISE

After breakfast, visit the Valley of the Kings containing the secretive tombs of New Kingdom Pharaohs. Visit the beautifully terraced Temple of Queen Hatshepsut at Deir el Bahari. Pass the famed Colossi of Memnon, standing nearly 70 feet tall. The ship then sails to Esna. After lunch on board, the afternoon is at leisure. Overnight in Esna. (B.L.D)

#### Wednesday: Edfu/Kom Ombo NILE CRUISE

Early morning sailing to Edfu. Visit the Temple of Horus, the best preserved of all large Egyptian Temples, built over 180 year period. In the afternoon arrive in Kom Ombo, a hill town overlooking the banks of the Nile. Visit the Greco-Roman Temple of Kom Ombo, dedicated to Horus, the Sun God and Sobek, the Crocodile God. Overnight Kom Ombo. (B.L.D)

#### Thursday: Aswan **NILE CŔUISE**

Morning sailng to Aswan. Visit the Aswan High Dam and the granite quarries where the stone for the ancient monuments and modern dam of Aswan were cut. Continue by motorboat to the beautiful island of Philae to see the exquisite, gleaming white Temple of Isis. After lunch, sail on a typical Egyptian 'felucca' (sailboat) which glides along the Nile, passing by Lord Kitchener's Island and the dramatic white marble Aga Khan Mausoleum. Overnight in Aswan.

#### Friday: Aswan – Cairo

After disembarkation, return flight to Cairo. Meet and transfer to your hotel. Balance of the day at leisure. Or, join the optional tour to Abu Simbel:\*

\*Optional tour to Abu Simbel escorted by Exclusive Isram Israel guide & services: Fly from Aswan to the mighty Sun Temple of Abu Simbel. The temple was reclaimed from the dam and reconstructed in its present and unforgettable location. Return flight to Cairo where you will be met and transferred to your hotel. \$495 per person (min 2 persons); \$655 singles traveling alone.

Evening: Optional Sound & Light show at the Pyramids (please reserve at time of booking). Overnight in Cairo. (B)

#### Saturday: Cairo

Morning drive to Giza to see the Three Great Pyramids, the oldest surviving structures built by man; enter one of the Pyramids. Visit the astonishing Solar Boat Museum, housing the oldest known ship in the world buried for over 4500 years. Stand in awe at the magnificent Sphinx carved out of a single piece of stone, guarding the Giza plateau. Try a camel ride before continuing to the unique Karnak store for refreshments and some last minute shopping. After lunch, continue to the world famous Egyptian Museum with objects covering 5000 years of ancient Egyptian civilization; see Tutankhamun's treasures and enter the fascinating Mummy Room. Overnight in Cairo. (B.L)

### Sunday: En Route

Transfer to Cairo Airport for your departure flight. (B)

LAND & CRUISE PRICES PER PERSON (USD) (Includes Intra-Egypt Domestic Flights) Jan-Dec '20				
Sunday Arrivals	Twin	Single*		
Jan 5 thru Mar 29, Apr 19	\$2995	\$4345		
Apr 5 & Apr 12	3565	5245		
Apr 26 thru May 31	2760	3955		
Jun 7^ & Jun 14^	2760	3955		
Jun 21 thru Sep 20	2760	3955		
Sep 27 thru Dec 13	3175	4565		
Dec 20 & Dec 27	3885	5755		

^ During Dry Dock period for Sonesta St. George Cruise, cruise will be performed by Farah Nile Cruise. Nile Cruise embarks in Luxor - Monday Sailings.

All tours conducted by professional Egyptologist Guides utilizing Exclusive Isram vehicles and services