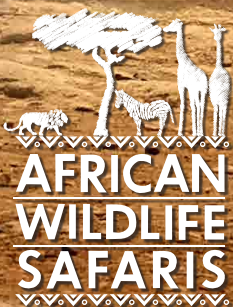


EGYPT

ISRAEL, JORDAN, MOROCCO, OMAN, U.A.E



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MIDDLE EASTERN MAGIC

Welcome to our exciting new program of tours to Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Morocco, Oman, and the U.A.E. These ancient lands, the cradles of our civilisation, offer a truly unique holiday experience, filled with fascinating historic sites, mysterious landscapes to explore, exotic cultures and tantalizing cuisine.

The ebb and flow of long-ago empires have left their mark across the region. Many of Egypt's pharaonic pyramids, tombs and temples are still intact and scattered across the landscape; whilst the glories of the Roman Empire stretch all around the Mediterranean from the ancient city of Jerash in Jordan to the ruins of Volubilis in Morocco. Follow age-old trading routes to the lost city of Petra with its rock-hewn temples, and witness magnificent crusader castles like mighty Kerak Castle in Jordan. Discover the sacred cities of Jerusalem and Bethlehem in Israel, as well as modern, bustling Tel Aviv.

Our Antiquities & Wildlife itinerary on page 32 combines the most famous sites of Egypt with some of Tanzania's best game reserves. We also feature some of the most exclusive tented camps and lodges in Kenya's Masai Mara reserve.

In this brochure you will find a range of accommodation and tours which have been carefully chosen by our experienced product team. All arrangements are tailor made for individual travellers, giving you absolute flexibility. Our accommodation includes 4 and 5 star hotels, beautiful boutique properties in restored palaces, and romantic riads with tiled courtyards and bubbling fountains. Choose from 5 star Nile cruise vessels or elegant 19th century style sail boats called dahabiyas.

Whatever you choose our experienced staff are there to guide and advise you.

Happy travelling.

Stephen Cameron Sara Cameron

Stephen and Sara Cameron -Founders



The great Pyramids of Giza © Shutterstock

Weather Chart													
EGYPT		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Egypt (Cairo)	CAI	08 18	09 21	11 24	14 28	17 33	20 35	21 36	22 35	20 32	18 30	14 26	10 20
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Legend		CAI = Cairo, ASW = Aswan, LXR = Luxor, SSH = Sharm el Sheik AMM = Jordan, RAK = Marrakech, NBO = Nairobi, ARK = Arusha											
		Best time to travel			Good travel time			Wet or Hot					

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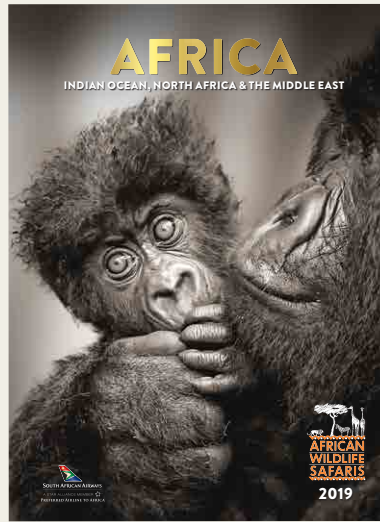


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CONSERVATION WE SUPPORT



As a specialist tour company tailor-making journeys to Africa, Antarctica, the Arctic, Bhutan, Canada & Alaska, India and South America, African Wildlife Safaris and our sister company Natural Focus are committed to preserving the world's wilderness areas. Over the years we have made significant contributions to conservation projects in the destinations we visit, through our policy of giving clients the opportunity to contribute \$10 (or more) per person, which we then match dollar for dollar. We don't charge an administration fee, so 100% of contributions go to the nominated society or project. For example our ground operator in Morocco supports a community project in a local village where the locals earn a living by making pottery. Unfortunately, the villagers cut down rare trees to fire the pottery. The local community project involves conservation education, including using alternative fuel sources and a pre-school education program for children.



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Nile Valley between Luxor and Esna © Egypt Tourist Authority

INDEPENDENT EXPERIENCES FOR THE DISCERNING TRAVELLER

We believe that to fully experience a country, its wildlife, its culture and its natural beauty, you need to take your time and travel on your own terms. So rather than selecting a pre-packaged tour which may be rushed, inflexible and potentially full of incompatible personalities, we work with you to create a bespoke experience incorporating places you'd love to see, things you're keen to do and accommodation that suits your style and budget.

As a professional travel company with over 34 years experience, African Wildlife Safaris can offer you all the services you need to plan and organise your holiday. Most of our trips are tailor made to suit, and our experienced staff know exactly how to put together the perfect holiday customised to your budget, interests, and travel timeframe.

OUR BROCHURE

Our brochure is designed to be a starting point from which we can begin building your perfect journey. It features a selection of suggested itineraries and a wide range of carefully chosen accommodations. We can customise, combine, extend and upgrade to suit your budget and travel style – use our expertise to build your unique collection of lifelong memories.

BEFORE YOU BOOK

The information contained in this brochure was correct at the time of publication. Since then, however, changes beyond our control could have occurred. Please refer to our Booking Conditions on page 35, in particular with respect to prices, itineraries, travel duration, standard of services, airfares and airline schedules. Before you book please check with us to ascertain if there are any alterations to the journey(s) you have selected.

PRICING

All prices in this brochure are based on twin share accommodation for travel during the low season, and intended as a guide only. Please contact us for the best, most accurate and up-to-date pricing.

Please note: With Egypt regaining popularity as a must see destination and demand for accommodation high (not seen for many years), next season's prices are expected to increase significantly.

HOW TO BOOK YOUR TOUR

A Seamless Travel Experience

Information about places you would like to visit has never been more accessible. This can make it both easier, and more challenging when it comes to booking a holiday. Book with a reputable, accredited travel company and take the hassle out of organising a holiday, whilst you can expect expert guides, small groups and personalised itineraries. We advise that you take the following steps to ensure your travel experience is seamless, without any inconvenient or unexpected surprises.

1. RESEARCH
Do you have a list of places you wish to go, and things you want to see? Read our brochure and website, then discuss your ideas with our experienced specialists as a starting point.

2. PLANNING YOUR TRIP
A successful itinerary needs your involvement. The more we know about what you want from your visit, the easier it will be to help you design your perfect holiday. Are there particular regions you want to visit? What time of the year do you wish to travel? Do you have an approximate budget, and a preferred style of travel? Contact us to start planning today.

3. BOOK YOUR TRIP (EARLY)
Once you are happy with your itinerary, it is time to book. We cannot stress enough the need to book early. There is immense pressure on accommodation and tours in almost all the destinations we offer. To secure your first choice and to avoid disappointment, PLEASE BOOK EARLY.

4. SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCES
When you return home, don't forget to tell us about your experience. Our staff love hearing about their clients' experiences, or seeing photos and videos. And don't forget to share your memories with us on social media.



Sphinx and Pyramids © Shutterstock

ACCOMMODATION

RIADS

These are the traditional Moroccan houses or palaces of Morocco's elite, which have been restored to their former glory and transformed into boutique hotels. They usually have highly decorated interiors made from mosaic tiles, courtyards or gardens, and magnificent fountains. The standard of accommodation varies from simple to very luxurious, but most are charming and exotic alternatives to the hotel chains.



Riad Fes lobby © Riad Fes

DAHABIYAS

Traditional style riverboats as used by aristocrats in the 19th century, dahabiyas are beautifully handcrafted from wood, with 7 to 10 spacious ensuite cabins. Apart from their charm, the advantage of a dahabiya over a cruise boat is the more authentic and private nature of the experience. Dahabiyas can also moor on islands and shores away from the large cruise boats.



Emeco's Dalida Dahabiya © Emeco



OUR TEAM IN AUSTRALIA

Our team are all seasoned travellers in Africa and the Middle East and have the knowledge and experience to help you choose the holiday which best suits your style and budget. Let them help you plan your safari and design an itinerary specially for you.



Stephen & Sara Cameron

Company founders Steve and Sara first travelled to Egypt and Morocco back in the 1980's and have visited most of the cities and historic sites of these two north African countries. Returning almost 30 years later in 2010 they travelled down the Nile by traditional dahabiya and explored the mysteries of Petra in Jordan.



Anne-Marie Zambelli

Anne-Marie, our General Manager, has clocked up over 30 years' experience in travel. She has explored much of the world, from India to Antarctica and Madagascar to South America, and has a knowledge of our destinations second to none. Africa, and the Middle East however are her passion.



Chris Meehan

Chris's fascination with the Middle East started in school when learning about the wonders of Ancient Egypt. Chris first started travelling at 16 when he took 6 months off school and travelled solo around Europe. Chris's idea of heaven would be a leisurely cruise of the Nile on a Dahabiya and seeing the lesser-visited sites.

HOTELS

These range from luxury hotels with the highest international standards of service to more modest first class hotels. All have ensuite bathrooms and most have air-conditioning. It must be remembered however that facilities in Egypt, Morocco and the Middle East are not always equal to those in Australia and there may sometimes be problems with electricity, plumbing and internet.



Deluxe Pyramid View Room © Marriott

NILE CRUISE BOATS

A cruise down the Nile is one of the most romantic ways to see Egypt, watching traditional village life on the banks and stopping to visit ancient temples. The standard of cruise boats varies a lot. Our selection on page 10 leads in with the Mövenpick fleet, followed by the 5 star Sonesta cruisers, the 5 star deluxe Oberoi Philae and Oberoi Zahra, and luxury Sanctuary Retreats.



Sun Boat Nile Adventurer © Sanctuary Retreats



Molly Haddon-Bolger

Molly has experienced vibrant Djemaa El-Fna in Morocco's magical city of Marrakech and spent time wandering around the colorful souks of Fes. She has been selling Egypt and the Middle East for many years now and is passionate about the rich history and unique culture they have to offer.



Kate Witton

Kate is our Reservations Manager in Melbourne and has spent extended time in the Middle East including working as a tour leader in Egypt. While the history is what first drew her to the region, it is the warm hospitality of the people that enticed her to explore neighbouring countries including Jordan and Morocco.



Taleen Gaidzkar

Taleen has been in travel for over 35 years and has explored much of Africa, South America, Antarctica, Canada and Alaska. She has visited Egypt, Oman and Morocco, including Fes, Marrakech, the Dades Gorges and the Atlas Mountains. Taleen is one of our senior travel consultants and specialises in designing unique itineraries.



Natasha Redondo

Natasha is one of our senior consultants and has travelled extensively, but her dreams came true when she finally visited Egypt and Jordan in 2017. The highlight for her was the incredible temple of Rameses II at Abu Simbel, but she was also blown away by the sheer size of the marvellous red-rock city of Petra.



Clare Hedger

Clare has travelled all over Morocco and the Middle East, immersing herself in the culture and history of the region. She has experienced the beauty of Petra by night, floated in the Dead Sea and was captivated by the history of Jerusalem. A keen adventurer, she also spent time hiking in Morocco's Atlas Mountains and snorkelled in the Red Sea.



Michael Fitzgerald

A keen traveler Michael is one of our senior consultants and an Africa specialist. He has a strong passion for the Middle East which he has been selling for many years and would love to visit Oman. Michael enjoys personalising itineraries with special touches that will immerse clients in the rich culture of these fascinating countries.



The Great Sphinx, Giza © Emeco

EGYPT & JORDAN

15 days/14 nights

From \$4765 per person twin share

Departs ex Cairo

Prices per person from:	Twin	Single
Egypt & Jordan 15D/14N	\$4765	\$7613
Abu Simbel excursion by air	\$620	\$708

Cruise boat and hotel accommodation upgrades are available subject to availability.

All touring on the cruise boat is conducted by the cruise company on shared basis. Private touring in Cairo & Jordan.

INCLUSIONS

Transfers, meals and sightseeing as per the itinerary, accommodation on a B&B basis except in Wadi Rum which is half board and onboard the cruise, which is full board, economy class airfares Cairo/Luxor and Aswan/Cairo, Royal Mummy Room & Great Pyramid entrance fees, services of a local English speaking guide in Jerash, and Petra, 2hr 4WD jeep tour in Wadi Rum.

Discover the mysteries of myth and religion on this fascinating tour that combines the ancient lands of Egypt and Jordan. Explore the archaeological treasures of Cairo, Luxor and Aswan and drift down the Nile on a leisurely cruise. Fly to Jordan and wander through the Roman ruins at Jerash, and visit the Jewel of Jordan – the ancient city of Petra hewn into sheer rock more than 2000 years ago.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

On arrival transfer to the Cairo Marriott Hotel (or similar) for 3 nights.

Day 2 Cairo

Enjoy a full day tour of the Pyramids at Giza, with entry into the Great Pyramid of Khufu. Marvel at the mighty Sphinx and explore the ancient royal city of Memphis and the necropolis of Sakkara. BL

Day 3 Cairo

Visit the magnificent Egyptian Museum, with entry to the Royal Mummy Room, and the main sites of Islamic Cairo including the Citadel, the Mosque of Sultan Hassan and the Khan Khalili Bazaar. BL

Days 4-7 Nile Cruiser

Itinerary as per Days 4 to Day 7 (incl) of the Legends of the Nile tour (see page 8) using the Sonesta St. George or similar. BLD

Day 8 Cairo

Disembark after breakfast. Optional visit to Abu Simbel (page 19). Afternoon flight to Cairo. Transfer to Cairo Marriott (or similar) for overnight. B

Day 9 Amman

Transfer to Cairo airport for your flight to Amman (not included). You will be met on arrival and transferred to your hotel. Amman is one of the oldest continually inhabited cities in the world where ancient ruins and mosques sit beside

modern hotels and restaurants. Enjoy two nights at the Kempinski Hotel Amman or similar. B

Day 10 Amman

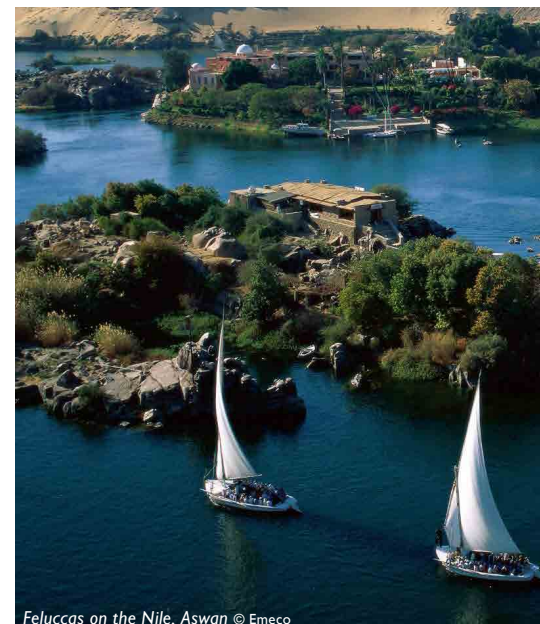
Morning guided city tour including the fascinating Roman Theatre and Nymphaeum and the enchanting Citadel. Afternoon excursion to the ancient Greco-Roman city of Jerash. Explore its colonnaded streets, plazas, temples, theatres, baths and the famous Arch of Hadrian. B

Days 11/12 Petra

After breakfast depart via the King's Highway to Petra. On the way visit Madaba, home to the famous 6th century Mosaic Map of Jerusalem and the Holy Land. Continue to Mt Nebo, the mountain-top memorial of Moses and explore the famous crusader castle of Kerak. Next day enjoy a full day private tour of Petra, explore the ancient city and visit the famous Treasury carved into the rock face. Overnight at Mövenpick Resort Petra. B



Wadi Rum arch © Jordan Tourism Board



Feluccas on the Nile, Aswan © Emeco



The Treasury at Petra © Shutterstock

Day 13 Wadi Rum

Drive to the breathtaking desert landscapes of Wadi Rum. Home to Bedouin tribes, it was made famous by British officer and writer T.E. Lawrence (of Arabia) and is a maze of monolithic rock-scapes rising up from the desert floor. Take a 2 hour 4WD desert safari through this breathtaking landscape. Overnight at Memories of Aicha Camp. BD

Day 14 Dead Sea

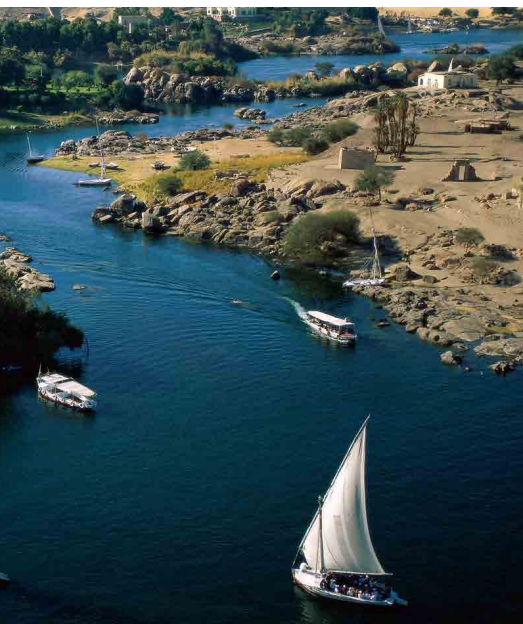
This morning drive to your hotel at the Dead Sea. The afternoon is at leisure to swim in the Dead Sea, indulge in one of the many spa treatments or just explore the shores of this unique salt lake 427m below sea level. Overnight Mövenpick Resort & Spa Dead Sea. B

Day 15 Tour Ends Amman

Morning at leisure before you transfer to Amman where your tour ends. B



Thebes Necropolis, West Bank © Egypt Tourist Authority



Traditional coffee brewing © Shutterstock



The famous Pyramids of Giza, Cairo © Emeco

LEGENDS OF THE NILE

9 days/8 nights

From \$2631 per person twin share*

Departs ex Cairo

Prices per person from:*	A	B	C
Legends of the Nile 9D/8N	\$4361	\$3517	\$2631
Abu Simbel excursion by air	Twin \$620	Single \$708	

Cruise and hotel accommodation upgrades are available subject to availability. Prices on request.

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

All touring on the cruise boat is conducted by the cruise company on shared basis. Private touring in Cairo.

INCLUSIONS

Transfers, accommodation, meals, and sightseeing as per the itinerary, Nile cruise, guides and admission fees, economy class air ticket Cairo/Luxor and Aswan/Cairo or vice versa.

Option A Four Season's Nile Plaza & Oberoi Philae

Option B Mena House & Sanctuary Sun Boat IV

Option C Cairo Marriott & Sonesta St George

Unlock the mysteries of ancient Egypt on this fascinating tour that combines the cultural treasures of Cairo, Luxor and Aswan with a romantic cruise down the Nile. Discover the immense Pyramids of Giza, the mighty Sphinx and marvel at age-old treasures in the Egyptian Museum. Visit the mystical temples of Luxor and Karnak, and explore the burial tombs of ancient Pharaohs in the Valley of the Kings. Choose the standard of accommodation and cruise from the categories mentioned above. Cruise boats are featured on pg 10.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

On arrival transfer to your hotel.

Day 2 Cairo

Enjoy a full day tour of the Pyramids at Giza, with entry into the Great Pyramid of Khufu. Marvel at the mighty Sphinx and explore the ancient royal city of Memphis and the necropolis of Sakkara. BL

Day 3 Cairo

Visit the magnificent Egyptian Museum, with entry to the Royal Mummy Room, and the main sites of Islamic Cairo including the Citadel, the Mosque of Sultan Hassan and the Khan Khalili Bazaar. BL

Day 4 Nile Cruiser, Luxor

Morning flight to Luxor and transfer to your Nile cruiser. Afternoon tour of the magnificent Karnak and Luxor temples. Overnight on board. BLD

Day 5 Nile Cruiser, Edfu

Cross the Nile to Thebes Necropolis on the West Bank for a tour of the Valley of the Kings, the ancient burial site for nearly 500 years of the pharaohs during the 16th to the 11th centuries BC. Visit the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, the Valley of the Queens and the Colossi of Amenhotep III (Memnon). Afternoon sailing to Edfu via Esna. BLD



Sun Boat IV Cabin © Sanctuary Retreats



The Temple of Edfu © Egypt Tourist Authority



Temples of Karnak © Egypt Tourist Authority

Day 6 Nile Cruiser, Aswan

Explore Edfu and the well preserved Temple of Horus before cruising to Kom Ombo, an unusual double temple dedicated to the gods Sobek and Haroeris. Continue sailing on to Aswan for overnight. BLD

Day 7 Nile Cruiser, Aswan

This morning enjoy a tour of the famous Aswan High Dam which controls the Nile River and forms the huge reservoir of Lake Nasser. Continue to the North Quarry with its giant Unfinished Obelisk still embedded in the rock. Take a boat trip to the beautiful Philae Temple, dedicated to the Goddess Isis. Due to the construction of Aswan Low Dam in the early 20th century, in order to save the temple, it was moved from Philae Island and reconstructed on nearby Agilkia Island. BLD

Day 8 Cairo

Disembark after breakfast with an option of visiting the awe-inspiring Temple of Abu Simbel by air (see p19). The two massive rock-carved temples were painstakingly relocated in 1968 following the creation of the Aswan High Dam. Afternoon flight to Cairo and transfer to your hotel. B

Day 9 Tour ends

Transfer to Cairo airport. Tour ends. B



Sanctuary Sunboat IV © Sanctuary Retreats



Spices at the Souk, Aswan © Egypt Tourist Authority

BEFORE YOU BOOK

Please note the order of the itinerary is governed by the actual sailing day from **Luxor** to Aswan for the cruise boat you select. Some cruise departures may sail from **Aswan** to Luxor and the number of nights in Cairo or Luxor can be adjusted to ensure maximum sightseeing.

MIX & MATCH

We have a wide range of hotels and cruise boats to choose from and can mix & match in order to suit your travelling budget.



Ramses II © Emeco



Kom Ombo © Shutterstock



Feluccas on the Nile © Egypt Tourist Authority

NILE CRUISE BOATS

OBEROI PHILAE

Combining elegant interiors and impeccable service with the latest modern amenities, the Oberoi Philae offers all the defining features of the Oberoi Hotel Group. Completely refurbished, this 5-star vessel offers just 22 spacious cabins and suites, with comfortable sitting areas. Enjoy fine cuisine, freshly prepared by expert chefs. This intimate boat also features a movie theatre, spa and 24-hour gym.



Oberoi Philae © Oberoi Hotels & Resorts



Philae Luxury Cabin © Oberoi Hotels & Resorts

SONESTA STAR GODDESS

This graceful and sophisticated boat consists of 33 suites in three classifications. Each suite has a private terrace and is designed to offer maximum comfort and space. The dining room serves buffet style breakfast and à la carte dinners, while the sundeck specialises in refreshing cocktails and barbeques. The vessel also has a spa service, gym and lounge, and Wi-Fi is available.



Star Goddess © Sonesta



Chopin Suite © Sonesta

SONESTA ST. GEORGE

This French-inspired vessel provides luxuriously designed interiors and offers 49 cabins, 9 suites and 1 Royal suite with private lounge. Each cabin features beautiful furnishings and amenities including a Jacuzzi and panoramic French windows that open out offering uninterrupted river views. Spacious and comfortable, the vessel boasts a dining room, two lounges and a piano bar, whilst the sundeck has a pool and bar.



St. George © Sonesta



St. George Lobby © Sonesta

MÖVENPICK ROYAL LILY

Sailing between Luxor and Aswan, the Mövenpick Royal Lily provides a relaxed and enjoyable sailing experience down the Nile. Consisting of 56 cabins and 4 suites, all cabins feature large panoramic windows and ensuite facilities, whilst the larger luxurious suites are equipped with a personal Jacuzzi. The vessel has spacious lounge and dining areas, a gym, sauna pool and panoramic sundeck with ample seating.



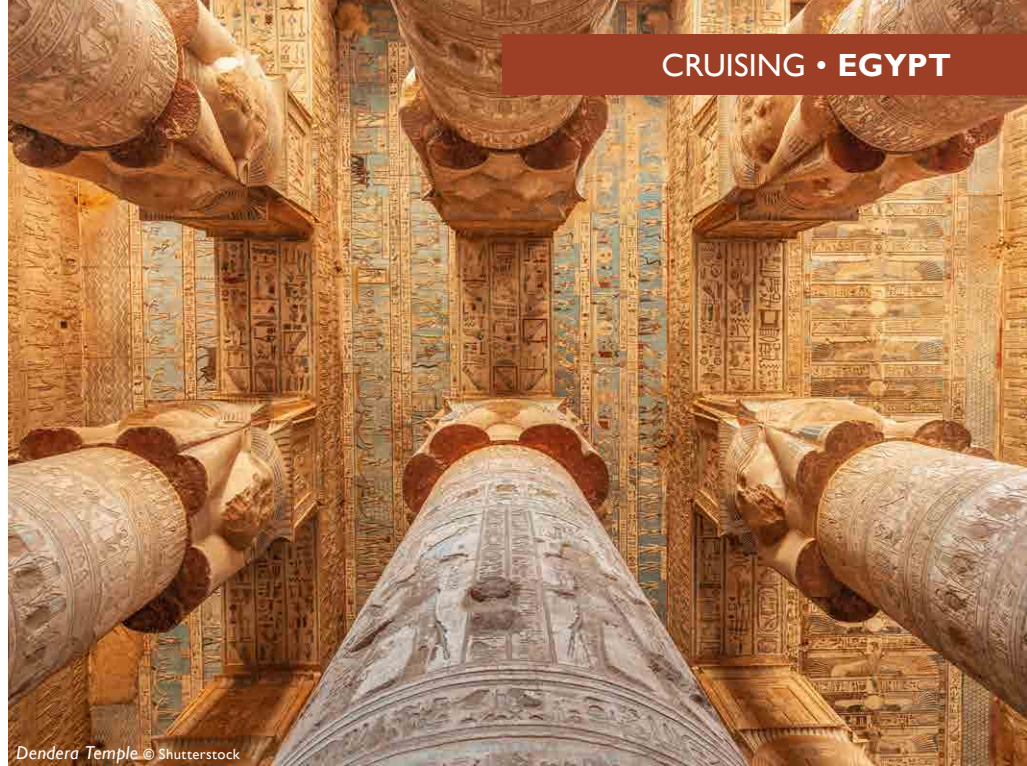
Mövenpick Royal Lily © Mövenpick



Pool and sundeck © Mövenpick



Nile River at Aswan © Shutterstock



Dendera Temple © Shutterstock

CAIRO TO ASWAN NILE CRUISE

15 days/14 nights

From \$6802 per person twin share

Departs ex Cairo

15 May, 13 Sep, 09 Oct and 04 Nov 2019**

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Cairo to Aswan 15D/14N	\$6802	\$10203
Abu Simbel excursion by air	\$620	\$708

*2020 dates on request.

**10, 12 and 13 day itineraries are also available

INCLUSIONS

Transfers, accommodation on a full board basis, meals and sightseeing as per itinerary.

Discover the wonders of the ancient Egyptians on this unique 15 day cruise aboard the Mövenpick Darakum. Enjoy a true Egyptian cruising experience, as you meander slowly up the Nile from Cairo to Aswan visiting ancient sites few tourists travel to. Explore the city of Minya, home to the ancient necropolis of Hermopolis and Abydos Temple, the holy city of Osiris. Witness the mighty Pyramids of Giza, the beautiful island temple of Philae and the renowned temples of Luxor and Karnak.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

Board the Mövenpick Darakum today. D

Day 2 Cairo

Enjoy a morning visit to the Coptic Museum and Jewish Synagogue. Return for lunch before an afternoon tour of the Egyptian Museum. BLD

Day 3 Cairo

Rise early this morning for a full day tour to see the ancient Pyramids of Giza, the Sphinx, Memphis and Sakkara. Evening cocktail party. BLD

Days 4/5 Minya

Today sail to Beni Suef and enjoy an Egyptian wine tasting onboard. On day 5 sail to Minya. Experience a full day sailing on the Nile marvelling at the unique and picturesque scenery. BLD

Day 6 Minya

The little visited city of Minya is a hidden gem in the Egyptian desert. Visit nearby Tuna El Gebel, the ancient necropolis of Hermopolis, and Beni Hassan, an archaic burial ground home to a number of fascinating tombs. BLD

Day 7 Assyut

Today sail to Tel El Amarna. An extensive archaeological site, the city was built by the Pharaoh Akhenaten in the late 18th Dynasty. Witness a presentation at the visitors centre and visit the tombs and the Great Palace. In the afternoon sail to Assyut. BLD

Day 8 Sohag

This morning set sail for Sohag. BLD

Day 9 Qena

Today sail to El Balyana. Visit Abydos Temple, the holy city of Osiris god of the dead and the temple of Seti I. Return to the boat and sail to Qena. Tonight enjoy a quiz night with your fellow travellers. BLD

Day 10 Luxor

Enjoy a morning visit to Dendera Temple. The complex is one of the best preserved sites in Egypt. Return to the boat and sail to Luxor. BLD

Day 11 Luxor

Early morning tour of the West Bank. See the renowned Hatshepsut Temple and explore the Valley of the Kings. BLD

Day 12 Luxor

Visit Luxor's East Bank and explore the magnificent temples of Luxor and Karnak. BLD

Day 13 Aswan

Enjoy an early morning visit to beautiful Edfu Temple, before sailing onto Kom Ombo. Take an afternoon tour of this unusual 'double' temple, dedicated to both the crocodile God Sobek and Horus the Elder. BLD

Day 14 Aswan

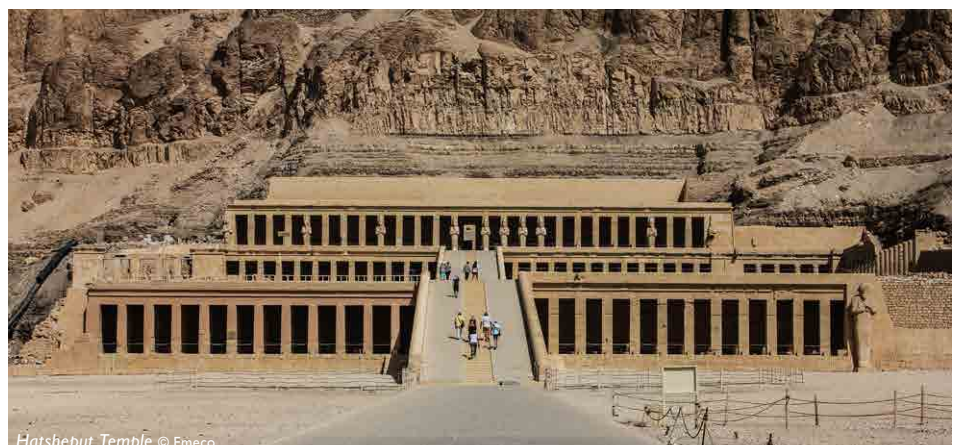
Full day tour of the Aswan High Dam and the magical Philae Temple. In the afternoon enjoy a visit to the Nubian Museum. This evening witness a Nubian show, your last night onboard. BLD

Day 15 Tour Ends

This morning is at leisure, before disembarking after lunch. BL



Darakum © Emeco



Hatshepsut Temple © Emeco

SLOWLY DOWN THE NILE

12 days/11 nights

From \$5692 per person twin share

Departs selected Saturdays ex Cairo

04 & 18 May, 13 & 27 Jul, 10 & 24 Aug,
07 & 21 Sep, 05 & 19 Oct, 02, 16 & 30 Nov, 14 & 28 Dec*

Prices per person from:	Twin	Single
Slowly down the Nile 12D/11N	\$5692	\$8153
Abu Simbel excursion by air	\$620	\$708

*2020 dates on request

All touring on the cruise boat is conducted by the cruise company on shared basis. Private touring in Cairo.

INCLUSIONS

Accommodation, transfers, meals and sightseeing as per itinerary, entry to Royal Mummy Room & Great Pyramid and economy class airfare Cairo/Luxor and Aswan/Cairo.

Explore the Nile in luxury on an unhurried cruise aboard the exclusive Oberoi Zahra. This is the ultimate Egyptian tour, allowing you to discover 5,000 years of Egyptian culture at a leisurely pace with private luxury coach touring, Egyptologist guides, and private docking arrangements unique to the Zahra. The Zahra's luxury cabins and suites are among the most spacious on the Nile, elegantly appointed with wood floors, muted colours and picture windows. Enjoy the finest international cuisine and à la carte service. The tour includes the famous sites of Cairo, all the major temples between Luxor and Aswan, plus the magnificent Dendera Temple complex at Qena.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

Arrival transfer from Cairo airport to the Marriott Mena House for 3 nights.

Days 2/3 Cairo

Over the next two days you will visit the Egyptian Museum and Islamic Cairo including the Citadel of Saladin and the Grand Bazaar. Visit the pyramids at Giza, the ancient capital of Memphis, and the step pyramid at Sakkara. BL

Day 4 Luxor

Morning flight to Luxor for your transfer to the Oberoi Zahra. The boat has 25 spacious luxury cabins, 2 suites with private terraces and Jacuzzis, dining room, lounge, pool and full treatment spa. After lunch commence a guided tour of Luxor Museum and Karnak Temple. Return to the Zahra for dinner and overnight in Luxor. BLD

Day 5 Qena

Morning tour of the Valley of the Kings on the West Bank, the temple of Madinat Habu and the Colossi of Memnon. Lunch is on board. Take advantage of the Zahra's facilities such as the gym, pool or spa treatments as the boat cruises to Qena. Late afternoon excursion to Dendera for a visit to the Temple of Hathor, goddess of music, love and joy. Dinner and overnight on board. BLD

Day 6 Luxor

Early sailing to Luxor. After breakfast visit the West Bank's Valley of the Nobles and the ancient village of the craftsmen who built and decorated the tombs of the Pharaohs. Lastly,



Karnak Temple © Shutterstock

visit the Temple of Hatshepsut. Relax on the Zahra before a late afternoon tour of Luxor Temple. Evening cocktail reception. BLD

Day 7 Edfu

Sail to Edfu. This afternoon visit the Temple of Edfu, the best preserved temple of the ancient world dedicated to Horus the falcon god. BLD

Day 8 Aswan

A leisurely sail to Aswan and lunch before a tour of the High Dam and Philae Temple. Relax on board before dinner. BLD

Day 9 Aswan

Sail to Kom Ombo and visit the temple dedicated to the crocodile god Sobek, the god of fertility and creator of the world, and Horus the falcon god. Sail back to Aswan for lunch and a visit to the Botanical Gardens by felucca. Evening Sound and Light Show at Philae Temple. BLD

Day 10 Aswan

Optional visit to Abu Simbel or relax on board. Evening cocktail reception with entertainment on Mango Island. BLD

Day 11 Cairo

Disembark after breakfast and transfer to the airport for your flight to Cairo. Transfer to Marriott Mena House for overnight. B

Day 12 Tour ends Cairo

Transfer to Cairo airport where the tour ends. B

Note: This tour also operates in reverse order. Departure dates on request.



Oberoi Zahra sundeck with pool © Oberoi Hotels & Resorts



Oberoi Zahra luxury cabin © Oberoi Hotels & Resorts



Oberoi Zahra © Oberoi Hotels & Resorts

THE NILE IN STYLE

5 days/4 nights

From \$1925 per person twin share*[^]

Departs ex Luxor

03, 11, 19 & 27 May, 04, 12, 20 & 28 Jun, 06 & 14 Jul, 17 & 25 Aug, 02, 10, 18 & 26 Sep, 04, 12, 20 & 28 Oct, 05, 13, 21 & 29 Nov, 07, 15, 23 & 31 Dec.

*2020 dates on request.

[^]Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

Accommodation in Nile Deck Cabin, meals and shared guided sightseeing as per itinerary, entrance fees and port charges.

Cruise in style aboard Sanctuary Retreats fleet of beautiful cruise boats, which bring legendary service and a boutique experience to the Nile River. Explore the cultural treasures of ancient Egypt, marvel at the temples of Luxor and Karnak, search the age-old crypts of renowned pharaohs and learn about one of the greatest civilisations to ever exist from expert guides. The below itinerary is based on the Sun Boat IV, however the Sun Boat III and Nile Adventurer also offer a unique cruising experience in absolute comfort. These stunning vessels all feature beautiful lounges, bars and a sundeck with a pool.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Luxor

Board your cruise today in Luxor. Enjoy a welcome lunch onboard before an afternoon tour of the East Bank, visiting the magnificent temples of Karnak and Luxor. On your return, you will be greeted by the boat manager for drinks and canapés before dinner. LD

Day 2 Esna

Today see the West Bank of Luxor, exploring the ancient tombs in the Valley of the Kings, Valley of the Queens and the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut. Marvel at the famed Colossi of Memnon. Sail to Esna. BLD

Day 3 Edfu

This morning enjoy a visit to the Greco-Roman Temple of Khnum. The Hypostyle Hall was built during the reign of the Roman Emperor Claudius. Return for lunch and continue on to Edfu this afternoon. BLD

Day 4 Aswan

Explore the unique 'double' temple of Kom Ombo, dedicated to the crocodile God Sobek, and Horus the Elder. This afternoon visit the majestic Philae Temple on the island of Agilika and stop by the granite quarry which holds the huge Unfinished Obelisk. BLD

Day 5 Tour Ends

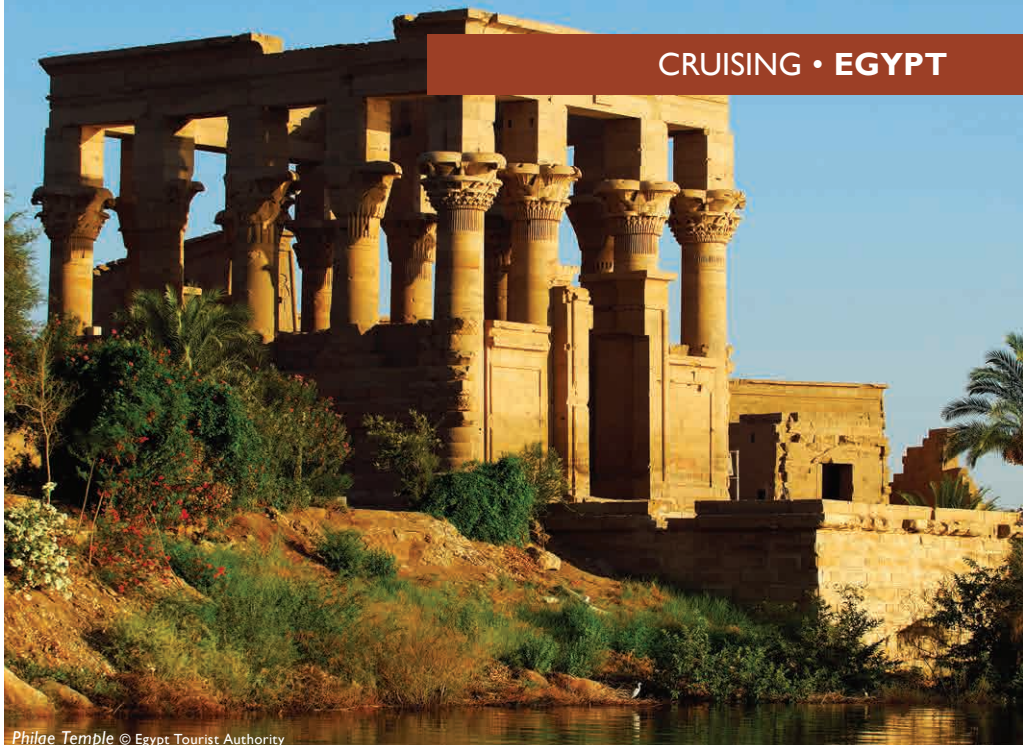
Disembark in Aswan where your tour ends. B

Note: Tours also operate in reverse. 3, 7 and 8 night cruises are also available on request.

STAY LONGER

All Nile cruises start and finish in some of Egypt's major cities and are easily combined with longer city stays. See pages 16, 20 and 21 for details. Contact one of our destination specialists to start planning your journey today.

T: 1300 363 302



Philae Temple © Egypt Tourist Authority

SANCTUARY SUNBOAT IV

The Sunboat IV is one of the most elegant small cruise boats on the Nile. There are 40 beautifully designed cabins and suites that all feature large paned windows offering unparalleled views of the Nile. The vessel boasts a lovely restaurant (and offers traditional Egyptian cooking lessons), a peaceful lounge/bar and a stunning sundeck with heated swimming pool, shaded deck and bar. It doesn't lack for modern amenities with a gym, massage room, library and games room.



Sun Boat IV © Sanctuary Retreats

SANCTUARY NILE ADVENTURER

This beautiful boat has just 32 cabins and suites, and provides a relaxed and luxurious sailing experience down the Nile. Combining modern Egyptian culture with 6,000 years of heritage and history, the boat is beautifully designed and exudes a timeless elegance. Each cabin has large panoramic windows, whilst the two suites feature private balconies. The vessel has a restaurant serving gourmet cuisine, large lounge and bar area, extensive sundeck with private cabanas and a pool.



Sun Boat Nile Adventurer © Sanctuary Retreats

SANCTUARY SUNBOAT III

This intimate 18 cabin yacht has been voted one of the top 100 most beautiful boats in the world by Condé Nast Traveller. All cabins are decorated in cool calm tones and feature four-poster beds, whilst the suites also have spacious personal living rooms. The vessel is modelled on the opulent era of the 1920s and 30s and features two lavish indoor lounges and a spacious open-aired lower deck. It also has an exquisite dining room, where its award-winning chefs serve gourmet cuisine, and an upper sundeck with cabana style beds and an oasis shaped pool.



Sun Boat III © Sanctuary Retreats



Emeco's Princess Grace Dahabiya © Emeco

NILE DAHABIYA

6 days/5 nights

From \$1543 per person twin share

Departs Saturdays ex Luxor or Aswan

Sonesta departs Luxor Saturdays:

11 & 25 May, 08 & 22 June, 06 & 20 July, 03, 17 & 31 Aug, 14 & 28 Sep, 12 & 26 Oct, 09 & 23 Nov, 07 & 21 Dec.

Sonesta departs Aswan Saturdays:

04 & 18 May, 01, 15 & 29 June, 13 & 27 July, 10 & 24 Aug, 07 & 21 Sep, 05 & 19 Oct, 02, 16 & 30 Nov, 14 & 28 Dec.

Emeco dahabiya departs Luxor Saturdays:*[^]

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Sonesta Amirat Dahabiya	\$1861	\$3712
Emeco Dahabiya	\$1543	\$2623
Abu Simbel excursion by air	\$620	\$708

*2020 dates on request.

[^]June - August on request.

INCLUSIONS

5 night cruise on a full board basis and guided sightseeing.

Return to the gracious era of turn of the century travel and cruise the Nile in style on board a traditional sailing boat called a dahabiya. These boutique sailing boats are fully air-conditioned and

carry just 16 to 20 passengers. Travel from Luxor to Aswan or vice versa, visiting temples and rural villages on the riverbank, soaking up the spectacular scenery. Sightseeing excursions are accompanied by an English speaking guide trained in Egyptology. Dahabiyas are pulled by a tug-boat to ensure a smooth and quiet ride.

ITINERARY

Days 1/2 Luxor

Board your dahabiya today and enjoy a welcome drink and lunch. This afternoon visit the temples of Luxor and Karnak. On day 2 explore the Valley of the Kings, Valley of the Queens, the temple of Hatshepsut and the Colossi of Memnon. LD/BLD

Day 3 Edfu

Continue onto Edfu and visit the wonderfully preserved Temple of Edfu built between 237 and 57 BC. BLD

Day 4 Aswan

Sail to Aswan today. Enroute stop at Sheikh Fadl Island for lunch before a visit to the temple of Kom Ombo. BLD

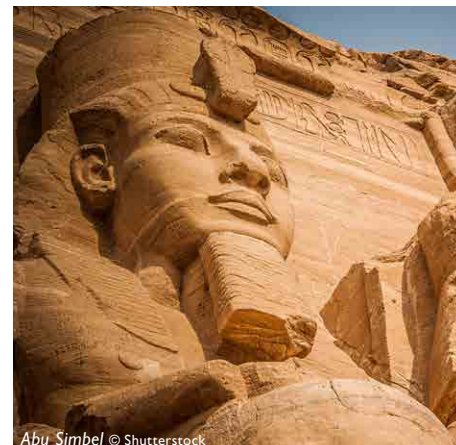
Day 5 Aswan

This morning visit the Aswan High Dam before taking a short boat ride to see the majestic Philae Temple on the island of Agilika. BLD

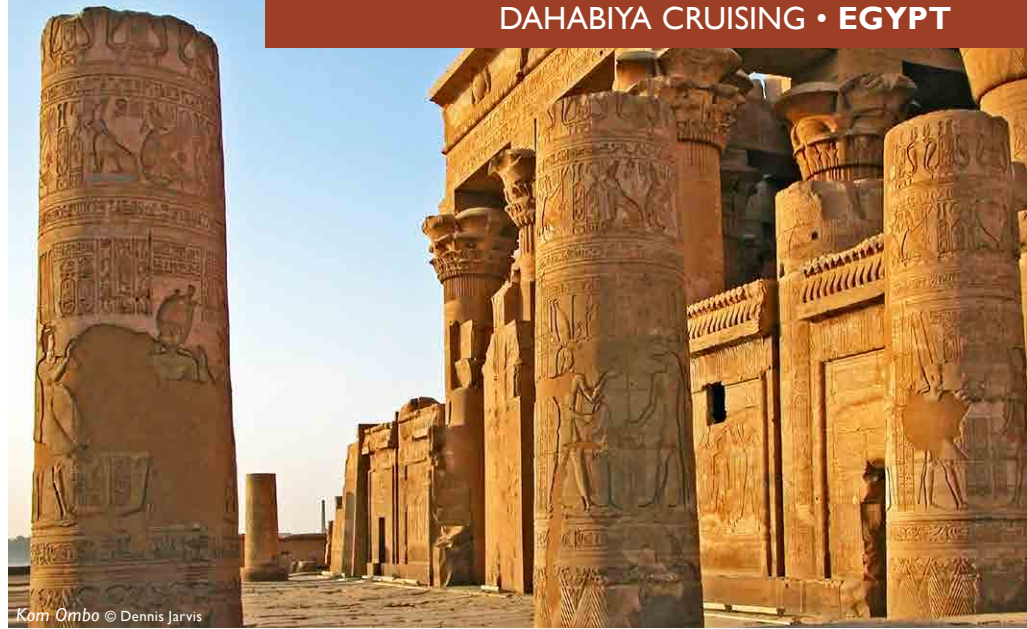
Day 6 Tour Ends

Optional visit to Abu Simbel Temple in the early morning. Disembark in Aswan after breakfast. B

Note: Tours also operate in reverse. 7 night cruises are also available.



Abu Simbel © Shutterstock



Kom Ombo © Dennis Jarvis

DAHABIYAS

SONESTA DAHABIYA

Sonesta's boutique sailing boat, the Amirat, offers a unique cruise experience reminiscent of early 20th century exploration. Combining beauty and comfort, the vessel takes just 14 guests and there is an almost equal number of staff to make your stay more enjoyable. The dahabiya includes 5 deluxe cabins and 2 elegant suites with a private terrace. The Amirat features a beautiful lounge, dining room, spacious sundeck and open air Jacuzzi.



Sonesta Dahabiya cabin © Sonesta

EMECO DAHABIYA

Emeco have three dahabiyas in their fleet: the Princess Grace, the Dalida and the Merit, all decorated in both traditional and contemporary style. The Princess Grace and the Dalida each offer 8 spacious ensuite cabins with large windows, whilst the Merit has 10 deluxe cabins. All dahabiyas have a large indoor lounge, dining and bar area, whilst the spacious sundeck has a shaded lounge and dining area, bar, sunbeds and Jacuzzi. Explore the sights with an English speaking guide.



Emeco Dahabiya deck view © Hany Elkatouri



Sonesta Dahabiya © Sonesta



Relaxing Dahabiya breakfast on the Nile © Stephen Cameron



Sonesta Amirat Sitting Area © Sonesta



Sakkara Pyramid, Cairo © Gardel/Egypt Tourist Authority

CAIRO

4 days/3 nights

From \$775 per person twin share

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Marriott Mena House (Deluxe)	\$1045	\$1755
Four Seasons Nile Plaza (Sup Rm)	\$1288	\$2328
Ritz Carlton (Deluxe Rm)	\$1285	\$2328
Sofitel el-Gezirah Cairo (Sup Rm)	\$1201	\$2022
Cairo Marriott (Deluxe Rm)	\$904	\$1503
Fairmont Nile City (Deluxe Rm)	\$964	\$1629
Cairo Sheraton (Deluxe Rm)	\$871	\$1437
Steigenberger El Tahrir (Sup Rm)	\$775	\$1245

INCLUSIONS

Private return transfers airport/hotel, 3 nights accommodation on a B&B basis, full day Pyramids with entry to Great Pyramid, Sphinx, Memphis & Sakkara tour with local lunch, full day Egyptian Museum, entry to Royal Mummy Room, Citadel, Mosque & Bazaars Tour with local lunch & handling fee.

OPTIONAL UPGRADES

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Lunch upgrade (with guide)	\$131	\$174
Mummies Room	\$24	\$24
Solar Boat	\$14	\$14
Middle Pyramid (Khafre)	\$14	\$14
Small Pyramid (Menkaure)	\$14	\$14

Discover the rich history and culture of Egypt's capital, including the Great Pyramids and the Sphinx at Giza, the treasures of the Egyptian Museum, the 5,000 year old Egyptian capital of Memphis and ancient Sakkara, site of the first pyramid of King Zoser. Also explore Islamic Cairo, including the Citadel, the 14th century Mosque of Sultan Hassan and the bustling Khan Khalili Bazaar.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

Met on arrival at Cairo airport and transfer to your hotel for 3 nights.

Day 2 Cairo

Enjoy a full day tour of the Pyramids, with entry into the Great Pyramid of Khufu, the sphinx, ancient royal city of Memphis and Sakkara with your local Egyptologist guide. Lunch is included. BL

Day 3 Cairo

Morning departure on a full day guided tour visiting the Egyptian Museum and Islamic Cairo including the Citadel, the Mosque of Sultan Hassan and the Khan Khalili Bazaar. Lunch is included. BL

Day 4 Tour ends

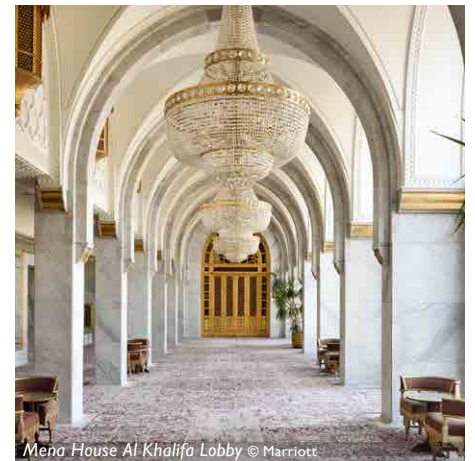
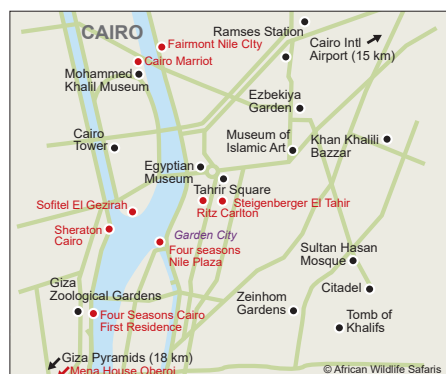
Transfer to Cairo airport where your tour ends. B

OPTIONAL CAIRO DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:	Twin	Single
Egyptian Museum, Citadel, Mosque and Bazaar with lunch	Included	Included
Nile Dinner Cruise in Cairo	\$108	\$140
Pyramids Sound & Light	\$84	\$119
Day tour to Alexandria with lunch	\$259	\$420
Half day tour to Dahshour	\$71	\$129
Medieval Cairo with lunch	\$208	\$301
Pyramids, the Sphinx, Memphis and Sakkara with lunch	Included	Included



Tutankhamen © Egypt Tourist Authority



Mena House Al Khalifa Lobby © Marriott

MARRIOTT MENA HOUSE

Located a stone's throw from the Great Pyramids of Giza, the hotel offers 331 luxury rooms amid lavish gardens, boasting views over Egypt's most iconic site. There are a number of interconnecting rooms, and some with wheelchair access. Within the grounds of the hotel, there are four restaurants, serving a variety of cuisines from around the world, a heated swimming pool and a health club.



Superior Room © Four Seasons

FOUR SEASONS CAIRO NILE PLAZA

Situated in the heart of Cairo on the banks of the Nile, the hotel is minutes from the Egyptian museum and Cairo Opera House, and offering splendid skyline views. The hotel offers 8 dining options, showcasing world cuisine, ranging from formal restaurants to the relaxed modern café and poolside grill. Amenities include day spa, indoor and outdoor pool and 24 hour gym.



Cairo, Khan El Khalili Souk © Egypt Tourist Authority



Dining Area © Ritz Carlton

RITZ CARLTON

This iconic luxury hotel occupies a prime piece of real estate in the heart of Cairo overlooking the Nile River. This elegant hotel offers 331 spacious rooms and suites with writing desks and floor-to-ceiling windows. There are nine restaurants and lounges preparing mouth-watering cuisine, a gym, Olympic-sized swimming pool, spa, high speed internet and 24 hour room service.



Cairo Sheraton Executive suite © Emeco

CAIRO SHERATON

Located on the west bank of the Nile, the Sheraton offers 660 plush rooms and suites, and is a short walk from many of Cairo's best sites, restaurants and bars. There are numerous onsite restaurants serving traditional Egyptian and Arabic cuisine. Hotel amenities include a casino, wellness centre with massage room and sauna, fully-equipped gym and pool.



Sofitel el-Gezira, Cairo © Sofitel

SOFITEL EL-GEZIRAH CAIRO

This 5-star hotel is located on the island of El Gezira in the heart of Cairo. Featuring 433 rooms and suites, the hotel exudes French charm and is conveniently nearby to many of Cairo's best restaurants, bars and sites. Each room blends French elegance with oriental design and offers beautiful views of Cairo. Amenities include a stunning ballroom, spa and infinity pool overlooking the Nile.



Deluxe room © Emeco

CAIRO MARRIOTT

A former palace, this luxury hotel has been restored to incorporate the grandeur that its former royal guests enjoyed; with every modern day amenity including an outdoor pool, gym, casino and a plethora of dining options.



Fairmont Nile City - Onyx Lounge © Emeco

FAIRMONT NILE CITY

This contemporary style hotel occupies a stunning spot on the Nile River in the centre of the city. The hotel has 540 ensuite guest rooms whilst there are 7 restaurants, world-class spa and a beautiful rooftop pool and bar.



Dining Room El Tahrir © Steigenberger

STEIGENBERGER EL TAHRIR

Ideally situated close to the Egyptian Museum, the hotel offers 295 modern rooms and suites. The Steigenberger doesn't lack for modern comforts, offering all-day dining, 24/7 room service, a spa complex with sauna, fitness centre and pool.



Montazah Palace, Alexandria © Egypt Tourist Authority



Abu Al Abbas Mosque, Alexandria © Egypt Tourist Authority

ALEXANDRIA

3 days/2 nights

From \$724 per person twin share

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Four Seasons at San Stefano (Superior Rm)	\$908	\$1715
Steigenberger Cecil (Classic Rm)	\$724	\$1289

INCLUSIONS

Private return transfers Cairo/Alexandria, 2 nights accommodation on a B&B basis, full day tour of Alexandria including Pompey's Pillar, the Catacombs, Montazah Gardens, National Museum and Alexandria Library.

Founded by Alexander the Great in 332 BC, Alexandria was the capital of Greco-Roman Egypt for almost 1000 years. With its legendary lighthouse and great Library the city was renowned as a centre for culture and learning. Today the ancient library is replaced by a modern wonder, the new Bibliotheca Alexandrina. Carved into the exterior of the Bibliotheca are hieroglyphs, symbols and letters from ancient scripts. The eerie Catacombs of Kom El Shouqafa are the largest-known Roman burial site in Egypt. Modern Alexandria reflects much of its 19th century cosmopolitan heritage, and although just 220 kms from Cairo, seems more Mediterranean than Middle Eastern.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Alexandria

Transfer by road from Cairo to your hotel for 2 nights. The journey takes 3 hours.

Day 2 Alexandria

Today enjoy a full day tour of Alexandria. Visit Pompey's Pillar a column of red Aswan granite. Explore the ancient Catacombs of Kom El Shouqafa, visit the archaeological treasures of the National Museum and wander through the 114 acre El Montazah Gardens once owned by Egypt's royal family. A highlight of the tour is the new Alexandria Library, a huge tilted disc reminiscent of a rising sun on the edge of the Mediterranean. BL

Day 3 Tour ends Cairo

This morning transfer back to Cairo. Tour ends. B

OPTIONAL EL ALAMEIN DAY TOUR

Departs daily ex Alexandria		
Tour cost per person from:	Twin	Single
Full Day Alamein tour with lunch	\$137	\$229



El Alamein War Museum © Egypt Tourist Authority



Antiques Corner, Alexandria © Egypt tourist Authority



San Stefano Superior Room © Four Seasons



Dining Room © Steigenberger Cecil

FOUR SEASONS AT SAN STEFANO

The classically elegant Four Seasons is situated in exclusive San Stefano, overlooking Alexandria's Corniche and the Mediterranean Sea. The rooms and suites are all beautifully designed, feature balconies and do not lack for comfort. Part of the deluxe Gran Plaza complex, this luxurious hotel has 10 restaurants and lounges, indoor and outdoor pools, spa, fitness centre and access to a private beach.

STEIGENBERGER CECIL

Built in 1929, this historic hotel is located on the harbour front close to a number of the city's best sites, including the Alexandria National Museum. The hotel has 85 rooms and suites and two restaurants. The renowned Monty Bar, named in honour of First & Second World War veteran Field Marshall Montgomery, serves an extensive drinks list and live entertainment.



Alexandria Bay © Egypt Tourist Authority



Stunning Abu Simbel © Stephen Cameron

ABU SIMBEL BY AIR

Daily ex Aswan

Price per person from: Twin Single
 \$620 \$708

INCLUSIONS

Return hotel/airport transfer, return flights Aswan/Abu Simbel, private guided tour (local guide) in Abu Simbel and entrance fees.

Situated 280km south of Aswan, the majestic Temple of Ramses II at Abu Simbel is the most impressive monument in Egypt. Built in 1300 BC in the Nile Valley, it would have been destroyed by the building of the High Dam, but was rescued in an incredible feat of engineering.

ITINERARY

Transfer from your hotel to Aswan airport for the 45 minute flight to Abu Simbel. On arrival you will be met by our representative and taken on a private guided tour of Abu Simbel (approx. 1.5 hrs). Fly back to Aswan and transfer to your hotel or airport. There are a number of flights to Abu Simbel each day from 0600 to 1200 noon.

HANY ELKATOURI - EGYPTOLOGIST

Our resident Egyptologist, Hany grew up in Giza and spent his childhood years marvelling at the pyramids. This inspired him to study Egyptology at the University of Cairo before going on to lead tours across the length and breadth of Egypt. His favourite place to visit is the Valley of the Kings, and he loves the colours, decorations and stories that are inscribed within the tombs.



INSIGHTS FROM HANY

No visit to Egypt is complete without visiting the awe-inspiring temples of Abu Simbel. Built by Ramses II in the 13th Century BC, Ramses had four gigantic statues of himself hewn from the mountainside. The largest ever built in Egypt, they were created to impress upon the Nubians his power and greatness. In the 1960's, due to the construction of the Aswan High Dam, the temples were carefully moved, block by block, and fitted back together in a specially constructed artificial cliff. The whole project took almost 4 years to complete, and was so precisely measured that twice a year, in February and October, the rising sun penetrates all the way to the temple's interior as it was originally constructed.



Impressive Nefertari Temple, Abu Simbel © Stephen Cameron



Karnak Temple © Shutterstock



Luxor Souk © Egypt Tourist Authority

LUXOR

4 days/3 nights

From \$516 per person twin share

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Hotel Sofitel Winter Palace (Cls Rm)	\$756	\$1192
Hilton Luxor (Std Rm)	\$594	\$973
Steigenberger Nile Palace (Exec Rm)	\$516	\$871
Sonesta St George (Royal Club Rm)	\$540	\$862

INCLUSIONS

Return transfers airport/hotel, 3 nights accommodation on a B&B basis, half day East Bank tour and half day West Bank tour.

Often called the world's 'greatest open air museum', magnificent Luxor is the site of grand monuments and ancient Thebes. The East Bank is renowned for its two majestic temples, Karnak and Luxor which are home to many massive stone statues that were built by the Egyptians for the gods. Across on the West Bank is the Theban Necropolis, the burial place for the pharaohs, queens and nobles of the New Kingdom between 1539 and 1075 BC, which includes that of the young King Tutankhamun.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Luxor

Met on arrival at Luxor airport and transfer to your hotel for 3 nights.

Day 2 Luxor

Depart early on a half day tour of the East Bank exploring the temple complexes of Luxor and Karnak. Afternoon at leisure. B

Day 3 Luxor

Enjoy a half day tour of the West Bank to visit the Valley of the Kings, the ancient burial site for nearly 500 years of the pharaohs during the 15th to the 10th centuries BC. Visit the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, the Valley of the Queens, the Colossi of Amenhotep III (Memnon). B

Day 4 Tour ends

Transfer to Luxor airport where your tour ends. B

OPTIONAL LUXOR DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:*	Twin	Single
Day tour to Dendera & Abydos	\$113	\$193
Day tour to West Bank (Valley of Kings, Valley of Queens, Hatshepsut, Memnon, Habu, Ramseum & el Medina Monastery)	\$149	\$197
Half day tour to Dendera	\$56	\$96
Half day tour to East Bank (Karnak & Luxor)	Included	
Half day tour to Luxor Museum	\$44	\$63
Sound & Light at Karnak	\$65	\$77

*All tours exclude lunch.

HOTEL SOFTEL WINTER PALACE

This exquisite 5-star hotel, built in 1886 by British explorers, was once the winter retreat for the Egyptian royal family. The hotel has 86 rooms and 6 suites with stunning views over the Nile River or the luxuriant tropical gardens. Indulge in French inspired cuisine at the onsite restaurants and bars or relax by the central pool surrounded by palm trees.



Sofitel Winter Palace © Sofitel

HILTON LUXOR RESORT & SPA

Located on the banks of the Nile, close to the great temple of Karnak, The Hilton Luxor Resort & Spa is the ideal place to explore this great city whilst enjoying luxury amenities. Offering 236 stylish rooms and suites, the hotel boasts 8 restaurants and bars serving international, Asian and Arabic cuisine, fitness centre and professional spa.

STIEGENBERGER NILE PALACE

Located on the banks of the Nile, the hotel offers 303 rooms and suites and has its own boat dock. There are 8 restaurants and bars, whilst amenities include a wellness and beauty centre, spa, gym and beautiful swimming pool.

SONESTA ST GEORGE

This sophisticated and elegant hotel sits on the banks on the Nile amidst many of Egypt's ancient pharaonic treasures. Built in contemporary-style, the hotel features 322 rooms and suites as well as 8 restaurants and bars serving a range of cuisines from around the world. The hotel boasts a fully-equipped health and fitness centre and a heated outdoor swimming pool overlooking the Nile.



The mortuary temple of Ramses III, Medinet Habu © Emeco

ASWAN

3 days/2 nights

From \$350 per person twin share

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Sofitel Legend Old Cataracts (Nile Wing Premium Rm)	\$772	\$1319
Mövenpick Elephantine Island (Classic Rm)	\$350	\$555

INCLUSIONS

Private return transfers airport/hotel, 2 nights accommodation on a bed & breakfast basis, half day tour to the High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk and Philae, half day Botanical Gardens Tour.

With its Nile islands and graceful feluccas, picturesque Aswan is situated in southern Egypt just below the Aswan Dam and Lake Nasser. It is famous for its archaeological treasures, in particular the Temple of Philae dedicated to the goddess Isis. In a feat of engineering, it was moved piece by piece to save it from being lost under water with the creation of the Dam. Aswan's ancient quarries provided stone for many of Egypt's monuments, and it is the base for Lake Nasser cruises and excursions to the famous temples at Abu Simbel.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Aswan

Met on arrival at Aswan airport and transfer to your hotel for 2 nights.

Day 2 Aswan

Depart early on a half day tour to the Aswan High Dam which controls the Nile River and forms the huge reservoir of Lake Nasser. Continue to the North Quarry with its giant Unfinished Obelisk still embedded in the rock, and then take a boat trip to the beautiful Temple of Isis on Philae Island. In the afternoon enjoy a relaxing cruise to Kitchener's Island and wander in the botanical gardens. B

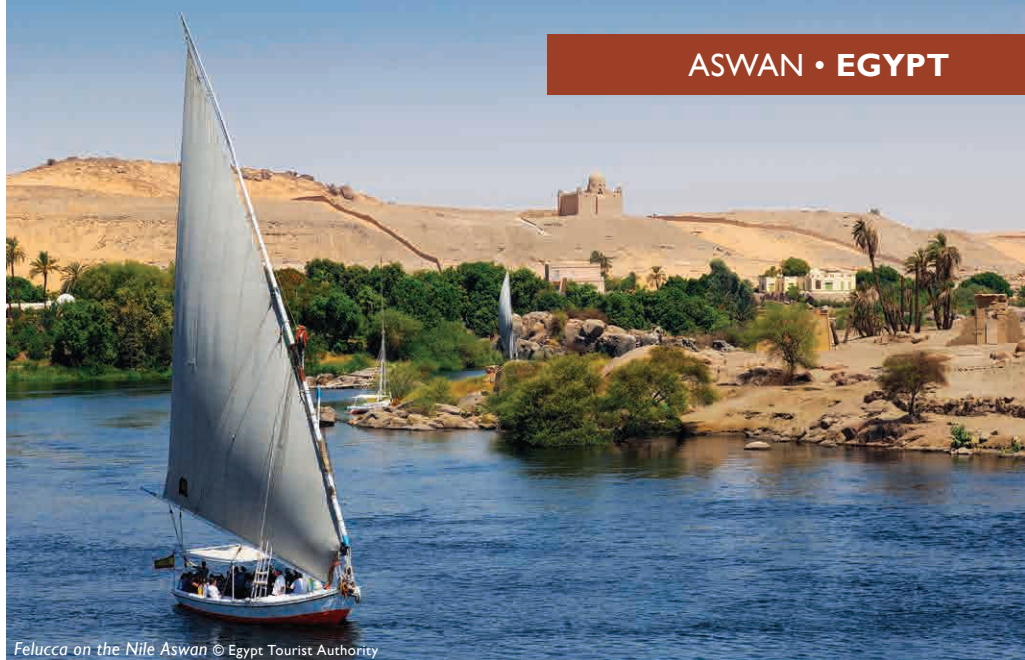
Day 3 Tour ends

Transfer to Aswan airport where your tour ends. B

OPTIONAL ASWAN DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:*	Twin	Single
Day tour to Kom Ombo, Edfu and Esna	\$143	\$251
Half day tour to High Dam, Unfinished Obelisk and Philae	Included	
Half day tour to Philae Temple	\$79	\$117
Half day tour to Nubian Museum	\$44	\$69
Sound & Light show	\$89	\$119
Half day tour to Kitchener's Island (Botanical Garden)	Included	

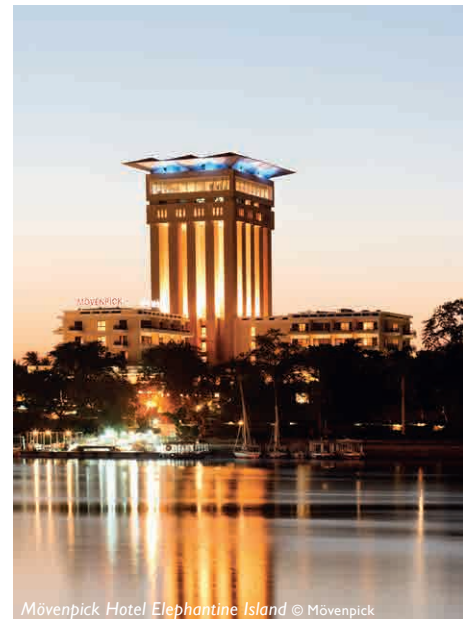
*All tours exclude lunch.



Felucca on the Nile Aswan © Egypt Tourist Authority



Sofitel Legends Old Cataract - Suite © Sofitel



Mövenpick Hotel Elephantine Island © Mövenpick

SOFITEL LEGEND OLD CATARACTS

On the banks of the Nile, directly across from Elephantine Island this 19th century Victorian Palace blends pharaonic treasures with old world charm. Accommodation is in two separate wings, the Palace wing offering 76 rooms and the Nile wing consisting of 62 rooms. The hotel offers a wealth of luxury amenities including 8 excellent restaurants and bars, indoor and outdoor pool and intimate day spa.

MÖVENPICK RESORT ASWAN

Located in the middle of the Nile on Elephantine Island, the Mövenpick Resort consists of 404 elegant rooms and sweets offering guests spectacular views within a unique location. The hotel offers a plethora of fine dining options, including the Orangrie restaurant, where you can enjoy excellent food and wine with 360 degree panoramic views of the river.



Philae Temple © Egypt Tourist Authority



Roman ruins at Jerash © Jordan Tourism Board



The Treasury, Petra © Stephen Cameron

JORDAN
 At the cross-roads of east and west Jordan is a treasure trove of historic and religious sites, with ancient temples, mosques and churches, mysterious ruined cities and romantic desert castles. Luckily the country is small enough for visitors to reach many of the major sites with ease, including the capital Amman, the ruins of Jerash, the Dead Sea, the rose-red city of Petra and the stunning desert landscapes of Wadi Rum.



© African Wildlife Safaris



Floating in the Dead Sea © Jordan Tourism Board

TREASURES OF JORDAN

7 days/6 nights

From \$2134 per person twin share*

Departs daily ex Amman

Tour cost per person from:*	A	B
	\$2211	\$2134

Option A: Grand Hyatt, Petra Mövenpick, Memories Aicha Camp, Kempinski Hotel Ishtar

Option B: Kempinski Amman, Petra Mövenpick, Memories Aicha Camp, Dead Sea Mövenpick

*Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

Amman meet & assist, airport/hotel return transfers in private A/C vehicle, entrance fees, service of local English speaking guide in Jerash and Petra, 2hr 4WD jeep tour, porterages at hotels and airport, 6 nights accommodation in hotels on B&B basis (except in Wadi Rum - half board).

Journey back in time, inspecting the Greco-Roman ruins at Jerash, Byzantine mosaics at Madaba and the fortified Kerak Castle of crusader fame. Wander the rock-hewn city of Petra, and float in the hyper-saline Dead Sea.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Amman

Arrive Amman airport. Transfer to your city hotel.

Day 2 Amman

Tour the Roman Theatre, Nymphaeum and Citadel. Transfer to the ancient Greco-Roman city of Jerash and walk its colonnaded streets and plazas, discover its temples, theatres, baths and the Arch of Hadrian. B



The fabled Dead Sea © Jordan Tourism Board

Days 3/4 Petra

Travel the King's Highway to Petra, stopping to see a 6th century mosaic map of Palestine. Visit Mt Nebo, said to be the last resting place of Moses, and impressive Kerak Castle. On Day 4, be guided along the narrow Siq to the lost city of Petra, with its exquisite Treasury and tombs. B



Desert landscapes, Wadi Rum © Jordan Tourism Board



Kerak Castle © Jordan Tourism Board

Day 5 Wadi Rum

Drive to the breathtaking desert landscapes of Wadi Rum. Home to Bedouin tribes, it was made famous by British officer and writer T.E. Lawrence (of Arabia). Take a 4WD desert safari beneath towering sandstone mountains and sculptural rock formations. BD

Day 6 Dead Sea

Drive to your hotel in the Dead Sea. Afternoon is at leisure to indulge in one of the many spa treatments or just explore this unique salt lake 427m below sea level. B

Day 7 Tour ends

Return to Amman. Tour ends. B

AMMAN

4 days/3 nights

From \$886 per person twin share

Amman, capital of Jordan, is one of the world's oldest continuously inhabited cities. Roman ruins and mediaeval mosques juxtapose with modern hotels and offices. Visit the ancient Citadel on the highest of Amman's 7 hills, the Temple of Hercules, the Archaeological Museum and the Roman Theatre. Make time for shopping in the souks, bazaars or glitzy modern shopping malls.

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Four Seasons (Superior Rm)	\$1348	\$2349
Grand Hyatt (Standard Rm)	\$886	\$1533
Kempinski Hotel (Superior Rm)	\$892	\$1569
The House Boutique (Studio Suite)	\$886	\$1653

INCLUSIONS

Meet and assist at Amman airport, return hotel transfers, 3 nights bed & breakfast accommodation and half day city tour and half day Jerash tour.

OPTIONAL DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:	Twin	Single
Amman half day City Tour	Included	
Full day Jerash and Ajlun	\$194	\$310

CITY TOUR

Explore Amman, the capital of Jordan. This tour includes the mesmerising Roman Theatre and the enchanting Citadel, inhabited since the Bronze Age (1800BC). Explore the traditional Souqs, taking in the sights and smells of the spice markets.



Jerash Colonnaded Street © Jordan Tourism Board



Colorful Souqs © Jordan Tourism Board



Hadrian's Arch, Jerash © Jordan Tourism Board

JERASH AND AJLUN

Drive north to the Roman city of Jerash where the morning is spent exploring the well-preserved ruins. Jerash is one of the largest and most interesting archaeological sites of Roman architecture outside Italy. Hidden for centuries in sand, it was re-discovered in the 19th century and has been excavated and restored over the last 100 years. Visit Hadrian's Arch, the huge Roman Amphitheatre, temples dedicated to Artemis and Zeus and the ancient Hippodrome.



The Roman Theatre, Amman © Jordan Tourism Board



Deluxe Room © Four seasons

FOUR SEASONS AMMAN

This beautiful 5 star deluxe hotel sits on a hilltop near the Shmeisani area with wonderful views of the city. Comprised of 192 generously sized guest rooms and suites, facilities include 3 restaurants, lounge, bar, outdoor terrace, gardens, gym, indoor and outdoor pool, sauna and treatment spa.



Deluxe Room © Kempinski Hotel Amman

KEMPINSKI HOTEL AMMAN

In the heart of Amman, the Kempinski has 278 contemporary style rooms with a touch of local flavour. There are 7 bars and restaurants whilst the hotel also has a gym, full service day spa and an exclusive adults-only outdoor pool and lounge.



Pool © Grand Hyatt

GRAND HYATT

The Grand Hyatt is conveniently nearby to many of the best sites including the Roman Theatre. The hotel has 327 elegant guest rooms tastefully designed to offer a truly Jordanian experience. Amenities include 4 restaurants and bars, indoor and outdoor pools, spa and a 24 hour gym.



Pool and Terrace © The House Boutique & Suites

THE HOUSE BOUTIQUE SUITES

This luxury boutique hotel has 95 spacious suites that feature state-of-the-art facilities creating a relaxing atmosphere. The amenities on offer range from in-room dining, babysitting service, pool, terrace and bar, fitness centre and massage room.





Wadi Rum Arch © Shutterstock

PETRA & WADI RUM

4 days/3 nights

From \$1412 per person twin share

Departs ex Amman

Visit the legendary city of Petra, built by the Nabataeans in 100 BC with its rock-cut tombs, temples and ancient water conduits, including the famous Treasury and the Monastery, Petra is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Continue with a jeep safari into the breathtaking landscapes of Wadi Rum and overnight at the romantic Aicha Memories Camp.

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Petra Mövenpick Resort (Sup Rm)	\$1547	\$2716
Petra Guest House (Standard Rm)	\$1412	\$2411

Optional day tour:	Twin	Single
Little Petra Jeep Safari	\$164	\$385

INCLUSIONS

Meet & greet at Amman Airport, private return transfers (ex Amman), 2 nights B&B accommodation, 1 night (Aicha Camp) half board, local guide in Petra, 2hr jeep tour in Wadi Rum, entrance fees.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Petra

Depart Amman by road travelling via the ancient and scenic Kings Highway to Petra. Enroute visit the Byzantine mosaics and churches at Madaba, the memorial to Moses on Mt Nebo with views of the Holy Land and the crusader stronghold of Kerak. Overnight at your Petra hotel.

Day 2 Petra

Full day tour of the ancient city of Petra. Famous for its rock-cut architecture and water conduit system, the hidden Treasury is approached via the 1.4 km narrow rock canyon, or Siq. Wander through the streets of the 'rose-red city' marveling at the intricate carvings,

rock cut steps and the impressive Ad-Deir Monastery. Overnight at your hotel. B

Day 3 Memories Aicha Camp

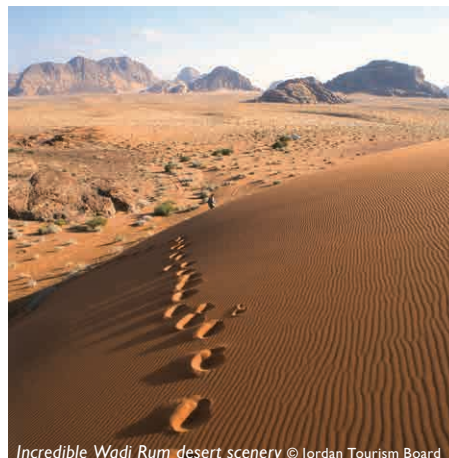
Depart after breakfast for Wadi Rum, known as the Valley of the Moon, for your 2 hour desert excursion by jeep with a Bedouin driver/guide. Overnight at the exotic Memories Aicha Camp situated in a dramatic canyon, in a comfortable panoramic dome tent offering sensational night-sky views. BD

Day 4 Tour ends Amman

Morning at leisure before returning via the Desert Highway to Amman. Tour ends. B



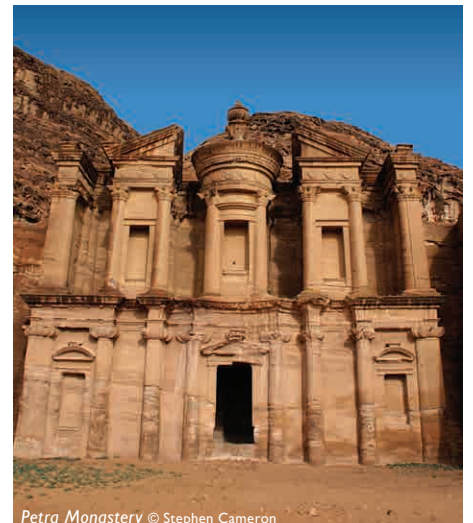
Panoramic Tent © Memories Aicha Luxury Camp



Incredible Wadi Rum desert scenery © Jordan Tourism Board

LITTLE PETRA

Explore the unique landscape surrounding Petra on this fantastic tour, filled with over 9000 years of history. Marvel at Al Wu'ayra Fort, a crusader castle, before visiting an ancient Neolithic settlement that dates back to between 7200 and 6500BC, one of the earliest settled villages in human history. Remains of some of the houses are still visible today. Continue the scenic drive through the mountains before stopping at Beir Al Aris, a fascinating Nabataean water system that is still in use by locals today. The last stop is a visit to the Siq Al Bard caves, which were once used by traders travelling through Petra to store Caravans. Enroute back to Wadi Musa stop and enjoy a cup of tea as you watch the sun set over Petra.



Petra Monastery © Stephen Cameron



ISRAEL

Discover 3,000 years of history as you explore the many sacred and historical sites of the Holy Land. Israel is at the heart of the world's three main monotheistic religions, making it one of the Middle East's most intriguing countries. Wander the winding streets of old Jerusalem, including the Western Wall, and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Ascend the mountain fortress of Masada, and float in the saline waters of the Dead Sea. Visit modern Tel Aviv, renowned for its Bauhaus architecture and dynamic culinary scene.

Jerusalem, old city and the Dome of the Rock © Shutterstock

CLASSIC ISRAEL

5 days/4 nights

From \$1842 per person twin share

Departs ex Tel Aviv

Price per person from:*	Twin	Single
King David (Standard Rm)	\$3427	\$6044
Mamilla (Standard Rm)	\$2531	\$4278
Harmony (Standard Rm)	\$1842	\$2943
Private guide supplement	\$1495	\$2989

INCLUSIONS

Meet & greet, private airport/hotel transfers, 4 nights on B&B basis at the above mentioned hotels or similar, meals and sightseeing as per itinerary on a seat in coach basis.

Note: Sightseeing is on a group basis in a 19 seat coach except for day 4, which is a larger coach.

Step back in time as you explore Israel's many historic sites, from the narrow streets and sacred places of old Jerusalem to biblical Bethlehem, birthplace of Jesus. Head to the shores of the Dead Sea and explore the stunning mountain fortress of Masada.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Jerusalem

Transfer to your hotel in Jerusalem for the next 4 nights (approx. 1 hour).

Day 2 Jerusalem

Today enjoy a guided coach tour of Jerusalem. Highlights include the Mount of Olives for a breathtaking view over the city, Mount Zion, Church of Holy Sepulchre and a walk through the Armenian and Jewish quarters of the Old City. Continue to the New City and visit Yad Vashem*, the Holocaust memorial. B

*On Saturdays and Jewish holidays, instead of Yad Vashem drive to picturesque Ein Karem, the birthplace of John the Baptist.

Day 3 Jerusalem

Depart via the Judean hills and the Dead Sea to the World Heritage site of Masada, reached by cable car. Explore this mountain fortress built by King Herod, where the Jews made their last stand

against the Romans in the first century. Continue to the Dead Sea where you can float in the saline waters. B

Day 4 Jerusalem

Explore the ancient city of Bethlehem on a half day coach tour. Visit the Church of Nativity, the oldest church in the holy land with its ancient limestone columns. Descend to the Grotto of Nativity, where a silver star in the floor marks the spot where Christ is said to have been born. Continue to the Church of Milk Grotto where the Virgin Mary nursed baby Jesus and see the Shepherds' field before returning to Jerusalem. B

Day 5 Tour ends

Transfer to Tel Aviv Airport. Tour ends. B

Please Note: This tour can be combined with both Jordan and Egypt. Please contact us for details.



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Masada © Israel Ministry of Tourism



The Holy Sepulchre © Israel Ministry of Tourism



Dormition Abbey © Israel Ministry of Tourism

HIGHLIGHTS OF JORDAN & ISRAEL

11 days/10 nights

From \$4721 per person twin share*

Departs daily ex Amman

Prices per person from:*

	A	B
Highlights of Jordan & Israel I1D/I0N	\$5021	\$4721

Option A: Grand Hyatt, Petra Mövenpick, Memories Aicha Camp, Kempinski Ishtar, Orient, Royal Beach

Option B: Kempinski Amman, Petra Mövenpick, Memories Aicha Camp, Dead Sea Mövenpick, Mamilla, Carlton.

*Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

Please note: Private touring in Jordan, shared coach (max 19 passengers) in Israel.

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Private guide supplement (Israel)	\$1477	\$2952

INCLUSIONS

Meet & assist, private airport/hotel transfers in A/C vehicle, entrance fees, service of local English speaking guide in Jerash, Petra and Israel, 2hr 4WD jeep tour in Wadi Rum, porterages, accommodation in hotels on B&B basis (except in Wadi Rum - half board), meals and sightseeing as per itinerary.

Embark on a journey through the ancient lands of Israel and Jordan. Each is a treasure trove of hilltop fortresses, storied cities, and holy sites from the world's three main monotheistic religions. Visit Petra, Wadi Rum, the Dead Sea and the holy city of Jerusalem.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Amman

Arrive Amman Airport where you are met and transferred to your city hotel.

Day 2 Amman

Tour the Roman Theatre, Nymphaeum and Citadel. Transfer to Jerash for ancient colonnaded streets, temples, theatres, baths and the Triumphal Arch of Hadrian. B

Days 3/4 Petra

Travel the King's Highway to Petra, stopping to see a 6th century mosaic map of Palestine. Visit Mt

Nebo, said to be the last resting place of Moses, and impressive Kerak Castle. On Day 4, explore the lost city of Petra, with its exquisite Treasury and tombs. B

Day 5 Wadi Rum

Enjoy a 4WD safari through the towering sandstone mountains of Wadi Rum. Overnight at Memories Aicha Camp set amid surreal rock formations. BD

Day 6 Dead Sea

Transfer to the Dead Sea. The afternoon is at leisure to float in the salt-filled waters of the Dead Sea or indulge in a spa treatment. B

Day 7 Jerusalem

Morning transfer to the Allenby/King Hussein Bridge border crossing where you will be met by your new driver and transferred to your hotel in Jerusalem for 3 nights. B

Day 8 Jerusalem

Embark on a guided group tour of Jerusalem and Bethlehem, Visit the Mount of Olives for amazing views, then Mt Zion to visit King David's Tomb,

the Room of Last Supper and the Dormition Abbey. Wander the Old City through the Armenian and Jewish quarters, see the Wailing Wall, walk along the Via Dolorosa and visit the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Continue to Bethlehem and visit Manger square and the Church of Nativity. Return to Jerusalem. B

Day 9 Jerusalem

Day at leisure to explore the many sights of Jerusalem. Overnight at your hotel. B

Day 10 Tel Aviv

Depart Jerusalem on a coach tour to Nazareth*, where Jesus spent his childhood. Visit the Basilica of Annunciation and the Church of St. Joseph. Continue to Tiberius on the Sea of Galilee and Capernaum to view the synagogue where Jesus preached. See the exquisite mosaic floor at Tabgha and visit Yardenit, the baptismal site on the Jordan River. Drop off at your hotel in Tel Aviv. B

*This tour does not operate on Sundays.

Day 11 Tour ends

This morning transfer to the Airport. Tour ends.



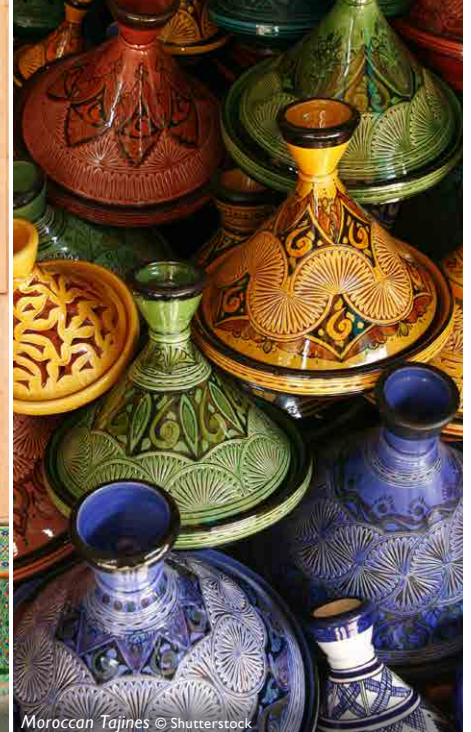
The tower of David © Israel Ministry of Tourism



MOROCCO

With its rich history and fascinating heritage Morocco exudes mystery and romance. Featuring a unique blend of the African Berber, Arab and Mediterranean cultures, for centuries travellers have crossed shifting sands and braved mountain passes seeking out the exotic wonders and marvels of this unique country. Discover landscapes rich in graceful Arabic architecture, colourful souks, palaces, traditional riads, rugged gorges and bustling medinas full of traders.

Hassan II Mosque, Casablanca © Shutterstock



Moroccan Tajines © Shutterstock

MOROCCO DISCOVERY

10 days/9 nights

From \$5326 per person twin share*

Ex Casablanca

Tour cost per person from:*	A	B
	\$5859	\$5326

Option A: Le Doge, Riad Maison Bleue, Gold Sand Camp, Ksar El Kabbaba, La Maison Arabe

Option B: Novotel Casa City Centre, Riad Myra, Gold Sand Camp, Ksar El Kabbaba, Riad Ilayka

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

9 nights accommodation on B&B basis and HB basis on days 5 & 6, dinner with Fantasia show on day 9, transport in air conditioned deluxe car throughout, English speaking guide, entrance fees to monuments and sites and mineral water in the car.

This private guided tour takes in the highlights of Morocco, from historical Meknes and Fes, to the sand dunes of Erg Chebbi and the ancient medina of Marrakech. Encased in old fortified walls, these marvellous medieval cities are a hub for trade, bustling with countless souks and artisan workshops. Visit age-old hilltop kasbahs in the dramatic Dades Valley and Todgha Gorge, as well as scenic Ouarzazate, location for many movies.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Casablanca

Arrive Casablanca airport where you are met by your guide. Transfer to your hotel.

Days 2-4 Fes

Head to the capital, Rabat, featuring a wealth of stunning colonial architecture. Highlights include the 12th century Hassan Tower, Mohammed V Mausoleum and Kasbah of the Oudayas. Continue to Fes for overnight. On day 3 drive to 17th century Meknes, one of Morocco's imperial cities, and the Roman ruins at Volubulis. The following day explore Fes, including the medieval walled district of Fes el Bali, with its beautiful mosaics, souks and tanneries. B

Day 5 Merzouga Desert Camp

Drive to Erfoud at the edge of the Sahara. In the afternoon, explore the vast desert landscapes of Erg Chebbi, take a camel ride and climb the dunes to watch the sunset. Overnight at a traditional desert camp. BD

Day 6 Skoura

Travel by road to the Musée des Oasis, gateway to the beautiful Todgha Gorge and Dades Valley. Overnight at Skoura Oasis. BD

Days 7-9 Marrakech

Visit the magnificent kasbahs of Ouarzazate before continuing on to Marrakech. Explore the many sites of this city including Koutoubia Mosque and Djemaa el-Fnaa Square. Enjoy a 'Fantasia Extravaganza' show and dinner at Chez Ali (day 9). B/B/BD

Day 10 Tour ends Casablanca

Transfer to Casablanca airport. Tour ends. B



Ancient fortified city, outside Ouarzazate © Shutterstock

PRIVATE TOURING

These tours are just a sample of what you can do in Morocco. For expert advice please contact us on (03) 9249 3777 or 1300 363 302.



Picturesque sand dunes of Erg Chebbi © Travel Link



Picturesque Chefchaouen © Shutterstock



Spices in the Market © Shutterstock

MOROCCO'S BLUE CITY

3 days/2 nights

From \$1079 per person twin share*

Departs daily ex Casablanca

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

2 nights' accommodation on a B&B basis, transfers, meals and sightseeing as per itinerary.

In northern Morocco, Chefchaouen is one of the country's prettiest towns, renowned for its blue-white washed stone walls and cobblestone streets. The medina is small and uncrowded compared to the hustle and bustle of Fés and Marrakech, making it a joy to explore. In the centre of town is the picturesque Uta El Hammam Plaza shadowed by the red-hued Kasbah, an ancient walled fortress that contains a lovely garden and fascinating ethnographic museum. The beautifully decorated Riad Cherifa sits overlooking the town, a mere 600 metres from the ancient Kasbah.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Chefchaouen

Today you will be met and transferred by road to Riad Cherifa in Chefchaouen.

Day 2 Chefchaouen

This morning enjoy a walking tour of Chefchaouen, visiting the ancient Kasbah. Explore the ethnographic museum which houses numerous pieces of clothing including the traditional djellaba and visit a local oil mill. B

Day 3 Tour Ends

After breakfast transfer to Casablanca. Tour ends. B



Riad Cherifa Lobby © Riadcherifa

ESSAOUIRA EXTENSION



Visit the famous port city of Essaouira on this 3 day extension from Marrakech. Founded in the 18th century by the Portuguese, the city was rebuilt and fortified to take advantage of the Trans-Saharan trade route. The fortifications are a fascinating mix of Portuguese and Moroccan architecture, whilst the city is renowned for its pretty whitewashed houses, art galleries and markets. Explore this vibrant city with your local guide and see the famous spice souks, jewellery markets and carpentry workshops.

3 day/2 night tour cost from: \$633 p.p. twin staying at the Villa De L'ô (standard room).

Please contact us for further details.

KASBAH DU TOUBKAL



This community built lodge, 60km from Marrakech in the Atlas Mountains came to fruition when two British hikers came across the ruined building in 1989. Completely refurbished, it is now one of National Geographic's Unique Lodges of the World, a fusion of Berber and European cultures. The hotel has 14 beautiful rooms all with terraces and gardens that give incredible views of the Atlas peaks. The restaurant provides a genuine Berber experience offering authentic healthy meals. There is also a traditional hammam (steam bath) and guided walking excursions to enjoy.

3 day/2 night tour cost from: \$678 p.p. twin

Please contact us for further details.



Kasbah du Toubkal © Shutterstock



OMAN

Suffused with the mystery and romance of Arabia, Oman is relatively unspoilt by tourism. Offering far more than spectacular desert landscapes, Oman has a proud and ancient culture and a wealth of archaeological wonders. Visit ancient stone forts, picturesque villages and dramatic coastlines where mountains plunge directly into the sea. Explore rugged mountains, oases and sand dunes, populated by mysterious Bedouin tribes.

Said Bin Taimur Mosque © Shutterstock

MUSCAT

3 days/2 nights

From \$755 per person twin share

One of the oldest cities in the Middle East, Muscat is a gracious mix of old and new, overflowing with treasures. Take a private half day city tour visiting the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque and the fascinating Bait Al Zubair Museum. Walk through the old port of Muttrah with its colourful souqs and charming waterfront, past the Al Alam Palace and the Portuguese forts of Mirani and Jalali.

ACCOMMODATION

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Al Bustan Palace (Dlx Mountain view Rm)	\$915	\$1777
Barr Al Jissah Resort & Spa (Superior Rm)	\$755	\$1454
The Chedi (Serai Rm)	\$901	\$1742

INCLUSIONS

Muscat airport/hotel return transfers, hotel accommodation for 2 nights on bed & breakfast basis, half day city tour.

OPTIONAL DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:	Twin	Single
Twilight Dhow Cruise	\$119	\$119



Club Suite © The Chedi

THE CHEDI

A member of the prestigious 'Leading Hotels of the World', The Chedi is 20 minutes from Muscat. Designed in traditional Omani style, its 158 rooms have garden or ocean views. Facilities include 8 bars and restaurants, a pool, private beach and spa.



Helicopter view © Barr Al Jissah Resort & Spa

SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH RESORT & SPA

Owned by the Shangri-La group, this oasis resort is located between rugged mountains and a beautiful azure bay 20 minutes from Muscat. The resort comprises 460 rooms and suites in two distinct hotel wings; family-friendly Al Waha and deluxe Al Bandar. Amenities include no less than 15 bars and restaurants and 6 swimming pools.



Pool and terrace © Al Bustan Palace

AL BUSTAN PALACE

Surrounded by mountains, vast gardens and a private beach, this stunning waterfront property is just 25km from Muscat. Each room has its own balcony or patio whilst the hotel features 5 restaurants, fitness centre, yoga studio, watersports and pool.

OPTIONAL DAY TOURS

Tour cost per person from:	Twin	Single
Fascinating Forts	\$248	\$497
Wahiba Wilderness	\$345	\$687
Wadi Arbeyeen (Includes lunch)	\$358	\$716
Jebel Akhdar Trail (Includes lunch)	\$369	\$737

INCLUSIONS

Full day tours from Muscat hotels with private saloon car or 4WD (desert tours), driver/guide.

FASCINATING FORTS

Duration: 8 hours/500 km
Explore the oasis town of Nizwa with its outstanding Islamic architecture. Visit the famous 17th century Round Tower Fort and nearby Jabrin Castle. Return via the quaint village of Birkat Al Mauz.



17th century Omani Fort © Zahara Tours

WAHIBA WILDERNESS

Duration: 9 hours/550 km by 4WD
Drive to Wahiba Sands, a vast rolling sea of sand dunes. Visit a Bedouin house before reaching Wadi Bani Khalid, known for its clear deep blue water.

WADI ARBAYEEN

Duration: 8 hours/350 km by 4WD
Visit the quaint fishing village of Quriyat with its ancient Fort, view the spectacular Bimah Sinkhole and enjoy lunch beside the pools of Wadi Arbeyeen.

JEBEL AKHDAR TRAIL

Duration: 8 hours/475 km by 4WD
Depart for Jebel Akhdar in the Al Hajjar mountain range. Enroute visit Nizwa Round Fort, Nizwa souq and the oases village of Birkat Al Mauz.

MUSANDAM PENINSULA RETREAT

3 days/2 nights

From \$1367 per person twin share*

Departs daily by air ex Muscat

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

Muscat/Khasab/Muscat return airfares (subject to change), airport/hotel transfers, 2 nights hotel accommodation on a B&B basis, lunch on day 2 and sightseeing as per itinerary.

Called the “Norway of the Middle East” the dramatic Musandam Peninsula is separated from the rest of Oman by the U.A.E. From the picturesque port of Khasab take a safari into the mountains and explore the fjords by dhow.

ITINERARY

Days 1/2 Khasab

Morning flight to Khasab where you will be met and transferred to Atana Khasab Hotel. In the afternoon enjoy a 4WD mountain safari, visiting a local village and the Birkhat Khalidiya Park, filled with green acacia trees year round. On day 2 take a full-day dhow cruise around the fjords of the peninsula. B

Day 3 Tour Ends

Morning city tour of Khasab Fort before transferring to Khasab Airport. Arrive Muscat. Tour ends. B

ATANA KHASAB HOTEL

Perched on a rock face with panoramic views of the famed Musandam Shoreline, this resort offers 60 elegantly furnished rooms with private terraces. Facilities include a restaurant, bar and pool.



Atana Khasab © Atana Khasab



Musandam Peninsula, Oman © Shutterstock

NATURE'S BOUNTY

3 days/2 nights

From \$1611 per person twin share*

Departs daily by road ex Muscat

*Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

Transfers in 4WD, 2 nights' accommodation on a B&B basis, dinner on day 1 and sightseeing as per itinerary.

Witness the stunning natural beauty of Oman, combining the beautiful pristine beaches of Ras Al Jinz on the east coast with the incredible Al Hajjar Mountains. Explore picturesque fishing villages and marvellous mountain strongholds and drive through the undulating red and white sand dunes of Wahiba. Along the coastline there are a number of nesting sites for Green, Olive Ridley, Loggerhead and Hawksbill Turtles. Watch turtles come in to nest for the night at the Ras al Jinz Scientific Centre.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Ras Al Jinz Turtle Reserve

Transfer to the Ras al Jinz Scientific Centre by road via the rugged coastal route, visiting the picturesque water pools of Wadi Arabayeen and the fishing village of Quriyat enroute. Relax and enjoy dinner on arrival before you are escorted down to the beach to watch the turtles coming in to nest for the night. D

Day 2 Nizwa

Optional visit to see the hatchlings in the early morning. Explore the beautiful village of Wadi Bani Khalid before transferring to Falij Daris Nizwa Hotel via the red and white Wahiba sand dunes. B

Day 3 Tour Ends

Visit the stone house village of Misfah before witnessing the stunning Al Hajjar Mountains, including breathtaking Jebel Shams. Marvel at the Round Tower Fort of Nizwa and the date plantations of Birkat Al Mauz before arriving in Muscat. Tour Ends. B

SIX SENSES HIDEAWAY ZIGHY BAY

4 days/3 nights

From \$2338 per person twin share*

Departs ex Dubai

Located on the rugged Musandam peninsula facing a broad beach this boutique resort offers a lavish escape. The village style property is entirely composed of stone villas all with private swimming pool, rustic decor and private dining areas. Six Senses luxury spa offers signature local treatments and the onsite dining venues have spectacular views of the surrounding area.

*Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS:

Private transfers from Dubai airport, 3 nights' accommodation on B&B basis in a pool villa.



Nesting Turtles Ras Al Jinz © Shutterstock



Sensational Serengeti game-viewing during migration © Anne-Marie Zambelli

ANTIQUITIES & WILDLIFE

16 days/15 nights

Departs ex Cairo

From \$7068 per person twin share*

Optional Tour to Abu Simbel: \$620 per person

*Prices based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

Transfers, accommodation, meals and sightseeing as per the itinerary, Nile Cruise†, economy class airfare Cairo/Luxor and Aswan/Cairo, private return road transfers Kilimanjaro/Arusha, transportation on safari by 4WD vehicle, private game drives, full board accommodation, park fees and flying doctors (surcharge applies for travellers over 70).

All touring on the cruise boat is conducted by the cruise company. Private touring in Cairo.

Explore the antiquities of Africa on this 16 day tour to Tanzania and Egypt. Combine the scenic beauty and unrivalled game viewing of East Africa with the ancient land of the pharaohs. Marvel at Egypt's best sites including the tombs of the ancient pharaohs in the Valley of the Kings, Luxor and Karnak Temples, and witness the mighty Pyramids of Giza. Travel across the endless plains of the Serengeti in search of cheetah and wildebeest, and gaze upon the age-old caldera of the Ngorongoro Crater. This itinerary will capture the romance of old Africa for the imaginative traveller.



ITINERARY

Day 1 Cairo

On arrival transfer to the Cairo Marriott Hotel (or similar) for 3 nights.

Days 2/3 Cairo

Enjoy a full day tour of the Pyramids at Giza, with entry into the Great Pyramid of Khufu. Marvel at the mighty Sphinx and explore the ancient royal city of Memphis and the necropolis of Sakkara. On day 3, Visit the magnificent Egyptian Museum, with entry to the Royal Mummy Room, and the main sites of Islamic Cairo including the Citadel, the Mosque of Sultan Hassan and the Khan Khalili Bazaar. BL

Days 4-7 Nile Cruise

Itinerary as per days 4 to 7 of the Legends of the Nile tour (see page 8) aboard the Sonesta St. George or similar. BLD

Day 8 Cairo

Disembark after breakfast. Optional visit to Abu Simbel (page 19). Afternoon flight to Cairo. Transfer to hotel. B

Day 9 Inflight to Nairobi/Arusha

Day at leisure before an evening transfer to Cairo airport for your overnight flight to Nairobi (not included). B

Day 10 Arusha

Arrive Nairobi and connect with your flight to Kilimanjaro airport (not included). Transfer to Lake Duluti Serena Lodge. D

Day 11 Tarangire

Today drive to Nimali Africa in Tarangire National Park, famous for the large herds of elephants and

plains game attracted to the park in the dry season (Jul-Sep). From March to May we normally stay at Lake Manyara Serena. BLD

Days 12/13 Serengeti

Drive to the vast Serengeti plains, famous for the millions of wildebeest which migrate across it each year. Stay at Serengeti Serena Lodge. From January to March we stay at Serengeti Sopa to take advantage of seasonal game movements. BLD

Days 14/15 Ngorongoro Crater

Transfer to Ngorongoro Serena Lodge with breathtaking views of the crater 2,000 metres below. Home to over 25,000 animals, Ngorongoro Crater is an extinct volcanic caldera, often referred to as a 'Garden of Eden'. On day 15 descend with a picnic lunch through the early morning mists into the Ngorongoro Crater for a full day safari down in the crater. BLD

Day 16 Tour ends Arusha

This morning transfer to Kilimanjaro airport stopping for lunch enroute in Arusha. Tour ends. BL



Lioness with cub resting © Shutterstock

DAHABIYA CRUISE

Instead of the Nile cruise offered in this itinerary you can choose a more leisurely journey by traditional 19th century dahabiya. With 8 comfortable ensuite cabins these graceful riverboats offer a distinctive cruise experience. Please call us or your travel agent for details.



Dahabiya © Emeco



Ancient Pyramids of Giza © Shutterstock

MASAI MARA

3 days/2 nights

Departs daily by air ex Nairobi

Extra nights available at all camps

The Mara plays host to one of earth's greatest wildlife spectacles. Every year between July and October two million wildebeest and zebra migrate here from Tanzania's Serengeti, searching for water and grass. Visitors will find safaris extraordinary regardless of when they travel, as the Mara has plenty of resident game, including giraffe, hyena and elephant, while leopards thrive in the riverine forests and the grasslands are the perfect habitat for cheetah. Ballooning is a signature activity in the Mara and can be booked in advance. Featured here are some of the Mara's best safari camps which can easily be combined with other Kenyan reserves.

INCLUSIONS FOR ALL LODGES

Nairobi Wilson Airport return transfers, scheduled flights Nairobi/Mara return, full board accommodation including local drinks & house wine unless noted (premium drinks excluded, all beverages excluded at Governors' & Little Governors' and at Tipilikwani), shared game drives* by 4WD vehicle, Flying Doctor membership, park fees & taxes. Luggage limit: 15kg.

*Private vehicle and guide can be arranged (additional cost).



The rolling grasslands of the Masai Mara © Great Plains Conservation



Kicheche Valley Tent @ Kicheche Camps

KICHECHE MARA, BUSH & VALLEY CAMPS

3 days/2 nights from \$2914 per person twin share

Kicheche has three camps in the Greater Masai Mara; Bush (6 tents), Mara (8 tents) and Valley (6 tents) Camps are all located on private conservancies boarding the Masai Mara Reserve. Each camp offers a different experience, but all are incredibly intimate, and occupy prime game viewing areas, providing a more exclusive experience. Kicheche also have a 'Fly-camp' available, where you can spend a night out in the wilderness under the stars. All offer 4WD game drives and guided walks, whilst Valley Camp also offers night drives and Masai cultural visits.

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Kicheche Mara	\$2914	\$3621
Kicheche Bush	\$3244	\$3952
Kicheche Valley	\$2979	\$3688



Little Governors' Camp @ Governors' Camp Collection

GOVERNORS' CAMPS, MAIN & LITTLE & IL MORAN

3 days/2 nights from \$2343 per person twin share

Occupying one of the Masai Mara's best locations for wildlife and scenery, Governors', Little Governors' and Il Moran Camp nestle in beautiful forest along the winding Mara River. Governors' Camp, the original, is the largest with 37 ensuite tents lining the riverbank. Intimate Little Governors' has 17 ensuite tents set around a waterhole, whilst exclusive Il Moran features just 10 ensuite tents and is widely regarded as the premier camp in the Masai Mara. All offer 4WD game drives, guided walks, Masai cultural visits and ballooning (additional cost).

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Governors' Main Camp	\$2343	\$2633
Little Governors'	\$2448	\$2739
Il Moran	\$2787	\$3076



Sundowners in the Masai Mara © Tipilikwani Camp

MARA NGENCHE SAFARI CAMP & TIPILIKWANI MARA CAMP

3 days/2 nights from \$2148 per person twin share

These two beautiful camps both occupy prime spots right on the banks of the Talek River. Tipilikwani Camp provides an elegant yet relaxed atmosphere and features just 20 ensuite tents. The smaller and more intimate Mara Ngenche Camp has just 12 ensuite tents, each with its own private plunge pool. Mara Ngenche overlooks a hippo pool at the confluence of the Mara and Talek Rivers and is unfenced to allow for the exciting movement of animals through the grounds. Both camps offer game viewing by 4WD, bush breakfasts and dinners, cultural visits and ballooning safaris (additional cost).

Price per person from:	Twin	Single
Mara Ngenche	\$3232	\$4694
Tipilikwani Mara Camp	\$2148	\$2436



Burj Al Arab © Jumeirah



Deluxe Room © Burj Al Arab

BURJ AL ARAB

The luxurious Burj Al Arab dominates the Dubai coastline and has 201 beautifully decorated suites with exquisite living and dining areas. Hotel facilities include 9 restaurants and bars, Talise Spa & Health Club, 5 swimming pools, private beach, fitness studios and access to Wild Wadi Water Park.

DUBAI

Dubai is a heady mix of old and new, with traditional buildings standing alongside gleaming skyscrapers. With a multitude of ancient souks and shiny malls, the city is a heaven for shoppers and is known for its fine dining.



Dubai at night © shutterstock



Al Maha Desert Resort & Spa © Marriott

AL MAHA DESERT RESORT & SPA

This luxury desert resort is nestled among the lush palm groves and iconic sand dunes of the Dubai Desert Conservation Reserve. The resort has 42 authentic suites, each with a private plunge pool and offers secluded tranquility. Amenities include a restaurant serving both traditional Arabic and international cuisine, spa and fitness studio.



Jumeirah Dar Al Masyaf © Jumeirah

MADINAT JUMEIRAH RESORT

The prestigious Madinat Jumeirah Resort is styled to resemble an ancient Arabian citadel. Meandering waterways are used to transport guests to all parts of this complex. The resort consists of 3 grand boutique hotels, whilst amenities include a traditional souk, over 50 restaurants, cafes and bars, pools, private beachfront and Talise Spa.

ABU DHABI

The capital of the UAE, Abu Dhabi is a centre for culture, history and adventure. See the Grand Mosque, browse fish markets or head out to the Empty Quarter or Liwa Oasis on a desert safari.



Both cities are perfect for a stopover to or from an Egyptian cruise or African safari. For a full list of tours and accommodation options, please call our destination specialists on 1300 363 302.



Deluxe Garden View © Qasr Al Sarab

QASR AL SARAB DESERT RESORT

Rising up from the dunes of the largest sand desert in the world, the Empty Quarter, the 206 room resort is an oasis paradise. Boasting 6 restaurants, this unique resort is all about experiences, and offers private desert dining experiences, villa BBQ's and a host of activities including archery, desert biking, sledding and desert safaris.



Emirates Palace © Shutterstock

EMIRATES PALACE KEMPINSKI

The lavish Emirates Palace offers 394 luxurious rooms and suites and provides unrivalled Arabian hospitality and service. Featuring 9 restaurants and 3 bars, the hotel serves award-winning cuisine. World-class amenities include two landscaped pools, private beach, watersports, state-of-the-art day-spa, fitness centre and yoga classes.

GENERAL BOOKING CONDITIONS

Trading Names

African Wildlife Safaris & Natural Focus are trading names of African Wildlife Safaris Pty Ltd (the company).

Before you book

The information presented in this brochure was correct to the best of our knowledge at the time of publication. However, changes beyond our control may have occurred since then with respect to prices, itineraries, duration of holidays, standard of services, tour content, fares and airline schedules. Please check with your travel agent or the company to ascertain if there are any alterations to the tour you select before you book.

Booking Procedure/Security Deposit

The receipt of a security deposit will be taken as an understanding by the company that the participant has read, understands and agrees to abide by the conditions set out in this brochure. To make a reservation please forward a non-refundable security deposit of 20% of the total tour cost together with a completed Reservation Form (available from www.africanwildlifesafaris.com.au).

Final Payment

Final Payment is due 60 days prior to departure or more for some tours. If payment has not been received by the due date we reserve the right to treat the booking as a cancellation.

Client Names - Exactly as per Passport

For security reasons, airlines and the majority of our tour operators require your name exactly as it appears in your Passport. It is your responsibility to advise these details. If you or your Travel Agent do not advise the correct information and we have to re-issue airline tickets or other documentation, then we will bill you for all costs incurred, such as airline cancellation charges and courier fees, in addition to our own administration fee.

Goods & Services Tax (GST)

The Australian Goods & Services Tax (GST) does not apply to international travel. GST does not apply to administration charges such as amendment fees, hotel and late booking fees when these are made prior to travel. Amendment fees charged after travel, for example, in the case of a refund will attract GST.

Insurance

It is a condition of booking that you are adequately insured for the full duration of your tour. Your policy must include emergency evacuation cover. It is advisable to insure expensive camera equipment separately. Insurance policies rarely cover for loss of cash. We strongly recommend that insurance be purchased at the time you pay your security deposit as our cancellation conditions will be strictly enforced. The choice of insurer is at the sole discretion of the client.

Cancellations and Refunds^A

If it is necessary to cancel your holiday, you should notify us immediately in writing and this will take effect the day it is received by us. All monies will be forfeited as follows:

Number of days before departure:

61 days or more	Loss of Deposit
60 - 45 days	50% of fare ^{A*}
44 - 31 days	65% of fare [*]
30 days or less	No refund [*]

^ASome tour operators charge higher cancellation fees for some tours. These will be advised with our quote letters and confirmation accounts.

^{*}Except those amounts that can be refunded, such as airfares (less those amounts forfeited under airline regulations and the company's loss of profit). Insurance premiums are non-refundable, but if the reason for your tour cancellation falls within the terms of the insurance cover, cancellation charges will normally be refunded by the insurance company. The non-issuance of an invoice or the non-payment and/or non-receipt of a security deposit or a major event such as a terrorist related incident, civil unrest or outbreak of a flu type epidemic etc will not exempt passengers from these cancellation and administration penalties.

Cancellation fees are designed to cover the cancellation fees charged by overseas tour operators as well as African Wildlife Safaris loss of profit and to cover our time and effort for work completed.

Please note that employees of our overseas tour operators are not authorised to make any undertakings on behalf of the company regarding refunds or other matters. After travel has commenced, additional costs incurred due to changes in your itinerary (eg due to airline schedule changes) must be settled directly by you and any requests for refunds must be made on your return.

Amendments

Due to the extra administrative costs, there will be an automatic minimum charge of \$75 per amendment, in addition to any cancellation fees levied.

Deferring Travel

Normal cancellation fees apply if you wish to postpone your departure.

Late Bookings

Bookings made less than 30 days before departure from Australia must be accompanied by full payment. Late bookings will incur a minimum \$50 charge to cover extra administrative expenses.

Minimum Stay

The company is a specialist tour operator and not a hotel booking service. We therefore will not normally accept reservations under 5 nights for city hotel accommodation, but will do so for game lodges. Exceptions may be made at our discretion and subject to a booking fee being charged.

Brochure "From" Prices and Tour Costs

The expression "from" with respect to tour prices stated in this brochure means prices are based on a per person basis in Australian Dollars based on twin share, entry level accommodation (unless otherwise stated) and travel during the low season. This cost is indicative only, is subject to change, and based on ground costs, airfares and exchange rates as at 25/03/2019. Actual prices will vary with changes in costs and exchange rates at time of quotation. African Wildlife Safaris uses a strategy of hedging (purchasing Forward Exchange Contracts) to stabilise prices. No adjustments will be made for exchange rate variations once full payment is received by the company.

However, price may vary up to the date of departure based upon variations in airfares, park fees, departure taxes, hotel rates, government charges or other costs.

Airline Ticket Taxes & Surcharges

We charge a service fee of 5-10% on airfare taxes and surcharges to cover our costs associated with the collection and administration of these mandatory fees. This service fee is included in the tour costs stated in this brochure.

Included in Trip Cost

Please note that all our tours generally include transportation, accommodation with private facilities, full board whilst on safari, park fees, breakfast only in city hotels, services of driver/guide, and if camping all camping equipment and camping fees. Where these items are not included we advise accordingly. Meals are sometimes indicated by B = Breakfast, L = Lunch and D = Dinner.

Not included in the Trip cost

International and domestic airfares and airport/hotel transfers unless specifically stated. Passports, visas, passenger taxes, insurance, emergency evacuation costs, extra meals not shown in the itinerary, laundry, tips, items of a personal nature including medication and excess baggage charges.

2019/2020 Prices

Prices are shown in Australian Dollars (AUD) and are generally valid from 01/01/19 - 30/09/19 although some tours and hotels have different periods of validity and where possible these are highlighted in the brochure. 2020 prices will be available approximately Aug 2019.

Airlines

Emirates, Etihad and Qatar do not by virtue of their endorsement of this brochure represent themselves as either contracting with any purchaser of a holiday from the company or as having any other legal relationship with such purchaser.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Pre-departure Information

On receipt of your security deposit, a copy of our Pre-departure Information will be forwarded to you. Some of the more important details are shown below.

Passport

You should be in possession of a passport valid for at least 6 months beyond your intended stay overseas.

Visa requirements

Australian Nationals currently require visas for Tanzania, Kenya, Jordan, Egypt and Oman. Other nationalities should check with us for their visa requirements. Foreign nationals require a re-entry visa for Australia, which should be obtained before departure. The company will not be held responsible for passengers travelling without the correct travel documents.

Vaccinations & Health

For East Africa a certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required. Most other African countries require proof of vaccination if arriving from or transiting through countries with risk of Yellow Fever transmission. An anti-malarial prophylactic is highly recommended for all African countries. Please check with your doctor for advice on other vaccination precautions against typhoid, tetanus, polio & meningitis. It is the client's responsibility to ensure he/she has the appropriate vaccinations and documentation.

Consular Advice

The Australian Department of Foreign Affairs issue travel advices on many countries. These are available by calling 1300 555 135 or by visiting their website: www.smarttraveller.gov.au

Age Limits

Some of our tours have strict age limits, depending on the type of tour selected. Children are not accepted at some lodges. Some tour operators will not accept adults older than 65 years of age and may require a medical report.

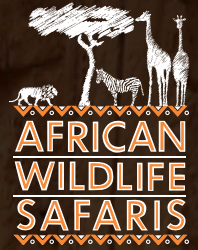
RESPONSIBILITY

African Wildlife Safaris and Natural Focus are trading names of African Wildlife Safaris Pty Ltd ("the company" which expression includes its employees, subsidiaries and agents) accepts bookings subject to the following conditions:

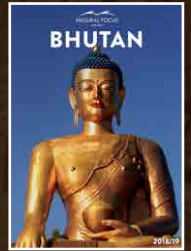
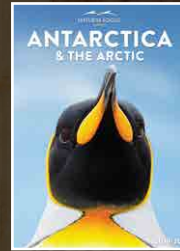
1. A booking is accepted only after the receipt of the required security deposit and after the company issues a written confirmation account.
2. Final balance is due 60 days prior to departure, otherwise the company may treat the booking as being cancelled by the client.
3. The company is not itself a carrier or hotelier nor does it own aircraft, hotels or vehicles. The company exercises every care in the selection of carriers, hotels, tour operators and the suppliers of the travel services used in this brochure (all of which carriers, hotels, tour operators and other suppliers are called "the other suppliers").
4. All bookings with the company are subject to the terms and conditions and limitations of liability imposed by the other suppliers some of whom limit or exclude liability in respect of death, personal injury, delay and loss of or damage to baggage and may require the participant to complete a release of indemnity form prior to commencing the arrangements.
5. All tickets, vouchers and documents are issued subject to the terms and conditions under which the other suppliers provide their services and the company is not responsible for carrier caused delays. The terms of your contract are those terms and conditions under which the other suppliers provide their services.
6. The company is not liable in any way for the acts, omissions or default whether negligent or otherwise of the other suppliers pursuant to a contract between the other suppliers and you (which may be evidenced by a ticket, voucher or other document) because the company has no control over the other suppliers.
7. The participant is aware that the areas of travel may be politically unstable and that the tours may operate in remote or inaccessible areas, and that wild and potentially dangerous animals move freely in the areas where the safaris are conducted.
8. The participant further acknowledges that where the tour is conducted in an area without proper medical services the company and its servants and agents are expressly authorised to take such action as thought necessary for the provision of medical services and all associated costs are to be paid for by the participant.
9. Should the company or its other suppliers deem it desirable for political, climatic, overbooking of hotels/lodges or other reasons to amend or vary any itinerary it may do so by shortening varying or completely re-routing the trip in which case no objection or claim for compensation will be made by the participant. The company advises that it is compulsory to take out insurance against the above mentioned risks for your protection.
10. These terms and conditions are incapable of alteration or waiver by any servant agent or representative of the company or of any person providing services on the tour.



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