



NILE CRUISE EXPERIENCE

# Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days from Luxor with Abu simbel

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DURATION

**8**

GUESTS

**Up to 20**

RATING

**5 / 5**



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### Cruise Overview

<b>Tour Type</b>	Small Group Tour
<b>Trip Type</b>	cruise
<b>Availability</b>	Every Saturday from Luxor
<b>Pickup</b>	Every Saturday from Luxor
<b>Categories</b>	Deluxe Nile Cruises from Luxor, Luxor To Aswan Nile Cruises, Nile Cruises From Luxor Each Saturday, Nile River Cruises
<b>Destinations</b>	Abu Simbel, Aswan, Edfu, Kom Ombo, Luxor
<b>Cruise URL</b>	<a href="https://bastettravel.com/cruise/blue-shadow-nile-cruise-8-days-from-luxor-with-abu-simbel/">https://bastettravel.com/cruise/blue-shadow-nile-cruise-8-days-from-luxor-with-abu-simbel/</a>

### Description

Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days. Enjoy 5-star luxury, private guides, and a full 7-night tour including Abu Simbel and Luxor.



## Why You Will Love This Cruise

*Experience a new benchmark of riverfront opulence with the **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days**, an extended 5-star journey designed for those who seek the "Simplicity of Luxury" through a comprehensive exploration of the Nile Valley.*

This magnificent floating hotel serves as a sophisticated sanctuary where modern design meets the timeless allure of ancient Egypt. Featuring spacious, well-appointed cabins and exclusive suites, the vessel offers a regal base for your 2026 expedition. Whether you are sunbathing on the expansive sun deck with panoramic river views or indulging in gourmet Egyptian and international cuisine, every moment on the Blue Shadow is curated to exceed the expectations of the discerning traveler.

Choosing the **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days** through **Bastet Travel** ensures a high-authority voyage that avoids the rush of shorter itineraries. This 7-night narrative allows for a deeper immersion into the mysteries of the Pharaohs, providing ample time for both monumental discovery and serene relaxation. From the legendary Valley of the Kings to the awe-inspiring Abu Simbel temples, the journey is led by professional private Egyptologists who bring thousands of years of history to life. Secure your place on the **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days** for a grand holiday defined by incredible beauty, world-class service, and a secure, disciplined environment managed by industry experts.

Managed by the specialists at **Bastet Travel**, this package is fully inclusive of elite logistics, including private transfers in modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicles and all necessary entrance fees. This **Nile Cruise From Luxor Aswan** journey prioritizes your comfort with personalized assistance from arrival to departure. Enjoy the luxury of time as you sail the immortal river, knowing that every detail of your week-long retreat has been handled with the unwavering quality and hospitality for which our brand is globally recognized.

## Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days Highlights

- Experience a **Full-Week Grand Expedition** covering every major landmark between Luxor and Aswan at a relaxed, unhurried pace.
- Relax in **Spacious 5-Star Cabins** equipped with modern amenities, large panoramic windows, and individual climate control.
- Discover the **Karnak Temple Complex**, a staggering metropolis of pillars and the most important place for ancient Theban worship.
- Descend into the **Valley of the Kings**, the majestic domain where New Kingdom Pharaohs lay in great stone sarcophagi.
- Marvel at the **Abu Simbel Temples**, a monumental UNESCO achievement featuring the colossal statues of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari.
- Visit the **Temple of Horus in Edfu**, the most impeccably preserved Ptolemaic structure in



Upper Egypt.

- Sail on a **Traditional Felucca** around the scenic islands of Aswan, including views of Elephantine and the Agha Khan Mausoleum.
- Witness the **Esna Lock** crossing, a unique mechanical highlight of the Nile navigation experience.

## Included in the Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days

Your **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days** is a premier all-inclusive package curated by **Bastet Travel**. The experience includes 7 nights of 5-star luxury accommodation on a full-board basis, featuring gourmet breakfasts, lunches, and dinners. We provide professional meet and assist services upon your arrival and departure, with all transfers conducted in private, modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicles. This **Nile Cruise From Luxor Aswan** package covers all entrance fees to the mentioned historical sights and the exclusive guidance of a private, English-speaking Egyptologist. With all service charges, taxes, and a complimentary bottle of water daily per person included, your week-long exploration remains a sanctuary of peace and world-class hospitality.

## The Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days Journey

The odyssey begins in **Luxor**, where the sleek silhouette of the **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days** waits to transport you into a world of refined elegance. As the vessel glides southward toward **Aswan** and eventually returns to the ancient capital of Thebes, you will live a complete story of the Nile. This **Nile Cruise From Luxor Aswan** journey takes you from the monumental grandiosity of the East Bank through the romantic, island-dotted scenery of the south, concluding with a restorative return leg. The voyage leaves you with a profound connection to the ancient world and memories of a perfectly styled 2026 holiday managed by the industry's most trusted brand.

## Conclusion

At **Bastet Travel**, we specialize in providing high-authority and visually stunning experiences like the **Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days**. This week-long round-trip voyage is the ultimate choice for travelers who value contemporary style, historical expertise, and superior five-star service.

To secure your 2026 reservation on this world-class ship, please contact us today via [WhatsApp](#) and let our expert team handle every detail of your dream escape through the heart of Egypt.



## Included & Excluded

### Included

Everything included in this trip package.

The Trip to Abu simble

All service charges and taxes

English-speaking tour guide during your excursions

Entrance fees to all sights between Luxor and Aswan

All Nile Cruise excursions as mentioned in the itinerary sharing Nile cruise group

Accommodation onboard 5-star cruise on full board basis

All transfers by a modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicle

An assistance of our personnel during your stay and excursions

Meet and assist service upon arrival & departure

### Excluded

Additional expenses not included in the package price.

Tipping

Any extras and personal spending



## Tour Itinerary

### **Day 1: Saturday - Elite Embarkation and Luxor's East Bank Wonders**

Your prestigious week-long journey begins with a professional greeting by a Bastet Travel representative and a private transfer to the Blue Shadow for embarkation before lunch. After settling into your deluxe cabin, you will join your private Egyptologist to explore the magnificent East Bank. The tour begins at the Karnak Temple Complex, a spectacular metropolis of sanctuaries, pylons, and obelisks dedicated to the Theban Triad. You will walk through the Great Hypostyle Hall, marveling at its 134 colossal columns. The afternoon continues at the Luxor Temple, largely built by Amenhotep III and completed by Tutankhamun and Ramses II, where the first pylon depicts the famous Battle of Kadesh. You return to the ship for an elegant dinner and your first night on the water in the heart of ancient Thebes.

### **Day 2: Sunday - The Valley of the Kings and Sailing to the Esna Lock**

The day begins with a signature breakfast before crossing to the West Bank to explore the "City of the Dead." You will enter the legendary Valley of the Kings, once known as the "Great Place of the Truth," where you can explore three royal tombs carved deep into the limestone. The journey continues to the Mortuary Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, which rises out of the desert plain in a series of dramatic terraces. Before returning to the cruise, you will pause at the Colossi of Memnon, the 18-meter-high remnants of Amenhotep III's funerary temple. At 1:00 PM, the vessel begins its graceful navigation south toward the Esna Lock. Enjoy lunch on the sun deck as you wait to cross this engineering landmark, followed by dinner as the ship sails toward Edfu for an overnight stay.

### **Day 3: Monday - Edfu's Falcon Temple and the Dual Symmetry of Kom Ombo**

Following breakfast, you will visit the Temple of Edfu, the most completely preserved ancient religious structure in Egypt, dedicated to the hawk-god Horus. Your guide will explain the intricate reliefs detailing the mythic battle between Horus and Seth. By 9:30 AM, the ship sets sail for Kom Ombo, providing a perfect afternoon for relaxation by the pool or enjoying the "Visual Experience" of the fertile riverbanks. Upon arrival at 3:30 PM, you will explore the unique Temple of Kom Ombo, a rare dual-symmetrical sanctuary shared by the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Haroeris. The tour includes the fascinating Crocodile Mummification Museum before the ship continues sailing toward Aswan for a late-night arrival and overnight stay.



#### **Day 4: Tuesday - Aswan's Engineering Marvels and Island Serenity**

After a hearty breakfast, your exploration focuses on the wonders of Aswan. You will visit the High Dam, a monumental rock-fill structure that created the massive Lake Nasser, followed by a trip to the ancient granite quarries to see the Unfinished Obelisk. This 1,168-tonne piece of stone offers unparalleled insight into how the Pharaohs fashioned their monuments. You will then take a motorboat to Agilkia Island to visit the romantic Philae Temple, dedicated to the goddess Isis and known as one of the last outposts of classical Egyptian style. The afternoon features a traditional Felucca ride around Elephantine Island, providing a peaceful perspective of the cataracts. Dinner and overnight stay are on board the Blue Shadow in Aswan.

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#### **Day 5: Wednesday - The Grandeur of Abu Simbel and Leisure in Aswan**

The fifth day is dedicated to one of Egypt's greatest highlights: the Abu Simbel Temples. Carved directly into the sandstone cliffs between 1274 and 1244 BC, these monumental sanctuaries for Ramses II and Queen Nefertari were famously relocated by UNESCO to save them from the rising waters of the Nile. After marveling at the four colossal statues of the King, you return to the ship for lunch and a free afternoon to explore the local Aswan markets or relax on the sundeck. The evening provides a final opportunity to enjoy the ship's luxury amenities in the tranquil southern atmosphere. Dinner and overnight stay are on board in Aswan.

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#### **Day 6: Thursday - Northward Navigation and the Return to Edfu**

The Blue Shadow begins its return journey northward early in the morning. After breakfast, you can enjoy a leisurely morning on deck as the ship sails back toward Kom Ombo. Following a signature lunch, the vessel continues its northward course, arriving back in Edfu by the late afternoon. This leg of the trip is designed for reflection and wellness, allowing you to appreciate the Nile's scenery from a different angle. You will enjoy a themed dinner on board and have the evening to participate in the ship's cultural entertainment programs as the vessel continues sailing toward the Esna Lock for an overnight stay in Esna.

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#### **Day 7: Friday - Return to Luxor and Final East Bank Exploration**

The ship sails back into Luxor in the early morning hours. After a fresh breakfast, you will have a final opportunity to explore the treasures of the East Bank or revisit the local markets for souvenirs. Lunch is served on board as the ship docks in its final home. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure, perhaps opting for a final spa treatment or a walk through the city's vibrant streets. Your final night on the Blue Shadow is celebrated with a farewell dinner, marking the conclusion of your



comprehensive week-long journey through the heart of ancient Egypt with Bastet Travel.

### **Day 8: Saturday - Final Breakfast and Elite Departure**

On your final morning, you will enjoy a signature breakfast on board before completing your check-out. Our local representative will meet you for a final private transfer in a modern air-conditioned vehicle to the Luxor Airport or your preferred hotel. You depart with a rejuvenated spirit and a lifetime of memories, having lived the most complete and unhurried story of the Nile with the professional hospitality and disciplined luxury of the Blue Shadow Nile Cruise 8 Days.



## Group Pricing

### From May to August:

Per adult in a single room **\$2,380**

Per adult in a Double or Triple Room **\$1,666**

### From September to April:

Per adult in a single room **\$2,800**

Per adult in a Double or triple room **\$1,960**

## Pricing Information

Prices are quoted in US Dollars per person per trip except during Christmas, New Year & Easter holidays.

### Children's Policy

0 - 1.99 Years: Free of charge

3 - 5.99 Years: Pay 25% of tour price

6 - 11.99 Years: Pay 50% of tour price

12+ years: Pay full tour price as per adult person

**Note:** Child pricing applies to children who share rooms with their parents (Max 2 Child in one room)

