



NILE CRUISE EXPERIENCE

Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan

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DURATION

8

GUESTS

Up to 20

RATING

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Cruise Overview

Tour Type	Small Group Tour
Trip Type	cruise
Availability	Available
Pickup	Every Thursday from Luxor
Categories	Deluxe Nile Cruises from Luxor, Luxor To Aswan Nile Cruises, Nile Cruises From Luxor Each Thursday, Nile River Cruises
Destinations	Aswan, Edfu, Kom Ombo, Luxor
Cruise URL	https://bastettravel.com/cruise/medea-nile-cruise-8-days/

Description

Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan. A 5-star luxury 7-night tour featuring Valley of the Kings, Philae, and hidden gems with elite service.



Why You Will Love This Cruise

Embark on an elite odyssey with the **Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan**, the most comprehensive and prestigious way to experience the legendary treasures of the Nile. Managed by **Bastet Travel**, the **MS Medea Nile Cruise** serves as your floating boutique hotel, offering a perfect harmony of expert-led exploration and refined leisure.

This extended 7-night itinerary is designed for those who wish to truly absorb Egypt's magnificent heritage without the haste of shorter voyages. Onboard, you are enveloped in a world of timeless luxury, featuring spacious cabins with panoramic Nile views, gourmet dining that blends Egyptian flavors with international cuisine, and a sun deck pool perfect for relaxing as the ancient landscape drifts by. Whether you are attending cultural lectures, enjoying traditional performances, or unwinding in the wellness area, every moment on the Medea is a tribute to the golden age of travel.

Choosing the **Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan** through **Bastet Travel** ensures a high-authority travel experience supported by a professional, English-speaking Egyptologist who remains with you throughout the entire journey. This ultimate Nile experience covers not only the iconic landmarks like the Valley of the Kings and Karnak but also grants you the luxury of time to visit hidden gems such as the artisan village of Deir el-Medina and the stunning Medinet Habu. With private transfers in modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicles and a meticulously planned full-board schedule, every detail is managed with the prestige and efficiency that define Bastet Travel. This is more than a cruise; it is a deep immersion into a 5,000-year-old civilization, providing a level of cultural enrichment and comfort that creates memories to last a lifetime.

Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan Highlights

- 7-night comprehensive stay on a 5-star luxury vessel featuring full-board gourmet dining and panoramic Nile-view cabins.
- In-depth guided tours of the monumental **Karnak Temple** and the 3,400-year-old **Luxor Temple** on the East Bank.
- Journey into the **Valley of the Kings** and the stunning terraced **Temple of Queen Hatshepsut** on the West Bank.
- Exclusive visit to **Deir el-Medina**, the ancient workers' village, and the majestic **Medinet Habu** (Hapu Temple).
- Experience the authentic horse carriage ride to the **Temple of Horus** in Edfu, Egypt's best-preserved cult temple.
- Discovery of the symmetrical **Temple of Kom Ombo**, dedicated to both the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Haroeris.
- Private boat trip to the romantic island sanctuary of **Philae Temple** and a visit to the



engineering marvel of the **High Dam** in Aswan.

- Scenic sailing days dedicated to relaxation, cultural lectures, and observing rural Egyptian life from the luxury of the sun deck.
- Authentic evening entertainment including a **Nubian Show**, traditional Galabeya parties, and folkloric performances.

Included in Your Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan

The **Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan** is a premier, all-inclusive luxury package managed with the professional care of **Bastet Travel**. Your journey includes 7 nights of 5-star luxury accommodation on board the **MS Medea Nile Cruise** on a full-board basis, encompassing 7 breakfasts, 7 lunches, and 7 dinners. You will receive expert meet and assist services at Luxor Airport or the train station, with two private transfers provided by a modern air-conditioned deluxe vehicle and a friendly professional driver. All excursions mentioned in the comprehensive itinerary are led by a fluent English-speaking Egyptologist guide. Furthermore, all service charges and government taxes are fully covered, ensuring a prestigious and seamless experience as you navigate the timeless wonders of the Nile from Luxor to Aswan and back.

The Journey: A Narrative of the Ultimate 8-Day Expedition

The narrative of your holiday begins in **Luxor**, the heart of ancient Thebes, where the **Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan** serves as your sophisticated sanctuary for a week of discovery. The first chapters of your journey focus on the grand scale of the East Bank's temples and the royal mysteries of the West Bank, setting a prestigious stage for your southward sail. As the vessel glides gracefully toward Aswan, you transition into a realm of deep relaxation, enjoying the unique advantage of an 8-day itinerary that allows for a slower pace and deeper cultural immersion. This voyage is designed for the discerning traveler who appreciates the finer details, from the architectural secrets shared by your private guide to the simple pleasure of watching the sunset over the Nile from a plush lounge chair.

The story reaches its climax as you explore the southern reaches of the river, from the romantic island of Philae to the ancient quarries and unique dual temples. Unlike standard cruises, this **Nile Cruise From Luxor Aswan** expedition returns you to Luxor, allowing you to uncover hidden archaeological gems like the artisan village and Hapu Temple that many visitors never see. Every moment is enriched with authentic encounters, whether you are crossing the Esna Lock or exploring local markets in Aswan. With expert-led private tours and the refined sanctuary of the MS Medea, you depart with a profound connection to the heart of the Pharaohs, having experienced their greatest treasures with the prestige and efficiency that only **Bastet Travel** can deliver.



Conclusion

Bastet Travel is committed to providing a superior standard of service and historical depth on every **Nile Cruise From Luxor Aswan** voyage.

To secure your luxury cabin on the **Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan** and begin your premium 7-night sailing adventure, please contact our team via **WhatsApp** today for expert booking assistance.



Included & Excluded

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Everything included in this trip package.

Expert pick-up service and assistance at Luxor Airport/ train station.

2 comfortable transfers from/to Luxor train station/ Luxor airport via private A/C vehicle.

A private modern air-conditioned vehicle driven by a friendly driver transfers you to all sites named in the itinerary above.

7 Nights accommodation onboard of 5-Star Luxury Nile Cruise (Luxor to Aswan) (Aswan to Luxor) with full-board (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner).

An Egyptologist fluent English-speaking tour guide accompanies you to all tour the sites above itinerary.

Service Charges & all taxes.

7 Dinner meals, 7 Lunch Meals, and 7 breakfast meals.

Excluded

Additional expenses not included in the package price.

Entry visa to Egypt.

Entrance fees for all landmarks named in the itinerary.

Personal needs, including calls and internet usage.

All optional tours are not unnamed in the above itinerary.

Tipping and Gratuities.



Tour Itinerary

Day 01: Luxor East Bank Wonders & Welcome Onboard

Your elite adventure with the Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan begins with a professional pick-up by a Bastet Travel representative at Luxor Airport or the train station. You will be transferred in a private air-conditioned vehicle to the MS Medea Nile Cruise for a seamless check-in. After enjoying your first gourmet lunch on board, your Egyptologist will lead you to the East Bank to marvel at the towering columns of Karnak Temple, the largest religious complex ever built. Continue to the elegant Luxor Temple, beautifully preserved and once connected to Karnak by the Avenue of Sphinxes. The evening features a welcome dinner on board followed by a traditional folkloric show in the lounge. Overnight in Luxor.

Day 02: West Bank Treasures & The Esna Lock

Awaken to a delicious breakfast before heading to the legendary West Bank of Luxor. You will visit the Valley of the Kings, where you can enter the masterfully decorated tombs of New Kingdom Pharaohs. The journey continues to the stunning terraced Temple of Queen Hatshepsut, set against a backdrop of towering limestone cliffs, and concludes with a stop at the massive Colossi of Memnon. Return to the cruise for lunch as the ship begins its sail toward Esna. A major highlight of the afternoon is experiencing the passage through the Esna Lock, a fascinating engineering process. Dinner is served as you continue sailing south towards Edfu. Overnight on board.

Day 03: Edfu Temple Exploration & Rural Sailing

After breakfast, enjoy an authentic Egyptian experience as you travel by horse-drawn carriage to the Temple of Horus in Edfu. This temple is remarkably well-preserved, offering a clear vision of how ancient Egyptian religious centers functioned. After exploring its grand pylons and intricate reliefs, return to the MS Medea Nile Cruise to begin a long, scenic afternoon of sailing. This is the perfect time to relax on the sun deck, take a dip in the pool, and watch the timeless scenes of rural Egyptian life—palm groves, water buffalo, and traditional feluccas—unfold along the riverbanks. Evening tea and a refined dinner are served as you approach Aswan.

Day 04: Aswan Discovery & Nubian Night

Today is dedicated to the highlights of Aswan, the gateway to Africa. After breakfast, you will visit



the Aswan High Dam, a 20th-century engineering marvel that created Lake Nasser. Next, enjoy a short boat trip to Agilika Island to explore the romantic Philae Temple, the island sanctuary dedicated to the goddess Isis. In the afternoon, you can explore the colorful and vibrant local markets of Aswan for authentic spices and handicrafts. The evening onboard features a special Nubian Night, where you will experience the unique music and culture of the local Nubian people, accompanied by a gourmet Egyptian dinner. Overnight in Aswan.

Day 05: Kom Ombo Unique Temple & Northward Sail

Enjoy a leisurely morning in Aswan, perhaps choosing an optional early excursion to the great temples of Abu Simbel. After lunch on board, the Medea Nile Cruise 8 Days Luxor Aswan begins its return journey north. You will stop at Kom Ombo to visit the rare double temple dedicated to both the crocodile god Sobek and the falcon god Haroeris. Your guide will explain the fascinating medical instruments depicted on the walls and visit the Crocodile Museum. Re-embark for dinner and a fun Galabeya party in the lounge bar as the ship sails back toward Luxor. Overnight stay on the water.

Day 06: Scenic Nile Sailing & Leisure Onboard

This day is designed for total relaxation and cultural immersion. As the ship cruises back through the beautiful Nile Valley, take advantage of the ship's premium facilities. You might attend a lecture by your Egyptologist on Pharaonic history, enjoy a spa treatment, or simply spend the day on the sun deck with a book as the river breezes keep you cool. This "slow travel" experience is what distinguishes the 8-day itinerary, allowing you to reflect on the wonders you have seen while being pampered by the attentive staff of the MS Medea. Gourmet meals are served throughout the day as you approach the shores of Luxor.

Day 07: Luxor Hidden Gems: Deir el-Medina & Hapu Temple

On your final full day of exploration, you will uncover the "Hidden Gems" of the West Bank. After breakfast, visit Deir el-Medina, the ancient village of the artisans who built the royal tombs, where the tomb paintings are incredibly vibrant and focus on daily life. You will also explore Medinet Habu, the memorial temple of Ramses III, famous for its deep-relief carvings and massive towers. Finally, visit the stunning memorial temple of Ramses II (The Ramesseum). Return to the ship for a farewell dinner and a final night of entertainment, celebrating the completion of your comprehensive Nile journey. Overnight in Luxor.

Day 08: Farewell to Luxor & Final Departure

Enjoy your final leisurely breakfast on board the MS Medea Nile Cruise as you say goodbye to the



crew. At 09:00 AM, you will disembark with unforgettable memories and a deep understanding of Egypt's ancient wonders. A Bastet Travel representative and your friendly driver will provide a final private transfer in a modern air-conditioned vehicle to Luxor Airport or the train station for your departure. You leave with a profound connection to the heart of the Nile, having experienced the ultimate 8-day luxury expedition with the prestige and comfort that only this premier package can provide.



Group Pricing

From May to August:

Per adult in a single room **\$2,805**

Per adult in a Double or Triple Room **\$1963.5**

From September to April:

Per adult in a single room **\$3,300**

Per adult in a Double or triple room **\$2,310**

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)

