



TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

Exclusive Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel by Flight

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GUESTS

20

RATING

5 / 5



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Trip Overview

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Availability	Daily
Categories	Cairo Tours and Excursions
Destinations	Cairo
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Description

Book an elite day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel. Includes round-trip flights, private Egyptologist, A/C transfers, and entrance fees.



Why You Will Love This Trip

Discover one of the world's most spectacular archaeological wonders with our exclusive **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel**. Curated by **Bastet Travel**, this meticulously planned journey by flight offers a unique blend of convenience and profound historical immersion, making it the perfect choice for travelers who want to experience the legendary rock-cut temples without a multi-day commitment. Our **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel** is expertly designed to maximize your time, leveraging direct flights to Aswan to ensure you dedicate your energy to exploration rather than long road travel. Upon landing, you will be greeted by an expert Egyptologist and transported in a private, air-conditioned vehicle to the heart of ancient Nubia. From the four colossal guardians of Ramses II to the delicate carvings of Queen Nefertari's sanctuary, every detail of this tour is optimized for comfort and academic depth. This is more than just a visit; it is a seamless, all-inclusive journey through time that stands as the premier choice for discerning travelers.

- **Aerial Convenience:** Round-trip flight tickets from Cairo to Aswan for a swift and comfortable transit.
- **Imperial Majesty:** A detailed exploration of the Great Temple of Ramses II and its 20-meter-tall colossi.
- **Royal Devotion:** A visit to the Temple of Hathor and Queen Nefertari, dedicated to the pharaoh's beloved wife.
- **Modern Miracle:** In-depth commentary on the UNESCO Relocation Project that saved the site in the 1960s.
- **Expert Guidance:** A private Egyptologist guide providing deep insights into ancient symbolism and royal history.
- **Stress-Free Logistics:** Includes all transfers, entrance fees, mineral water, and service charges.

Professional Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel Landmark Introduction

The highlights of your **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel** are two of the most significant rock-cut monuments in human history, overlooking the vast expanse of Lake Nasser. **The Great Temple of Ramses II** is an architectural masterpiece featuring four seated colossi that project the absolute power of the pharaoh over the southern lands. The interior is a celestial calendar, designed with such precision that sunlight illuminates the inner sanctuary twice a year. Adjacent to this is **The Temple of Hathor and Queen Nefertari**, a rare and poignant monument where the queen's statues are carved at the same scale as the king's—a testament to their powerful bond. These temples also represent a triumph of modern engineering; during the **UNESCO Relocation Project** of the 1960s, the entire complex was dismantled into massive blocks and moved 65 meters higher



to escape the rising waters of the Nile, a story that adds a fascinating modern layer to your ancient exploration.

Spectacular Highlights of the Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel

- **Colossal First Impressions:** Stand before the four 20-meter-tall statues of Ramses II, an iconic sight that has captivated explorers for centuries.
- **The Sun's Path:** Learn the secrets of the ancient solar alignment that brings light to the innermost gods of the sanctuary.
- **Nefertari's Elegance:** Admire the remarkably preserved wall carvings and hieroglyphs depicting the Queen alongside powerful goddesses.
- **UNESCO Storytelling:** Walk through the site while hearing the incredible details of the 1960s rescue operation that saved these treasures.
- **Nubian Vistas:** Enjoy the dramatic lakeside location of the temples, offering some of the most stunning landscape views in all of Egypt.
- **Nile Flight:** Experience a scenic aerial view of the Nile River valley as you fly between Cairo and Aswan.

What You Will Love About This Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel

You will love the **efficiency and premium quality** of this private **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel**. By utilizing domestic flights, you avoid the exhaustion of traditional road tours, arriving at the temples with fresh energy. You will appreciate the **PhD-level insights** provided by your private Egyptologist, who deciphers complex symbolism and explains royal family dynamics in a way that brings the ancient world to life. The transition from the bustling streets of Cairo to the serene, silent majesty of the Nubian desert is a profound geographical experience. With every detail—from airport transfers to entrance tickets and mineral water—handled by **Bastet Travel**, you can focus entirely on the grandeur of the monuments. This curated journey offers a high-level focus on comfort and discovery, making it an unforgettable highlight of your time in Egypt.

Everything Included in Your Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel

The **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel** is a fully managed, all-inclusive experience designed for peace of mind. We provide **Flight tickets from Cairo to Aswan and return**, along with all **Entrance Fees** to the historical sites. Your land travel is conducted in a **private air-conditioned vehicle** from Aswan to Abu Simbel and back to the airport. You will be accompanied by a **Private Egyptologist guide** throughout your visit, and we ensure you stay refreshed with **mineral water on board the vehicle**. Finally, all **service charges and taxes** are included in the price, ensuring



no hidden costs and a completely seamless transition between Cairo's urban energy and the ancient wonders of the south.

The Journey: A Detailed Story of the Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel

The story of your **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel** is a narrative of flight and pharaonic ambition (L). It begins in the early morning stillness of Cairo, as you rise to meet the sun on a flight southward toward the heart of the ancient empire. As you cross the desert landscapes and the winding Nile, the story shifts to the reign of Ramses II, whose stone presence still guards the shores of Lake Nasser. The journey moves through the dark, sacred chambers of the Great Temple and into the graceful sanctuary dedicated to Nefertari, illustrating a legacy of power and love. But the story also has a modern chapter of international salvation—the miracle of the UNESCO relocation. It is a day of monumental scales and rapid transitions, concluding with a return flight to Cairo as you carry the weight of three millennia of history back to the modern capital.

Conclusion of the Day Trip From Cairo to Abu Simbel

A **day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel** is a once-in-a-lifetime adventure that brings the most remote wonders of Egypt within easy reach. With **Bastet Travel**, you receive a premium, flight-based experience that prioritizes your comfort and educational enrichment. For **instant booking** and to secure your private Egyptologist and flight tickets, contact us via WhatsApp today and prepare for an unforgettable voyage to the sun temples.

Fly to the edge of history! Message us on [WhatsApp](#) to book your day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel now.



Included & Excluded

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Everything included in this trip package.

All service charges and taxes.

Mineral water on board the vehicle during the tour.

Private Egyptologist guide during your trip.

Transfer by a private air-conditioned vehicle from Aswan to Abu Simbel and return to Aswan airport.

Entrance Fees to the sight.

Flight tickets from Cairo to Aswan and return.

Excluded

Additional expenses not included in the package price.

Personal Items

Tipping

Beverages beside Lunch



Tour Itinerary

Aerial Transit and the Majesty of Ramses II

Your day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel begins with an early morning pickup from your hotel in Cairo at approximately 4:00 AM. You will be transferred in a private vehicle to Cairo Airport for your domestic flight to Aswan. Upon arrival at Aswan Airport, your private Egyptologist guide will greet you, and you will begin the comfortable 3.5-hour drive to Abu Simbel in a private, air-conditioned vehicle. This scenic journey through the Nubian desert sets a majestic tone for the day. Upon arrival at the UNESCO World Heritage site, your guide will lead you through a detailed exploration of the Great Temple of Ramses II. You will marvel at the four 20-meter-tall colossi guarding the entrance and enter the inner sanctuary to learn about the precision of the ancient solar alignment phenomenon. Your guide will also provide in-depth commentary on the monumental UNESCO relocation project of the 1960s, explaining how the temple was saved from the rising waters of Lake Nasser. This first half of the tour offers a profound immersion into the power and architectural genius of the New Kingdom.

The Queen's Sanctuary, Nubian Flavors, and Return to Cairo

Subsequently, the day trip from Cairo to Abu Simbel proceeds to the Temple of Hathor and Queen Nefertari, located right next to the great temple. This shrine, dedicated to Ramses' beloved wife, features remarkably preserved wall carvings and hieroglyphs that depict the Queen alongside goddesses, providing rare insights into royal family dynamics in ancient Egypt. After a comprehensive three-hour tour of the complex, you will enjoy the scenic drive back to Aswan. Here, you will have a delicious lunch at a quality local restaurant featuring authentic Nubian cuisine options, allowing you to experience the region's unique culture. Depending on your flight schedule, you may also enjoy a brief tour of Aswan's highlights. Finally, you will be transferred to Aswan Airport for your return flight to Cairo. Upon arrival, a private vehicle will be waiting to drop you back at your hotel, concluding a total tour duration of approximately 14 hours. Mineral water is provided on board the vehicle throughout the land journey, and all service charges and taxes are fully handled for a seamless return.



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