



TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

Private Edfu and Kom Ombo Day Tour From Marsa Alam

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Trip Overview

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Description

Temple of Horus in Edfu and the unique double temple of Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam. Private guide, lunch, and A/C transfers included.



Why You Will Love This Trip

Embark on a high-authority **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** day trip, a specialized private tour designed for history enthusiasts who wish to explore the architectural mastery of the Ptolemaic era. This premium excursion by **Bastet Travel** takes you from the Red Sea coast deep into the heart of the Nile Valley to witness two of Egypt's most structurally unique and well-preserved sites. Your journey begins with a private transfer to the **Temple of Edfu**, the most complete cult temple in the country, where the legend of Horus comes to life through monumental reliefs. Following this, the tour transitions to the **Temple of Kom Ombo**, a rare "Double Temple" that offers a fascinating look at ancient Egyptian duality and medicine. Led by a private English-speaking Egyptologist, this **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** tour provides a professional narrative that connects mythical battles with ancient theological harmony, all while ensuring a comfortable and seamless return to your hotel in Marsa Alam.

- **Elite Private Logistics:** Early morning pickup from your Marsa Alam hotel in a modern, air-conditioned vehicle for a direct and comfortable journey to the Nile.
- **The Majestic Temple of Horus:** A comprehensive exploration of Edfu Temple, renowned as the best-preserved cult temple in Egypt, dedicated to the falcon-headed god.
- **Unique Dual Sanctuary:** Discovery of the Temple of Kom Ombo, the only ancient site featuring a perfectly symmetrical "Double Temple" layout.
- **Mythological Depth:** High-authority insights into the epic struggle between Horus and Seth at Edfu, and the worship of Sobek and Haroeris at Kom Ombo.
- **Archaeological Precision:** Guided analysis of the intricate reliefs, including ancient calendars and medical instruments depicted on the temple walls.
- **Professional Egyptologist:** A dedicated private guide who provides academic context and personal assistance throughout the expedition.
- **All-Inclusive Comfort:** A complete package featuring all entrance fees, private transfers, bottled water, and a high-quality lunch at a local restaurant.

Professional Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam Landmark Introduction

The landmarks featured in this **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** tour represent the absolute pinnacle of Ptolemaic architecture. The **Temple of Edfu** (Temple of Horus) is a massive sandstone structure that survived nearly intact for centuries under the desert sands, offering a clear view of the traditional Pharaonic temple plan. Its pylon and hypostyle halls are among the grandest in Egypt. Contrastingly, the **Temple of Kom Ombo** sits dramatically on a high dune overlooking the Nile. It is globally unique for its dual dedication to **Sobek**, the crocodile god of fertility, and **Haroeris**, the ancient falcon-headed Horus. This dual design reflects the ancient



Egyptian pursuit of balance and provides a rare look at the cultural importance of the Nile's flora and fauna, alongside the region's historic sugar-cane cultivation.

Spectacular Highlights of the Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam

- **Immersion in Preservation:** Stand before the towering pylon of Edfu, experiencing the same awe felt by ancient pilgrims in the most intact temple in the Nile Valley.
- **The Battle of Horus:** Witness the spectacular reliefs at Edfu depicting the mythical victory of Horus over his uncle Seth, the god of chaos.
- **Symmetry of the Double Temple:** Explore the mirrored entrances and sanctuaries of Kom Ombo, a masterclass in architectural balance and religious harmony.
- **Crocodile God Mythology:** Learn about the sacred crocodiles that once inhabited the Nile at Kom Ombo and view the ancient mummified remains nearby.
- **Ancient Medical Records:** Examine the famous reliefs at Kom Ombo that depict some of the earliest surgical instruments and medical practices in human history.
- **Nile Valley Vistas:** Enjoy the scenic drive through the verdant Nile Valley, observing the traditional agriculture and the famous sugar-cane fields of Upper Egypt.

What You Will Love About This Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam Journey

You will love the **depth and exclusivity** of this **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** expedition. While many travelers only see these temples as short stops on a cruise, our private land-based tour allows you the time and space to truly absorb the intricate details and spiritual atmosphere of these sites. You'll love the **personalized narrative** provided by your private Egyptologist, who can focus on the specific historical nuances—from the astronomical calendars to the theological significance of the double sanctuary—that interest you most. The efficiency of a private, air-conditioned vehicle ensures a fatigue-free experience, bridging the gap between the desert coast and the river valley with total professional reliability.

Everything Included in Your Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam

The **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** journey is a high-authority, all-inclusive package tailored for discerning travelers. Your booking includes a **private pick-up service from your hotel in Marsa Alam and return** in a modern, climate-controlled vehicle. You will be accompanied by a **private English-speaking Egyptologist guide** and receive **entrance fees to all mentioned historical places**. We provide **bottled water during your trip** and a **high-**



quality lunch at a quality local restaurant to keep you energized. With all **service charges and taxes** included, Bastet Travel ensures that your day is focused entirely on the majesty of the Nile's monuments without any logistical concerns.

The Journey: A Detailed Story of the Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam

The story of your **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** tour is a narrative of mythological triumph and architectural duality. It begins with an early departure from the Red Sea, as the sun rises over the Eastern Desert. Arriving at the Nile, the first chapter unfolds at Edfu, where the falcon god Horus stands guard over his perfectly preserved sanctuary, telling a tale of justice and divine revenge. The story then moves south to the riverbanks of Kom Ombo, where the landscape shifts to a unique double world of crocodiles and falcons, fertility and wisdom. It is a journey that connects the dramatic legends of the gods with the sophisticated engineering of the Ptolemaic pharaohs, ending with a peaceful return to the coast as you carry the spirit of the Nile back to Marsa Alam.

Conclusion of the Edfu and Kom Ombo From Marsa Alam Tour

The **Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam** day tour is the definitive choice for travelers seeking a deep, private, and expertly guided experience at Egypt's most intact temples. With **Bastet Travel**, you receive an expert-led journey that bridges the desert and the Nile perfectly. For **instant booking** and to secure your private guide for this epic journey, contact us via WhatsApp today.

From the Red Sea to the Heart of the Nile! Message us on [WhatsApp](#) to book your Edfu and Kom Ombo from Marsa Alam expedition now.



Included & Excluded

Included

Everything included in this trip package.

All service charges and taxes

Bottled of water during your trip

Lunch at local restaurant

All transfers by a modern air-conditioned vehicle

Entrance fees to the mentioned historical places

English Egyptologist guide

Pick up service from your hotel in Marsa Alam and return

Excluded

Additional expenses not included in the package price.

Tipping

Any extras not mentioned in the itinerary



Tour Itinerary

Morning: Departure and the Temple of Horus at Edfu

Your professional expedition begins at 05:00 AM with a private pickup from your hotel in Marsa Alam by a Bastet Travel representative. You will travel in a modern air-conditioned vehicle toward the Nile Valley, a journey of approximately 4 hours through the starkly beautiful desert landscape. Upon arrival in Edfu, you will visit the majestic Temple of Horus, widely considered the most intact cult temple in Egypt. Your private Egyptologist will guide you through the monumental entrance pylon and into the massive Hypostyle Hall. You will explore the innermost sanctuary where the sacred granite naos still stands and witness the detailed reliefs depicting the mythical victory of Horus over Seth. After this immersive historical experience, you will enjoy a high-quality lunch at a local restaurant to refresh before the second part of your adventure.

Afternoon: Kom Ombo Double Temple and Return Journey

Following lunch, you will be transferred to the unique Temple of Kom Ombo, which occupies a commanding position on a high dune overlooking the Nile. Your guide will explain the temple's unusual double-entrance design, where one half is dedicated to the crocodile-headed Sobek (god of fertility and creator of the world) and the other half to the falcon-headed Haroeris (the ancient Horus). You will explore the symmetrical halls and sanctuaries, discovering the significance of the sacred crocodiles and the famous medical reliefs. You will also learn about the local cultural importance of sugar-cane cultivation in the Kom Ombo region. Following the tour, you will begin the return journey to the Red Sea, ensuring you are escorted back to your hotel in Marsa Alam before 6:00 PM with a complete understanding of Upper Egypt's historical grandeur.



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