



TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

Epic Rail & River Voyage Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours

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DURATION

8

GUESTS

20

RATING

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Trip Overview

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Description

Book our premium Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours. Experience the Giza Plateau, travel via scenic sleeper train, and board a 5-star Nile cruise.



Why You Will Love This Trip

The rhythmic clicking of the tracks gives way to the gentle lapping of river waves against a pristine hull. Opting for the signature **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** transforms your dream vacation into an authentic, highly organized expedition through the core of Pharaonic civilization. By blending classic rail travel with an upscale river cruise, this package offers a deeply immersive journey through Egypt's iconic history.

Discover Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours & Outstanding Landmarks

Choosing the authentic **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** rewards you with an exceptionally well-rounded perspective of Egypt's changing landscapes. This unique itinerary is intentionally engineered for smart travelers who value cultural immersion, romantic rail journeys, and premium cruise hospitality. Moving from the monumental high-desert plateau of Giza to the fertile banks of Upper Egypt on the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** lets you trace the engineering milestones of ancient kings. This curated itinerary maximizes your sightseeing hours while keeping your base logistics remarkably straightforward and cost-effective.

Securing your reservations for the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** ensures that your transition from the bustling capital down to the serene southern cataracts is completely handled by local hospitality experts. From the modern museum halls of Cairo to the deeply cut rock tombs of Luxor, every detail is calibrated to deliver an educational, stress-free holiday. By utilizing the classic rail network for overnight transit, you combine your travel time with a nostalgic local experience. This specialized Egypt tour package balances old-world romance with modern cruise luxuries, delivering a high-quality vacation that meets rigorous international travel benchmarks.

Deep Dive into the Landmarks with Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours

Giza

The world-famous **Giza Plateau** serves as the breathtaking opening chapter for the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**. Here, travelers stand before the staggering geometric mass of the **Great Pyramid**, unlock the architectural mysteries of the monolithic **Valley Temple**, and photograph the legendary, stone-carved **Sphinx** under the guidance of a private specialist.



Cairo

The historic capital introduces guests to the state-of-the-art **Grand Egyptian Museum**, an architectural masterpiece housing thousands of pristine artifacts that you will explore during the initial days of your **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**.

Sakkara & Memphis

For travelers wishing to extend their historical knowledge during the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**, an optional morning excursion offers a direct look at the innovative **Step Pyramid at Sakkara** and the open-air ruins of the **Ancient capital of Memphis**.

Aswan

The southern rail terminus reveals the romantic, water-bound sanctuary of **Philae Temple** and the massive granite bedrock foundations of the **Unfinished Obelisk**, both fully explored as your river cruise portion begins on the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**.

Kom Ombo

The striking riverside structure of the **Kom Ombo Temple** presents a fascinating stop during your voyage. This unique dual Kom Ombo Temple is structurally split down the middle to honor both Sobek the crocodile god and Haroeris the falcon god, offering a rare theological highlight on the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**.

Edfu

The incredibly well-preserved sandstone architecture of the **Edfu Temple**, widely celebrated as the **Magnificent Horus Temple in Edfu**, stands out as a core highlight during the central sailing days of the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours**.

Luxor

The timeless capital of ancient Thebes splits its monumental treasures across both sides of the **River Nile**. On the East Bank, guests explore the sprawling columns of the **Karnak Temple Complex** and the grand corridors of **Luxor Temple**. Crossing to the West Bank reveals the subterranean tombs of the **Valley of the Kings** and the towering terraces of the **Mortuary Temple of Queen Hatshepsut** (popularly known as the **Hatshepsut Temple - West Bank**).

Spectacular Highlights of the Journey with Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours

- Standing on the rocky sands of the **Giza Plateau** to contemplate the engineering genius of the



Great Pyramid.

- Decoding ancient mummification and preservation rituals within the heavy stone walls of the **Valley Temple.**
- Admiring the majestic facial features of the monolithic **Sphinx** during a private guided morning tour.
- Browsing the world-class galleries and golden treasures within the new **Grand Egyptian Museum.**
- Sipping a traditional hot tea in your private cabin as the overnight sleeper train rolls south from Cairo to Aswan.
- Gliding across the waters of the **River Nile** by motorboat to reach the beautiful island setting of **Philae Temple.**
- Tracing ancient tool marks and structural cracks directly on the granite surface of the **Unfinished Obelisk.**
- Relaxing on the sun deck of your 5-star superior cruise ship as it sails smoothly down the historic river.
- Examining mummified reptiles and symmetrical sanctuaries inside the unique dual **Kom Ombo Temple.**
- Traveling by traditional horse-drawn carriage through Edfu to reach the towering entry pylons of the **Magnificent Horus Temple in Edfu.**
- Descending into three masterfully painted royal tombs hidden deep within the limestone cliffs of the **Valley of the Kings (West Bank).**
- Walking along the dramatic, sun-bleached terraces of the iconic **Hatshepsut Temple - West Bank.**
- Strolling past rows of ram-headed sphinxes inside the giant courtyards of the historic **Karnak Temple Complex (East Bank).**
- Admiring the beautifully illuminated statues and towering obelisks of **Luxor Temple (East Bank)** at twilight.
- Choosing an optional excursion to view the earliest stone masonry designs at the **Step Pyramid at Sakkara.**
- Discovering the colossal fallen statue of Ramses II within the palm groves of the **Ancient capital of Memphis.**

What You Will Love About This Tour with Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours

Explorers who choose the **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** fall in love with the unhurried, classic pacing of the journey. You will love the contrast between the vibrant energy of Cairo's elite private tours and the peaceful relaxation of your 5-star superior cruise ship, complete with free Wifi to keep you connected. The unique experience of dining and sleeping on an overnight train gives your holiday an adventurous, old-school feel that modern flights simply cannot match. Furthermore,



the thoughtfulness of small inclusions—like a daily refilled minibar stocked with cold mineral water and refreshing soft drinks ensures you feel completely pampered throughout your journey. This tour is perfect for anyone seeking an authentic, value-packed journey that delivers premium comfort without the premium price tag.

Everything Included in Your Experience with Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours

Our comprehensive **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** package takes care of every operational detail from start to finish. This all-inclusive experience features a personalized meet and greet service by our professional airport representatives, alongside private transfers in modern, air-conditioned vehicles. Enjoy two nights of bed-and-breakfast accommodation in a premium Cairo hotel, three nights of full-board luxury on a 5-star superior Nile cruise ship, and two nights of half-board comfort on the overnight sleeper train. Your booking completely covers private guided tours in Cairo, shared cruise shore excursions, all listed admission fees, expert guidance from an English-speaking Egyptologist, bottled water during hot outdoor outings, helpful portage services, and all local taxes and service charges.

Conclusion

Travelers looking for an affordable yet comfortable vacation can trust **Bastet Travel** to deliver a flawless, high-authority exploration of Egypt's ancient heritage. Our signature **Egypt Tour Package** optimizes your itinerary with scenic rail travel, handpicked 5-star cruise accommodations, and elite scholarly guiding to ensure an unforgettable experience.

Contact our specialist reservation team via **WhatsApp** today to customize your itinerary and secure your placement on our exclusive **Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours** departures.



Included & Excluded

Included

Everything included in this trip package.

All service charges and taxes

Portage as needed

Bottled water during outings outside of hotel or cruise ship

Local English speaking tour guide.

All meals mentioned on the itinerary

Entrance fees to all sites mentioned on the itinerary

Sightseeing tours on the cruise shared with a Memphis Tours group

Private sightseeing tours in Cairo (listed on itinerary)

Re-fill minbar with mineral water and soft drink is included in the offer

Free Wifi is included onboard the cruise

Accommodation for 2 nights on sleeper train, half board

Accommodation for 3 nights on a 5-star superior Nile cruise ship, full board

Accommodation for 2 nights in Cairo including bed and breakfast

All transfers in a private air-conditioned vehicle

Assistance with guest relations during your stay

Meet and greet service by our representatives upon your airport arrival



Excluded

Additional expenses not included in the package price.

Tipping.

Personal spending.

Any optional tours.

Entry visa to Egypt.

International airfare.



Tour Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Cairo

Your memorable holiday begins with a warm welcome at Cairo International Airport, where our professional representative will guide you through arrival formalities and customs. You will be transferred directly to your selected hotel in a private, air-conditioned vehicle to check in and unwind. Sip a refreshing welcome drink while your tour manager reviews the upcoming Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours schedule and confirms all morning pick-up times. Spend the evening resting in your comfortable room, knowing that every logistical detail of your Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours experience is fully managed.

Day 2: Giza Pyramids & Grand Egyptian Museum

Enjoy breakfast before embarking on a private guided tour of the iconic Giza Plateau, home to the awe-inspiring Great Pyramid. Walk alongside your expert guide to discover the defensive architecture of the Valley Temple and stand directly beneath the gaze of the monumental Sphinx. After a delicious lunch at a local restaurant, spend your afternoon admiring the spectacular archaeological collections inside the new Grand Egyptian Museum. In the evening, transfer to the main railway station to board your overnight sleeper train to Aswan, where a hot dinner will be served right in your private compartment. This classic rail journey adds an incredible sense of adventure to the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours, moving you smoothly southward while you sleep.

Day 3: Aswan Nile Cruise Begins

Wake up to views of the changing Egyptian countryside before arriving at the Aswan railway station, where our local team will greet you and transfer you directly to your 5-star superior cruise ship. After settling into your stateroom and enjoying lunch, take a scenic boat ride to explore the romantic island sanctuary of Philae Temple, which remains a brilliant highlight of the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours. Conclude your afternoon by visiting the ancient granite quarries to examine the massive Unfinished Obelisk before returning to the ship for a gourmet dinner. Spend your first night sleeping onboard, fully appreciating the exceptional river comfort that defines the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours cruise experience.

Day 4: Kom Ombo Temple



Enjoy a leisurely morning onboard with free Wifi as your luxury ship begins its cruise down the historic River Nile. After a scenic lunch on deck, step ashore to explore the symmetrical columns of the unique dual Kom Ombo Temple. Your Egyptologist will show you the ancient medical reliefs and mummified crocodiles that make this dual-deity sanctuary completely unique within the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours itinerary. Return to the ship in the afternoon to enjoy a relaxing sunset cruise toward Edfu. This peaceful day of sailing captures the true spirit of the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours, blending great historical education with deep relaxation.

Day 5: Edfu Temple & Luxor

Step off the ship after breakfast and hop into a traditional horse-drawn carriage to reach the massive stone pylons of the Edfu Temple. Here, you will tour the magnificent Magnificent Horus Temple in Edfu, marveling at its perfectly preserved ceilings and grand courtyards before returning to the cruise ship for lunch. Spend your afternoon relaxing on the top deck as the vessel glides past rural villages and lush palms toward the historic city of Luxor. In the evening, enjoy an authentic belly dance show and a festive captain's dinner onboard. This smooth transition between ancient temples highlights the brilliant pacing of the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours, making it a thoroughly enjoyable experience.

Day 6: Luxor Ancient Treasures

Check out of your stateroom after breakfast for a monumental day of sightseeing split across both banks of ancient Thebes. Start on the West Bank, descending into three beautifully decorated pharaonic tombs inside the Valley of the Kings (West Bank), followed by a visit to the striking terraces of the Hatshepsut Temple - West Bank. Cross the river to explore the East Bank, walking through the giant hypostyle hall of the Karnak Temple Complex (East Bank) and the beautifully preserved courtyards of Luxor Temple (East Bank). In the evening, transfer to the Luxor railway station to board your northbound sleeper train back to Cairo, enjoying dinner onboard as your Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours rail journey nears completion.

Day 7: Optional Sakkara & Memphis

Arrive at the Cairo railway station in the morning and transfer to your hotel to freshen up and enjoy a free morning at your own leisure. Alternatively, you can choose to join our popular optional excursion to view the earliest stone masonry designs at the Step Pyramid at Sakkara and explore the open-air museum at the Ancient capital of Memphis. Whichever you choose, your evening is free to relax, shop for souvenirs, or enjoy a final dinner in the capital as part of your Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours vacation.



Day 8: Departure

Conclude your premium vacation with a final breakfast at your hotel before checking out for your scheduled airport transfer in a private vehicle. Our airport representatives will assist you with your luggage and check-in procedures to ensure your journey ends as smoothly as it began. You fly home carrying lifelong memories of ancient wonders and flawless service, courtesy of the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours. We know you will cherish the historical insights gained during your unforgettable time on the Pyramids and Nile by Train Tours.



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