



Egypt: Nubian Experience Part II

11 Days, 10 Night Land Package

September 16 – 26, 2022

DAY 1: FRIDAY, 16th SEPTEMBER 2022

Welcome to Egypt!

Upon arrival at Cairo International Airport you will be whisked off via air-conditioned deluxe vehicle to the opulent 5-star [Kempinski Nile hotel](#). You will be welcomed with a refreshing local drink upon arrival at the hotel. After a brief informational session you will retreat to your rooms and relax. At about 5:00pm (time to be confirmed upon arrival) you will join the other ladies in the lobby for pictures in your gold/black cocktail dresses before partaking in an exquisite welcome dinner at the hotel.

Meals: Dinner



DAY 2: SATURDAY, 17th SEPTEMBER 2022

Giza Pyramids

After breakfast at the hotel, you will visit the famous Giza Plateau, the site of the only remaining wonder from the original Seven Wonders of the Ancient World – the Great Pyramids of Khufu (also known as Cheops)! You will see the pyramids of Khafre (Chephren) and the smallest Pyramid Menkaure (Mykerinos). You will admire the famous “Sphinx,” a very mysterious structure by the Pyramids. Afterwards, you will visit the Valley Temple. You will break for lunch after the pyramid tour at a local restaurant. Upon completion of the tours you will be taken to a renowned jewelry store. They will allow you to have cartouches made and purchase local jewelry. Then you will visit the famous Papyrus institute where you will learn about the history of papyrus paper and ancient artwork. Upon completion, you will return to your hotel. The rest of the evening is yours to relax.

Dinner is at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast & Lunch

Accommodation: [Kempinski Nile Hotel](#)



DAY 3: SUNDAY, 18th SEPTEMBER 2022

Aswan Tour to Kemet Egypt

After breakfast, you will checkout from the hotel in Cairo and depart to Aswan. On arrival, you will meet your Egyptologist tour guide and enjoy a boat ride to Agilika Island. On the island, you will see the Temple of Isis at Philae, one of the Nubian Temples rescued before the High Dam was built. Philae has long colonnades, towers, and reliefs, including the last surviving hieroglyphic and demotic inscriptions in Egypt. You will then visit the center of aromatherapy and essential oils. Aswan is known as capital of herbs and natural essential oils throughout Africa. Afterwards, you will depart to your accommodations at the Old Nubian Guest House. You will then visit the Egyptian cotton store to buy Egyptian galabyia for the Nubian dinner party. Later that night, you will enjoy a special white party at the Nubian Village where you will listen to folklore and experience a Nubian dinner.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Accommodation: [Old Nubian Guest House](#)







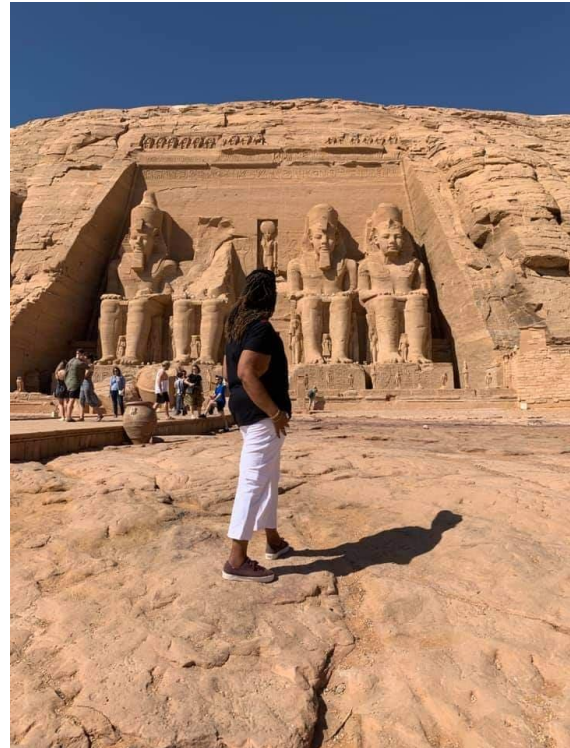
DAY 4: MONDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER 2022

Aswan Two Temples of Abu Simbel

After breakfast, you will be taken on a 3hr drive to Abu Simbel to tour The Two Temples of Abu Simbel, masterpieces of ancient Egypt. Their unique style reflects the glory and grandeur of the new Kingdom. These temples were saved from the floor by the Egyptian government and UNESCO. Abu Simbel is also called The Sun Temple of Ramsess II. It was dedicated to the four universal gods Ptah, Re-Her-Akhtey, Amun-Re, and Ramsess II himself. The Temple of Queen Nefertari (also called Temple of Hathor) is named after the wife of the Sun God. The two temples bring Ramesses II, Nefertari, Hathor, and the Sun God together as one. Later on, you will depart from Abu Simbel to Aswan where you will embark on a cruise down the Nile. You will spend the night onboard.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Accommodation: Nile Cruise



DAY 5: TUESDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER 2022

Kom Ombo and Edfu Temples

Enjoy breakfast on board while sailing to Kom Ombo. Upon arrival, you will visit the temple shared by two gods, Sobek and Haeroris. Next, you will sail to Edfu while having lunch. In Edfu, you will be escorted via Kalesh ride (horse and carriage) to Edfu Temple where you will explore the huge Ptolemaic Temple of Horus. This temple is the best-preserved and most completed of the Egyptian Temples, consisting of many columns, halls, chambers, and chapels. Two statues of Horus side the twin-towered entrance gate. Inside, interesting inscriptions list book (scroll) titles held in the library. In the afternoon, tea will be served as you sail to Esna. Later on, you will enjoy dinner on board and spend the night on your Nile Cruise Ship in Edfu.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner



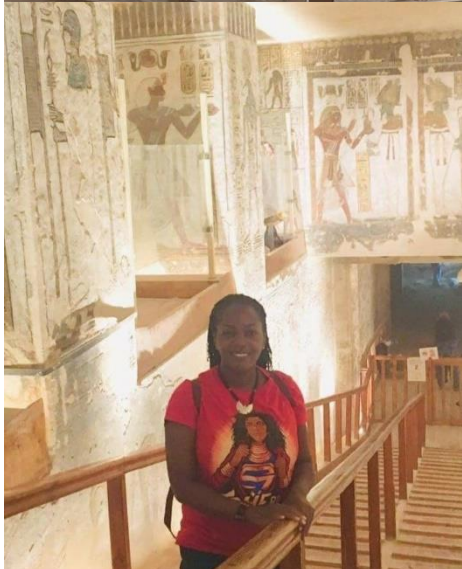
DAY 6: WEDNESDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER 2022

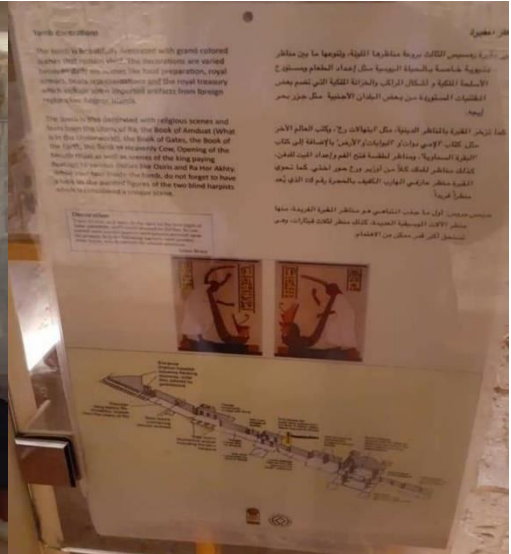
Luxor Nile Cruise Tours

Early in the morning, you will sail to the West Bank of Luxor while enjoying breakfast on board. Your tour will then begin at the royal cemetery of 62 Pharaohs in the Valley of the Kings (the original resting place of the world-famous boy, King Tutankhamun). Afterwards, you will move to the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut (the only Female Pharaoh) at El Deir EL Bahari. The temple was built in the 15th century BC. You will also visit the two towering statues of the Colossi of Memnon. It cannot be confirmed which of the three tombs you will visit due to rotations throughout the year by the Egyptian Government to preserve them from large flows of visitors. Lastly, you will visit the Karnak temple before returning to your Nile Cruise for the night. Afternoon tea will be enjoyed in the winter palace hotel before dinner on board. You will spend the night in Luxor.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner







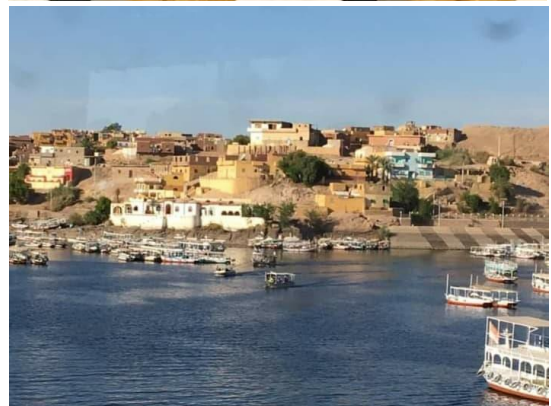
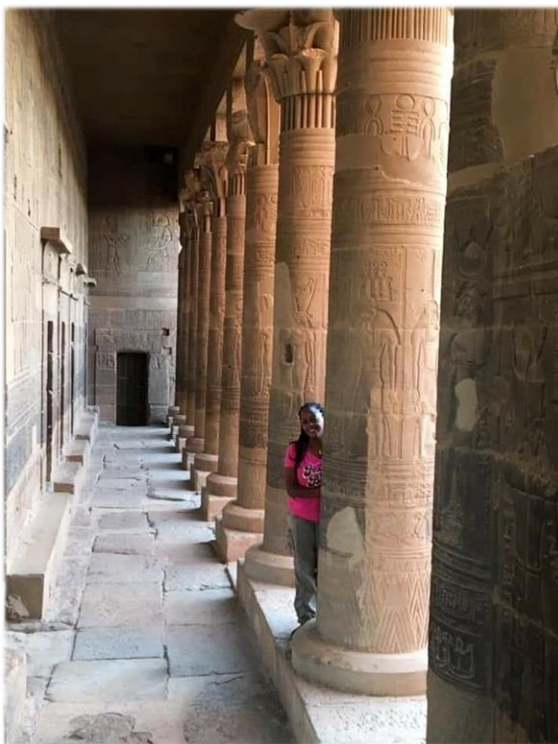
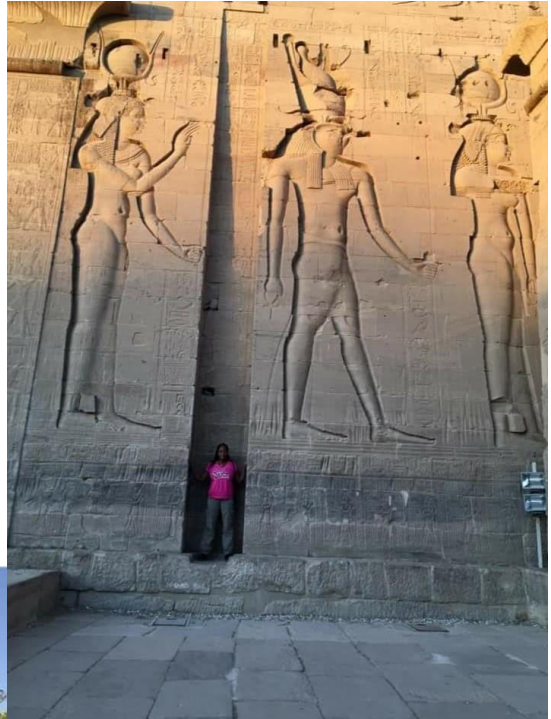
DAY 7: THURSDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER 2022

Luxor East Bank / Hurghada

After breakfast you will disembark from your Nile cruise. You will board a luxury air-conditioned bus for 3.5hrs to the famous beach resort town of Hurghada. Hot lunches will be served on the bus to ensure an early arrival. Upon arrival you will check into the magnificent 5-star Sahl Hasheesh hotel. You will spend 3 nights in the lap of luxury at this all-inclusive beach resort. Later, we will convene for dinner as a group. The time and restaurant will be given upon arrival.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner (Hard all inclusive)

Accommodation: [Tropitel Sahl Hasheesh](#)



DAY 8: FRIDAY, 23RD SEPTEMBER 2022

Optional Snorkeling to Giftun Island

Enjoy a leisurely day of relaxation at the hotel or enjoy an optional snorkeling trip to Giftun Island where you will snorkel throughout different spots filled with corals and rare, colorful fish. You will also enjoy other water sport activities on Giftun Island and the national park. There will be an open buffet on board the cruise. Upon completion of your optional tour you will be transferred back to your hotel. Check out the numerous restaurants, nightlife options, and lounges. Dinner is at your leisure.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner





DAY 9: SATURDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER 2022

Spa & Relaxation

Enjoy a leisurely day of pampering and luxury. Treat yourselves to optional spa treatments or enjoy the numerous hotel amenities. Relax on the beautiful beach, chill poolside, or engage in free optional hotel activities. All meals including snacks are at your leisure. Remember it is all inclusive, so enjoy!

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner





DAY 10: SUNDAY, 25TH SEPTEMBER 2022

Egyptian Museum in Cairo

After breakfast, you will be accompanied to Hurghada Airport where you will fly back to Cairo. Upon arrival in Cairo you will be transferred to the fabulous 5-star Sofitel Cairo Nile El Gezirah hotel. After checking in you will visit the Egyptian Museum before being transferred to the Sofitel Cairo Nile El Gezirah hotel. Brace yourselves for the magnificent artwork and sculptures as our Egyptologists expound on the vast history. Lunch is at your own expense at leisure.

Upon return to the hotel you will freshen up and prepare for our farewell dinner at the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast & Dinner

Accommodation: [Sofitel Cairo Nile El Gezirah hotel](#)







DAY 11: MONDAY, 26TH SEPTEMBER 2022

Depart to US

After breakfast at the hotel, you will be transferred to the Cairo International Airport and depart for the US. This ends our Nubian Experience in Egypt. Until next time!

Meals: Breakfast

ACCOMMODATIONS

[Kempinski Nile Hotel](#): September 16-17

[Old Nubian Guest House](#): September 18

Nile Cruise: September 19-21

[Tropitel Sahl Hasheesh](#): September 22-24

[Sofitel Cairo Nile El Gezirah](#): September 25