

Activity Details

Cairo & Alexandria Ancient Egypt Tour

Duration: 5 day

Description:

This 5 day tour is designed for those travelers seeking an intimate introduction to Cairo and Alexandria - two of Egypt's greatest cities and home to its most famous landmarks. Spend your first day in Egypt exploring Cairo at your leisure before heading out to the Egyptian Museum on day two. You'll also tour the old Cairo's Coptic Christian churches such as Abu Serga and the Hanging Church of the Virgin Mary and check out the Ben Ezra Synagogue where baby Moses was reputedly rescued from the Nile River. Transfer to Alexandria on your third day and explore the Catacombs of Kom El Shokafa with its unique convergence of Egyptian, Roman and Greek architectural styles. Also check out the opulent parks of the Montazah Palace and Qaitbay Citadel's high walls. On your last full day in Egypt you'll visit the modern Biblioteca Alexanderina that was built on the site of the ancient Library of Alexandria before heading back to Cairo and enjoying a dinner cruise on the Nile.

Itinerary:

Travel within Cairo and Alexandria in the comfort of our air-conditioned private transportation - don't worry about the driving, we'll take care of that! Both informative and helpful, your professional English-speaking tour guide will be there to help with whatever you might need. Have a question? Just ask! Accommodations in a four star hotel are also included along with landmark entrance fees and standard airport pick-up services.

Day 1

Step 1: Pick-up at Cairo International Airport by guide and driver.

Step 2: Check into your hotel in Cairo.

Step 3: Enjoy the rest of the day on your own.

Step 4: Overnight at the hotel.

Day 2

Step 1: Explore the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities.

Step 2: Visit the Hanging Church of the Virgin Mary.

Step 3: Visit Abu Serga Church.

Step 4: View the Synagogue of Ben Ezra.

Step 5: Tour the Great Pyramid of Giza.

Step 6: Visit the Valley Temple and the Sphinx.

Step 7: Overnight at the hotel.

Day 3

Step 1: Drive to Alexandria. (3hr)

Step 2: Tour the Catacombs of Kom Il Shokafa.

Step 3: Visit Pompey's Pillar and Library of Serapeim from the outside.

Step 4: View Citadel of Qaitbay from outside.

Step 5: Check in at hotel.

Step 6: Go to visit Montazah Palace and Parks.

Step 7: Overnight at the hotel.

Day 4

Step 1: Visit the Biblioteca Alexandrina (New Library of Alexandria).

Step 2: Return to Cairo. (3hr)

Step 3: Check into a hotel upon arrival.

Step 4: Optional activities: take in a sound and light show at the Giza Pyramids.

Step 5: Buffet dinner cruise on the Nile (belly dance show included).

Step 6: Overnight at the hotel.

Day 5

Step 1: Drive to Cairo International Airport.

Step 2: Catch your international flight back home.

Included In Tour Price:

1. Four nights in 4-star hotel accommodations
2. English-speaking tour guide
3. Entrance fees for activities
4. Air-conditioned private transportation
5. Airport pick-up and drop-off
6. Four breakfasts, four lunches and four dinners

Not Included In Tour Price:

1. International airfare
2. Egyptian visa
3. All personal expenses and purchases
4. Tips and gratuities
5. Optional activities

Notes:

1. Children younger than age 3 may participate for free
2. The times listed above may vary due to factors outside the control of the tour guide and driver (e.g. traffic or weather)
3. Your tour guide will reconfirm the departure time with you one day before your tour starts
4. 10% tips/gratuities to guides and drivers are encouraged in appreciation of quality service
5. Single supplement is USD 190

Terms And Conditions:

This activity can be changed or canceled at any time 14 days prior to the date at which the activity is scheduled to commence with a full refund. If you cancel between 7 and 13 days before the date at which the activity is scheduled to commence, you are entitled to a refund of 70%. If you cancel between 4 and 6 days before the date at which the activity is scheduled to commence, you are entitled to a refund of 50%. If you cancel between 1 and 3 days before the date at which the activity is scheduled to commence, you are entitled to a refund of 25%. If you cancel less than 1 day before the date at which the activity is scheduled to commence or do not show up then you forfeit 100% of the cost of your tour.