

4-Night Nile Cruise Itinerary: Luxor to Aswan

Experience a rich journey through ancient history and timeless landscapes as you sail south from Luxor to Aswan.

- **Tips for Your Trip:** This itinerary involves significant walking at archaeological sites, often on uneven ground. Comfortable shoes, sun protection, and water are essential. The sailing schedule and overnight mooring locations are subject to change based on river and lock conditions

Day 1: Luxor – Arrival & Temples of Thebes

- **Afternoon:** Embark on your Dahabeya in Luxor.
- **Late Afternoon:** Explore the vast **Karnak Temple Complex**, then visit the elegant **Luxor Temple** along the Nile.
- **Evening:** Overnight docked in Luxor.

East Bank: Karnak Temple



East Bank: Luxor Temple



Day 2: West Bank & Sailing to Edfu

- **Morning:** Discover the legendary **West Bank of Luxor**, home to royal tombs, the Temple of Hatshepsut, and the Colossi of Memnon.
- **Afternoon:** Sail south, passing through the **Esna Lock**, and continue toward Edfu.
- **Evening:** Overnight docked in **Edfu**.

West Bank: Valley of the Kings & Queens



West Bank: Temple of Hatshepsut



West Bank: Medinet Habu



West Bank: Colossi of Memnon



Day 3: Edfu, Silsila & Kom Ombo

- **Morning:** Visit the remarkably preserved **Temple of Horus** in Edfu.
- **Afternoon:** Sail to **El Silsila** to explore its ancient sandstone quarries and riverside shrines. Continue sailing to Kom Ombo.
- **Evening:** Overnight moored in **Kom Ombo**.

Temple of Horus



El Silsila Quarry & Riverside Shrines



Day 4: Kom Ombo & Aswan Highlights

- **Morning:** Tour the unique **Kom Ombo Temple**, dedicated to both Sobek and Haroeris.
- **Afternoon:** Sail to Aswan. Upon arrival, visit the beautiful **Philae Temple** on Agilkia Island, followed by the **High Dam**, the **Old Dam**, and the **Unfinished Obelisk**.
- **Evening:** Overnight docked in **Aswan**.

Philae Temple



High Dam



Old Aswan Dam



Unfinished Obelisk



Day 5: Aswan – Departure

Morning: Disembark after breakfast by **8:00 AM**.

- **Travel Notes:** This itinerary provides a general framework; the order of visits on specific days may be adjusted by your tour operator. Comfortable walking shoes, sun protection, and water are essential for daily excursions