

# ITINERARY

## EGYPT PRICING

Per person double occupancy \$3800  
Single occupancy \$4800

*Above price including domestic flights within Egypt  
Cairo / Aswan / Luxor / Cairo*

### Included in the land package price:

- Greeting and assistance at airports in all cities in Egypt
- All touring and transfers in air-conditioned motor coach
- Transfers from and to the airport / hotels in all cities
- Entrance fees to all visits mentioned in the above itinerary
- Domestic Air tickets from Cairo / Aswan / Luxor / Cairo
- First-class accommodations
- Daily buffet breakfast at hotel
- Most Dinners & Lunches where indicated
- Farewell dinner
- Licensed English speaking guide throughout the trip
- All hotels taxes, service charges, and government sales tax
- Luggage handling at all airports

### Not included in the land package price:

- International airline tickets
- Meals and drinks, not specified
- Travel & health Insurance
- Airport departure tax, if any

## OPTIONAL EXTENTION TRIP TO THE RED SEA AND ST. CATHERINE

4 days / 3 nights

### RED SEA ONLY OPTION

#### DAY 01, WEDNESDAY, JAN 25<sup>TH</sup>

Following breakfast, we will transfer to Cairo airport for our short flight to Sharm El Shiekh, When we arrive we will check into our hotel located at a wonderful spot on the Red Sea with its sandy beaches and blue crystal water. Sharm El Shiekh was selected by United Nations to be the City of Peace. The rest of the day is at leisure for private water activities.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

#### DAY 02, THURSDAY, JAN 26<sup>TH</sup>

This morning is free time in Sharm El Shiekh to take you to the national park of Ras Mohamed area for snorkeling. Or you may wish to enjoy a horse back ride into the desert of Sharm El Shiekh.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

#### DAY 03, FRIDAY, JAN 27<sup>TH</sup>

On this Free day both extension groups are rejoined to enjoy Sharm, the beach and its crystal water.

*(Breakfast, Lunch)*

#### DAY 04, SATURDAY, JAN 28<sup>TH</sup>

Another relaxing day in Sharm or horse back riding before we go to airport in the evening to fly to Cairo to connect with our international flight departure.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

## ST. CATHERINE AND RED SEA OPTION

#### DAY 01, WEDNESDAY, JAN 25<sup>TH</sup>

Following breakfast, we will transfer to Cairo airport for our short flight to Sharm El Shiekh. Those who wish to visit St. Catherine will enjoy a scenic bus ride through the colorful mountains, to the Holy area of St. Catherine. Upon arrival we will visit the Monastery of St. Catherine. From there we will check into our hotel facing the Holy mountain of Moses where Moses received the ten commandments. Here we will have lunch at the small hotel, where the late Egyptian President Anwar El Sadat and Manahem Beigan, former Prime Minister of Israel, held their peace negotiations.

We also will visit a unique Bedouin woman to learn how she empowered Bedouin women to form a working creative society in Sinai. She is recognized as the first woman to ever change that society norm. We enjoy a relaxing overnight in St. Catherine.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

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Those in St. Catherine will have the option to either enjoy a very early walk up to the top of Moses Mountain or take a camel ride. Breakfast will be served at the hotel. We then will take a return ride to Sharm to join the rest of the group

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

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*(Breakfast, Lunch)*

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*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

## THE RED SEA AND ST. CATHERINE PRICING

Per person double occupancy \$900  
Single occupancy \$1,400 plus

### Included in the package price:

- Round trip air tickets Cairo / Sharm / Cairo
- Transportation by A/C modern deluxe Bus during the excursions.
- Professional English speaking guide during the excursions
- Daily Breakfast & dinner
- Entrance Fees to all visited sites.
- Round trip to Sharm / St. Catherine / Sharm by bus
- 3 night at Movenpick Sharm deluxe hotel or similar
- 01 night St. Catherine Jan 27th – 28th
- Tipping for guide & driver



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## ITINERARY

### DAY 1: FRI. JAN. 13<sup>TH</sup>

Depart USA to Cairo Egypt

### DAY 2: SAT. JAN. 14<sup>TH</sup>

Upon arrival Quest Travel tour manager will meet and assist you through immigration and customs, then escort you to the Mena House Oberoi hotel. Overnight.

### DAY 3: SUN. JAN 15<sup>TH</sup>

Midmorning we gather for a "Welcome" orientation meeting and introduction to the Egyptian team that will serve you during your journey in Egypt.

Lunch is followed by a very special exclusive visit to the funerary complex of Pharaoh Djoser (2630- 2611 BC) of the 3rd Dynasty at Sakkara. His Step Pyramid was the most pioneering and successful attempt ever to build a pyramid. The six unequal steps, like all the construction around it, were designed by Imhotep the deified architect, physician, patron of scribes, and most honored by his people. You will learn about the Heb-Sed Court, designed by Imhotep, for his Pharaoh to use in the celebration of the commencement of a new era in the King's rule. The tombs in Sakkara is a feast for the eyes and mind, as you see the scenes of daily life depicted within, so preserved that one wonders how they could have survive for 4,500 years.

*(Breakfast, Lunch)*

### DAY 4: MON. JAN 16<sup>TH</sup>

Today, before sunrise we start our tour with a very special exclusive visit to the Giza Plateau, when no one else is there except our group. We are off to discover some of the most awesome wonders of the world - to touch them and to feel them - the Great Sphinx and the Pyramids of the Giza Plateau. We will study them and pay particular attention to the Sphinx.

Included is a visit to the Solar Boat, excavated in 1954. With more than 1000 pieces of well-preserved wood, it took ten years to re-assemble. After an Invigorating Sunrise we are back to our hotel for an incredible buffet breakfast.

Later on this evening we will have an opportunity to go for horse back ride and camel rides into the Eastern desert for a wonderful sunset viewing of the Pyramids.

Following we will visit the famous Egyptian Museum, with a collection of relics dating back to 4,000 BC. There we will experience first hand the different periods of ancient Egypt and the individual artistic and architectural styles of each. The highlight of this museum is the visit to the priceless treasures of Tut-Ankh- Amon. You will hear the

incredible story of this child-king from the first curator of this magnificent collection.

This evening we will enjoy Dinner at a very special place.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

### DAY 5: TUES. JAN. 17<sup>TH</sup>

Today we transfer to Cairo airport for your short flight to Aswan, to board your super deluxe Nile Cruiser.

Aswan is a favorite city in Egypt for many visitors. Called "The Pearl of Egypt" it is also the gateway to Nubia, with its colorful Nubian bazaar, laid-back atmosphere, warm and wonderful people and a lovely promenade along the Nile. We'll enjoy a felucca ride (a small delightful sailboat – peaceful and serene). Later we will visit the unique Nubian Museum with its fantastic masterpieces of Nubian heritage.

*Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 6: WED. JAN. 18<sup>TH</sup>

Early this morning we take a boat ride to the relocated Temple of Philae, the delicate, elegant, quintessential feminine temple of Goddess Isis, the Mother of Love. Marvel at the graceful antiquity that was meticulously moved stone by stone from its ancient site (now submerged) to its new higher island home in the middle of the lake. Today it gives us – modern men/women of machines and incredible technical knowledge – great insight into what the ancient and intelligent peoples of the world could do with only simple technology and a will to create at their disposal.

Around noon we sail on the Nile to visit Kom Ombo. The Healing temple of Kom Ombo is a glorious picturesque ruin along the banks of the Nile. You will join our Tour Leader for some special healing exercises within this temple.

In the evening, we are invited to the Captain's welcome cocktail party followed by dinner. This will be an open evening to experience the lounge or enjoy the solitude of cruising from the ship's upper deck.

We enjoy sailing to Edfu, where we visit the best-preserved temple in Egypt, the fabulous Temple of Horus – the falcon god. Consecrated to Horus, it is the embodiment of the principle of Resurrection.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 7: THUR. JAN. 19<sup>TH</sup>

Enjoy your breakfast as we cruise to Luxor. During our trip enjoy a lecture on "Egypt today" by our Egyptologist. Questions and answers to explore today's life of Egyptian people customs and traditions.

This evening we visit Luxor temple and view this magnificent structure under the stars. Here is where R.A. Schwaller de Lubicz developed his revolutionary Symbolist Interpretation; this temple is dedicated to Amun-Mut-Khonsu.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 8: FRI. JAN. 20<sup>TH</sup>

This morning we will visit the vast overwhelming Temple of Karnak. Once connected by a long avenue of Sphinxes (still partially intact) to Luxor Temple, two miles away, Karnak is dedicated to the Powers of Creation. Karnak is the theater in which humanity (Luxor) plays out its destiny. It is an incredible collage of Kings and Queens, Princes, and Priests, and their collective symbolism.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 09: SAT. JAN. 21<sup>ST</sup>

Today is devoted to Thebes. We will travel to the West Bank to visit the Valley of the Kings, where the great and mysterious funerary texts ("The Books of the Dead") are exquisitely painted or carved into walls. We also will see the very special Ramses the VI tomb with its unique colors. We continue on to Dier El Madinet, where we explore the workers village. We complete our day with a visit to the temple of Hatshipsuite.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 10: SUN. JAN. 22<sup>ND</sup>

Free morning in Luxor.

This afternoon we will drive north of Luxor visit the Dendarah Temple dedicated to Hathor, the Goddess of love, music and joy.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 11: MON. JAN. 23<sup>RD</sup>

Today we enjoy visiting the Luxor Museum. This small but superbly presented museum includes the remarkable discoveries made in 1989 of the great Court of Amenhotep III.

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)*

### DAY 12: TUES. JAN.24<sup>TH</sup>

We fly in the morning back to Cairo and check in at the Mena House Hotel. In the afternoon we have our very powerful adventure inside the King's Chamber in the Great Pyramid. Be open to an experience that has changed many people's life.

Tonight we enjoy our Farwell dinner party with our Egyptian friends.

*(Breakfast, Dinner)*

### DAY 13: WED. JAN 25<sup>TH</sup>

Following breakfast we will transfer to Cairo International airport for final departure.

*(Itinerary is subject to change due to reasons beyond our control)*