



# NILE EXPLORER III

8 DAYS UPSTREAM EXPEDITION

LUXOR - LUXOR



## Overview

Taking you on a mesmerizing journey from Luxor to Cairo over 8 magical days, this incredible cruise takes you from the heart of Ancient Egypt, Luxor, to the modern capital Cairo. Along the way you pass by the historic landmarks of Thebes, Karnak, Tell el-Amarna and Giza, as well as the lush green beauty of the Nile Valley, the backdrop to your days on the sun deck.

Experience the best that Egypt has to offer, from its modern culture to ancient ruins, follow the path of the Pharaohs and see living history in person. With 8 days of incredible sights and superb service, this will be a cruise you never forget.

## Brief Itinerary

- D1 Check-in, Visit Karnak Temple
- D2 Visit west Bank and sail to Edfu Overnight
- D3 Visit Edfu, and sail to Aswan
- D4 Visit High Dam, Philae Temple & Felucca ride
- D5 Free or Optional Abu Simbel
- D6 Sail to Kom Ombo Visit the temple and Sail to Luxor
- D7 Arrive Luxor Visit Luxor Temple
- D8 Check Ou



## DETAILED ITINERARY

### Day 1 Monday: Karnak Temple

**Check-in MS Campollion II before lunch**, Next, we'll start exploring Karnak Temple with the famous Rams Road, which was just reopened in a legendary ceremony. next, you'll visit Luxor temple and overnight on Board

**Meals on Board: Lunch, and Dinner**

### Day 2 Tuesday: Thebes-West

Early morning you have the option to book the hot air balloon to see the Luxor for above during sunrise, next, you will Visit the west bank. You'll explore the Valley of the Kings, with its richly decorated Pharaoh's tombs. Then you'll visit the Hatshepsut Temple and the mighty Colossi of Memnon. afternoon you will sail from Luxor to Edfu, passing through the Esna Lock. and overnight in EDFU

**Meals Included: Breakfast, lunch, dinner, sunset tea time**

### Day 3 Wednesday: EDFU - Kom Ombo - Aswan

after breakfast, you will visit the Temple of Horus, which maintains a unique place among all the existing Egyptian temples in the Nile Valley. However, some of its parts and elements are still under the homes of the current city of Edfu. Then we'll sail to Aswan the beautiful scenery of Aswan by night, stay overnight on board

**Meals Included: Breakfast, lunch, dinner, sunset tea time**



#### **Day 4 Thursday: Aswan**

At 7:00 am, we'll visit the Temple of Sobek, Haris, and the Kom Ombo Museum. Then we'll sail the last section of the river trip, and Aswan begins! Immediately after arriving in the city of Aswan, we'll go with a tour guide to visit the Aswan dams: the High Dam and Aswan Reservoir.

The British built the first dam in 1898 – 1902, which was the largest dam globally, but the Russians did a significant new high Dam in 1960-1971. After that, we'll visit the Temple of Philae, the Temple of Isis, and Hathor

**Meals Included: Breakfast, lunch, dinner, and sunset tea time**

#### **Day 5 Friday: Aswan – (Abu Simbel optional)**

Free time or Morning Optional Trip to Abu Simbel (approx. 4 hours). As part of a Guided tour (local expert guide in Abu Simbel), you'll visit the impressive rock temples of Abu Simbel, End of service

**Meals Included: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.**

#### **Day 6 Saturday: Aswan/Kom Ombo / Luxor**

You'll have some optional tours at an extra cost. After Lunch your downstream cruise begins in the afternoon with a visit to Kom Ombo. Afterwards, you'll sail to Edfu overnight.

**Meals on Board: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner**

#### **Day 7 Sunday: Luxor Temple**

Morning you'll start to sail to Luxor, where you'll experience the captivating Nile panorama from the sun deck. Then you'll arrive at Luxor's old royal seat. Next, you'll have a guided tour of the illuminated Luxor Temple.

**Meals on Board: Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner**

#### **Day 8 Monday Departure**

After Breakfast Check-out - End of our Service

#### **Included:**

All Excursion and transfer as per Itinerary - Entrance fees

Guide on Board : Arabic - German - Italian - French - Spanish - English

#### **Accommodation**

7 nights 5\* Nile Cruise Champollion II Luxor/Luxor ON FB

#### **Not Included:**

**Tips** ( Recommended \$12 Per Day) - All extras onboard - Optional Excursions: White Monasteries - Sound and Light Show at Karanak - Hot Air Balloon

