

Egypt & Jordan *in Depth Solo*

24 Days from \$8,831



Take an in-depth journey back in time to the ancient worlds of Egypt & Jordan. Explore bustling Cairo, cruise down the Nile, float in the Dead Sea and discover the wonders of Petra. This tour has it all!

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TIME FLY'S TRAVEL

Day 1 Depart Australia

Day 2 Arrive in Amman - Welcome to Jordan. On arrival we are met and transferred to the hotel. This evening we enjoy a delicious group welcome dinner. [D]

Day 3 Jerash - Today we head back in time as we begin our tour of Jordan, visiting the beautifully preserved Roman cities of Umm Qais and Jerash as well as the impressive Ajloun Castle. [B,D]

Day 4 Amman - Dead Sea - We start our day at the biblical Mt Nebo, where Moses saw the Promised Land. Then on to the Dead Sea where you have a chance to swim (or float!) in the warm waters. [B,L,D]

Day 5 Dead Sea - Wadi Rum - Today we head south to the desert of Wadi Rum. We take a camel ride before spending the night in a Bedouin camp underneath a blanket of stars. [B,L,D]

Day 6 Wadi Rum - Petra - This morning we take a thrilling jeep ride through the desert before continuing to 'Little Petra'. [B,D]

Day 7 Petra - SPECIAL EXPERIENCE: An incredible day as we visit one of the world's greatest treasures, the lost city of Petra. [B,D]

Day 8 Petra - Amman - Today we head north to the magnificent Crusader fortress of Kerak and then to Amman. [B,D]

Day 9 Amman - Cairo - We travel to Cairo today where our afternoon is at leisure. [B,D]

Day 10 Cairo - This morning we will be standing in front of the only remaining ancient wonder of the world, the Great Pyramids of Giza! We also visit the nearby Sphinx before continuing to the Step Pyramid of Sakkara and Memphis. [B]

Day 11 Cairo - Luxor - Today we leave the hustle and bustle of Cairo to fly to Luxor, on the banks of the Nile. We later explore the fascinating Karnak and Luxor Temples. [B]

Day 12 Luxor - An amazing day of exploration as we explore the world's largest open-air museum, the Valley of the Kings. We also visit the massive Temple of Queen Hatshepsut and the Colossi of Memnon. [B]

Day 13 Luxor - Nile Cruise - This afternoon we board our Nile cruise ship which we will call home for the next

four nights. Sit back, relax and watch the day-to-day happenings of rural Egyptian life on the banks of the Nile as we sail past. [B,L,D]

Day 14 Nile Cruise - Our cruise ship navigates towards Esna before continuing to Edfu. Most of Egypt's produce is farmed within 10 kilometres of the Nile. [B,L,D]

Day 15 Nile Cruise - Today we visit the Temple of Horus in Edfu, the best preserved of Egypt's temples. We then sail on to the riverside temple of Kom Ombo before continuing to Aswan. [B,L,D]

Day 16 Nile Cruise - An early desert crossing today as we head towards the incredible temples of Abu Simbel. **ABU SIMBEL - WE INCLUDE IT:** The twin temples here were originally carved out of the mountainside during the reign of Pharaoh Ramses II in the 13th century BC. We enjoy an afternoon at leisure. [B,L,D]

Day 17 Aswan - Today we explore Aswan including the High Dam, an engineering masterpiece built in the 1960s; the picturesque Temple of Isis on Philae Island; and the Unfinished Obelisk. This afternoon take a ride on a traditional felucca sailing boat by the banks of Aswan. [B]

Day 18 Aswan - Cairo - The morning in Aswan is free for you to explore and pick up some handcrafted Nubian jewellery or souvenirs. [B]

Day 19 Cairo - Alexandria - This morning we travel to Wadi el Natroun, home to some of the world's earliest Christian monasteries, before continuing on to the beautiful city of Alexandria. [B,L]

Day 20 Alexandria - A great day as we explore Alexandria including the National Museum, Pompey's Pillar, the Catacombs, the New Bibliotheca and the Montazah Palace. [B,L]

Day 21 Alexandria - Cairo - Our journey takes us westward through the dunes along the Mediterranean coast, to El Alamein where we visit the Allied War Memorials. [B]

Day 22 Cairo - Today we visit the Citadel of Cairo and the Mohammed Ali Mosque, before a trip to the lively Khan El Khalili bazaar. Later we venture into the bustling heart of Cairo to visit the world-famous Egyptian Museum, home to Tutankhamun's priceless treasures and many other historic artefacts. Enjoy a group farewell dinner this evening. [B,D]

Day 23 Depart Cairo - Today we bid farewell to Egypt as we begin our journey home. [B]

Day 24 Arrive in Australia

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Travel:

- Economy class flights/flights between Australia, Egypt and Jordan (taxes included)
- 3 economy class flights/flights within Egypt/Jordan
- Airport transfers on the first and last day of tour
- All touring in air-conditioned vehicles
- Pre-paid tips - \$233pp

Accommodation & Meals:

- Single room included in price
- 16 nights in good quality hotels/hotels (4-5 star)
- 4 nights in an outside cabin on board a luxury Nile cruise ship including all meals
- 1 night at a desert camp with shared facilities
- 21 breakfasts, 8 lunches and 13 dinners, including group welcome and farewell dinners

A comprehensive sightseeing program is included in the price. Highlights include:

- English-speaking guide in Jordan and expert Egyptologist guides in Egypt

Be amazed by incredible Jordan

- Visit the beautifully preserved Roman Cities of Umm Qais and Jerash
- Admire the views from the impressive Islamic Ajloun Castle which was built in the 12th century and served as a military fort to protect the region from invading Crusader forces
- See the spectacular Byzantine and Umayyad mosaics in Madaba, one of the most memorable places in the Holy Land
- Visit Mt Nebo for fantastic views of the Jordan Valley
- Swim or float in the salty waters of the Dead Sea and enjoy the therapeutic mud!
- Explore the unique desert landscape of Wadi Rum by camel safari as well as an exciting jeep tour
- Enjoy an unforgettable night under a sky of a million stars at a desert camp in Wadi Rum
- Visit one of the world's greatest treasures – the lost city of Petra! An awe-inspiring experience and one that has to be seen to be believed!

- Marvel at the largest and best preserved Crusader Castle of Kerak, which to this date dominates the fortified town

Explore the wonders of Ancient Egypt

- Visit the awe-inspiring Great Pyramids of Giza. Our tour includes plenty of time to soak up the power of these magnificent structures before we visit a nearby vantage point and then continue on to the famous Sphinx
- Visit the incredible Step Pyramid of Sakkara, the nearby giant statue of Ramses II and the old capital of Memphis
- Visit the world-renowned Egyptian Museum whose priceless artefacts include those of the Pharaoh Tutankhamen
- Get a fascinating insight into current Egyptian life as you visit the Mohammed Ali Mosque, the Saladin Citadel of Cairo and the centuries-old Khan El Khalili bazaar
- Relax on a traditional felucca sailboat in Aswan as you cruise around Kitchener's Island
- Unwind on a four-night luxury cruise on the Nile from Luxor to Aswan
- Visit the stunning temples of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari at Abu Simbel. This is a must-see while in Egypt, which most other companies offer only as an optional extra. We include it!
- Travel to the magnificent Temple of Horus (the Falcon God) in Edfu, the Temple of Kom Ombo which currently displays some of the crocodile mummies discovered in the vicinity, the laidback town of Aswan where we visit the beautiful Temple of Isis on Philae Island, the Unfinished Obelisk and the High Dam
- Explore the West Bank, including the Colossi of Memnon, the Valley of the Kings (where we enter some of the tombs of the pharaohs) and the massive Temple of Queen Hatshepsut
- Visit the beautiful Luxor and Karnak Temples, where each year elaborate festivals and ceremonies were performed to appease the gods
- Be fascinated by Alexandria, the 'Pearl of the Mediterranean' with its mix of history and modernity.
- Pay homage to the fallen soldiers at the Battlefield Cemetery and Military Museum of El Alamein

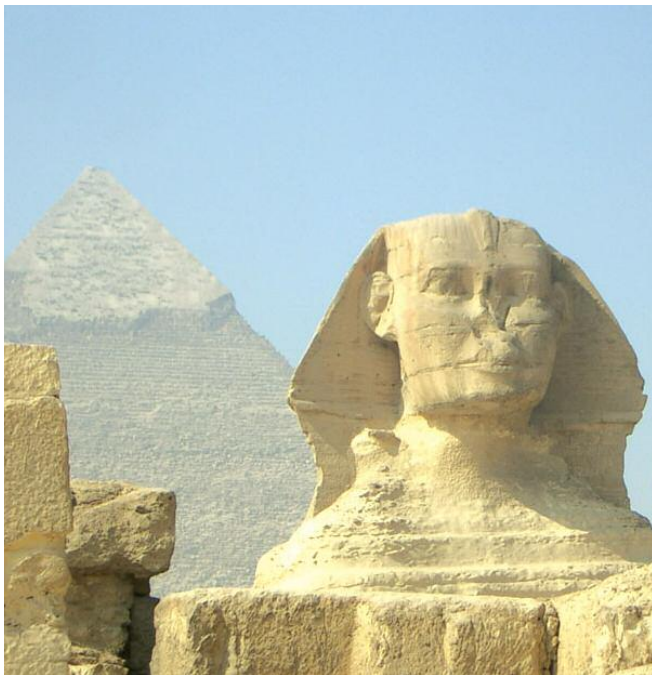
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Dates & Prices

All include single room!

Starts	Ends	Total Cost*	Status
07/05/14	30/05/14	\$8,831	On Request
17/09/14	10/10/14	\$8,831	Available
31/01/15	13/02/15	\$9,131	Available
18/02/15	13/03/15	\$9,431	Available

Valid From: Sydney, Melbourne, Perth, Brisbane & Adelaide

Tips: Total cost includes - Tipping Made Easy amount of \$233pp

Taxes: Total cost includes - air taxes of \$978pp

Single

supplement: Single Room is included in the price

- **Day/Date Variations:** Due to airline flight schedules day of arrival and day of departure may vary depending on your city of departure
- **Taxes & Fuel Costs:** Total cost includes air taxes. Taxes and fuel surcharges change regularly so above levies shown as a guide only
- **T&C:** All prices shown are per person based on single room and include airfares, all taxes and tips. Prices and itineraries correct at current time but are subject to change. Please call for more details. View our full terms & conditions on the website.
- **Twin share reduction \$1290.** Please specify on check-out if you wish to twin share with a friend. This amount will be deducted once arrangements have been confirmed



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