

Tour: Egypt Post-Trip Extension Tour

Dates: May 17-20, 2022

**Included:** 3 nights' accommodation (double occupancy) as listed in itinerary, or

similar as necessary

1 MEJDI-Train Guide for 4 days

4 days of private group transportation, per the itinerary including

group airport transfers

Meals listed in itinerary: 3 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L), 3 dinners (D)

Entrances, sites, and honorariums for speakers

Water on bus throughout tour

Customary tips for drivers, guides, hotel and wait staff

Custom tour webpage with online registration, payment, processing

Dedicated pre-trip customer service and on-ground support

**Not** International airfare

included: Travel insurance-REQUIRED

Single Supplement-\$315 (limited availability)

1-Way flight (To Cairo) - To be quoted closer to date

Meals not included in the itinerary

Transportation outside of group itinerary

Anything not explicitly mentioned in the included section

**Pricing** 6-12 Paying Participants: \$1,200 per paying participant



# **Egypt Itinerary:**

## Day 1, Tues May 17: Arrival to Egypt

Check out of your hotel, transfer to the airport and take a flight to Cairo.

Upon arrival, visit the historic Citadel, Mohammad Ali Mosque and Khan El Khaklili market.

Hotel: Flamenco Hotel, Zamalek, Cairo (Breakfast and Dinner included)

#### Day 2, Wed May 18: Cairo

Enjoy a tour to **Giza and Sakkara Pyramids**. **Khufu's pyramid** is the northernmost and largest of the three. In classical antiquity it was considered as one of the **Seven Wonders of the World**, and is the only one to have survived. The casing stones that still cling to its pointed top can easily identify **Khephren's monument**. The much smaller pyramid of **Mycerinus** had not been completed by the time of the king's death. Its intended granite revetment was only partially applied. **The Great Sphinx** is part of the funerary complex of Khephren. Its impressive leonine body with the royal head is sculpted in an outcrop of the native limestone. Part of the face, including the nose, has been deliberately damaged. The false beard has fallen off and is currently kept at the British Museum.

Hotel: Flamenco Hotel, Zamalek, Cairo (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)

## Day 3, Thur May 19: Islamic and Christian Cairo

Visit Main mosques and churches in Cairo including the Azhar Mosque, Bayn, Al-Qasreen complex, Sultan Hassan mosque, Al-Rifae mosque, The Hanging church, St. George Church, Coptic museum, and the Subterranean church. Wonderful tour to the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities near Tahrir Square in Cairo, which has the richest and most important collection of objects from Ancient Egypt in the world. The collection is constantly growing since the museum is the primary recipient of any finds made on the soil of Egypt. There you can contemplate the precious treasures of Tutankhamon, the most famous king of Ancient Egypt.

Hotel: Flamenco Hotel, Zamalek, Cairo (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)

## Day 4, Fri May 20: Islamic and Christian Cairo II & Departure

Head to the **garbage city** where you will visit a non-profit and learn about one of the largest recycling programs worldwide. The local population (all Christian copts) work in **recycling for all of Cairo** then continue to visit the **Cave Coptic church** and meet with one of the **Christian leaders** in Cairo.

Depart to the airport for your international flight home.

(Breakfast included)