



Deluxe, Small Group Tour: Egypt with Nile Cruise

11 Days/10 Nights, November 11-21, 2026
Fully Escorted. From \$9,395*

* Tour cost is per person in double occupancy, based on a minimum of 10 participants.

You're invited to join this deluxe tour of exciting Egypt, exploring the country's "must see" historical sites plus unique experiences, lots of great food and a Nile cruise to the incredible temples in Upper Egypt. Enjoy this magnificent country in the comfort of a small, escorted group, with an excellent hotel in Cairo, all-suite Nile cruise and so much more. I hope you decide to join us!

Included Highlights:

- Roundtrip flights from Newark (EWR) to Cairo.
- 4 Domestic business class flights in Egypt
- 5 Nights deluxe hotels in Cairo and 4 nights on a Nile cruise.
- 4 Days of touring in Cairo and all touring during the Nile cruise.
- Expert Egyptologist guide during touring.
- Includes Abu Simbel with flights!
- Breakfast daily plus most other meals.
- Wi-Fi on the bus and cruise.
- Tips
- Much more!

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1. What's the Scopia Difference in Egypt?

- Wi-Fi on the touring bus.
- W-Fi package during the Nile cruise.
- Business class domestic flights in Egypt.
- Same expert guide in the Cairo area and during cruise shore excursions.
- Excursion to Abu Simbel is included, with flights from Aswan.
- Night out in Cairo for dinner at a fun local restaurant.
- Deluxe Hotel in Cairo with Nile View rooms and ready rooms for early arrival.
- Fully escorted in Egypt.
- Small group, personalized experience (10-15 participants).
- Free water bottle during Nile cruise means and daily water refill in cabin.
- ...and more!

2. Tour Difficulty Level – Is this tour right for you?

The tour is not sold or offered as ADA-compliant. Aside from the beautiful sites and lots of fun on the tour, there is important information you should consider:

- Although portage service are provided, you may need to carry your luggage on occasion.
- You will be boarding and getting off the bus 5-6 times per day, during touring days.
- Some of the days will entail several hours of walking on even and uneven pavements or roads, ascend and descend stairs (without railings), walk up or down hills, or stand in place for 20-30 minutes at a time, while listening to the guide's explanations.
- Many of the sites are not designed to accommodate travelers with walking accessories.
- Some people choose to climb into the tunnels in the Pyramids. Keep in mind it may be claustrophobic, and breathing may be difficult (no ventilation).
- In Luxor, visiting the temples in the Valley of the Kings may be claustrophobic due to the many visitors and breathing may be difficult (no ventilation).
- Some of the days will entail bus rides of 2-3 hours.
- Some domestic flights in Egypt are scheduled for early mornings, requiring the group to leave the hotel around 4:00 AM.
- The bus on the tour is not ADA-compliant and may not have a bathroom. It is air-conditioned.
- It is possible to skip sites and stay on the bus or in the hotel, but there will be no refund for unused entrance fees.
- Temperatures will likely be in the 70's-80's during the daytime, depending on location. Evenings will likely be in the 50's – 60's.
- Smoking is commonplace, including indoors at hotels and restaurants (not on the cruise).
- Cairo may have a "blanket" of smog in the morning, usually clearing by midday.
- Souvenir peddlers at tourist sites can be aggressive (learn to say "no").
- Food allergies will be noted and forwarded but may not be properly addressed.
- Medical facilities are available in large cities but are limited in remote areas.

3. To register for the tour:

Registration for the tour is open via the dedicated, secure form available on the tour website. The upfront pay now costs are:

- \$100 non-refundable deposit per person, paid by check or with credit card (fee).

Please have the following information/documents available prior to registration:

- Your passport (must be valid for at least 6 months beyond the date of return).
 - If you do not have a passport or if your passport expires prior to the end of May 2027, please apply for a new passport.
- Your TTP or Global Entry number (optional)
- Your United Frequent Flyer number (optional)

4. Tour Costs:

Minimum Number of Participants →	10
Tour Cost Per Person Sharing a Double Room	\$9,395
Tour Cost Per Person in a Single Room	\$10,595

Sample estimated total tour costs (based on 10 participants):

	Per Person in Double	Per Person in Single
Tour	\$9,395	\$10,595
Individual domestic US Flights to Newark (Approximate)	\$500	\$500
Estimated travel insurance (depends on age and coverage)	\$600-\$900	\$700-\$1,000
Dinners not included (\$35 X 1)	\$35	\$35
Lunches not included (\$15 X 1)	\$15	\$15
Phone Expenses	\$0-\$100	\$0-\$100
Gifts/Miscellaneous	?	?

Note: These tour costs are subject to slight modifications due to changes made in the itinerary, services added or reduced, or other factors.



Sonesta Moon Goddess Nile Cruise Cabin (Left) and Sheraton Cairo North Tower Nile View Room (Right).

5. Included in the Tour Costs:

- **Airfare:**
 - Roundtrip, economy non-stop flights on Egypt Air from Newark to Cairo. Taxes/surcharges may change prior to ticketing, possibly affecting tour costs.
 - Business class domestic flights in Egypt:
 - Cairo-Luxor, Aswan-Abu Simbel-Aswan, and Aswan-Cairo
- **Hotels/Cruise (subject to change within same level of quality):**
 - November 12-16: 4 Nights [Sofitel Downtown Cairo](#) (standard rooms)
 - Includes breakfast and early check-in November 12.
 - November 16 - 20: 4 Nights [Sonesta Moon Goddess](#) Nile Cruise (Presidential suites)
 - November 20 – 21: 1 Night [Hilton Heliopolis Hotel](#) in Cairo (standard rooms)
 - This hotel is only for about 7 hours, between flights.
- **Touring and Transportation:**
 - All airport and cruise dock transfers with a local bus and representative.
 - 3 Full days and 1 half day of touring in Cairo.
 - All shore excursions during the Nile cruise (with the same guide from Cairo).
 - Abu Simbel excursion with flights
 - Touring in modern, air-conditioned buses with Wi-Fi.
 - All entrance fees to sites mentioned in the itinerary.
- **Meals:**
 - In Cairo:
 - 5 Daily buffet breakfasts (includes extra breakfast for early arrival Nov 12).
 - 3 Lunches at hotels or restaurants (Nov 12, 13 and 15)
 - 5 Dinners at hotels or restaurants (Nov 12, 13, 14, 15 and 20)
 - On the cruise:
 - Full board (3 meals daily from lunch on day 1 to breakfast on day 5).
- **Other Services Included:**
 - Visa to Egypt
 - Wi-Fi package on the cruise
 - Personal headsets for a better touring experience
 - A tour escort to make sure things run as smoothly as possible.

6. Not Included in the Tour Costs:

- Not included are any services not mentioned above as included in the tour costs. Examples: meals on own, soft/alcoholic drinks during meals, touring outside of the itinerary, passports, visas (except Egypt), COVID testing, airline seat upgrades, expenses of a personal nature such as gifts, phone calls and data, mini-bar purchases, etc.
- **Transportation to/from Newark Airport.**
- **Travel Insurance.** Visit the [insurance website](#) for more information

7. Payment Schedule, Terms and Conditions:

- A. By registering for this tour and/or submitting any payment, you confirm that you have read, understood, and agree to all sections of this brochure, including the Terms and Conditions and the Disclaimer. You further confirm that, if registering or paying on behalf of any other traveler, you are authorized to do so, and that all travelers are bound by these terms.
- B. Payments are accepted by check or wire transfer payable to Scopia LLC.
- C. Checks must arrive by the due date and should include "Egypt 2027" in the memo line. Address: Scopia LLC, 8916 N. Iroquois Road, Bayside, WI 53217.
- D. **Important dates to remember:**
 - a. **Registration Deadline:** August 1, 2026
 - b. **At Registration and no later than August 1, 1026:** A non-refundable deposit of \$100 per person (credit card or check).
 - c. **August 1, 2026:** If we reach 10 participants, a second non-refundable deposit of \$2,000 per person is due and is non-refundable (check or ACH).
 - d. **September 15, 2026:** Final payment is due and is non-refundable (check or ACH).
- E. **Refund periods (if you cancel):**
 - a. Cancel by August 1, 2026: \$100 cancellation fee per person.
 - b. Cancel from August 1, 2026 - September 15, 2026: \$2,100 cancellation fee per person.
 - c. Cancel any time after September 15, 2026: All payments are non-refundable.
- F. **Cancellation of the tour by Scopia LLC:**
 - a. If the tour is cancelled due to insufficient enrollment, mainland deposit (\$100) is refunded.
 - b. **Force Majeure & Refunds:** If Scopia LLC cancels the tour due to events beyond its reasonable control ("**Force Majeure**"), such as acts of God, war, terrorism, pandemics, or government travel restrictions, Scopia LLC will use diligent efforts to recover funds from third-party Suppliers. Any recovered funds will be returned to participants, less a non-refundable **\$300 administrative fee** per person to cover work already performed.
- G. **Third-Party and Ancillary Expenses:** Scopia LLC is not responsible for any independent expenses, "add-on" services, or ancillary costs incurred by participants in connection with the tour. This includes, but is not limited to, **independently purchased airfare (domestic or international), travel insurance premiums, visa fees, vaccinations, or specialized equipment**. All such expenses are subject strictly to the terms of the specific service providers, and Scopia LLC shall have no liability for refunds or compensation for these external costs.
- H. **Payment schedules and refund amounts are subject to change if required by suppliers.**
- I. There are no refunds for unused services.
- J. Scopia LLC reserves the right to refuse participation or cancel reservations for nonpayment.
- K. Credit card chargebacks do not void these terms. If a chargeback is resolved in favor of Scopia LLC, a \$100 administrative fee will apply. Credit card refunds do not include the 3% processing fee.
- L. Credit card refunds do not include the 3% agency processing fee.
- M. Rate Calculations: All rates are subject to correction and change until final payment is received.

8. Travel Insurance:

Travel insurance is highly recommended (but not mandatory) to cover unexpected circumstances or losses. Find more information on the [Scopia LLC website](#).

Note that there may be benefits **to purchasing the policy within 14 days** of making the initial payment on the tour (such as a deposit). These benefits may include waiver of pre-existing medical conditions exclusion and optional add-ons.

Scopia LLC cannot advise you about which policy to purchase or optional coverages. For questions, please contact the insurance company directly.

Scopia LLC serves only as an agent of the insurance company for the purpose of offering participants the option of purchasing insurance. Any decisions about claims are at the sole discretion of the insurance company. Scopia LLC can provide participants with available documentation to support a claim.

Offered travel insurance plans provide insurance coverage that only applies during the covered trip. You may have coverage from other sources that provides you with similar benefits but may be subject to different restrictions depending upon your other coverages. You may wish to compare the terms of this policy with your existing life, health, home, and automobile insurance policies. If you have any questions about your current coverage, call your insurer or insurance agent or broker.

9. Security and Health Information

- US Department of State information for Egypt, including travel advisories. [Click here](#).
- CDC Health and immunizations recommendations for Egypt. [Click here](#).

10. Flight Itinerary

Day	Date	From	To	Airline	Class	Depart	Arrive
Wed	Nov 11	Newark (EWR)	Cairo	Egypt Air	Economy	12:00 PM	05:00 AM+1
Mon	Nov 16	Cairo	Luxor	Egypt Air	Business	07:15 AM	08:20 AM
Thu	Nov 19	Aswan	Abu Simbel	Egypt Air	Business	09:40 AM	10:25 AM
Thu	Nov 19	Abu Simbel	Aswan	Egypt Air	Business	01:30 PM	02:10 PM
Fri	Nov 20	Aswan	Cairo	Egypt Air	Business	08:25 AM	09:50 AM
Sat	Nov 21	Cairo	Newark (EWR)	Egypt Air	Economy	04:10 AM	09:00 AM

+1 = Next day arrival. Flights are subject to change. Egypt Air flights will be purchased individually as part of the tour cost.

11. Tour Itinerary:

The itinerary is subject to change. Meals included in the tour cost are listed as (B, L or D). We will stop along the way in Cairo for lunches (most not included) during touring days.

Day	Date	Activity	Overnight
Wed	Nov 11	Depart the USA: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12:00 PM Departure for Egypt (Newark Terminal B). 1:00 PM Departure for Cairo. 	Flight
Thu	Nov 12	Arrive in Egypt: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome to Egypt! Estimated arrival at 05:00 AM. After airport formalities (visa), meet guide and board the bus. Arrive at the hotel and check in to rooms. Breakfast available. Lunch at the hotel and check in to rooms when available. Rest of the day is free to relax at the hotel. 	Cairo (B, L, D)
Fri	Nov 13	Touring in Cairo: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grand Egyptian Museum with time to explore independently. Pyramids of Giza (including a fun camel ride!) Lunch at 9 Pyramids Restaurant Sphinx 	Cairo (B, L, D)
Sat	Nov 14	Touring in Cairo: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Museum of Civilizations Old Cairo: Hanging Church and Ibn Ezra Synagogue If there is time and interest: St. Simon Church (Zabaleen area) Evening: We will go out to a local restaurant in Cairo. 	Cairo (B, L, D)
Sun	Nov 15	Touring in Cairo: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dashur Pyramids Saqqara Visit a local carpet-weaving school (with option to purchase) Lunch boxes Return to Cairo. Dinner on own: try the local flavors at nearby restaurants! 	Cairo (B, L)
Mon	Nov 16	Luxor and Nile Cruise <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 05:00 AM check out of hotel and depart for Cairo Airport. 7:15 AM Departure to Luxor. Arrive in Luxor. Tour the East Bank of the Nile: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Karnak Temple Check in and lunch on the Nile cruise ship. Luxor Temple See full cruise itinerary details here. 	Cruise (B, L, D)

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Day	Date	Activity	Overnight
Tue	Nov 17	<p><u>Nile Cruise:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> West Bank of the Nile: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Valley of the Kings (includes tomb of Tutankhamun). Temple of Queen Hatshepsut Visit a local Alabaster shop Colossi of Memnon Sail to Esna. See full cruise itinerary details here. 	Nile Cruise (B, L, D)
Wed	Nov 18	<p><u>Sailing the Nile:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Temple of Horus at Edfu Temple of Kom Ombo See full cruise itinerary details here. 	Nile Cruise (B, L, D)
Thu	Nov 19	<p><u>Sailing the Nile / Abu Simbel:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sail to Aswan Transfer to Aswan Airport for short flight to Abu Simbel. Tour Abu Simbel. Return to the Aswan and the cruise for lunch. Afternoon: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tour of Aswan High Dam. Temple of Philae See full cruise itinerary here. 	Nile Cruise (B, L, D)
Fri	Nov 20	<p><u>Return to Cairo:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breakfast and disembark cruise ship. Depart for Cairo. In Cairo, we will have some free time at Khan El Khalili Bazaar for some shopping and lunch. Mohamed Ali Alabaster Mosque and Citadel. Sultan Hassan and Al Rifai Mosques. We end at our hotel by the airport for a few hours of rest and preparation for departure back to the US. 	Cairo (B)
Sat	Nov 21	<p><u>Departure for the USA:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1:00 AM Check out of hotel and transfer to the airport. 04:10 AM departure for Newark. End of services. 	



12. Disclaimer, Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk

THIS NOTICE CONSTITUTES PART OF YOUR CONTRACT FOR TRAVEL-RELATED SERVICES.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY. By registering for travel-related services, submitting any payment, and/or participating in travel arranged by Scopia LLC ("Scopia LLC"), the traveler (including any person registering or paying on behalf of others) acknowledges and agrees as follows:

Agency Role: Scopia LLC acts solely as an agent for independent third-party suppliers that provide travel-related services, including air carriers, cruise lines, hotels, transportation providers, and tour operators ("Suppliers"). Scopia LLC does not own, operate, manage, or control any Supplier and is not responsible for their acts or omissions.

Supplier Responsibility & Release: Scopia LLC is not responsible for the negligence, willful misconduct, failure to perform, insolvency, or default of any Supplier, including any failure to comply with local, state, federal, or international laws (such as the Americans with Disabilities Act). Scopia LLC is not liable for any injury, loss, damage, delay, inconvenience, or expense arising from the acts or omissions of any Supplier, whether foreseeable or unforeseeable. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the traveler releases and agrees to hold harmless Scopia LLC and its owners, employees, agents, and contractors from any claims or liabilities arising out of or related to travel-related services arranged by Scopia LLC.

Assumption of Risk: Travel involves inherent risks, including illness, injury, accident, death, crime, terrorism, transportation delays, weather events, natural disasters, pandemics, governmental actions, and changes to local conditions. Traveler knowingly and voluntarily assumes all risks associated with travel, whether known or unknown.

Binding Effect and Reliance: The person registering or submitting payment represents that they are authorized to act on behalf of all travelers in their party. All travelers are bound by these terms, whether or not each traveler personally completes a registration form or submits payment. Scopia LLC is entitled to rely on the information provided during registration and payment and has no obligation to verify whether any traveler personally reviewed the brochure or received the terms from another party.

Traveler Responsibilities: Traveler is solely responsible for compliance with passport, visa, vaccination, health, and entry requirements, and for monitoring safety and security conditions at all destinations.

Travel Insurance: Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Scopia LLC does not advise on insurance coverage or suitability.

Governing Law: Any legal action arising from services provided by Scopia LLC shall be governed by the laws of the State of Wisconsin and brought exclusively in the courts of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.