

## RESERVATIONS

A \$500 per person US Dollar deposit is required to secure a reservation. Your reservation is not considered confirmed until Pilgrim Tours has received both the deposit and completed reservation form. Reservations are due May 19, 2026 and can be sent to: Mafico L.R. Institute, PO Box 543, Smyrna, GA, 30081.

## FINAL PAYMENT

Final payment will be due June 26, 2026. Payment can be made by check, Visa, Discover, or Master Card. Payments not received on time will be subject to a minimum \$200 per person penalty and may result in reservation cancellation without refund. Reservations made after the final payment deadline may result in additional administrative fees and are at the discretion of Pilgrim Tours.

## INCLUDED

Land only (airfare not included), 4 nights lodging at four star Cairo hotel, 4 nights lodging on five-star Nile cruise ship, breakfast and dinner daily at hotels (buffet style), farewell dinner in Cairo (drinks not included), full time English speaking tour guide, services of air conditioned deluxe motor coach as appear on itinerary, all guides, entrances, touring and transportation as appears on itinerary, whisper headphone systems, baggage handling at hotels (one piece), tips to guide, drivers and hotel staff, Pilgrim Payment Processing (including check or credit card- Visa, MasterCard or Discover).

*\*Air transportation handled by Mafico Institute. For more information, please contact Mafico Institute. Other cities are available, please inquire.*

## NOT INCLUDED

Airfare, Lunches & drinks with meals, optional travel insurance.

## CANCELLATION

Cancellation in writing must be received by Pilgrim Tours for appropriate refund minus the following fees and any nonrefundable services purchased. Air penalties are not part of the percentages below and vary based on the airline policy.

Prior to April 10, 2026: \$100 processing fee  
April 10, 2026 – July 8, 2026: Deposit Amount of \$500 per person  
July 9, 2026 – July 23, 2026: 45% of tour cost  
July 24, 2026 – August 7, 2026: 65% of tour cost  
August 8, 2026 – August 30, 2026: 85% of tour cost  
August 31, 2026 or less: 100% of tour cost

## Pilgrim Tours service fee structure:

When signing up for a tour offered by Pilgrim Tours, a deposit is required to confirm your reservation. Part of the deposit for the advertised tour includes a minimum of \$100 per person service fee assessed by Pilgrim Tours that is non-refundable and non-transferable. The reason for not traveling can be either the traveler cancelling or the tour being postponed, suspended or cancelled due to but not limited to acts of God, war, terrorist acts, political unrest, epidemics, pandemics, or government imposed travel restrictions. In registering for a tour, a tour member agrees to the service fee as well as all terms and conditions as outlined on the tour reservation form.

## PRICING

Quoted tour prices include planning, handling and operational charges and are based on the current rate of exchange and tariffs. In the event of a marked change in foreign exchange rates, fuel costs or tariff rates, tour costs are subject to revision. Such increases will be added to the final billing. Pilgrim Tours reserves the right to vary itineraries and prices, and to substitute facilities and hotels of equal or better quality if necessary.

## RESPONSIBILITIES

These tour programs are operated by Pilgrim Tours and Travel, Inc., 3071 Main Street, Morgantown, Pennsylvania 19543. In common with other companies, Pilgrim acts only as an agent for tour members in arranging vacation services offered on this web site, including transportation, sightseeing, and accommodations through independent contracts. Air carriers, accommodations, and other suppliers (including but not limited to trains, cruises, ferries, motor coaches, hotels, tour guides, and restaurants) providing these services are independent contractors and are not agents, employees, servants, or joint ventures of the Company or its affiliates. All travel documents for services issued by the Company are subject to the terms & conditions specified by the contracted supplier and the laws of the countries in which the services are supplied. Tours postponed, suspended, or cancelled due to but not limited to acts of God, war, terrorist acts, political unrest, epidemics, or pandemics are subject to service fees by Pilgrim Tours and any supplier penalties. In registering for a tour, tour members agree to the terms and conditions for the tour they have registered for. Pilgrim Tours reserves the right in its sole discretion to make changes in the itinerary and is

not responsible for expenses, loss of time, money, or other incidents resulting from a change of tour scheduling made for tour members. Pilgrim Tours is not responsible for any losses or damages of personal property, injuries, thefts, or unforeseen expenses incurred by any tour member.

## AIR TRANSPORTATION

For your convenience, Pilgrim Tours is happy to book your airfare as part of a group air contract which allows the group to fly together at a set price. A group air contract requires a minimum of 10 passengers flying roundtrip from the same city, on the same air schedule, and on the same dates. Pilgrim Tours does not have the ability to guarantee assigned seating when making group air arrangements. Air carriers are responsible for seat assignments, and most group air contracts assign seats at the airport check-in on the day of departure. Once ticketed, group air tickets are not upgradable to premium economy or business class, and mileage credit is not guaranteed and is subject to the rules of each airline. If interested in an upgrade, please notify Pilgrim Tours at time of deposit and no later than 100 days before travel. All taxes, fuel charges, and security fees are subject to change based on the ticketing date. Passengers wishing to cancel or change their air reservations may be subject to change fees or cancellation penalties. Pilgrim Tours is not responsible for unforeseen flight delays or changes due to war, political unrest, acts of God, epidemics, or pandemics. Air schedules may be subject to change at the discretion of the airline. Pilgrim Tours does not accept liability in the case of any passenger being denied boarding by any airline carrier due to the carrier's overbooking of a flight.

## TOUR MEMBERSHIP & MOBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Tour membership is available to all travelers and will not be withheld if the tour operator can furnish the requirements that an individual may need. Because most of our Retail Tour sightseeing schedules require Tour Members to walk 1-2 miles at a time using a moderate pace and sometimes navigate uneven terrain, we cannot accept persons who cannot do that and instead require special assistance. Should any Tour Member's participation somehow materially add to the tour operator's cost, the Tour Member will be expected to pay any additional costs. The Tour Director retains the right to require any non-sufficiently mobile persons to stay behind when deemed necessary, and also terminate the membership of any member displaying disruptive behavior, delaying or endangering fellow members and/or interfering with the operations of the tour. Private group tours vary in regards to mobility standards.

## PROOF OF US CITIZENSHIP, PASSPORT, VISA & MINOR CHILDREN REQUIREMENTS

All international tours require a current passport. Entrance to most countries requires your passport be valid for 6 months after your return date. Your passport information must be recorded by a Pilgrim Tours agent when making your reservation. Names on airline tickets must appear as shown on passport. Photocopies are not acceptable forms of identification. Minors traveling with either one parent or no parents must have a certified letter of permission from the parent or parents who is/are not traveling. If requested, this letter must be presented. **Non U. S. Citizens are responsible to fulfill appropriate entry requirements of the destination country. Contact the local Consulate of the countries you plan to visit and transit for entry requirement information.**

## BAGGAGE

Although every effort is made to handle passengers' luggage as carefully as possible, Pilgrim Tours is not responsible for and does not assume liability or accept claims for loss of or damage to luggage due to breakage, theft or wear and tear through hotel, group carrier or airline handling. There are limitations by coach and air carrier as to the number and size of bags which can be carried onboard and in bulk storage. However, during the tour, passengers are permitted one checked suitcase and one carry-on bag unless otherwise noted. Some airlines may impose additional charges if you choose to check any baggage. Please contact the airline or refer to the airlines website for detailed information regarding checked baggage policies. This is a fee levied by the airlines, not Pilgrim Tours, and may be subject to change.

## TRAVEL INSURANCE - AVAILABLE FOR ALL PASSENGERS

Pilgrim Tours strongly suggests purchasing a travel insurance plan. Be sure to check with your health insurance provider as many US medical coverage plans may not cover you outside of the country. Insurance costs are based on the total tour cost, including air taxes and charges listed under "Not Included." These charges are added to the final billing. Approximate amounts can be given at time of reservation in order to purchase the appropriate amount of insurance. Travel Insurance is non-refundable.

For a full explanation of Pilgrim Tours Terms and Conditions please visit <https://www.pilgrimboutique.com/company/policies.htm>



# BEST OF EGYPT

10 Day Tour | September 8 – 17, 2026



**Itinerary subject to change while touring  
for the best interest of the group.**

**Day 1 – Tuesday, September 8, 2026:  
Departure**

Our life-changing journey begins this evening as we board our overnight flight to Cairo, Egypt.

**Day 2 – Wednesday, September 9, 2026:  
Arrival Cairo**

We arrive in the land of the Pharaohs, Jacob, Joseph, and Israel during the famine! Upon arrival at the airport, we meet our guide and are immediately transported into Cairo, the capital of Egypt. We transfer to our hotel to settle in and start soaking up the atmosphere of this exciting city.

**Day 3 – Thursday, September 10, 2026:  
Luxor, Karnak**

This morning, we transfer to the airport for our flight to Luxor. Upon arrive in Luxor we board our lovely river cruise boat and have free time for lunch. This afternoon we visit the Temple of Karnak (temple of the New Kingdom period) and the East Bank of the Nile. It was during this period that the bondage and Exodus occurred. Karnak second to Giza's Pyramids, is one of Egypt's most important Pharaonic sites. We visit the famous Temple of Luxor, which was founded in the reign of Amenhotep III,

grandson of the pharaoh of the Exodus. Re-board our ship for dinner and overnight.

**Day 4 – Friday, September 11, 2026: Valley of the Kings**

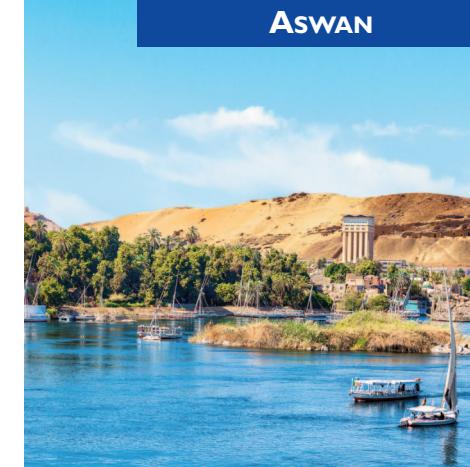
Today we visit the Valley of the Kings (where many ancient pharaohs were buried) and the famous Temple of Hatshepsut, the princess who perhaps pulled baby Moses out of the Nile River. This temple may have been designed by Moses. We have dinner and overnight on board.

**Day 5 – Saturday, September 12, 2026:  
Esna , Edfu**

Breakfast is served on board before we spend time touring Edfu, the location of one of the best-preserved Egyptian Temples. This afternoon we have some free time to REST OR RETURN AND explore Edfu on our own or opt to visit the remains of Kom Ombo Temple (for additional cost), situated on the riverside. Unlike most, this temple is dedicated to two gods - the crocodile god of Sebek and the solar god of war, Horus the Great. We have dinner and overnight on board.

**Day 6 – Sunday, September 13, 2026:  
Aswan**

While docked in Aswan, the morning is free to enjoy breakfast, relax on the sun deck, and shop along the waterfront. We take



**Aswan**



**VALLEY OF THE KINGS**

time to visit the High Dam, built from 1960 – 1971, a major factor in Egypt's agricultural success. We also spend time at Philae Temple on the Isi-Island. This complex was moved from upriver due to the impending destruction upon the completion of the High Dam. Our sightseeing continues with a Felucca ride around the Agh Khan Mausoleum before returning for dinner and overnight on board.

**Day 7 – Monday, September 14, 2026:  
Coptic Churches of Cairo**

This morning, we take a flight from Aswan to Cairo. We begin our sightseeing with a visit to the Hanging Church - the most famous Coptic church in Cairo. The Hanging Church was named so as it was built by the Nile River over the Roman Gate of Babylon. During a walking tour, our guide will point out that this section of the old city was definitely the route taken by Abraham, Joseph, Moses, and the family of Jesus – an inspiring thought.

**Day 8 – Tuesday, September 15, 2026:  
Cairo**

Today allows for a full day of touring the wonders of the ancient world, some of which date back to 1000+ years prior to Abraham. We spend time at one of the seven wonders of the world- the pyramids. Cheops, with an original height of 496 feet, is the most colossal pyramid ever built. We

will also see the Sphinx and tour the Egyptian Museum, location of Tutankhamen's treasures and ancient remains.

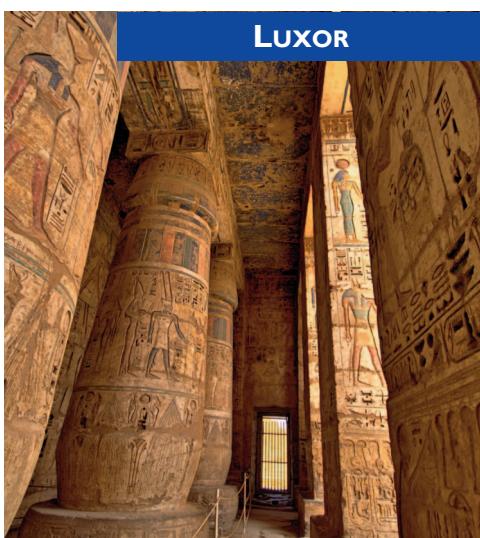
**Day 9 – Wednesday, September 16, 2026:  
Free day**

Enjoy a free day in Cairo to rest, to see some sights on your own, or to visit the shops and markets for gifts. Farwell Dinner at Cairo area restaurant.

**Day 10 – Thursday, September 17, 2026:  
Home**

Transfer to the Cairo airport for the flight home.

**PRICE PER PERSON:  
BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY  
AND A MINIMUM OF 10 PASSENGERS**



**LUXOR**



**KARNAK**

**\$3,399.00\***

*\*Land Only (airfare not included)*

**Single Supplement:  
\$1,199.00**

*\*Air transportation handled by Mafico Institute.  
For more information, please contact Mafico Institute.  
Other cities are available, please inquire.*