

Jaz Royale 11 Night Cruise - Cairo to Luxor Itinerary

DAY 1: CAIRO

Arrival day into Cairo where you will be met by a representative of Orbital Travel and transferred to the Jaz Royale. Dinner and overnight in Cairo.

DAY 2: CAIRO

Enjoy breakfast on board before visiting Giza where the famous Pyramids stands as monuments to the Pharaohs of Ancient Egypt and the Great Sphinx, which has kept its secrets for centuries. Afternoon at your own leisure. (Optional Tours available through your guide). Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Cairo.

DAY 3: CAIRO

Depart after breakfast to visit the Egyptian Museum containing treasures from Egypt's ancient past and including the wonderful Tutankhamun collection. Continuing to the Citadel located on a limestone plateau, the Citadel built to withstand the onslaught of the Crusaders has wonderful views over Cairo city. Afternoon at your leisure (Optional Tours available through your guide). Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Cairo.

DAY 4: BEN SUEF

Leisurely cruising from Cairo to Ben Suef. Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Ben Suef.

DAY 5: MINYA

All day cruising from Ben Suef to Minya. Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Minya.

DAY 6: MINYA

After breakfast visit three of the rock-tombs of Beni Hassan that are carved into the high limestone cliffs of the east bank of the Nile. The painted scenes depict the daily lives of the rulers and their families including scenes of desert hunting, weaving, spinning, fishing, country living, gathering crops and catching birds. Sailing to Tel El Amarna in the afternoon Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Tel El Amarna.

DAY 7: TEL EL AMARNA

After breakfast visit the Tel El Amarna site, once the city of Akhenaten, the Pharaoh known for his revolutionary religion that worshiped Aten. Continue to the Tuna El Gabal, the necropolis of Khmun, to visit the Tomb of Petosiris, Tomb of Isadora and the sacred Catacombs of Thoth then on to the Ashmunien. After returning back to the Jaz Royale cruise on to Assiut. Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Assiut.

DAY 8: SOHAG

Cruising all day from Assiut to Sohag. Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Sohag.

DAY 9: EL BAYANA

After breakfast visit Dendarah which is one of the best preserved Temples in Egypt. After visiting Dendarah you will visit Abydos Temple, the holy city of Osiris God of the Dead and the New Kingdom Temple of Seti 1. You will be transferred back to the boat in Nagaa Hamadi. Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Nagaa Hamadi.

DAY 10: LUXOR

Early morning cruising to Luxor with breakfast on board the beautiful Jaz Royale. After breakfast visit the Temples of Luxor and Karnak located on the East bank. Lunch and Dinner on board overnight in Luxor.

DAY 11: LUXOR

Breakfast on board followed by a visit to the beautiful West Bank. Visit the sites of the Colossi of Memnon, Valley of the Kings and the Temple of Hatshepsut. Lunch on board and disembarkation the Jaz Royale. One of our Orbital Travel representatives will meet you after Lunch on the Jaz Royale and take you to your 5*Luxor Hotel for one night on bed and breakfast basis.

DAY 12: LUXOR

You will be met by a representative of Orbital Travel and transferred to Luxor airport for your flight back to the UK.