



We are thrilled to take you to a fascinating destination: Egypt. Allow yourself to be treated to a connoisseur's discovery of this ancient civilization as only AmaWaterways can provide – with an unparalleled 12-day Nile River cruise and land experience that includes exquisite cuisine, authentic experiences and the extraordinary service for which AmaWaterways is renowned. Sail aboard the luxurious, newly designed AmaDahlia and explore ancient wonders, such as the beguiling Temple of Luxor and the mystifying Valley of the Kings and Queens. Plus, come face-to-face with the last survivor of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, the Great Sphinx and the three Pyramids of Giza. This unforgettable itinerary includes exclusive experiences, such as a private tour of the tomb of Queen Nefertari and a private lunch at the Abdeen Presidential Palace. Uncover the many mysteries and secrets that have shaped Egypt's past and continue to influence the future of this remarkable land.



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YOUR ITINERARY



NOVEMBER 11, 2022

DAY	DESTINATION
Day 1	Cairo
Day 2	Cairo
Day 3	Cairo to Luxor
Day 4	Dendera
Day 5	Kom Ombo
Day 6	Kom Ombo to Aswan
Day 7	Aswan
Day 8	Edfu
Day 9	Esna to Luxor
Day 10	Luxor
Day 11	Cairo
Day 12	Cairo



DAY 1 CAIRO

Arrive in Cairo, where you'll be met by an AmaWaterways representative who will help you with your luggage and the customs and immigration process. With your baggage and customs taken care of and a new stamp in your passport, you will now be driven to your hotel.

DAY 2 CAIRO

A full day of captivating attractions await, beginning with the exquisite Egyptian Museum, with its 120,000 artifacts on display. Home to some of the greatest masterpieces ever crafted, its unique collection of Pharaonic art includes mummies and the priceless treasures of Tutankhamen, the Boy King. Afterwards, venture to the bustling and colorful 14th-century Khan el-Khalili for a welcome lunch at the famous Naguib Mahfouz Restaurant, named after one of Egypt's most well-known authors. Afterward, tour El-Moez Street, one of Cairo's most remarkable historic places. Then, visit the Mosque of Muhammad – also known as the Alabaster Mosque – which majestically sits on the summit of the Citadel of Saladin's courtyard. From the arcaded courtyard, enjoy the breathtaking view across the city to the Pyramids of Giza. Inside the Mosque, marvel at an ornate interior and a splendid array of lamps suspended from the intricately decorated ceiling. (B, L)

DAY 3 CAIRO

Discover the monuments at the UNESCO-designated ancient capital of Memphis. You'll visit the huge statue of Ramses II, the Alabaster Sphinx and the necropolis of Sakkara – site of the famous step pyramid of King Zoser, the oldest pyramid on earth. You'll then go to the Great Sphinx and the iconic Giza complex, which consists of three large pyramids built between 2589 BC and 2504 BC. Another ancient wonder you'll encounter is the Khufu solar boat designed to carry the pharaoh across the sky with the Sun God, which is restored and preserved in the Giza Solar Boat Museum. Today's adventure concludes with a lovely lunch at the famous Mena House, a historic palatial hotel, based in the shadow of the great Pyramids of Giza. (B, L)



DAY4 CAIRO - LUXOR-EMBARKATION

After checking out of the hotel, take a morning flight south to Luxor—formerly known as Thebes, the capital city of the New Kingdom of Upper Egypt. Luxor, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, is home to two astonishing temples—Karnak and Luxor. Luxor is also your gateway to many of Egypt's vast treasures that you'll discover throughout your Nile River Valley cruise, so it is here that you'll be welcomed aboard the AmaDahlia. During the late afternoon, you will visit the Temple of Luxor, constructed over hundreds of years by Amenhotep III, Ramses II, Tutankhamun and other pharaohs. After your visit, continue to experience Egyptian magic with a traditional folkloric-style belly dance on board the AmaDahlia. (B, L, D)

DAY 5 LUXOR - EDFU

Visit the tombs of ancient Egypt in the Valley of the Kings— one of the most famous archeological sites in the world. The spectacular rock-cut tombs located on the west bank of Luxor include that of the enigmatic King Tutankhamun, whose mummified remains are still here on display. Afterwards, go to Deir el-Bahri to see the Temple of Hatshepsut, one of Egypt's most successful pharaohs and its first female ruler. Next, you'll visit the Valley of Queens, home to the mummified remains of more than 30 queens and princesses, including Nefertari's Tomb, where you'll enjoy exclusive access. Your day's adventure concludes with an up-close view of the Colossi of Memnon—two gigantic statues of Pharaoh Amenhotep III. Once back on board the AmaDahlia, cap the day off with a Captain's Welcome Cocktail. (B, L, D)



DAY 6 EDFU - ASWAN

The city of Edfu is best known for one of Egypt's most remarkably preserved temples, dedicated to Horus, the falcon-headed god. Built in 230 BC, it is the second-largest temple in Egypt and a UNESCO World Heritage Site, with walls that display compelling details about the religion and language of the country's Greco-Roman period. After visiting Edfu, relax on board and take in the Nile River's timeless landscapes as the ship continues onward to Aswan, and then in the evening, celebrate your inner Egyptian at an onboard Galabeya party. Don traditional Egyptian attire, meet new friends, toast to adventures past and future, dance and bask in the glory of the Egyptian night. (B, L, D)



DAY 7 ASWAN

Enjoy free time in Aswan or go on an optional excursion to Abu Simbel. If you choose the optional excursion, you'll take an early morning flight to Lake Nasser to the more than 3,000-year-old Abu Simbel, a UNESCO World Heritage Site dedicated to Ramses II, one of the most active of pharaohs, along with the smaller temple dedicated to his chief wife Queen Nefertari. The front of the main temple has four gargantuan statues of Ramses II on his throne, each measuring nearly 70 feet high and discovered half buried in sand in 1813. During the afternoon, take a peaceful ride in a felucca, a traditional Egyptian sailboat, to the colorful Nubian Village of Hessa. Meet the warm and friendly Nubian people who will welcome you to their village. Enjoy lunch here before going back to the ship. Tonight, there is an optional outing to a sound and light show at Philae Temple. (B, L, D)

DAY 8 ASWAN - ESNA

Visit the Aswan High Dam and then the Unfinished Obelisk, commissioned by Queen Hatshepsut. Next, explore the UNESCO-designated Philae Temple complex, with one of the most stunningly restored and preserved hieroglyphs in Egypt, built between 380 BC and 362 BC and dedicated to the goddess Isis, the wife of Osiris and mother of Horus. After your visit here, cruise to the Great Temple of Kom Ombo, where its soaring columns dramatically rise above the Nile River. Unique in Egypt, this temple is dedicated to two gods—the crocodile god, Sobek, sitting on the right; and the falcon-headed Haroeris, "The Good Doctor." Once back on board the AmaDahlia, enjoy an afternoon of scenic sailing to Esna, where you'll spend the night before sailing back to Luxor. (B, L, D)



DAY 9 ESNA - LUXOR

Spend the morning cruising back to Luxor, where you'll explore the Temple of Karnak, the largest religious complex in Egypt and one of the largest in the world, covering about 200 acres in a vast network of columns, hieroglyphics, obelisks, sphinxes and colossi—even a lake. Built over the course of 1,300 years, it is overwhelming. 80,000 laborers took part in its creation during the 19th dynasty alone. Despite its rich history, the temple lay hidden until the 19th century. The effort to restore it continues still. The Hypostyle Hall is a great architectural marvel and filled with its roof blocks, supported by colossal 134 columns standing at 70 feet high, with 12 larger columns standing at 80 feet high lining the central aisle. It is still the largest room of any religious building in the world. (B, L, D)



DAY 10 LUXOR - QENA - LUXOR

Set sail to Qena to explore the Great Temple of Abydos of Seti I, one of the lesser-known pharaohs of the New Kingdom of ancient Egypt. Next, you'll go to Dendara to visit the best-preserved temple in Egypt, the Temple of Hathor – the Goddess of Love, to whom the powers of joy, feminine love and motherhood were attributed. The temple was built by Ptolemy and a group of Romans who worshipped her; so don't miss the back of the temple where there is a relief depicting Cleopatra with Caesarion, her son by Julius Caesar, the Roman Emperor who brought us the months of July and August. Following your visit here, sail back to Luxor. (B, L, D)

DAY 11 LUXOR - DISEMBARKATION - CAIRO

Disembark the ship in Luxor and fly back to Cairo where you will be taken to the Abdeen Presidential Palace, considered one of the most luxurious palaces in the world. The palace consists of multiple museums, including the Silver Museum; the Arms Museum; the Royal Family Museum; a Presidential Gifts Museum and a Historical Documents Museum, which is a relatively new addition. It is also one of the official residences and places of work for the President of Egypt. Afterwards, be treated to a very special lunch at the palace. Finally, you'll explore the old part of the city, which includes Coptic Cairo, where the Hanging Church and Ben Ezra Synagogue are located. (B, L)

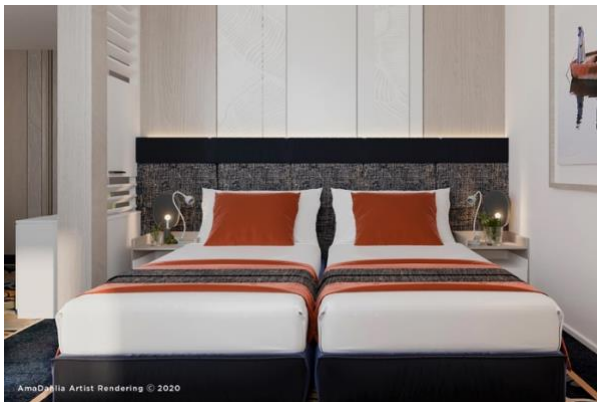
DAY 12 CAIRO

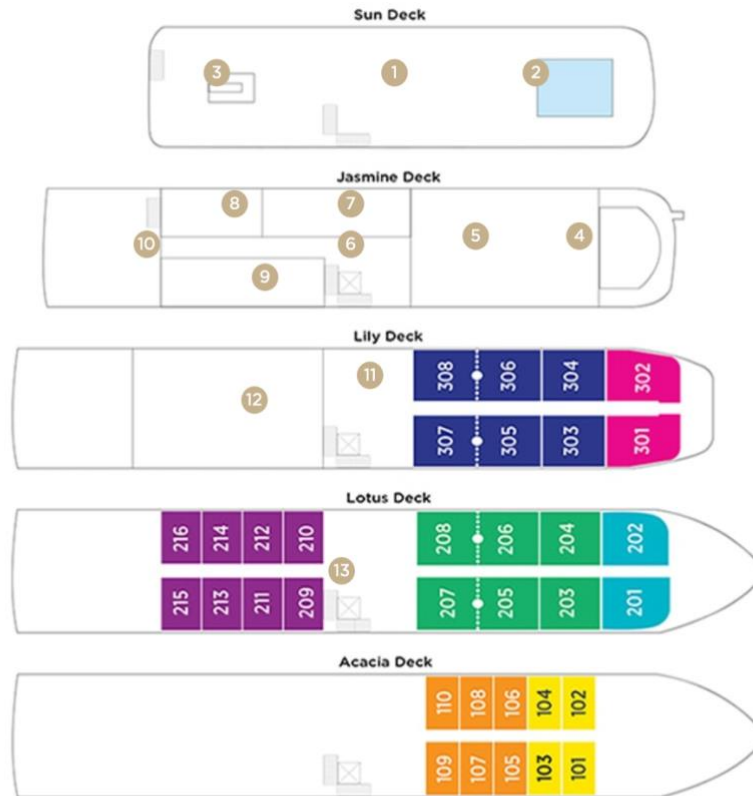
Bid farewell to Cairo and prepare for your flight home. (B)

YOUR SHIP: AmaDahlia

When it's time to embark for your Nile River cruise, you'll be warmly welcomed aboard a beautiful river cruise ship where luxury always means love with AmaWaterways. The stunning AmaDahlia is an inviting 68-passenger ship offering 18 standard staterooms and 16 magnificent suites and a wealth of amenities that will surprise and delight you, including a heated sun-deck swimming pool and bar, The Chef's Table specialty restaurant, hair and nail salon and two soothing massage rooms. Marvel at scenic Nile River views in luxury, enjoy regionally inspired entertainment and savor the flavors of both local and Western cuisine on board.

TECHNICAL DATA	
Built	2021
Length	236 ft.
Width	42.6 ft.
Crew	62
Staterooms	34
Passengers	68
Registry	Egypt





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Staterooms can become adjoining by request.

Stateroom Categories



CATEGORY	TYPE	SIZE	CAD PP/DBL	CAD -SOLO
GS-GRAND SUITE	DBL BALCONY	430 SQ. F	SOLD OUT	SOLD OUT
MS-MASTER SUITE	FRENCH BALCONY	400 SQ. F	11,476	N/A
SA-STATEROOM	DBL BALCONY	370 SQ. F	11,212	16,818
SB-STATEROOM	DBL BALCONY	370 SQ. F	10,948	15,498
C – STATEROOM	FRENCH BALCONY	226 SQ. F	9,497	14,246
D – STATEROOM	FIXED WINDOW	194 SQ. F	8,309	12,464
E - STATEROOM	FIXED WINDOW	194 SQ. F	7,915	11,872

BOOK BY DECEMBER 31 AND GET:

- **FREE ABU SIMBEL EXCURSION**
- **FREE GRATUITIES FOR CRUISE CREW AND STAFF**
- **FREE LIMO RIDE TO PEARSON ON DEPARTURE**

Pricing does not include international air fare, items of personal nature, passport and visa fees; travel insurance, meals and beverages not specified above.

Included Features

3-NIGHT CAIRO PRE-CRUISE, 7-NIGHT CRUISE ROUNDTrip LUXOR, 1-NIGHT CAIRO POST-CRUISE

CAIRO (PRE-CRUISE)

Arrival airport transfer

3 nights at the 5-star Four Seasons Cairo at the First Residence in a Superior Room, including daily breakfast and complimentary Wi-Fi

Welcome Reception with tapas and drinks

Full-b_w **Cairo tour with visit to the Egyptian Museum, home to King Tut's treasures**, lunch at the famous Naguib Mahfouz Restaurant in Khan El Khalili Bazaar and visits to Citadel of Salah Ed-Din and Alabaster Mosque

Visit the ancient sites of Memphis, including the Pyramids of Giza, the Great Sphinx and the Solar Boat Museum and lunch at the historic Mena House Hotel

AMADAHLIA NILE RIVER CRUISE

7-night river cruise in elegantly appointed accommodations

Fine dining with a variety of choices, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant

Wine, beer and soft drinks included during lunch and dinner

Sip & Sail cocktail hour

Welcome Cocktail, Welcome Dinner, Captain's Cocktail and Gala Dinner

Nightly entertainment including a belly dance show, Galabeya Party and Darawish Show

A variety of small group guided shore excursions

Exclusive visits to the Tomb of Queen Nefertari and a Nubian Village

Fitness room, sun-deck pool, hair and nail salon and massage room

Complimentary Wi-Fi

CAIRO (POST-CRUISE)

Exclusive private tour of the Abdeen Presidential Palace with special farewell lunch at the palace

One night at the 5-star Four Seasons Cairo at the First Residence in a Superior Room with breakfast and complimentary Wi-Fi

Visits to the Hanging Church and Ben Ezra Synagog

Departure airport transfer

BOOK BY DECEMBER 31 AND GET:

- **FREE ABU SIMBEL EXCURSION, VALUE OF \$455 PP**
- **FREE GRATUITIES FOR CRUISE CREW AND STAFF, VALUE OF \$150 PP**
- **FREE LIMO RIDE TO PERASON ON DEPARTURE (or \$70 credit)**

PAYMENTS:**DEPOSIT:** \$1,500 pp**FINAL PAYMENT DATE:** August 1, 2022**CANCELATION FEES AND SCHEDULE:**

- Up to July 31: \$750 pp
- Up to August 1: \$1,500 pp
- 89-60 days to departure: 35% of tour cost
- 59-30 days to departure: 50% of tour cost
- 29-07 days to departure: 80% of tour cost
- 06-00 days to departure: 100% of tour cost

OPTIONS FOR PRE-AND-POST EGYPT EXTENSIONS**PRE-EXTENSIONS:**

- 3-nights Dubai: \$1,983CAD pp in double and \$2,975 in single occupancy
- 4-nights Jordan: \$2,584CAD pp in double and \$3,877 in single occupancy

POST-EXTENSION:

- 4-nights Israel post tour: \$4,095CAD pp in double; \$6,142CAD single occupancy

**FOR A MOST COMPREHENSIVE TOUR OF THE MIDDLE EAST,
WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US ON THIS
15-DAY PRE-EGYPT TOUR OF ISRAEL AND JORDAN, HOSTED BY
CH CLARKSON STAFF WITH MINIMUM OF 10 GUESTS**

- 2 NIGHTS IN TEL AVIV, ISRAEL
- 2 NIGHTS IN HAIFA, ISRAEL
- 1 NIGHT AT THE DEAD SEA, ISRAEL
- 3 NIGHTS IN JERUSALIM, ISRAEL
- 2 NIGHTS IN AMMAN, JORDAN
- 2 NIGHTS IN PETRA, JORDAN
- 1 NIGHT IN WADI RUM, JORDAN
- 1 NIGHT IN AMMAN, JORDAN

**ASK YOUR TRAVEL ADVISOR FOR THE DETAILED ITINERARY AND RESERVE
YOUR SPOT NOW! BOTH TOURS WILL SELL OUT QUICKLEY!**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Travellers must report any disability that would require special attention while on tour at the time the reservation is made. A qualified and physically able companion must accompany travellers who need such assistance and must assume full responsibility for their well-being. CH Clarkson is not responsible for any denial of services by air carriers, hotels, restaurants, or other suppliers as a result to such disability.

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