NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

EGYPT & THE GREAT NILE CRUISE

12 DAYS: OCTOBER 17-28, 2022

Visiting

CAIRO * LUXOR * EDFU * KOM OMBO
ASWAN * MEMPHIS * SAKKARA * LANDS OF GOSHEN

Hosted by

MR. AND MRS. LEON MAULDIN

\$4199 PER PERSON FROM ATLANTA

(Air/land tour price is \$3599 plus \$600 government taxes/airline surcharges)



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Dear Friends,

Linda and I would like to cordially invite you to join us for our 12-day Egypt and the Great Nile Cruise, October 17-28, 2022!

Egypt is one of the world's most memorable destinations,

filled with the astonishing sights and sounds of what is arguably the oldest civilization in the western world. We learned about it in school and college courses, have read about it in the National Geographic magazine, or have seen some of its treasures in museum exhibits. This tour presents a wonderful opportunity to visit the massive Great Pyramids and the Sphinx, sole survivors of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and the Valley of the Kings where Tut-Ankh-Amon's tomb was discovered. Cairo, Memphis, Sakkara, Luxor, and Aswan all present unforgettable treasures, sights and experiences as outlined in the tour itinerary. The Nile Cruise segment of our tour will add another fascinating dimension to our trip.

Egypt is the setting for many well-known Biblical events, going back as far as the journeys of the patriarch Abraham. God told Jacob to take his family, the Twelve Tribes of Israel, down to Joseph in Egypt, promising He would "there" (in Egypt), make of Jacob a great nation (Gen.46:3,4). The 10 plagues were judgments against the gods of Egypt (Ex. 6:6; 12:12), resulting in the Exodus under Moses. The prophet Jeremiah was taken to Egypt against his will after the destruction of the temple and Jerusalem. Egypt was a subject of extensive prophecy both by Jeremiah and Ezekiel. Jesus, Mary, and Joseph made the flight into Egypt to escape the murderous wrath of Herod. These and much more are all part of Egypt's ancient history!

This Egypt and Nile Cruise tour includes virtually everything: roundtrip airfare, first class hotel accommodations, sightseeing, and most meals. Come join Linda and me on this magnificent travel adventure!

Sincerely,

Leon & Linda Mauldin



Leon and daughter Alysha in Memphis, Egypt

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- Round trip airfare from Atlanta
- ♦ \$600 government taxes & airline surcharges
- Accommodations at a first class hotel based on two persons sharing in twin-bedded rooms with private hath
- Accommodations on board the cruise in outside cabins with two lower beds and private facilities
- Breakfast and dinner daily in Cairo and all meals on board the cruise
- All sightseeing by private motorcoach including services of professional English-speaking guides
- ♦ Comprehensive sightseeing
- All admission fees, hotel taxes and service charges
- ♦ Transfers to/from airports/hotel/pier by private motorcoach including meeting/assistance and porterage

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

ATLANTA/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

MON, OCT 17

Begin your exciting journey as you depart Atlanta today and connect with your overnight transatlantic flight to Egypt.

ARRIVE CAIRO

TUE, OCT 18

Arrive in Cairo late this evening and transfer to your hotel. Your exciting journey begins. (D)

CAIRO

WED, OCT 19

Travel to Giza to view the Great Pyramids and the Sphinx, sole survivors of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Visit the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities, housing the magnificent treasures of Tut-Ankh-Ahmon.

(B,D)

CAIRO/LUXOR

THU, OCT 20

This morning, fly to Luxor and then transfer to the pier for embarkation on your Nile cruise ship. Visit the Temples of Karnak and Luxor. Karnak Temple is the largest built by the ancient Egyptians. See the Hypostyle Hall, the Obelisk of Queen Hatshepsut and the Festival Hall of Tuthmosis III. Continue to Luxor Temple, built by Amenophis III for Amun, his wife, Mut, and their son Khonsu. See the fine wall reliefs depicting the daily lives of the pharaohs. (B,L,D)

LUXOR/EDFU

FRI, OCT 21

This morning you will cross the Nile to the West Bank and Thebes, the burial ground of the great pharaohs of the New Kingdom. Stop and see the famed Colossi of Memnon. The highlight of this visit is the Valley of the Kings. See the Tomb of Ramses IV with its varied wall paintings and the Temple of Queen Hatshepsut. Return to your cruise ship where you can relax on the upper deck as you depart Luxor and set sail "up the



Karnak Temple ~ Luxor

Nile" (southbound) to Esna. Then continue to Edfu where you will overnight on board. (B,L,D)

EDFU/KOM OMBO/ASWAN

SAT, OCT 22

This morning, disembark in Edfu to visit the Temple of Horus, the falcon god, protector of the sun, and one of the best preserved in Egypt. Re-board your boat and sail on to Kom Ombo where you see the Ptolmaic Temple dedicated to the two gods, crocodile headed Sobek and hawk-headed Haroeri. Sail on to Aswan. (B,L,D)

ASWAN

SUN, OCT 23

This morning, opportunity for worship. Then visit the New High Dam, the largest land filled dam in the world. Also see the Unfinished Obelisk. Continue to the Greco-Roman temples of Philae, reconstructed stone by stone on the island of Agilkia. After lunch, board a felucca sailboat and cross one of the Nile's tributaries. Sail around Elephantine Island and see the Mausoleum of Agha Khan. Visit the Botanical Gardens on Kitchener Island then return to your ship.

(B,L,D)

ASWAN/CAIRO

MON, OCT 24

After breakfast this morning you will disembark your fabulous Nile Cruise and transfer to the Aswan airport for your short flight back to Cairo and your hotel.

(B,D)

CAIRO/MEMPHIS/SAKKARA

TUE, OCT 25

This morning, drive to the Citadel Fortress erected by Salah-ed-Din in the 12th Century. See the Alabaster Mosque and the Sultan Hassan Mosque and stroll through the winding streets of Khan-el-Khalili Bazaar where artisans and merchants have traded for centuries. Continue to Memphis, capital of the ancient kingdom. See the Alabaster Sphinx and the beautifully carved statue of Ramses II. Proceed to Sakkara and the Step Pyramid of Zoser. (B,D)

CAIRO - LAND OF GOSHEN WED, OCT 26



Nile River

Today we have a full day of travel into the eastern Delta region of Egypt where we will visit the ancient land of Goshen. This is where the Israelites lived dur-

ing the time of their oppression. Some of the villages still reflect life as it was in that time. We will travel to as many of the significant sites as time permits. Below is a list of the sites.

- 1) Modern Bubastis is the *Pibeseth* (house of Bastet, the cat-goddess) of Ezekiel 30:17.
- 2) The ancient royal city of *Tanis* (biblical *Zoan*, Num. 13:22; Ps. 78:12, 43). In movie legend (*Raiders of the Lost Ark*) this is where Indiana Jones recovered the Ark of the Covenant.
- 3) Lake Timsah (at Ismailiya) is thought by some scholars to have been the place of the crossing of the Yam Suph (R(e)ed Sea). Other scholars place the crossing of the Sea between Lake Timsah and Lake Ballah (Kitchen). Still others suggest an area between Lake Timsah and the Bitter Lakes.
- 4) The sites of Etham, Migdol, Baal-Zephon, and Pi-Hahiroth are not yet identified with certainty, but would be located in the area on the west side of Lake Timsah (and to the north).
- 5) Two significant sites are located in the Wadi Tumilat. Tell el-Maskhuta is possibly *Pithom* ("house of Atum") (Ex. 1:11), and Tell er-Retebah is possibly *Succoth* (Ex. 13:20; Num. 33:6; Wood). Over the years various scholars have flipped the identification of these two cities. Both sites are located in the east end of Wadi Tumilat. We will return to Cairo for dinner and overnight. (B,L,D)

CAIRO

THU, OCT 27

Enjoy a free day in Cairo to explore the city, shop for bargains or to simply rest. (B,D)

CAIRO/ATLANTA

FRI, OCT 28

Your exciting visit of Egypt is over as you board your return flight to Atlanta, arriving the same day.

(B) \sim Breakfast (L) \sim Lunch (D) \sim Dinner

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit.

- A \$800 deposit is due with your reservation
- Final payment is due at NAWAS 110 days prior to departure date

TOUR-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

For terms and conditions please visit: www.nawas.com/terms-and-conditions

Taxes/Airline Surcharges: In effect on November 15, 2021.

Hotel Service Charges/Taxes: In effect on November 15, 2021 (excluding hotel tourist taxes).

Airfare: In effect on November 15, 2021.

Land Costs: Based on estimated 2022 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on November 15, 2021 and a minimum of 32 or more participants per coach.

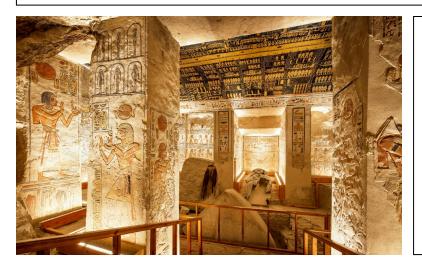
Customer Reviews:

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12 DAYS EGYPT & THE GREAT NILE RIVER **♦** RESERVATION FORM **♦**

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Passenger #1

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Signature Passenger # 2

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Please include a clear photocopy of your Passport with this Reservation Form Clearly print your full name (last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport:

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