



## Egypt Nile Shakti Tour

Program specially prepared for Nilima Bhat & Raj Sisodia Feb 20 – 27, 2019

## Day 1, Wednesday 20 Feb 2019:

Arrival at Cairo International Airport.

Meet, assist and transfer to the Hotel for check-in and overnight.

## Day 2, Thursday 21 Feb 2019:

After breakfast, full day tour in Cairo and visit the Pyramids & the Sphinx.



Enter inside the Cheops Pyramid. Proceed to visit the Pyramid of Djoser in Sakkara & the Serapium. Return back to the Hotel. Overnight.

## Day 3, Friday 22 Feb 2019:

Check-out and transfer to Luxor Airport for flight to Luxor. Arrive in Luxor and depart by bus to visit the West bank of Luxor: Valley of the Kings, Valley of the Queens and the Hatshepsut temple.

PM visit the Luxor & Karnak temples on the East bank. Check-in at the Hotel and overnight.

## Day 4, Saturday 23 Feb 2019:

Check-out and transfer and drive by car to visit the temples of Dendara and Abydos. Return to Esna and embark the Dahabeya for 4 nights cruise to Aswan.

## Day 5, Sunday 24 Feb 2019:

<u>EL HEGZ - EL KAB - EDFU – FAWAZA</u>





After breakfast, cruise to El-Kab to visit the tombs of the governors of the ancient city, the ruins of the temple where Hathor and Horus used to meet. Lunch on board during the cruise to Edfu.

Visit the Temple of Edfu, dedicated to the falcon god Horus. The temple of Horus at Edfu's the most completely preserved Egyptian temple. One of the last great Egyptian attempts at monument building on a grand scale, the temple dominates the westbank town, although Edfu's more modest structures crowd in on its enclosure wall. Modern Edfu, a centre for sugar and pottery is a very friendly place.



Barbecue on the beach of Fawaza Island; overnight on board.

#### Day 6, Monday 25 Feb 2019:

#### FAWAZA – RAMADI - DJEBEL SILSILA - BESHIR

Breakfast while sailing to El Ramadi, the old fishing village on the Nile.

Stop in the small village of Ramadi, deserted by tourism. These places allow a direct contact devoid of all mercantile considerations. Ramadi is discovered in the middle of plantations of banana, sugar cane & Carcadeh.





Lunch while cruising to Djebel Silsila on the West bank of the river is the Speos of Horemheb, a rock-hen chapel dedicated to pharaoh Horemheb (1323-1295BC) and seven deities, including the local god Sobek.

Visit the temple of the Horemheb era and the ancient quarry where the temple stones were extracted.



After the visit, sailing to El Beshir Island. Dinner & overnight on board.

### Day 7, Tuesday 26 Feb 2019:

#### BESHIR - KOM OMBO – HERDIAB

Breakfast on board while sailing to Kom Ombo; to visit the Temple dedicated to both Sobek the crocodile god and Haroeris the hawk.

Kom Ombo temple, standing on a promontory at a bend in the Nile, where in ancient times sacred crocodiles basked in the sun on the river bank, the temple of Kom Ombo is more precisely the dual temple of Sobek (local crocodile god) and Haroeris. The sandstone temple dates from Ptolemaic times.

Return to LAZULI Dahabeyah after the visit and lunch on board while sailing to Herdiab, a beautiful fine sand beach on the Nile. Swimming...

Dinner on Herdiab Island and overnight on board.

## Day 8, Wednesday 27 Feb 2019:

Disembarkation in Aswan and transfer to Aswan Airport for flight to Cairo and final departure from Cairo Airport.

## Net rates in United States Dollars

Based on minimum 10-14 persons: Per person in Double USD 1975.00 Per person in Single USD 2975.00





#### Rates include:

- -Transfer from Cairo Airport to the Hotel.
- -3 nights accommodation at Le Meridien Pyramids or Ramses Hilton or similar on half board basis.
- -Sightseeing tours in Cairo to visit the Pyramids, the Sphinx, the Great Pyramid, the Sakkara Pyramids, the Serapium within the official visiting times.
- -Transfer from the Hotel in Cairo to Cairo Airport for flight to Luxor.
- -Visit the West bank of Luxor: Valley of the Kings & Queens, the Hatshepsut temple, the Colossi of Memnon, Dendara & Abydos temples.
- -Transfer from Luxor Airport to the Dahabeya in Esna.
- -Transfer from the dahabeya in Aswan to Aswan Airport.

#### Nile Cruise includes:

-4 nights accommodation on LAZULI Dahabeya (or a Nile Cruise Boat) on full board basis including all sightseeing as per attached program.

-Drinks on board like Water, tea, Mint tea, Turkish coffee and soft drinks.

-Internet connection and Video projector on board.

#### Rates do not include:

-Egypt entry Visa USD 30.00 per person. It is advisable that passengers with Indian passport arrange for a Visa prior to arrival in Cairo.

-Domestic flights Cairo/Luxor – Aswan/Cairo, around USD 225.00 per person. (We recommend you book your international flight on Egypt Air as the domestic flights work out much cheaper. Please do not book your flights until we share with you the domestic flights we will be flying) -Tips

Program subject to change based on best interest of the group experience.

#### Please note:

- The tour is ex-Cairo. International flights are to be arranged by you.
- Should you wish to stay an additional day in Cairo to see the Museum and Markets or do a supplementary tour, our travel agent can assist you with this.
  Email: Nahla Mofied NahlaMofied@escapadetravel.com.eg
- **The last date for registration and receiving the full payment is 24 November 2018.** Once the minimum group size is achieved, and you make the payment, it will be non-refundable. To register contact Nilima Bhat at <u>nilima@shaktileadership.com</u>

# Group size will be minimum 10 and maximum 14 people. Register early to avoid disappointment.