

1 Day Abu Simbel Extension Tour

Starting from \$200 per person*

*All prices for Tour packages are per person, based on a minimum number of people and depend on seasonality and choice of transportation mode.

Tour Overview

Day 1 – Explore the Temples of Abu Simbel

Your journey begins with an early morning pick-up from your hotel in Aswan or Cairo. Depending on your preference, you will either take a scenic drive through the desert (approx. 3.5 hours each way from Aswan) or board a short domestic flight for a quicker journey.

Upon arrival at Abu Simbel, prepare to be awed by one of Egypt's greatest treasures—the twin temples of Ramses II and Queen Nefertari. Standing guard at the entrance to the Temple of Ramses II are four colossal seated statues of the Pharaoh, each rising over 20 meters high. Step inside to explore vast chambers adorned with intricate reliefs depicting Ramses' victories and divine status.

Continue to the Temple of Hathor, built in honor of Queen Nefertari, where Ramses is depicted alongside his beloved wife—an extraordinary tribute rarely seen in ancient Egypt.

As you explore, your private Egyptologist will share stories of ancient rituals, the temples' significance, and the astonishing solar alignment that illuminates the sanctuary of Ramses II's temple each February and October.

Before your return, marvel at Lake Nasser's breathtaking backdrop and reflect on the incredible relocation project of the 1960s that saved these temples from submersion.

Following your visit, return by vehicle or flight to your hotel in Aswan or Cairo—bringing with you memories of a truly unforgettable day at Abu Simbel.