



## 2 Days in Luxor from Makadi Bay



### BASIC INFORMATION

**Duration:** 2 Days / 1 Night

**Runs On:** Everyday

**Location:** Luxor

**Type:** Private

### OVERVIEW

2 Days in Luxor from Makadi Bay is a must-do trip to the world's greatest open-air museum and the capital of Egypt during the New Kingdom, Thebes. Booking

this two-day Luxor tour from our Egypt tours which will allow you to experience the glory of Luxor. Two days Luxor tour from Makadi will give you the chance to spend more time everywhere and to see more of Luxor's tourist attractions. For example, in your Egypt day tours, you will see Luxor temple and Karnak temple on the east bank of the Nile River. Meanwhile, you can walk the avenue of Sphinxes between them. Also, they will give you a perfect idea about the architecture in ancient Egypt, and the sculptures in ancient Egypt during your 2-Day Adventure from Makadi Bay. Also, ancient Egyptian religion and the daily rituals in the Egyptian temples. Equally important, the second day will allow you to visit the second most important tourist attraction in Egypt after the Pyramids, Valley of the Kings. As a result, you can visit Tutankhamun's tomb with three more tombs included in the ticket. However, your Makadi Bay excursions include the Hatshepsut temple and the Colossi of Memnon. Besides, there is a chance to add the Valley of Nobles, and Habu temple to the tour or enjoy a Hot Air Balloon ride early morning. You will have your dedicated guide to answer all your questions and explain everything about ancient Egyptian Civilization.

## ITINERARY

### Day 1 Makadi Bay - Luxor

Golavita representative will meet you at your hotel lobby to start your 2 Days in Luxor from Makadi Bay to [Luxor attractions](#). It takes around 4 hours driving with a short break on the way for coffee, toilet, and breakfast. Upon arrival to Luxor,

you will start your tour on Luxor's east bank.

### **Luxor temple**

The first stop will be [Luxor temple](#), it is an amazing Pharaonic temple on Luxor's east bank dedicated to God Amun. The entrance of the temple is decorated with six colossi statues for Ramesses the Great and an Obelisk. Also, the wall carvings show one of the most important Festivals in ancient Egypt, the Opet Festival. While, Amenhotep III started the construction Ramesses the Great, Hatshepsut, Thutmose III, Horemheb, and Alexander the Great added to the temple reliefs.

### **Karnak temple**

Then you can explore [the temple of Karnak](#), Karnak is the biggest temple not only in Egypt but in the world. Indeed, there is a lot to see in Karnak such as the Hypostyle Hall, Mut temple, Khonsu temple, and Barque shrine of Ramesses III. Also, you can visit the Red Chapel, White Chapel, Sacred Lake, and Festival Hall of Thutmose III. Meanwhile, wall reliefs explain a lot about Egyptian religion, ancient Egyptian history, and creation Myths. Later on, you can enjoy free time on your own to take some photos before you go for lunch.

Lunch: Enjoy your lunch at a local restaurant as part of your Makadi Bay excursions. At the end of your Luxor attractions on Luxor's east bank, your guide will help you to check in at your hotel overnight.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch

### **Day 2 Luxor East Bank**

Enjoy your morning breakfast at the hotel before you start your [Luxor day tours](#) on Luxor's west bank.

## **Valley of the Kings**

You will start your day with [the Valley of the Kings](#) which is the burial place of all the Kings of the Eighteenth Dynasty, Nineteenth Dynasty, and Twentieth Dynasty. Also, [Tutankhamun's tomb](#) is one of these tombs in the Valley of the Kings. The walls of the tombs are covered with religious books and magical formulas to protect the king during his trip to the afterlife. These books include the Book of Day, Book of Night, Book of Heavenly Cow, Book of Caverns, and the Book of Imyduat. You can visit 3 tombs included in your ticket and you can choose from:

- (KV 02) Rameses IV
- Tomb of Ramses III (KV 11)
- Ramses IX Tomb KV 6
- Merenptah tomb (KV 8)
- The tomb of Tausert and Setnakht (KV 14)

There are also 3 extra tombs against charge such as Tutankhamun's tomb with his mummy and sarcophagus because the rest of the treasures are in the Grand Egyptian Museum. Also, Seti I tomb and Ramesses V are extra charge tombs. After visiting your 3 tombs and shooting some photos of the astronomical ceiling of the tombs, you will be ready for your next stop.

## **Mortuary temple of Hatshepsut**

Be ready for the next stop, [the Mortuary temple of Hatshepsut](#) on Luxor's west bank is located in Deir El Bahari side by side with The Mortuary Temple of

Mentuhotep II. Senmut, the Queen's engineer built the temple for Hatshepsut in a very unique way. Indeed, there are a lot of amazing places in the temple like Hathor Chapel, Anubis Chapel, and Amun holy of holies. Moreover, the wall reliefs show important events like the Punt expedition and the Queen's Divine Birth. Also, scenes of daily life like agriculture in ancient Egypt, trading, and Music and dance in ancient Egypt.

### **Memnon Colossi**

Your last stop on Luxor's west bank will be [the Memnon Colossi](#) of Pharaoh Amenhotep III seated on the throne while his mother and wife are portrayed long his feet. The Colossi were decorating the entrance of his Mortuary temple but it is in ruins now.

Lunch Meal: Enjoy your lunch in a nice restaurant behind Memnon Colossi. Later on, you will drive back to your hotel in Makadi Bay.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch

### **INCLUSIONS**

- Round transfer with A/C vehicle
- 1 night accommodation at a 4\*\*\*\*\* hotel on B/B basis
- Private Archeologist guide
- Entrance fee for all the sightseeing
- Lunch on West bank
- Lunch on east bank

## EXCLUSIONS

- Beverages during lunch
- KV9 - Ramesses V, Ramesses VI tomb
- KV17 - Seti I tomb
- KV62 -Tutankhamun tomb
- Hot Air Balloon
- Felucca riding
- Tipping

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Luxor temple
- Karnak temple
- Valley of the Kings
- Mortuary temple of Hatshepsut
- Memnon Colossi

## NOTES

- Your passports
- Hat, Sunglasses & Sun cream

- Comfortable shoes and clothes

## TOUR IMAGE



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