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PRIVATE GUIDED TOUR • FULL DAY • 16–18 HOURS

Marsa Alam to Aswan Day Trip

Philae Temple, the Unfinished Obelisk & the High Dam — a private journey into Nubian Egypt

Journey deep into Nubian Egypt on a private day trip from the Red Sea to Aswan. Visit the Unfinished Obelisk, the Aswan High Dam, and cross the Nile by boat to Philae Temple, the beautifully preserved sanctuary of the goddess Isis — with an expert Egyptologist guide, private air-conditioned transport, and lunch included, all with Samaria Travel Egypt.

Full Day, 16–18 Hours

100% Private — No Group Joining

All Entrance Fees Included

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ABOUT THE TOUR

A Private Journey Into Nubian Egypt

The Marsa Alam to Aswan Day Trip by Samaria Travel Egypt reaches a destination few Red Sea itineraries cover at all. This is a long and rewarding day, crossing the desert road that links Marsa Alam to the Nile Valley, arriving in a region shaped by ancient temples, granite quarries, and the modern engineering marvel of the High Dam. Begin at the Unfinished Obelisk, still lying in its ancient quarry, then continue to the Aswan High Dam before a scenic private boat ride across the Nile to Philae Temple, the beautifully preserved sanctuary of the goddess Isis, relocated stone by stone to save it from the rising waters of Lake Nasser. This is a fully private tour — reserved exclusively for you and your travel companions, with a private vehicle, a private guide, and complete flexibility over pace and timing.

Quick Facts

DURATION

Full day, 16–18 hours

PICKUP

Your hotel in Marsa Alam

GROUP SIZE

Private — 1 to 12 travelers

TRANSPORT

Private A/C vehicle (sedan / SUV / van by group size)

GUIDE

Licensed Egyptologist, English & Arabic

TRAVEL TIME

Very long journey — early departure & late return

BEST FOR

Travelers who want to see Nubian Egypt beyond the Red Sea coast



WHY BOOK THIS TOUR

What Makes This Experience Different

1 A Destination Almost No One Else Covers

Very few tours from Marsa Alam reach Aswan — this is a genuine chance to see Nubian Egypt beyond the Red Sea coast.

2 Philae Temple by Boat

Reach the island sanctuary of Isis on a scenic private boat crossing, included in your tour.

3 Total Privacy

A fully private tour with zero group joining — the pace and stops are shaped entirely around you, in a vehicle matched to your group size.

4 Licensed Egyptologist Guide

Learn the real history behind the Unfinished Obelisk, the High Dam, and Philae Temple from a professional guide fluent in English and Arabic.

5 Everything Handled

Hotel pickup, all entrance fees, the Philae boat crossing, and lunch are included — no queuing for tickets, no surprise costs.

6 Fully Customizable

Extend to an overnight stay in Aswan for a more relaxed pace — just ask.

TOUR ITINERARY

A Full Day to Nubian Egypt

A private, long-distance journey from the Red Sea to Aswan's greatest sites, and back to your hotel late in the evening. This is a genuinely long day — rest is recommended beforehand.

1 02:00 — Hotel Pickup

VERY EARLY DEPARTURE FROM MARSA ALAM

Your driver collects you from your hotel for the long drive across the desert road to Aswan.

2 07:30 — Unfinished Obelisk

ANCIENT GRANITE QUARRY

See the largest known obelisk, still attached to the bedrock, and learn how ancient Egyptians carved monuments from solid stone.

3 08:30 — Aswan High Dam

A MODERN ENGINEERING MARVEL

Visit one of the largest dams in the world, built to control the Nile's floods and create Lake Nasser.

4 09:30 — Philae Temple

REACHED BY PRIVATE BOAT

Cross the Nile by boat to the island sanctuary of Isis, relocated stone by stone to save it from the rising waters.

5 11:30 — Lunch

A BREAK AT A LOCAL RESTAURANT

Enjoy authentic Nubian and Egyptian dishes before the long drive back.

6 12:30 — Drive Back to Marsa Alam

RETURN JOURNEY

Settle in for the return drive across the desert road to the Red Sea coast.

7 18:30 — Return to Hotel

BACK TO MARSA ALAM

Arrive back at your hotel in the evening, tour complete.

** This is a long journey by nature of the distance involved. An overnight version with a more relaxed pace can be arranged on request.*

BOOKING DETAILS

What's Included?

Included

- ✓ Hotel pickup and drop-off (Marsa Alam)
- ✓ Private air-conditioned vehicle
- ✓ Licensed Egyptologist guide (English & Arabic)
- ✓ Unfinished Obelisk entrance ticket
- ✓ Aswan High Dam entrance ticket
- ✓ Boat ride to Philae Temple
- ✓ Philae Temple entrance ticket
- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Bottled water

Not Included

- ✗ Felucca ride on the Nile (optional, on-site)
- ✗ Gratuities
- ✗ Personal expenses

TOUR PRICE

From \$130 / adult

Child (all group sizes): \$90 • Infant (0–3): Free

Group rates available for 2, 3–5, and 6–12 travelers

GOOD TO KNOW

Before You Set Off

◆ Rest Beforehand

This is a very long day with a 2:00 AM departure — an early night's sleep beforehand is strongly recommended.

◆ What To Wear & Pack

Comfortable clothing, a hat, and modest coverage for temple visits. A neck pillow can help during the long drive.

◆ Sun & Heat Protection

Sunscreen, a hat, and a refillable water bottle are strongly advised, especially between April and October.

◆ Walking & Fitness

Expect light walking at each site, with some uneven ground near the Unfinished Obelisk and the High Dam.

◆ Long-Distance Travel

Most of the day is spent in transit — this tour suits travelers comfortable with a long drive in exchange for reaching a rarely visited destination.

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Ready When You Are

Book the Marsa Alam to Aswan Day Trip or ask us to customize your own itinerary

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Tour Price	From \$130 per person

Every itinerary can be tailored to your group's interests and schedule.
Contact Samaria Travel Egypt today and let us design your dream tour of Ancient Egypt.