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## → Cairo to Cape 2008 →

### Itinerary 4 • 27 days

**27 February – 24 March 2008**

**Egypt • Sudan • Uganda • Tanzania • Zanzibar • Zambia • Zimbabwe • South Africa**

**Rovos Rail** invites you to participate in an exclusive five star **Cairo to Cape** sojourn. A comfortable aircraft and dedicated professional crew will accompany you on a superb and exciting adventure which includes excursions and overnight stays at some of Africa's most exotic venues. This unique fully inclusive tour will accommodate passengers in the security, comfort and style expected of our product.

#### Departure Date 27 February 2008

Day 1	Wed 27 Feb		Arrive <b>Cairo</b> own arrangements. Transfer to <b>Four Seasons First Residence Hotel</b> with views of both the <b>Nile</b> and the <b>Great Pyramids</b> . Day at leisure. Optional tours available. Welcome dinner and overnight in the hotel.
Day 2	Thu 28 Feb	09h00	Full day tour to <b>Giza Pyramids, Sphinx</b> and <b>Egyptian Museum of Antiquities</b> . Dinner and overnight in hotel.
Day 3	Fri 29 Feb	09h00	Tour of <b>Saqqara and Memphis</b> . Afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight in hotel.
Day 4	Sat 01 Mar	09h00	Transfer to Cairo airport for flight to <b>Luxor</b> . Board <b>Royal Lotus</b> for river adventure. Lunch on board. Afternoon visits to the <b>East Bank of Luxor, Karnak</b> and <b>Luxor Temples</b> , the <b>West Bank of Luxor</b> including <b>Valley of Kings, Valley of Queens</b> , the <b>Temple of Hatshepsut</b> and photo stop at <b>Colossi of Memnon</b> followed by <b>Luxor Temple</b> visit. Afternoon tea and dinner on board. Overnight on board in Luxor.
Day 5	Sun 02 Mar		Early sailing to <b>Edfu</b> . Buffet breakfast on board. Afternoon visit to the <b>Temple of Horus</b> at Edfu. Afternoon tea on board while sailing to <b>Kom Ombo</b> . Evening visit to the <b>Temple of Sobek</b> at Kom Ombo. <b>"Egyptian Night"</b> dinner on board, including Galabeyya party with a chance for all guests to dress in traditional Egyptian Galabeyyas for the night. Overnight on board in Kom Ombo.
Day 6	Mon 03 Mar		Buffet breakfast on board while sailing to <b>Aswan</b> . Lunch and afternoon tea on board. Afternoon visits to the <b>Temple of Philae</b> on <b>Agilika Island</b> , the <b>Unfinished Obelisk</b> at the Ancient Granite Quarries, and the <b>Aswan High Dam</b> . Farewell dinner on board with oriental folkloric show. Overnight on board in Aswan.
Day 7	Tue 04 Mar	08h00	Transfer to airport for flight to <b>Abu Simbel</b> . Visits to the temples of <b>Ramses II</b> and his wife <b>Nefertari</b> . Transfer to airport for 1½ hour flight to <b>Khartoum, Sudan</b> . Afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight at <b>Al Salam Rotana Hotel</b> .
Day 8	Wed 05 Mar	09h00	Visit to the Sudanese National Museum of Ethnography and the National Museum of Sudan. Afternoon visit to Bait Al-Khalifa Museum. Lunch, dinner and overnight at the hotel.
Day 9	Thu 06 Mar	08h00 12h00 13h30	Transfer to <b>Khartoum</b> Airport for 3 hour flight to <b>Entebbe, Uganda</b> . Arrive Entebbe and transfer to <b>Imperial Resort Beach Hotel</b> . Afternoon visit to the island of Ngama and its orphaned chimpanzees. Dinner and overnight in the hotel.
Day 10	Fri 07 Mar	08h00 09h15 13h00	Depart for visit to <b>Jinja, the source of the Nile</b> (2 ½ hour drive from Entebbe). Mabira Forest Walk en-route. Lunch at Jinja Nile Resort. Dinner and overnight at hotel at the Imperial Beach Resort Hotel.
Day 11	Sat 08 Mar	09h00 10h00 11h00	After immigration and customs formalities we depart Entebbe airport for 1 hour flight to <b>Kilimanjaro, Tanzania</b> . Board vehicles for 2 ½ hour drive via Lake Manyara to <b>Ngorongoro Farmhouse</b> . Afternoon at leisure to relax and enjoy the serene atmosphere on the coffee farm. Dinner and overnight at lodge.
Day 12	Sun 09 Mar		After breakfast, game drive excursion with lunch on floor of crater. Dinner and overnight at lodge.
Day 13	Mon 10 Mar	10h00 12h00	Breakfast at the Lodge. Transfer to <b>Serengeti</b> mobile tented camp in Ndutu area. Arrive at the camp for lunch and afternoon game drive. Dinner & overnight at the camp.
Day 14	Tue 11 Mar	09h00	Breakfast in camp. Morning & afternoon game drives in the Serengeti. Lunch, dinner & overnight at the camp.

Day 15	Wed 12 Mar	08h00 11h30 12h45	Transfer to airstrip for domestic flight to Kilimanjaro airport. Board aircraft for 1¼ hour flight to <b>Zanzibar</b> flying past Mt Kilimanjaro in <b>Tanzania</b> . Arrive Zanzibar and transfer to <b>Zanzibar Serena Hotel</b> for dinner and overnight.
Day 16	Thu 13 Mar	09h00 15h00	Island Spice Tour with lunch en route. Stone City tour. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 17	Fri 14 Mar	08h00 11h00 13h00 16h00	Transfer to Zanzibar airport for 2-hour flight to <b>Mfuwe, Zambia</b> . Depart Mfuwe airport for 1-hour flight to <b>Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe</b> . Arrive Victoria Falls. Transfer to the <b>Victoria Falls Hotel</b> for lunch. Sunset Cruise on the Zambezi River followed by African Spectacular Show. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.
Day 18	Sat 15 Mar		Day at leisure. An activities desk is provided in the foyer of the hotel. Optional helicopter rides, river rafting, bungee jumping, craft village, guided tours of Falls. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 19	Sun 16 Mar	10h00	After breakfast board <b>Rovos Rail's Pride of Africa</b> . Dinner and overnight on the train.
Day 20	Mon 17 Mar	06h00	Game drive and breakfast Antelope Park, Dabuka. Lunch and dinner on board.
Day 21	Tue 18 Mar	16h00 17h00	From Pyramid Station the Pride of Africa is hauled by a Rovos steam locomotive for the last leg of the journey to Pretoria. Arrive at the Rovos Rail's gracious Capital Park station in <b>Pretoria</b> . Transfer to the <b>Sheraton Hotel</b> in Pretoria. for dinner and overnight.
Day 22	Wed 19 Mar	09h00 15h30	City tour of Pretoria followed by a light garden lunch and a sightseeing walk of the Rovos depot. Depart from Rovos Rail's Capital Park Station for Cape Town.
Day 23	Thu 20 Mar	10h00 13h00	Arrive in Kimberley for tour of 'Big Hole' and diamond museum. Rejoin the train for lunch. Afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight on board the train.
Day 24	Fri 21 Mar	08h30 10h30 18h00	Arrive at <b>Matjiesfontein</b> Victorian Village for 2 hour visit. Depart for Cape Town. Arrive in <b>Cape Town</b> . Transfer, dinner and overnight at the <b>Cape Grace Hotel</b> on the V & A Waterfront.
Day 25	Sat 22 Mar	08h30	Depart for full day tour of <b>Cape Winelands</b> , including a visit to a famous wine estate with lunch en route. Afternoon visits to Franschhoek, Boschendal and Stellenbosch. Overnight at hotel.
Day 26	Sun 23 Mar	08h30	Depart for full day tour of <b>Cape Peninsula</b> (including Groot Constantia, Fish Hoek, Simonstown, Cape Point, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay and Kirstenbosch). Light lunch en route. <b>Farewell dinner</b> and overnight at hotel.
Day 27	Mon 24 Mar		Depart Cape Town for home. Own arrangements.

**27 Day Tour price per person sharing: US\$ 22,000 • Single Supplement US\$ 5000**

**Supplement: US\$1 500 per person for upgrade to Royal Suite (train portion)**

Tour price includes accommodation, meals, excursions and taxes plus alcoholic beverages only whilst on board the train and 'plane  
Excluded are gratuities, items of a personal nature and alcoholic beverages off-train

Visas may be required for South Africa, Zambia, Tanzania, Uganda, Sudan and Egypt, and should be acquired prior to arrival.  
Passengers are requested to have yellow fever inoculations, and are advised to take anti-malarial precautions as might be prescribed before commencing the journey.  
Please note terms and conditions for Rovos Rail and Rovos Air enclosed.  
Trip cancellation insurance is compulsory.