# Sonesta Amirat Dahabiya

## 7 nights / 8 days Aswan – Luxor Trip

## Saturday

- Embarkation in Aswan for a relaxing week sailing the Nile on a Luxuriously appointed
  Dahabeya
- Overnight, the ship moors on the Nile Banks of Aswan

## Sunday

- Today you will visit the Aswan High Dam (completed in 1971); the Old Dam (completed in 1902)
- You will also visit the Philae Temple, dedicated to the goddess Isis, a structure rescued from the rising waters of Lake Nasser at the time of the High Dam's construction
- Sail on the way to Kom Ombo (noon time)
- Overnight near by Kom Ombo

## Monday

- Morning sail to Kom Ombo
- To visit the ptolemaic temple dedicated to the crocodile god sobek and the falconheaded Horus, god of the morning sun
- Overnight moored beside a Nile Island

## Tuesday

- This morning you will sail to Edfu
- To visit the wonderfully preserved Temple of Edfu
- Overnight moored beside an Island

#### Wednesday

- Today will be a leisurely day; After Breakfast
- Commence sailing to Esna, and passing the lock,
- Then Dahabeya will moor beside a Nile Island

## **Thursday**

 This morning you will sail to luxor and visit the magnificent temple complex of Amon-Ra at Karnak, with its vast hypostyle hall of 137 columns, followed by the imposing 28th Dynasty Luxor Temple.

## Overnight moored in Luxor

## Friday

- Excursion to the West Bank to visit the great burial places of the Pharaohs the Valley of the Kings - where Howard Carter discovered the tomb of Tutankhamen in 1922. Continue to the adjacent Valley of the Queens, Medinet Habu Temple and the Colossi of Memnon.
- Overnight moored in Luxor

## Saturday

- o Breakfast aboard the Dehabeya
- o Followed by disembarkation