

### **Payment Schedule**

A 50% deposit is required within 7 days of receiving your invoice for registration; or you may pay in full within 7 days and receive a \$100 discount per person registered. If you choose to pay in installments, full payment is due no later than 60 days after the date of your registration.

Spaces are limited on the tour, so no reservation is confirmed until payment is received.

Within a few business days of submitting your request for registration, you will receive an invoice in US dollars from *Creation Ministries International—US* (the tour organizer) for the full cost of the tour for you and any travel companions for which you registered. The link to pay the invoice will take you to PayPal, but you do not have to have a PayPal account to pay with a credit card. If you want to pay from your bank account, you will need to set up a PayPal account and link it to your bank account. You will pay in US dollars and PayPal will charge you in your own local currency based upon the exchange rate at that time, plus currency conversion fees.

Places will be designated on a first come, first serve basis, so your invoice must be paid within **seven (7) days** of the date of the invoice to confirm your spot. If we do not receive payment within this time frame, your reservation will be cancelled.

## **Cancellation Policy**

Please note that some parts of the tour are booked and confirmed as soon as you have paid the deposit and are non-refundable. For this reason, full refunds are not available.

- All cancellations should be made in writing by fax or email.
- If you cancel from registration date September 13, 2024, we will retain 25% of the tour cost.
- If you cancel from September 14 November 14, 2024, we will retain 50% of the tour cost.
- If you cancel from November 15 December 15, 2024, we will retain 75% of the tour cost.
- No cancellations after December 15, 2024. If you cancel after this date or fail to arrive in Cairo at the beginning
  of the tour, no refund will be given.

The tour may be canceled for reasons beyond CMI's control, such as a level 4 travel advisory that advises not to travel to Egypt, acts of war, natural disasters, pandemics, or an act of God. In the event of cancellation by CMI or the tour company, you will receive a full refund.

**Note:** Travel insurance, though not included, is highly recommended as it will protect your flight cost and total investment. If using travel insurance for a full refund of all costs (flights & tour), the travel voucher issued by the local tour company is no longer valid. You can use travel insurance for flight reimbursement only and still retain the tour voucher if you wish.

Creation Ministries International urges all participants to purchase travel insurance as it is not provided by us nor the tour company. (Note: many credit card companies offer travel insurance if you use their cards to book your trip. Check with your card provider).

## Release of Liability

I am participating in the *Creation Ministries International Egypt 2025 Tour* (hereinafter called Tour) of my own volition and at my own risk, and I certify that I am physically and emotionally able to participate in all activities of the tour, which includes walking 3-4 miles per day over uneven terrain. This tour is unsuitable for people with limited mobility that hinders them from walking unassisted and/or requiring a wheelchair.



I acknowledge that I am in good physical condition and understand that if a CMI staff member or tour guide deems me unfit to attend a site due to illness or not being physically capable, I will stay at the hotel instead of attending the sites in question.

I acknowledge that a certain element of risk exists with any travel that includes, but is not limited to, the hazards of traveling by aircraft, bus, coach, ship or any form of road, waterway, or air transportation, and on occasion this may not be located close to medical facilities should illness, an accident or an injury occur. Additionally, I acknowledge that personal loss or damage to property may occur. I accept and assume all the risks of participating in the aforementioned Tour.

By accepting this agreement (and my heirs, assigns, executors and/or administrators and additional passengers for whom I am booking) fully and finally release *Creation Ministries International* and all of their related worldwide offices, employees, agents, volunteers, and contractors from all responsibility or liability for any loss of or damage to any of my property, or any injury or death to me and/or any other person for whom I am booking arising in any manner whatsoever (including by way of negligence of any other person or entity) out of my participation in the Tour. I further release any and all claims brought by or through me, including claims based on relationships with other people. I also agree that any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this tour shall be settled by binding Christian arbitration conducted by the *National Center for Life and Liberty*, and judgment on the award may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. This release contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto and the terms of this release are contractual and not a mere recital.

I also grant permission to *Creation Ministries International*, its representatives, contractors, employees, and volunteers acting on behalf of the ministry, to take and/or use, copyright, publish, edit, crop or treat images or likenesses of me and/or my minor children traveling with me, including photographs, videos or otherwise, for any lawful use on the ministry's website, social media pages, blogs, or in other official ministry printed or electronic publications without further consideration. I understand that this consent and release will operate in full force until such time as I withdraw my consent in writing. I understand that should photographs or videos of me be used on *Creation Ministries International's* owned or operated websites or webpages, they may be available for download; and that printed or distributed copies may not be later retrievable.

I acknowledge that *Creation Ministries International* has advised me to purchase travel insurance separately as this is not provided as part of the tour package; nor is any insurance coverage whatsoever provided for accident, illness, loss of life, and/or loss of, or damage to, property.

I acknowledge that I have carefully read the foregoing release and understand the contents thereof; and that I accept the risks associated with this tour as in any travel; and I have given the release stated above of my own free will and I have not relied upon any verbal, written or visual representations or statements made by *Creation Ministries International*.

### Code of conduct

All tour attendees agree to abide by the following Code of Conduct

Christian live-in conferences and tours face unique challenges, given that most of them provide overnight accommodations and or lodging facilities. Christian tours that take the position that they will not permit homosexuals to lodge together or transgender individuals to use lodging or restroom/locker room facilities of their chosen (as



opposed to biological) gender will naturally become a target for discrimination claims, particularly in those jurisdictions where sexual orientation and gender identity are protected classifications in antidiscrimination laws (in the same way as race, gender, and religion are protected). Christian organizations like *Creation Ministries International* need to implement several policies that clearly state their beliefs and positions on biblical marriage and sexual orientation/gender identity and the impact of this stance on all aspects of the tour, including admissions and lodging, and campers' behaviors. They should also require campers (or guardians of minor campers) and employees to sign an acknowledgment that they have read and agree to abide by the terms of camp admissions and other policies and codes of conduct.

It is the policy of *Creation Ministries International's Tour Egypt* to maintain a standard of behavior among its guests, staff, volunteers, and visitors (hereafter 'attendees') that is above reproach, and in keeping with the ministry's statement of faith as aligned with Scripture. Certain conduct will not be tolerated during the tour.

By confirming your participation in this tour, you are agreeing to conduct yourself in keeping with the policies and guidelines that follow, which are set upon the Bible's principles and admonitions on such things, and as such, they represent *Creation Ministries International's* set of beliefs on same. You are agreeing that you have read, understood, and agree to abide by the tour's policies and code of conduct. These policies follow.

### Lodging and admissions marriage policy

Accommodations for married couples are reserved only for those couples in a biblically defined marriage, which is defined as between one man and one woman as their biological genders were determined at birth. To that end, same-sex couples or transgender individuals in a same-sex or opposite-sex marriage or relationship or any other type of relationship that violates this ministry's beliefs defined by our statement of faith, including opposite sex, *de-facto* relationships. Prospective attendees in such relationships will be denied admission and participation on the tour. If a breach of this policy is discovered after the tour has already commenced, the couple will be denied further attendance to any events or sessions, and will be required to leave the tour. No refund on any unused portion shall be given.

#### **Expression of gender and transgender policies**

It is a condition of tour participation that all attendees present themselves as their God-given biological genders (as determined at birth) and that accommodations will be assigned on that basis.

#### Romantic and sexual activity while on the tour

There should be no overt demonstration of romantic involvement between non-married (according to the biblical definition above) attendees. 1. This includes but is not limited to kissing or any other contact that would contribute to undue familiarity. 2. Immoral conduct and/or advocating for or advancing immoral conduct, defined as bodily contact, actively undertaken or passively permitted, between members of the opposite sex or members of the same sex for the purpose of satisfying sexual desires and any bodily contact that a reasonable person would understand to demonstrate a propensity or intent to engage in an immoral act. 3. Identifying statement(s) of immoral acts, defined as an individual's statements, actions, language, or behavior, whether through dress or other appearance, words, or other expression that a reasonable person would believe is intended to associate or identify that individual as sexually active or a claim that the person is homosexual, bisexual, transgender, or otherwise immoral or has the propensity to or intent to engage in immoral actions. Examples: "I'm gay," "I'm a homosexual," "I have a homosexual



orientation," "I am transgender," or "I am sexting," "or I am sleeping with my boyfriend." Homosexual or transgender conduct, either as acts or identifying statements, is incompatible with tour participation and is a basis for being denied further attendance to any events or sessions. All attendees must be treated with dignity and respect, free of threats or harassment, and because attendees are attending said tour expecting others to act within the policy guidelines determined by *Creation Ministries International's* statement of faith, inappropriate behavior will be deemed as an offence to others and the spirit in which the tour has been convened.

The final determination of whether an attendee's actions constitute a violation of the code of conduct will be made by the management of *Creation Ministries International*. By registering to attend, you are, and on behalf of everyone listed on your registration, agreeing to all terms and conditions contained herein. Please note there will be no exceptions to this Code of Conduct/Terms of Conditions during the tour. Failure to comply may result in guests being asked to leave or being removed from the tour and denied further attendance to any events or sessions. No refund on any unused portion of attendance shall be given.

Thank you for your cooperation in these matters.

I have read and accept the term, conditions, and Code of Conduct for participating in the Egypt 2025 Tour which are also available at <a href="https://creation.com/en-us/egypt2025">https://creation.com/en-us/egypt2025</a>.