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Egypt 2 : Luxor and the Nile Valley

Luxor, the capital of Upper Egypt, and the area around it, contain a number of extraordinary sites which should feature on the must-do list for any visitor: the temple of Karnak, a conglomeration of religious structures, that of Luxor, one of the largest temples in Egypt, and the necropolis of Thebes.

The Temple of Karnak, to the North of the town, is a massive archaeological excavation site, where a number of temples have been unearthed.

Opposite, on the other side the river Nile, are the Necropolis of Thebes, the Valley of the Kings, and the Valley of the Queens, the sacred burial sites of the Pharaohs of the New Empire.

To the North of the Colossi of Memnon, is the Ramesseum, the memorial temple of Ramses II, currently under restoration.

All along the Valley of the Nile, you come across temples, some of which are amongst the most remarkable in Egypt; Kom Ombo, for example, or Edfou, one of the best preserved in Egypt, where we can get a real sense of the daily life of the former priests.

Directed by Jacques VICHET A documentary of 52’

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