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Israel: Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

with Optional 4-Night Discover Jordan Post Tour Extension

October 21 – 29, 2015



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"Religious Tours" are competitively priced journeys that focus on the needs of our faith-based travellers. Featuring three star hotels and more modest meals, these packages are designed to capture the reflective and humble surroundings of the world-famous spiritual sites they visit. With an emphasis on religious inclusions, these tours also include other culturally appropriate attractions and the services of a professional Tour Manager.



Highlights... Jaffa, Caesarea, Nazareth, Cana, Tiberias, Sea of Galilee, Mount of Beatitudes, Capernaum, Transfiguration Church, Bethlehem, Church of the Nativity, Jerusalem, Mount of Olives, Church of The Holy Sepulchre, Western Wall, Via Dolorosa, Celebrate Mass Daily

Day 1: Wednesday, October 21, 2015
Overnight Flight

Travel to the Holy Land on an inspirational journey that visits some of the most ancient sites in the world.

Day 2: Thursday, October 22, 2015
Tel Aviv, Israel - Tour Begins

Your tour begins in Tel Aviv, a bustling city brimming with culture and history, situated on the Israeli Mediterranean coastline. Tonight, join your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner. *(D)*

Day 3: Friday, October 23, 2015 Tel Aviv - Jaffa - Caesarea - Acre - Nazareth - Cana - Tiberias

Journey to the ancient port city of Jaffa for a leisurely stroll through the winding alleys of the historic area.

Celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Church. Travel to the walled city and Roman ruins of Caesarea. It was here that St. Peter converted the first pagan, Centurion Cornelius, to become a Christian, and St. Paul was

imprisoned for two years. Next, stop in Acre, an ancient crusader city and UNESCO World Heritage site. **In Nazareth, visit the Church of the Annunciation.** Your day concludes with a visit to Cana, the site of Our Lord's first miracle, at a wedding feast where you can renew your marriage vows. *(B, D)*

Day 4: Saturday, October 24, 2015
Tiberias - Sea of Galilee - Tabgha - Capernaum - Tiberias

This morning enjoy a special treat when you take a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee where many of the apostles were fishermen and Our Lord preached. Travel to nearby Tabgha and visit the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and the Fishes built to commemorate the miraculous feeding of five thousand. Stop at the Mount of Beatitudes for a stunning view of the Sea of Galilee. **Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Beatitudes.** Continue to the Church of the Primacy of St. Peter where Our



Lord appeared to the apostles after His resurrection. In Capernaum, visit the church built over the ruins of St. Peter's house. Get a taste of the local flavour when you enjoy lunch at a communal settlement known as a Kibbutz. Later, cross the River Jordan to visit the Golan Heights and the Hashalom Observatory. Finally, visit Yardenit, the Jordan River baptismal site. *(B, L, D)*

Day 5: Sunday, October 25, 2015
Tiberias - Mount Tabor - Bethlehem - Jerusalem

Travel to Mount Tabor, the site of the Transfiguration. Proceed to Bethlehem and enjoy a stop at Shepherds' Field, where the angels appeared on the first Christmas night. **Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Nativity, built on the birth site of Our Lord.** Later, arrive in one of the holiest cities in the world, Jerusalem. *(B, D)*

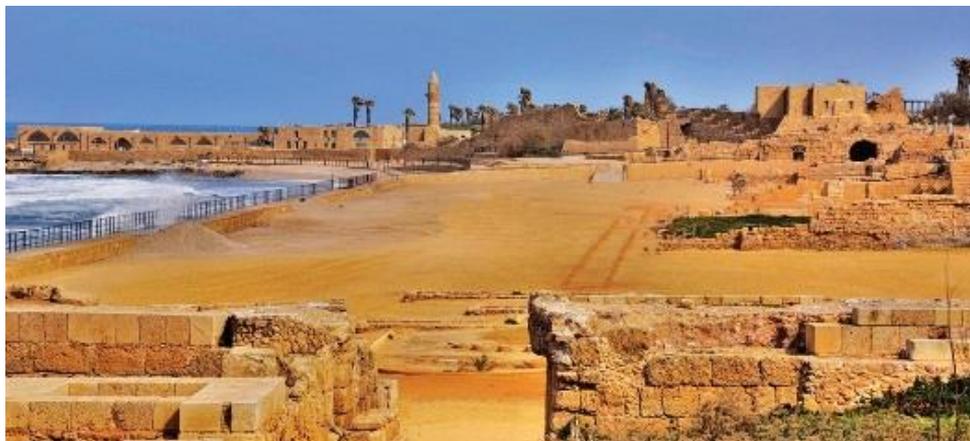
Day 6: Monday, October 26, 2015
Jerusalem, the Old City

Your visit to Jerusalem begins with a visit to the Church of the Paternoster, built on the traditional site where Jesus taught His disciples the Lord's

Prayer; its name refers to the "Our Father" prayer. Next, visit the Mount of Olives and the site where Our Lord wept over the city, now known as Dominus Flevit. Afterwards, visit the Church of All Nations, built over the rock on which Our Lord prayed the night before He was crucified. Continue to the Tomb of the Virgin Mary and the Garden of Gethsemane, the site of Christ's betrayal by Judas. Travel to Caiaphas' Palace, known today as St. Peter in Gallicantu, where St. Peter once denied Our Lord in one of its courts. **This afternoon, travel to Ein Karem to visit the Church of St. John the Baptist, built over the Grotto of his birthplace, and celebrate Mass.** *(B, D)*

Day 7: Tuesday, October 27, 2015
Jerusalem

Today you are free to explore the city on your own. Perhaps you'll choose to take an optional excursion to the Dead Sea to discover where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found, visit Masada, stop at AHAVA Visitors Centre and perhaps even float on the salty waters of the Dead Sea. **Later today, gather with your fellow travellers to celebrate Mass.** *(B, D)*



Day 8: Wednesday, October 28, 2015

Jerusalem - Western Wall

Enter the old city through St. Stephen's Gate where St. Stephen, the first Christian martyr, was stoned to death. Continue to the Church of St. Anne, marking the place where the parents of the Blessed Mother lived. Visit the nearby Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the paralytic, and see the Ecce Homo Arch, the site where Pontius Pilate presented Our Lord to the crowds. **Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the site of His crucifixion, burial and resurrection.** Walk through the Muslim, Christian and Jewish quarters to the Western Wall of the Temple. Then, follow the Via Dolorosa, the Way of the Cross, walked by Our Lord on the way to His crucifixion. Next, visit the Church of the Dormition (commemorating Our

Lady's Assumption) and the nearby Hall of the Last Supper. In Jerusalem, enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travellers to celebrate the end of this unforgettable and holy experience. (B, D)

Day 9: Thursday, October 29, 2015

Jerusalem - Tour Ends

(B)

Itinerary at a glance

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Day 2	Kfar Maccabiah Hotel, Tel Aviv
Days 3, 4	Leonardo Hotel Tiberias, Tiberias
Days 5 – 8	Leonardo Jerusalem Hotel, Jerusalem

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Experience It! Jerusalem's Old City: A Confluence of Faiths

Enter the sacred gates of Jerusalem's proud Old City and meander its charming, labyrinthine cobblestone streets. The Old City covers less than one square mile and, despite its size, is of great symbolic importance for Judaism, Christianity and Islam. Your journey includes venerable locations which have existed for

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You can also find this information on your tour documents.

thirty centuries. Walk along the Via Dolorosa or Way of Sorrows to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the site of Jesus Christ's crucifixion, burial and resurrection. Observe the solemnity of the Western Wall, the only surviving remnant of Judaism's most sacred shrine, the Temple Mount; and gaze in awe at one of the world's great architectural masterpieces, the Dome of the Rock. The Old City protects history and transforms the travellers who visit. It is truly a highlight of your trip to Israel.

Please Note:

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing Collette airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Triple accommodations are not available in all hotels. When this is the case, a twin and single room will be assigned.

Proper dress is required when visiting religious sites, sanctuaries, basilicas, etc.

Location of daily mass is subject to availability. On occasion, it's possible one of the churches listed in the itinerary may not be available; in that case, an alternate church will be made available.

To truly experience the program and destination, you need to be able to participate in physical activities such as longer walking tours, walking over uneven terrain, climbing stairs and periods of standing. Some of the touring days may be longer, with select included activities occurring later in the evening.

Due to flight schedules, you may require a very early morning departure from the hotel on the

last day (Day 9). Travel distance from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion airport is approximately 1 hour and 30 minutes (depending upon traffic conditions). Due to security cheques, it is recommended that you arrive at Ben Gurion airport 3 hours prior to departure.

Air passengers will depart from the Tel Aviv airport and all transfers will depart from Jerusalem for the Tel Aviv airport.

Due to tour scheduling, arrival flights into Tel Aviv should arrive prior to 5:00 PM.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more travelling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$250 per person due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the seat reduction date of April 15, 2015 are based upon availability. Final payment due by August 21, 2015. Please note: deposits are fully refundable up until April 22, 2015, after that date certain charges apply.

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Extend your holiday with

Optional 5 Days 4-Night Discover Jordan Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,650.00 CAD per person, double, land only

6 Meals: 4 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners

Day 9: Jerusalem - Jordan Valley Border Crossing - Madaba, Jordan - Mt. Nebo

This morning you travel to the Jordan Valley, crossing the border* into Jordan. Travel the Desert Highway to the city of Madaba, the "City of Mosaics." **Visit the church of St. George to see the famous 6th-century Byzantine mosaic map of the region, one of the oldest in existence, and the museum where many other spectacular mosaic examples are on display.** Visit a local mosaic school to learn the history of this ancient art and how to create your very own mosaic piece. You will also visit Mt. Nebo, where Moses saw the Promised Land – present day Israel – and is believed to be laid to rest. Continue to the ancient city of Petra for a two night stay.

Day 10: Petra

Enjoy a full day tour of the remarkable stone-carved city of Petra (UNESCO), one of the new Wonders of the World. A treasure of the ancient world, Petra was "hidden" behind rugged mountains prior to its discovery in 1812 after being lost for over 300 years. Explore this breathtaking city, carved from sandstone by the Nabataeans, with an expert guide and learn about the importance of Petra to the ancient trade routes, the history of its prominence and decline, its rediscovery, and efforts at preservation. This evening, experience the flavours of the region with a delightful dinner at a popular local restaurant. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 11: Petra - Wadi Rum - Amman

This morning, depart for the immense desert of Wadi Rum, stunning in its natural beauty and home of the famous film, *Lawrence of Arabia*. Experience desert life and learn about the fascinating history of the Bedouin people who have lived for generations in the Wadi Rum's stark, fragile and unspoiled desert. Later, arrive in Amman, known as the "White City" because of white limestone used to construct the majority of the buildings. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 12: Amman - Jerash - Jordan Valley Border Crossing - Tel Aviv, Israel

Travel the quiet valley among the mountains of Gilead to the city of Jerash – the "Pompeii of the East." Step back in time as you tour the ruins with a local guide. Walk through columned streets, hilltop temples, public squares and plazas. Archeologists uncovered evidence inside the city walls indicating Amman was occupied as far back as the Neolithic age over 6,500 years ago. Later, travel to the Jordan Valley Border Crossing*, returning to Israel. Continue to Tel Aviv for your overnight stay. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 13: Tel Aviv - Tour Ends

Today breakfast will be included.

Please Note:

*When using the shuttle buses at the border crossings, a 3 USD fee per person, paid in local currency or USD, is collected on the bus by each driver.

*Israel exit fee is approximately 32 CAD per person, paid in local currency when crossing the border into Jordan. A Jordanian visa is required and can be purchased at the Sheik Hussein (Jordan Valley) border crossing. As of April 1, 2014 the government of Jordan has increased this to an approximate cost of 65 CAD, paid in local currency (40 Jordanian dinar). Money can be exchanged at the border crossing. When returning to Israel, the Jordan exit fee is approximately 20 CAD per person, paid in local currency, subject to change without advance notice. Rates are approximate and can be changed at any time based on governing authority.

This extension is hosted by local representatives who will provide all included services.

A minimum of 2 passengers is required for this extension to operate.

†Please Note: Book Now rates valid until Apr 22, 2015, valid on air inclusive packages only.

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Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Jerusalem



Jerusalem by Night with Tower of David "Sound & Light Show" (by bus & foot)

\$94 CAD

Discover the treasures of Jerusalem by night, a beacon of three faiths. By bus, enjoy stunning views of the Old City walls, Temple Mount and Mount Zion. On foot, walk through Jaffa gate to the Old City (UNESCO), which combines the beauty of what is old with an allure that is timeless and visit the Citadel (also known as the Tower of David). The walls of the Citadel serve as a stage for a "Night Spectacular" show which is a celebration of sight and sound. Amidst the archaeological remains in the Citadel's courtyard and to the sound of original music, the story of Jerusalem unfolds through giant breathtaking, virtual reality images. Explore the Jewish Quarter, where echoes of history meet the voices of the present day. Discover hidden archways, spiraling stairways, and arrive at the Wailing Wall, the holiest place of Judaism and the single most visited site in Jerusalem. The Wailing Wall attracts visitors from all over the world and of all faiths and denominations. It stands as the only reminder of the Holy Temple and is visited by thousands every day. *Duration: Approximately 3 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



Qumran - Masada - Dead Sea & Jericho

\$99 CAD

Enjoy a private full day excursion to some of the most historic regions in Israel. First, depart Jerusalem and travel to Qumran for a view of the caves where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Next, take a ten minute cable car ride to the top of Masada, where a small group of Jewish zealots stood up the attack of the Roman legion and emerged victorious even in defeat. In 2001, Masada was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Tour the remnants of the palace fortress, complete with Roman style bathhouses built by King Herod, as well as storehouses, ritual baths and synagogues built by the Jews. Stand on the summit plateau for stunning views of the Dead Sea and the surrounding Judean Desert. Later, enjoy free time to float on the salty waters of the Dead Sea, the lowest point on earth. On your return to Jerusalem, stop at the oldest city on earth, Jericho, for a distant view of the Mount of Temptations. Price includes: Private transportation and guide as well as all entrance fees. Passports are required to enter Jericho and should be brought with you. *Duration: Approximately 9 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



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✓	Option	Price Per Person (CAD)
	Jerusalem by Night with Tower of David "Sound & Light Show" (by bus & foot)	94.00
	Qumran - Masada - Dead Sea & Jericho <i>Price includes: Private transportation and guide as well as all entrance fees. Passports are required to enter Jericho and should be brought with you.</i>	99.00

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