

Trip Details

Israel | Holy Land

What's Included

- Personalized meet & assist upon arrival at the airport Transfer from airport to the hotel by a deluxe air-conditioned vehicle
- Arrival and departure transfer
- Porterage at airport and hotels
- 1 night in Tel Aviv at Metropolitan Hotel or similar
- 2 nights in Tiberias at Lake House Hotel or similar
- · 4 nights in Jerusalem at Grand Court Hotel or similar
- 13 Meals: 7 Breakfast and 6 Dinners
- Visit the port city of Jaffa
- Visit Megiddo
- Boat ride across the Sea of Galilee
- Visit Tabgha and the Church of Multiplication
- Visit the sites on the North of the Galilee
- Visit the Church of the Primacy of St Peter
- Visit Banias Caesarea Phillipi
- Visit the Yardenit Baptismal Site

- Sail on a boat on the Sea of Galilee
- Visit the Ancients Synagogue at Beit Alpha
- Drive through the remarkable scenery of the Ded Sea
- Ascend Masada by cable car
- Visit the excavations, King Herolds Palace
- Visit the ancient city of Qumran
- Ascend Masada by cable car
- Visit Yad Vashem
- Visit Bethlemen
- Visit the Old City of Jerusalem
- Visit the Via Dolorosa and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre
- Visit the Tomb of King David
- Visit the Garden of Gethsemane
- Visit the Mount of Olives
- * Note: Visit subject to availability

Not Included

- Optional tours or visits
- Any beverages
- Tips for guides, drivers, and specialist guides
- Personal expenses

Day by Day

DAY 1 | (ARRIVAL) Tel Aviv

Welcome to Israel! Upon arrival at Ben Gurion International Airport, a representative will assist you through baggage claim and customs and escort you to your driver. Your driver will transport you to your hotel in Tel Aviv.

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel

Meals: NA

DAY 2 | Jerusalem

Breakfast at the hotel, after your tour guide, will pick you up from your hotel.

Drive for a visit to the port city of Jaffa (Joppa) where we will take a short walking tour in picturesque alleys of the old, fortified town. We will pass by the house of Simon the Tanner and marvel at the views from the hilltop.

We drive north along the coastal road - Via Maris, to the archaeological ruins of Caesarea, built by Herod the Great in honor of Augustus Caesar.

From here we go on to visit Megiddo where the book of Revelations mentions a great battle at the place called "Armageddon", an ancient city inhabited continuously for more than five millennia (6000-500 B.C.).

After exploring the ancient ruins we drive toward the Sea of Galilee, stopping at Cana to visit the Wedding Church where Jesus performed his first miracle, turning water into wine.

Arrive at Tiberias and check in to your hotel

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 3 | Jerusalem

Begin your morning with breakfast at your hotel. After visiting the sites on the north shore of the Sea of Galilee, the stage for many of the events in Jesus' life.

Drive along the shore of the sea to Capernaum – known as "His Town", the center of Jesus ministry where he spent much time healing the sick and performing miracles

On to Tabgha, the site of Christ's miracle of feeding the 5,000, visiting the Church of Multiplication, where the mosaic floor depicts a basket with loaves and two fishes, and the Church of the Primacy of St Peter, commemorating Jesus' reinstatement of Peter as chief among the Apostles.

Continue to the Mount of Beatitudes overlooking the sea, where Jesus preached the "Sermon on the Mount" and it is believed that he picked his 12 apostles.

Ascend to the Golan Heights to view the panoramic view of the peaks of Mt. Hermon and the rugged Golan plateau.

Visit Banias (Caesarea Philippi), one of the sources of the River Jordan, where Jesus took his disciples, revealing His purpose and His Church before his last trip to Jerusalem and where Simon identified Jesus as the messiah.

Drive to the southern part of the Sea of Galilee to visit the Yardenit Baptismal Site.

Return to Tiberias for another night in town.

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel

Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 4 | Beit Shean-Nazareth-Safed

Breakfast at the hotel. After we will sail on a boat on the Sea of Galilee to experience the tranquility and scenery little changed during the past 2000 years (subject to conditions and fees).

Travel through the Galilee to Nazareth, where Jesus spent his childhood, and the Church of Annunciation, built on the site where archaeologists believe the Archangel Gabriel appeared to the Virgin Mary. You will also see Mary's Well and Joseph's Church.

Visit the ancient synagogue at Beit Alpha, located at the foot of the northern slopes of the Gilboa Mountains which has one of the most preserved and beautiful mosaics in Israel.

Drive through the Jordan Valley, passing by Jericho, before ascending through the Judean Mountains to Jerusalem.

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 5 | Golan Heights-Sea of Galilee

Following breakfast, Drive up to the Golan Heights passing by Banias, the source of the Jordan River, former Syrian fortifications, and the Druze villages.

Enjoy an Israeli wine country experience, with vineyards surrounded by breathtaking views. Become acquainted with the collection of fine and rare wines enjoying a tour, wine tasting, and understanding of the wine production process.

Descend to the shore of the Sea of Galilee and proceed to Capernaum, to visit the ruins of the ancient synagogue, the Mount of Beatitudes, the traditional site of the 'Sermon on the Mount' and Tabgha, the traditional site of the 'miracle of the loaves and the fish.

Onwards to Tiberias, the old center of Jewish learning.

Optional sailing on a boat across the Sea of Galilee to experience the tranquility and scenery little changed during the past 2000 years (subject to conditions and fee).

Return to the hotel overnight.

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 6 | Acre-Haifa-Caesarea-Tel Aviv

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel. After starting the day at the Israel Museum's Shrine of the Book with the famous Dead Sea scrolls, then a visit to the beautifully renovated Model of the Herodian city of Jerusalem, dating back to the time of the Second Temple.

Enjoy Ein Karem; a picturesque village in the southwestern outskirts of Jerusalem. This small village has great significance in Christian traditions since this is where according to tradition John the Baptist was born.

Visit Yad Vashem the official memorial to the Jewish victims of the Holocaust, established in 1953, located at the foot of Mt. Hertzl.

Visit Bethlehem - the birthplace of Jesus at the Church of the Nativity and Manger Square. Return to your Jerusalem hotel.

Overnight in Jerusalem

Meals Included | Breakfast and Dinner

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 7 | Tel Aviv

Breakfast at the hotel. After we will enter the Old City of Jerusalem where you will see the Western Wall and the actual site of the Second Temple, the Temple Mount.

Walk the Way of the Cross, the Via Dolorosa, to Calvary and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, housing both the traditional site of Crucifixion and the Tomb of the Resurrection.

To the southwest, just outside the Old City, is Mount Zion, with the traditional tomb of King David and the Room of the Last Supper.

Visit the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus spent his last night and was betrayed by Judas.

Enjoy the spectacular panoramic view of Jerusalem - the holy city for each of the world's three great religions — Christianity, Judaism, and Islam, from atop the Mount of Olives.

Return to your hotel overnight.

Overnight in Jerusalem

Meals Included | Breakfast and Dinner

Hotels: Overnight at the hotel Meals: Breakfast and Dinner

DAY 8 | Departure - Tel Aviv

Enjoy your last meal of the trip. Depending on your departure time, you will be transferred from your hotel to Ben Gurion Airport for your departing flight home at the appropriate time home.

Hotels: NA

Meals: Breakfast