

Exploring Jordan

by
Private Car



Daily Departures (From Israel)

Packages Include:

- Deluxe Hotels
- Sightseeing by Private Car/Minivan with Driver/Escort
- Local Guides where Indicated per Itinerary (Supplement for Private Guide throughout available)
- Transfers as Indicated on Itinerary
- Entrance Fees to sites in Jordan

Meals:

- Buffet Breakfast Daily, Lunch & Dinners as specified

Hotels:

Amman	Grand Hyatt
Petra	Movenpick

(B) Breakfast (L) Lunch (D) Dinner



VIP Services Available at Allenby Bridge
(see page 71)



Tour A

#1A1P
3 Days/2 Nights (1 night Amman, 1 night Petra)

Enter: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge
Exit: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge▲ or Arava Crossing* (Eilat)

Day 1: Amman

Morning transfer from Jerusalem to the Allenby-King Hussein Bridge. Enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Meet your driver and continue to Ajloun to see Saladin's magnificent mountain top castle. On to Jerash, known as the "Pompeii of the East," one of the world's best-preserved Greco-Roman cities. Your local guide will escort you on a private tour of the Temples of Artemis and Zeus, the Roman Forum, Hadrian's Arch, the massive Theatre and the mile-long Street of Columns. After lunch, continue with your driver to Amman, the modern and ancient capital of Jordan; enjoy a panoramic city tour before checking into your hotel. Tonight, Dinner "Middle-Eastern style." Overnight in Amman. (L.D.)

Day 2: Petra

After breakfast, depart Amman and drive south along the Desert Road to Petra, built by the Nabateans over 2000 years ago. This is one of the world's most extraordinary travel experiences! Your local guide will take you on an unforgettable trip into the "rose red" city (by horseback and foot) begins at the awesome "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most impressive monument — the Treasury — carved out of the solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples, elaborate royal tombs, a theatre, burial chambers and water channels. Lunch is included in Petra. Dinner and overnight in Petra. (B.L.D.)

Day 3: Israel

After breakfast transfer from your hotel in Petra to the Allenby-King Hussein Bridge▲ or to the Arava Crossing (Eilat)* for re-entry to Israel. (B.)

▲ Transfer Allenby Bridge to Jerusalem: Add \$216 per car (1-5 people)

* Passengers exiting Jordan at the Arava Crossing (Eilat): Add \$110 per car (1-4 people — may be a shared transfer) applies and includes transfer to hotels in Eilat or to the Eilat Airport. An optional Jeep Tour to Wadi Rum may be arranged on Day 3 before return to Eilat (see page 70 for price).

Tour B

#2A1P
4 Days/3 Nights (2 nights Amman, 1 night Petra)

Enter: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge
Exit: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge

Day 1: Amman

Morning transfer from Jerusalem to the Allenby-King Hussein Bridge; enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Meet your driver and continue to Ajloun to see Saladin's magnificent Mountaintop castle. On to Jerash, known as the "Pompeii of the East," one of the world's best-preserved Greco-Roman cities. Your local guide will escort your on a private tour of the Temple of Artemis and, the Roman Forum, Hadrian's Arch, the massive Theatre and the mile-long Street of Columns. After lunch, continue with your driver to Amman, the modern and ancient capital of Jordan; enjoy a panoramic city tour before checking into your hotel. Tonight, Dinner "Middle-Eastern style." (L.D.)

Day 2: Amman / Petra

Depart with your driver to Mt. Nebo, where tradition says Moses climbed to see the Promised Land, and where he is presumed buried. Continue to Madaba to see the Church of St. George with its vivid 6th century Byzantine map created of mosaic tiles depicting Jerusalem and other holy sites. After lunch, drive via Wadi Mujib, a precipitous canyon, to Kerak Castle, with its maze of stone vaulted halls and endless passageways, from the time of the Crusaders. Arrive at the hotel in Petra for dinner and overnight. (B.L.D.)

Day 3: Petra / Amman

A most unforgettable day in Petra! Your local guide will take you on a private tour into the "rose red" city (by horseback and foot) beginning at the awesome "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most impressive monument — the Treasury — carved out of the solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples; elaborate royal tombs, a theatre, burial chambers and water channels. After lunch, return to Amman for overnight. (B.L.)

Day 4: Israel

Morning departure from Amman to the Allenby-King Hussein Bridge for re-entry into Israel. Upon your re-entry into Israel, you will be transferred to your hotel in Jerusalem. (B.)

Tour C

#1A2PE
4 Days/3 Nights
(1 night Amman, 2 nights Petra)
Enter: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge Exit: Arava Crossing (Eilat)

Day 1: Amman

Morning transfer from Jerusalem to the Allenby King Hussein Bridge; enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Meet your driver and continue to Ajloun to see Saladin's magnificent mountaintop castle. On to Jerash, known as the "Pompeii of the East," one of the world's best-preserved Greco-Roman cities. Your Local guide will escort you on a private tour of the Temples of Artemis and Zeus, the Roman Forum, Hadrian's Arch, the massive Theatre and mile-long Street of Columns. After lunch, continue with your driver to Amman, the modern and ancient capital of Jordan; enjoy a panoramic city tour before checking into your hotel. Tonight, Dinner "Middle Eastern Style." (L.D.)

Day 2: Petra

Travel with your driver along the King Highway as it winds its way south. Stop at the most revered site in Biblical Jordan: Mount Nebo, where Moses viewed the Promised Land; enjoy a breathtaking view of the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea. Continue to Madaba Byzantine center of master mosaics, where you will see the oldest surviving mosaic map of the Holy Land. Then, after lunch, continue to Kerak, where you will see one of Jordan's many castles dating back to the time of the crusaders. On to Petra. Dinner and overnight in Petra. (B.L.D.)

Day 3: Petra

A most unforgettable day in Petra, your local guide will take you on a private tour into the "rose red" city (by horseback and foot) begins at the awesome "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most impressive monument — the Treasury, beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples, elaborate royal tombs, a theatre, burial chambers and water channels. Lunch is included on today's tour. Return to your hotel for dinner and overnight in Petra. (B.L.D.)

Day 4: Israel (Eilat)

After breakfast, transfer to the Arava border crossing for your re-entry to Israel (Eilat). Upon your re-entry into Israel you will be met and transferred to your hotel in Eilat or to Eilat Airport (this may be a shared transfer). An optional Jeep Tour to Wadi Rum may be arranged on this day before your arrival at the Arava border (see page 70 for price). (B.)

Tour D

#1PE-A
1 Night (Petra)
Enter: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge
Exit: Arava Crossing (Eilat)

Day 1: Petra

Morning transfer from Jerusalem to the Allenby-King Hussein Bridge. Enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Meet your driver and continue to Mount Nebo, where Moses viewed the Promised Land; enjoy the breathtaking view of the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea. On to Madaba, to see the oldest surviving mosaic map of the Holy Land. Then, after lunch, see the dramatic Crusader castle of Kerak. Arrive in Petra, built by the Nabateans over 2,000 years ago. Dinner and overnight in Petra. (L.D.)

Day 2: Petra / Israel (Eilat)

A most Unforgettable day in Petra! Your local guide will take you on a private tour into the "rose-red" city (by horseback and foot), which begins at the "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most beautiful monument — the Treasury — carved out of the solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples; elaborate royal tombs, a theatre, burial chambers and water channels. After lunch in Petra, transfer to the Arava border crossing; enjoy the breathtaking scenery en route. Upon your re-entry to Israel you will be met and transferred to Eilat hotel or Airport (this may be a shared transfer). (B.L.)

Note: Flights departing Eilat on Tour D should be after 7:30pm.

Tour E

#E1P
1 Night (Petra)
Enter: Arava Crossing (Eilat)
Exit: Arava Crossing (Eilat)

Day 1: Petra

Transfer from your Eilat Hotel or Airport to the Arava Border Crossing. Enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Meet your driver and continue to Petra, built by the Nabateans 2,000 years ago; you will see breathtaking scenery en route. Your local guide will take you on a private tour into the "rose red" city (by horseback and foot) begins at the awesome "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most impressive monument — the Treasury — carved out of the solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples; elaborate royal tombs, a theatre, burial chambers and water channels. Lunch is in Petra. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Petra. (L.D.)

Day 2: Petra / Israel (Eilat)

Morning departure from Petra to the Arava border crossing. Upon your re-entry into Israel (Eilat), you'll be met and transferred to the Eilat hotel or Airport (this may be a shared transfer). An optional Jeep tour to Wadi Rum may be arranged on this day before your arrival to the Arava border (see page 70 for price). (B.)

Tour F

#2P
3 Days/2 Nights (Petra)
Enter: Allenby Bridge or Amman Airport (or Aqaba Port)
Exit: Allenby-King Hussein Bridge or Amman Airport (or Arava, Eilat)

Day 1: Petra

Arrive at Amman Airport or at the Jordanian side of the Allenby Bridge known as the King Hussein Bridge in Jordan (*transfer from Jerusalem to Allenby Bridge is NOT INCLUDED**). Enter the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and meet your driver. Continue to Petra, built by the Nabateans over 2000 years ago. Dinner and overnight in Petra. (D)

Day 2: Petra

Today, a most unforgettable day in the "hidden" city of Petra. Your local guide will take you on a tour into the "rose red" city (by horseback and foot) beginning at the "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage you'll see Petra's most impressive monument, the Treasury, carved out of solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury (made famous in the movie "Indiana Jones"), you'll discover soaring temples, elaborate royal tombs, shrines, palaces, and even a theater. After lunch, walk/ride back to the entrance of the site and on to your hotel. Balance of the afternoon at leisure. In the evening, enjoy dinner at the "Petra Kitchen" including Jordanian cooking lessons. A unique experience! Overnight in Petra. (B.L.D.)

Day 3: Petra / Wadi Rum – En Route

Depart to Wadi Rum for a jeep tour in the area that so inspired T.E. Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia). This enchanting desert is almost surreal with its distinctive beauty. Cross red sand dunes and explore the beautifully eroded pillars of sandstone rock known as "The Seven Pillars". Enjoy lunch in an authentic Bedouin Tent! Daylight time permitting, drive on to Mt. Nebo, where Moses viewed the Promised Land, and where he is presumed buried. (Mt. Nebo will be visited on Day 1 en route to Petra for those arriving early in the day). In the late afternoon, proceed to the airport in Amman (evening departures only) or to the King Hussein/ Allenby Bridge for re-entry into Israel* (*Israel re-entry from Bridge not valid Fri or Sat*). (B.L.)

Optional Exit at Arava (Eilat) can be arranged on Day 3 (without visit to Mt. Nebo). Add \$110 per car (Up to 4 persons) for transfer Arava to Eilat Hotels or Eilat Airport (may be a shared transfer).

* Entering or Exiting Allenby (King Hussein) Bridge: Private Car Transfer from Jerusalem to or from the Bridge, add \$216 per car (Up to 6 persons).

EXPLORING JORDAN BY PRIVATE CAR: LAND PRICES PER PERSON (USD)

Jan '18 – Jan '19

No. of Passengers in Vehicle - Daily Arrivals	4 seat Car		7 seat Minivan		Single
	2	3	4-5 **	Supp.	
Tour A - Daily Arrivals					
Jan 2-3, Mar 20-May 4, Sep 30-Nov 9, Dec 23-Jan 2, 2019*	\$1245	\$1150	\$1105	\$ 290	
Jan 4-Mar 9, May 20-Sep 14^, Nov 20-Dec 22	1175	1080	1035	215	
Mar 10-19, May 5-19, Sep 15-29^, Nov 10-19	1220	1125	1080	270	
Tour B - Daily Arrivals					
Jan 2-3, Mar 19-May 4, Sep 30-Nov 9, Dec 23-Jan 2, 2019*	1545	1395	1345	375	
Jan 4-Mar 9, May 20-Sep 14^, Nov 20-Dec 22	1470	1320	1270	305	
Mar 10-19, May 5-19, Sep 15-29^, Nov 10-19	1520	1370	1320	350	
Tour C - Daily Arrivals					
Jan 2, Mar 20-May 4, Sep 29-Nov 9, Dec 23-Jan 2, 2019*	1630	1530	1490	450	
Jan 3, Mar 9-18, May 5-19, Sep 14-28^, Nov 10-19, Dec 22	1585	1485	1445	405	
Jan 4-Mar 8, May 20-Sep 13^, Nov 20-Dec 21	1490	1390	1350	305	
Tour D - Daily Arrivals					
Jan 2-4, Mar 21-May 5, Oct 1-Nov 10, Dec 24-Jan 2, 2019*	1090	975	920	170	
Jan 5-Mar 10, May 21-Sep 15^, Nov 21-Dec 23	1020	905	850	100	
Mar 11-20, May 6-20, Sep 16-30^, Nov 11-20	1065	950	895	150	
Tour E - Daily Arrivals					
Jan 2-4, Mar 21-May 5, Oct 1-Nov 10, Dec 24-Jan 2, 2019*	935	860	820	170	
Jan 5-Mar 10, May 21-Sep 15^, Nov 21-Dec 23	860	785	745	105	
Mar 11-20, May 6-20, Sep 16-30^, Nov 11-20	910	835	795	200	
Tour F - Daily Arrivals (not valid for Wed/Thu Arrivals when exiting Allenby Bridge)					
Jan 2-4, Mar 20-May 5, Sep 30-Nov 10, Dec 23-Jan 2, 2019*	1215	1190	1170	355	
Jan 5-Mar 9, May 21-Sep 14^, Nov 21-Dec 22	1070	1045	1025	215	
Mar 10-20, May 6-20, Sep 15-29^, Nov 11-20	1165	1140	1120	310	

* For stays in Petra on Dec 31, 2018 add \$160 per person for New Year's Mandatory Gala Dinner

^ Yom Kippur, Sep 19: all crossings between Israel/Jordan closed. Eid al - Fitr (Jordanian Holiday), Jun 15: Possible closure Allenby/K. Hussein Bridge.
Eid al - Adha (Jordanian Holiday), Aug 22: Possible closure Sheikh Hussein (North) Bridge.
Islamic New Year, Sep 12: Possible closure Arava Border and Sheikh Hussein (North) Bridge.

IMPORTANT VISA INFORMATION FOR JORDAN:

ALLENBY CROSSING: TOURS A, B, C & F (entering Allenby): Isram Israel will arrange for a Jordan entry permit to cross Allenby Bridge at a fee of \$75 per person provided tour is booked minimum 3 weeks in advance (U.S. Passports). If your reservation is placed less than 3 weeks prior, you will be responsible to obtain your own visa from the Jordanian Embassy in the USA prior to your departure to Jordan.

TOUR D (entering Allenby): You are responsible to obtain your own visa from the Jordanian Embassy in the USA prior to departure. Failure to secure a visa in advance of arrival will result in denied crossing at the border. All tour fees will be forfeited.

TOUR E (entering Arava): Visas will be secured on your behalf at a fee of \$65 (to be prepaid).

** 5 passengers in vehicle will utilize 10 person minibus.

ALL TOURS: All tours are escorted by an English Speaking driver only. Local, on-site guides are provided in Petra only (and Jerash if tour program includes this visit). To add a Private Guide in your vehicle throughout, please inquire for supplement. Four or more passengers traveling together will have a PRIVATE GUIDE added throughout without any additional cost. Border Crossing and Shuttle Fees are NOT included and must be paid locally (approximately \$55-\$85 per person).

OPTIONAL JEEP TOUR OF WADI RUM (available en route from Petra when exiting at the Arava Border, near Eilat);
Per Person \$115; Single Traveler \$190 (includes Bedouin Tent Lunch...See Wadi Rum Description, Tour F, Day 3 on Page 69).



Wadi Rum