Holyland Pilgrimage

Plus Optional Extension to Eilat on the Red Sea!

Saturday Departures 9 Days • 7 Nights OR

12 Days • 10 Nights (includes Eilat Extension)

Tour Includes:

- Deluxe & First Class Hotels and Kibbutz Guesthouse
- Breakfast & Dinner Daily
- Sightseeing and entrance fees as Indicated
- Arrival and Departure Transfers

Accommodations:

City	Nights	Hotel
Tel Aviv	1	Dan Panorama – Tel Aviv Room
Galilee	2	Kibbutz Lavi – Eden Wing
Jerusalem	4	Dan Panorama – Standard Room
Extension:		
Eilat	2	Dan Panorama –
		Standard Sea View
Tel Aviv	1	Dan Panorama – Tel Aviv Room

(B) Breakfast (D) Dinner (L) Lunch (LL) Light Lunch-Bedouin Tent





Mt. of Beatitudes, Galilee

This Holyland Pilgrimage Tour provides for a low cost, good quality grouptouring program. Isram Israel has teamed up with several other responsible tour organizers to bring to you this weekly scheduled seat-in-coach tour which includes Breakfast and Dinner Daily. Operated by the "Rent-A-Guide" Company, only 2 passengers are required to guarantee this tour so you're sure that when you book, it's a go! An extension to Eilat on the Red Sea is available. This memorable tour unites Christians on a journey to the Land of Israel. Walk in the places He walked, pray in the places He preached and experience the feeling of inner peace and tranquility. There is no better place on earth than the Holyland for Christians to feel the events of Jesus' life. Join us on this life altering experience.

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Saturday: En Route

Depart the USA on your transatlantic flights to Israel.

Sunday: Tel Aviv

Arrival to Ben Gurion airport where you will be met by our representative and transferred to your hotel. Overnight Tel-Aviv and Dinner at your hotel. (D)

Monday: Galilee

Depart Tel Aviv and drive along the coastal plain to Caesarea, once the Roman capital of the region; visit the excavations of the ancient city, the Roman theatre and aqueduct. Proceed to Muhraka, the site of confrontation between Elijah and the prophets of Baal; enjoy the spectacular view of the Jezreel valley and the lower Galilee. Continue to Megiddo, identified as the site of Armageddon; learn the impressive history of this battle field as you visit the archaeological excavations including the well-preserved water supply system. On to Acre to visit the remarkable underground Crusader City and crypt; walk through the Old City recognized by UNESCO as world heritage site, the local market and harbor. Continue to Kibbutz Lavi for dinner and overnight. (B.D)

Tuesday: Galilee

After a short tour of Tiberias, enjoy a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee; visit the Yigal Alon center where the "Jesus boat", an ancient fishing boat from the 1st century, is displayed. Continue to Capernaum to visit the remains of the 2nd century synagogue. Stop at Tabgha, the site of the Miracle of Fish and Loaves, and visit the Church of Multiplication with its 4th century mosaic floor. Proceed to Mount of Beatitudes, the place where Jesus delivered the sermon on the mount. Drive to the Banias Springs and tour the Golan heights. Return to Kibbutz Lavi for dinner and overnight. (B.D)

Wednesday: Jerusalem

Drive to Cana to visit the Wedding Church, where Jesus performed his first miracle turning water into wine. Continue to Nazareth to visit the Church of Annunciation, Joseph's workshop and Mary's well. Proceed to Yardenit, the baptismal site on the Jordan river; next, stop at Beit Shean to visit the newly excavated Roman city and amphitheatre. Drive along the Jordan valley to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight. (B.D)

Thursday: Jerusalem

Drive to Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of the city; visit the Church of All Nations, King David's Tomb and Room of Last Supper on Mt. Zion. Enter the Old City; walk through the Cardo, the ancient roman road; visit the Jewish and Christian quarters; view the Temple Mount; visit the Western Wall and walk along the Via Dolorosa and the oriental Bazaar to visit the Church of Holy Sepulchre. Next, drive to the Garden Tomb and enjoy the beautiful gardens and peaceful ambiance. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Jerusalem. (B.D)

Friday: Jerusalem

Drive to Ein Karem, birthplace of John the Baptist. Visti the Church of Visitation; proceed to Yad Vashem, the memorial to the Holocaust. Visit Israel Museum, the Shrine of the Book, where the Dead Sea scrolls are housed, and the Scale Model of the ancient city of Jerusalem as it was during the Second Temple period. Proceed to *Bethlehem (subject to security condition), birthplace of Jesus; visit Shepherds' field; walk through Manger Square to visit the Church of Nativity. Return to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight. (B.D)

Saturday: Jerusalem

Drive through the Judean hills to Qumran caves, where the Dead Sea scrolls were found; Continue along the shores of the Dead Sea to Massada, the last stronghold of the Jews after the destruction of the Second Temple in 70 A.D; ascend Massada by cable car and tour the mountain fortress built by King Herod; visit the remains of the walls, water cistern and Herod's Palace; descend by cable car. Continue to the Dead Sea, the lowest point on earth; enjoy the opportunity to float in the unsinkable water and cover yourself with the mineral rich mud, believed to have therapeutic effects. Return to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight. (B.D)

Sunday: En Route

End of 7 Night Program Transfer to the airport for your departure flight to the USA arriving the same day.

EILAT EXTENSION:

Sunday: Eilat

Travel south through the Negev desert; Stop at Timna, a large geological and archaelological park; marvel at the multi colored rock formations and copper mines; view the outstanding King Solomon's pillars. Continue to Eilat, the southernmost resort city on the shores of the Red Sea; visit the Underwater Observatory marine park, built into a coral reef and enjoy the opportunity for a close up look at the rich life of the Gulf of Eilat. Dinner and overnight Eilat. (B.D)

Monday: Eilat

Day at leisure OR join the optional day tour to Petra (Jordan) including lunch, returning to Eilat. See details on page 75. (B.D or B.L.D).



Sea of Galilee

Tuesday: Eilat – Tel Aviv

Depart Eilat via Mitzpe Ramon; Stop to gaze into the Ramon crater, a geological wonder; Proceed to Kibbutz Sde Boker and see Ben Gurion's hut and grave overlooking the magnificent Zin valley. Stop for a camel ride and a visit to an authentic Bedouin tent; Learn about the Bedouin hospitality and enjoy a light lunch. Continue to Hatzerim and

visit Israel's Airforce Museum to view the planes and equipment and to hear the story of this brave fighting force. Arrive in Tel Aviv for dinner and Overnight Tel-Aviv. (B.LL.D)

Wednesday: En Route

Transfer to the airport for your departute flight to the USA, arriving the same day.

Saturday Departures	Twin	Single	Third		
7 Night Tour					
2019 Departure Dates			-		
Mar 2	\$2214	\$3315	\$1351		
Mar 9	2270	3427	1351		
Mar 16 thru Apr 6, Apr 27, Jul 6 thru Aug 3, Aug 31 thru Sep 21	2284	3455	1351		
May 25 thru Jun 22, Oct 26 thru Nov 9	2319	3525	1351		
Jun 29	2305	3497	1351		
Aug 10 thru Aug 24	2362	3534	1429		
Nov 16	2312	3511	1351		
Nov 23	2246	3308	1351		
Nov 30 & Dec 7	2095	3077	1351		
Dec 14	2074	4056	1330		
Dec 21, 28	2620	4043	1827		
2020 Departure Dates					
Jan 4, 18, Feb 1, 8, 22	2095	3077	1351		
10 Night Tour (includes Eil	at Extension	2)			
2019 Departure Dates	at <u>=</u> xto::5:0:	•/			
Mar 2	3113	4437	2138		
Mar 9 thru Apr 6, Apr 27, Aug 31 thru Sep 14	3183	4577	2138		
May 25 thru Jun 15, Oct 26 , Nov 2	3225	4661	2138		
Jun 22	3279	4770	2176		
Jun 29	3327	4865	2214		
Jul 6 thru Jul 20	3306	4823	2214		
Jul 27, Aug 3	3533	5252	2340		
Aug 10, 17	3611	5330	2418		
Aug 24	3261	4655	2217		
Nov 9, 16	3180	4571	2138		
Nov 23	3107	4426	2138		
Nov 30 & Dec 7	2956	4123	2138		
Dec 14	3034	4301	2155		
Dec 21	3642	5411	2690		
Dec 28	3481	5089	2614		
2020 Departure Dates					
Jan 4, 18, Feb 1, 8	2956	4123	2138		
Feb 22	3001	4206	2146		

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