LIFEJOURNEYTOURS



I would like to invite you to join me on this life-changing journey. I want you to truly feel the Bible and watch it come alive as you walk where Jesus walked.

Thank you,

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PROGRAM

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Day 1 - Departure from the USA

On this day you will board your plane for your flight to Tel Aviv.

Day 2 - Arrive in Israel

Upon your arrival, you will be greeted by your guide and travel to <u>The Metropolitan Hotel</u> in Tel Aviv. It is located near the shores of the Mediterranean Sea. There you will check into your room, have a nice buffet dinner, enjoy a possible walk on the beach and then relax after your long journey.

Day 3 - Caesarea, Megiddo, Mount Carmel

After breakfast and hotel check-out, we head out to have some adventures! We will drive to the coastal plain and visit the ancient harbor city of Caesarea Maritima, located on the Mediterranean Sea. There we will visit the theatre, and share the history and the Biblical events that occurred there. We will walk between the ruins where Peter converted Cornilius, and where Paul was jailed for two (2) years. After a short stop at the aqua ducts, we will drive to Mount Carmel. We will stand on the eastern edge of Carmel looking on to the Jezraeel Valley and Kishon. We will discuss the prophet Elijah and his confrontation with the prophets of Baal. We will have our lunch break at a Druse Village. You will see and enjoy many minorities with different cultures in the Holy Land. Last, we will visit the famous Megiddo site. We will walk among the ruins of 22 different civilizations. The water system is 2,850 years old. We will visit a beautiful church and special new archaeological site at Magdala and tour the ruins there. To end our day, we will check into The Leonardo Hotel at Tiberias. We will have dinner and then a walk around the beautiful shores of the Sea of Galilee in the evening, as a wonderful way to unwind after our busy day.

Day 4 - Galilee

Today after breakfast, you will experience **Galilee**, the place where Jesus taught and performed most of His miracles. We will enjoy a <u>boat ride</u> from **Tiberias to Ginosar**. We will see an ancient 2,000-year-old boat at the **Ginosar Muse**um. Then on to **The Mount of Beatitudes**. A tree grows where Jesus stood and spoke. We will share and read the **Sermon on the Mount**. Next we will visit **Tabgha**, the site where Jesus fed the 5,000. Then we will, marvel at the beauty as we walk along the shore of the **Sea of Galilee** stopping at **St. Peter's Primacy Church**, then on to Kursi, the place where the demons were cast into the swine and driven off the cliff. After eating lunch together, we will go to **Capernaum**, the town where Jesus spent most of His time. We will drive on the eastern shores of **Galilee** and end our day at the <u>Yardenit Baptismal site on the Jordan River</u>. Here you can choose to be baptized in the same River as our Lord and Savior was. Back to the hotel to enjoy fellowship, swimming and dinner. A <u>Galilee-by-Night Boat</u>

Day 5 - Tel Dan, Caesarea Philippi, Banias Falls

We will travel to the **Golan Heights** and view the beautiful panorama located there. We will view The **Banias Falls**, known to be the largest falls, and one of the most beautiful and tranquil spots found in the Holy Land.

The spring that feeds the fall is located at the base of **Mount Hermon**. We will visit the ruins of **Tel Dan**, discover the altar built there by King Jeroboam I (1 Kings 12:25), and learn about where the "**The House of David" fragment** from the First Temple Period was discovered. We will see **Caesarea Philippi**. This site is identified in scripture when Jesus took His 12 disciples to this pagan region and asked them, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" (Matt 16:13). We will end our day back on the shores of **Galilee** with a wonderful buffet dinner and rest at the Hotel.

Day 6 - Mount Arbel, Cana, Bethlehem, The Shepherd's Field

After breakfast and check-out, we will visit The Valley of the Doves and walk the path that Jesus traveled



during His many journeys to teach the word of God. From here, we will view **Mount Arbel** and the many caves that were used to hide the Israelites from the Roman Soldiers. We will continue to view the beautiful countryside from the highest point of Arbel. We will view the areas surrounding **Nazareth** and enjoy a visit to The Nazareth Village. The next stop is **Cana**, the site of the first miracle of Jesus at the wedding feast. **Bethlehem** is our next stop. We will have a break at a Christian Center where you can shop for <u>specialty gifts</u>, including many beautiful olive wood carvings commemorating the birth of Christ and His ministry. In

Bethlehem, we will also see the oldest church in the world, **The Church of the Nativity**. You will actually be able to touch the spot where **Jesus** was born. We will sing **Silent Night** together. We will walk in the **Shepherd's Field**, the place where the angels appeared to the shepherds and told them the good news concerning the coming of their Savior. After our busy day we will check in to **The Nativity Hotel** at Bethlehem where we will share dinner. Some may want to enjoy quiet time on the garden terrace for reflection and prayer.

Day 7 - Mount of Olives, Gethsemane, Mount Zion

After enjoying breakfast, we will view the very best of the city of **Jerusalem**, old and new, from the top of the **Mount of Olives**. We will share facts about Jerusalem and why this place was chosen to be The City of God. We will walk down the **Palm-Sunday path** stopping at **Dominus Flevit**, where Jesus wept on Jerusalem. Next



we will tour the **Garden of Gethsemane** and **The Church of All Nations** which houses the **Rock of Agony**. We will view the **Kidron Valley** and enjoy the breathtaking scenic walk of **The Haas Promenade Ridge**, where according to Biblical sources, Abraham was shown the site of **Mount Moriah** to bind his son Isaac. We will have a short break and then on to **Mount Zion**, **The Upper Room**, and **Dormition Abbey**. We will walk to the **Church of St.**

Peter in Gallicantu. Located there is the house of the high priest Caiaphas where Peter denied Jesus three (3) times and the "First Prison of Christ," the dungeon where Jesus was held prisoner. We will spend the afternoon touring the very emotional, but educational, *Holocaust Museum*. We will experience Jericho, the oldest, continuously occupied city in the world. We will drive by a Sycamore Tree to view the Old Roman Road from Jerusalem to Jericho, and off in the distance, we will see The Mount of Temptation, the mountain top where Jesus was tempted by Satan. The Church of the Ascension of Jesus into Heaven will also be a stop on our tour. By evening, we will end our day back at our "Home away from Home," to enjoy dinner and a possible walk to the local ice cream shop located nearby.

Day 8 - Old City, Wailing Wall, Via Dolorosa

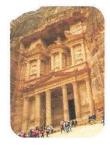
After we share breakfast together, you will enjoy the different flavors of the old city of Jerusalem, its history, faith, people and cultures. We will enter the old city from **Stephen's Gate**, visiting **St. Anne's Church**. Located right beside the church is the **Pool of Bethesada** where **Jesus** healed the paralytic. We will tour the **Antonia Fortress** built by Herod the Great. We will walk the emotional **Way of the Cross Via Dolorosa** to the **Holy Sepulchre Church**. We will enjoy a trip through a spice market on an ancient Roman Street dating back 1,850 years at **The Cardo**. Our next stop is **The Tomb of Lazarus**. We end our day at the most holy site of the Jewish People, **The Western Wall**, next we stand on the steps where Jesus preached, and seeing an account of Biblical Jerusalem through **The Excavation**. We will see the **Aqsa Mosque** located to the south of the **Temple Mount**. We will then travel back to our Hotel to have dinner and then back to view the city of Jerusalem by night and enjoy **The David Citadel Museum Sound-and-Light Show**.

Day 9 - Petra

After we check out, we will head south towards the **Judean Desert**, stopping at "zero" sea level. Soshi, the camel, will be available for riding and for photo options. We will stop by **Qumran**, the site where the **Dead Sea**

Scrolls were discovered. We will climb high up into a cave to marvel at the breathtaking view of the surrounding desert. Next we will experience our cable-car ride up to Masada, Herod the Great's mountaintop fortress overlooking the Dead Sea. Then on to the Jordanian Border. After our crossing, we will stop along the way to view the breathtaking views of the Arabian Desert. We will catch a beautiful sunset as we travel on to The Movenpick Hotel (Petra, Jordan) located in the Valley of Moses, Wadi Musa. Our Hotel is just minutes away from the gates of Petra. After check-in at the Hotel, we will enjoy a wonderful dinner together.

Day 10-Petra



Today our journey will begin at **Petra**, known as one of *The Seven Wonders of The World*. We will walk along the canyon, or some may prefer to rent a horse drawn carriage to take them to the first stop, **The Treasury**. We will marvel at the amazing sites and craftsmanship recorded here. Many may continue to the top to view the Monastery, either by walking or by **renting a donkey**. The view at the top is well worth it!!!

Day 11 - Dead Sea

After check-out, we will travel back to The Holy Land passing by the **Red Sea**. We will stop to explore the beautiful coral and the crystal clear waters located there. We will check in at <u>David Dead Sea Resort and Spa</u> near the shores of the healing mineral waters of the Dead Sea. We will enjoy a wonderful buffet dinner and the nightly entertainment provided there.

Day 12: - Dead Sea

We will have a free day to relax and enjoy a float in the water of **the Dead Sea**. You can choose to use the indoor saltwater pools, outdoor pools, or enjoy the beach located just minutes from your hotel. Spa services are also offered. We will enjoy another wonderful dinner and reflect on our journey, as this will be our last night in The Holy Land.

Day 13 - Golgotha, Garden Tomb, Tent Restaurant

After our check-out, we will travel back up to **The Holy City of Jerusalem**, on to **Golgotha**, the place of the skull, and then finally, to the very heart-touching and beautiful **Garden Tomb** -- "For He is not here, He Is Risen." We will share communion together there. Our final stop is at the *Tent BBQ Restaurant* where we will share our farewell dinner and last meal together in the Holy Land (compliments of Life Journey Tours). We will then transfer to **Ben Gurion Airport in Tel Aviv** for flight check-in.



Your Journey in the Bible Land ends here, but a new Journey will start in your Heart now after you have lived and walked in the footsteps of Jesus.

Tour Includes:

* All accommodation in first-class hotels for 11 nights and 12 days, Double Occupancy

* Breakfast and Dinner

* All tours and transfers in a new, modern, air-conditioned coach bus

* Guiding by educated, English speaking, licensed tour guides

and

Two-Day Excursion to the rock city of Petra, Jordan, one of the "Seven Wonders of the World"

Tour:

TOTAL \$3900.00- Double Occupancy (Includes Deposit)
Single Occupancy Add: \$1500.00

Flight:

Round Trip from Bozeman, MT Or your home airport upon request. Estimate \$1500.00

Excluding:

Lunches, Personal Expenses, tips to your Guide and Driver

Dates:

April 15-27, 2026

RETURN TO TERI ASAP

Reservation Application Form

Please write your information as it appears on your passport

<u>Note</u>: Each traveler must have a passport valid for at least six (6) months from the last day of the planned trip. In case of renewal or if applying for a new passport, I suggest the passport application be made four (4) to five (5) months <u>before</u> the travel date.

Name of Applicant (s):	
Address:	
City	StateZip
Phone: Mobile()	E-Mail
Country of Citizenship:	Date of Birth
Passport #	
Deposit Enclosed: \$500.00 x	(# of travelers in party) = \$
Note: Deposit is Non-Refundable Money orders, checks or credit cards (3.5% processing fee) are accepted.	
Cardholder:	
VisaMasterCard	Discover
Card number:	
Expiration Date:	Security Code:
Billing Address:	
City	StateZip

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<u>Note</u>: Please carry a copy of this **Accommodations** List with you, as well as copies of your passport, flight info, and credit cards (front & back). Please leave another copy of all at home with a friend or family member.