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8 DAYS IN THE HOLY LAND

WITH OPTIONAL PRE-EXTENSION TO PETRA &
POST-EXTENSION TO EGYPT

Making the Bible Come Alive

A Great Investment in Your
Biblical Education

Many Bible Scholars believe
that a trip to Israel is worth a
year in Bible Training!

- ✧ Retrace the footsteps of Abraham, King David, and other Biblical Personalities.
- ✧ Overlook the Valley of Armageddon
- ✧ Boat ride on the Sea of Galilee
- ✧ Explore the Capernaum of Jesus and His disciples
- ✧ Visit the Mount of Beatitudes
- ✧ Cross the Jordan River
- ✧ Ascend Masada and Float in the Dead Sea
- ✧ Visit the Western Wall and the Temple Mount's Southern Steps
- ✧ Descend the Mount of Olives to the Garden of Gethsemane
- ✧ Visit the Upper room & Garden Tomb

Egypt & Jordan Extension

- Visit Petra's rock fortress
- Climb Mt. Sinai
- See the Nile River of Egypt
- Tour the Pyramids
- Visit Goshen, and so much more.

Details of the Trip are...

- DATES:** Pre-Extension to Petra, Departs on November 2nd, 2008
 Holy Land Tour Departs on November 4th, 2008
- FLIGHT:** Round Trip Flight New York to Amman Jordan Or Tel Aviv
 (flight to New York is available from airport nearest you)
- ACCOMODATIONS:** First Class *Hotels*; 2 *Meals* included daily;
 Tour *sites* in a comfortable *Private Coach* with a
 biblically knowledgeable Tour *Guide*.
- PRICE:** 8 Day Holy Land Tour -----\$1989.00
 Optional Pre-Extension to Petra -----\$299.00
 Optional Post-Extension to Egypt -----\$499.00
 (Plus Taxes & Tips) (Double Occupancy)

Register NOW!!

Reserve your place with a \$300 Deposit.
 Please send it in with the Application on back.




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“Blessed is the man whose strength is in You, whose heart is set on pilgrimage.” Psalm 84:5

Tour Registration Information

Cost of the Israel tour is--- \$1989.00 (plus taxes and tips)

➤ Extension to Petra \$299.00; To Egypt \$499.00

REGISTRATION FORM FOR

"Holy Land" TOUR (Fall '08)

(Optional Extension to Petra & Egypt)

(Name) _____

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON PASSPORT (First & Last)

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

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HOME PHONE

CELL PHONE

E_MAIL ADDRESS _____

Passport Info:

I am a citizen of _____ / _____

Passport number

Passport issue date _____ Expiration date _____

*Copy of Passport (Photo Page) required 90 days before departure

FLIGHTS

I/we will fly out of _____

(Major airport nearest to you).

I want Aliyah Tours to arrange my connecting flight

ROOMING

Rooming alone (add \$395)

My roommate choice is: _____

Please assign a roommate:

Age 20-39 Age 40-59 Age 60+

Date of Birth _____

Register me for

Petra, including Israel

Israel Portion only

Extension to Egypt, Jordan, including Israel

I'd like Travel Insurance Information

I accept the fine print _____

Signature

Send in your **\$300.00 per person** deposit with your Registration.

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Fine Print

ACCOMMODATIONS: First class hotels based on twin occupancy with bath. Single Supplement in Israel will **\$395.00** extra. (for your own room)

MEALS: Continental breakfast (in Israel the famous Israeli buffet), and dinner daily throughout the tour. Extra charge for coffee, tea or other beverage not included in the menu of the day.

SIGHTSEEING: By modern motor coach including services of English-speaking guides and entrance fees to places included in the itinerary.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:---TAXES, TIPS & VISA'S: US and foreign airport taxes, **\$351.00**. **Tips** will be **\$12.00 per day** which covers tips to guides and drivers, hotel and station porters.

Those going on the **Extension to Petra** there is a **\$30.00 Visa fee**. Those going on the **extension to Egypt** will need to pay **visa fees of \$45.00**.

ALSO NOT INCLUDED 1)Optional Travel Insurance Program
2)Miscellaneous fees such as Individual Transfers; Passports, Laundry, Lunches, Beverages at Meals; Excess Baggage and Items of a Personal Nature; 3)Fuel Surcharges which may be imposed by airlines and other suppliers. If applicable, fuel surcharge will be paid by the passenger; 4) Voluntary "Love Offering" for Guide and Driver; 5) Any increase in taxes and/or fees imposed after the printing of this brochure.

TOUR PRICE: Based on tariffs and rates in effect on the date this website was last revised, and subject to change without notice should there be a revision in rates prior to departure of tour.

DEPOSIT AND CANCELLATION: A deposit of \$300 per person is required to secure reservations, which sum will be applied to the price of the tour, balance to be paid in full not later than 6 weeks prior to departure of the tour. Reservations made within 30 days of departure are subject to \$25 late reservation charge. In event of cancellation, refund in full will be made up to 90 days prior to departure, excluding a \$100 administrative fee. For cancellations received 89 to 35 days prior to departure, refund in full will be made excluding a \$100 airline cancellation fee plus a \$100 administration fee. If cancellation is not received at this time, refund will be subject to a minimum 25 percent cancellation fee or an amount equal to the expenses to the tour operator, whichever is greater. All cancellations must be in writing to Aliyah Tours and will be in effect on the date of receipt by Aliyah Tours. Any exceptions must be in writing from Aliyah Tours.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip economy class jet via a scheduled IATA airline. If cancellation is effected by passenger within 30 days of departure or after air tickets are written, whichever comes sooner, 100 percent of airfare will be forfeited by passenger. In the event 15 passengers do not book the tour within 30 days of departure, the agent reserves the right to cancel the tour. All airfares subject to government approval and change without notice.

RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY: Land arrangements including surface transportation: Aliyah Tours, and the participating Tour Operators operate the land tours offered under this program only as agents of the railroads, car rental contractors, steamship lines, hotels, bus operators, sightseeing contractors and others which provide the actual land arrangements and are not liable for any act, omission, delay, injury, loss or damage or nonperformance occurring in connection with these land arrangements. The airlines, steamship lines and other transportation companies whose services are featured in these tours are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their conveyance. The passage contract in use by these companies when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the companies and the purchaser of these tours and/or passage.

CHANGE FEE: All changes not received in writing by Aliyah Tours at least 30 days prior to departure will incur a \$50 change fee per person for each revision.

LAND ARRANGEMENTS: The tour operator reserves the right to change the itinerary due to emergencies.

ITINERARY: There is an example of what we'll see in Israel below. However, complete itineraries will be available when trip is finalized.

Tour Itinerary



TAKE AN OPTIONAL PRE-EXTENSION JORDAN & PETRA

DAY 1 -- Sunday: NEW YORK / ISTANBUL Tour members are welcomed at JFK International Airport for our departing flight to Istanbul via widebody aircraft arriving the next day. Meals served on board.

DAY 2 -- Monday: ISTANBUL / AMMAN / PETRA This morning we will arrive in Istanbul and transfer to our flight to Amman. This afternoon we will arrive in Amman. We will be met and loaded on our motor coach for our drive to Petra. We proceed to Petra for dinner and overnight at our hotel.

DAY 3 -- Tuesday: PETRA This morning we awake and look out at Petra, one of the most scenic places in the world. Proceed by foot into this dream-like, unreal world: the "Rose-Red City" of Petra with its incredibly beautiful temples, carved into solid rock and forgotten for 500 years. This is the Mount Seir and the Selah of the Old Testament. We will view the places of sacrifice, the old tombs dating back to 100 B.C., El Deir Monastery, the Tomb of Aaron and the royal palaces. This afternoon we will board our motorcoach and take a panoramic ride of the outer environs of Petra. This is one of the 8th wonders of the ancient world. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 4 -- Wednesday: PETRA / MT. NEBO / JORDAN RIVER / TIBERIAS This morning we will go to Madaba one of the ancient maps of the Middle East and then on to Mount Nebo, from which Moses viewed the Promised Land. This afternoon we will head north to the traditional site where John the Baptist baptized Jesus. Continue to King Hussein Crossing where we enter Israel and turn north to Tiberias. Upon arrival we are taken to our hotel for dinner and overnight.



BASIC TOUR BEGINS HERE:

DAY 1 – Tuesday - NEW YORK / ISTANBUL Tour members are welcomed this evening at JFK International Airport, departing on Turkish Airlines via widebody aircraft arriving in Istanbul the next day. Meals served on board.

DAY 2 -- Wednesday – ISTANBUL / TEL AVIV / TIBERIAS This morning we will arrive in Istanbul and transfer to our flight to Tel Aviv. Upon arrival in Tel Aviv our guide who will be with us for the entire time we are in the Holy Land meets us. Continue through Tel Aviv, the largest city in Israel. We proceed up the coast and go to the famous Sea of Galilee where we check into our hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 3 - Thursday - TIBERIAS / BET SHEAN / SEA OF GALILEE / TIBERIAS We visit Bet Shean at the foot of Mt. Gilboa, where King Saul was slain, see the evidences of Egyptian, Roman and Byzantine occupations, and view the ancient tel, Roman Theater and church mosaics. In the afternoon we enjoy a relaxing boat ride on the Sea of Galilee to Capernaum, then visit Tabgha and the Mount of Beatitudes. Our last stop today will be at the River Jordan then transfer to the hotel in Tiberias for dinner and overnight.

DAY 4 – Friday - TIBERIAS / NAZARETH / CAESAREA / JERUSALEM We leave Tiberias for Jerusalem, on the way visiting Nazareth, boyhood home of Jesus. We pass through Cana, where Jesus performed His first miracle, then proceed across the Plain of Jezreel to Megiddo to visit the excavations of over 20 different civilizations. In the afternoon we visit Caesarea on the Mediterranean, the Roman aqueduct and port, Crusader's Moat, and the famous Roman Theater. Board our bus and travel to Jaffa ancient port where Jonah left prior to being swallowed by the whale. Here is where Peter had his house top experience. Continue up to Jerusalem – for check-in and dinner at our hotel.

DAY 5 – Saturday – JERUSALEM / MT. OF OLIVES / OLD CITY Today we drive to the Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of Jerusalem, visit the Church of Pater Noster and the Chapel of Ascension, then proceed to the Garden of Gethsemane. Crossing the Kidron Valley, we pass the tombs of Absalom, Zechariah and St. James, then visit the Pool of Siloam and the Church of St. Peter of Gallicantu (Caiaphas' House). We enter the Old City this afternoon through the Zion Gate and see the Cardo and the remains of Nehemiah's Wall on the way to the Western (Wailing) Wall. We visit the Dome of the Rock on the Temple Mount, the Church of St. Anne, the Pool of Bethesda, Pilate's Judgment Hall, the Chapel of Flagellation, Lithostrotos, and the Arch of Ecce Homo ("Behold the Man"). We follow the Via Dolorosa (Way of the Cross) to the Church of the Holy Sepulcher and end our day in the Garden Tomb before returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 6 -- Sunday - JERUSALEM / NEW CITY / BETHLEHEM This morning we visit the New City of Jerusalem, Mount Zion, the Upper Room, the tomb of King David and Dormition Abbey. We enter the Jewish Quarter of the Old City to visit the Wohl Archaeological Museum, displaying the newly restored Herodian Quarter. Remains of this area of Jerusalem date back to the time of the Herodian Dynasty (37 BC to 70 AD). Proceed to the Shrine of the Book where we see the Dead Sea Scrolls on display then view the Knesset (Israeli parliament) building. Continue to visit Yad Vashem, a memorial of the Holocaust then visit the Model City. This afternoon we continue to Bethlehem to visit the Church of the Nativity, the Manger, Crusader's Cloister and the Grotto of St. Jerome. We then visit the cave in Shepherds' Field and view the Fields of Boaz. En route to Jerusalem we see the Tomb of Rachel and other antiquities before returning to the hotel for dinner.

DAY 7 – Monday - JERUSALEM / MASADA / JERICHO We drive to Masada and ascend by cable car to the magnificent ruins of the fortress where, from 70 to 73 AD, Jewish defenders made their last stand in the Judean revolt against Rome. We see the remains of storehouses, cisterns and a sixth-century Byzantine church. Continuing alongside the Dead Sea, 1300 ft. below sea level — the lowest spot on earth — we proceed to Qumran and the caves where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. This afternoon we travel to Jericho, the world's oldest city. From the excavated tel atop the ruins of ancient Jericho we view the lush green Jordan Valley, Elisha's spring and Qarantal, the Mount of Temptation. We will head up to Jerusalem and go to our gala farewell dinner and overnight.

DAY 8 –Tuesday- JERUSALEM / TEL AVIV / NEW YORK This morning we return to the airport where we board our flight home. Upon our arrival in New York we will head for our home cities with memories.



TAKE THE OPTIONAL POST EXTENSION OF EGYPT

DAY 8 -- Tuesday: - JERUSALEM / TABA / ST. KATHERINE'S Today we pass through the Valley of Elah, the site of David and Goliath's battle, through the region of Adullom, where David took refuge from Saul, and on to Beersheba, ancient city of Judah, a watering hole and trading post for thousands of years. It is the center of desert traffic, located on the edge of the vast Negev Desert. Here we catch a glimpse of Bedouin life. Then on to Eilat on the Red Sea, and cross into Egypt at Taba. Continuing through the desert, we come to St. Catherine's Monastery and Mt. Sinai, traditional site of Moses' receiving the 10 Commandments. We check in to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 9 -- Wednesday: - ST. KATHERINE'S / MT. SINAI / CAIRO Those who desire, may climb Mount Sinai for the sunrise. Continue to St. Katherine's Monastery, where we visit the Chapel, then go to the traditional site of the Burning Bush and the Chamber of the Skulls. We then head north to the Suez Canal and cross it to Ismailia and the desert route to Cairo, where we check into our hotel for dinner.

DAY 10 -- Thursday: - CAIRO / PYRAMIDS / TEL AVIV / NEW YORK This morning we visit the Egyptian Museum with its priceless gems from the tomb of Tutankhamen and other world-famous relics. We tour Old Cairo, including the Coptic church of "El Moallaka", dating from the early fourth century and the Mohamed Ali Mosque. This afternoon's excursion includes an exciting camel ride to the Pyramids. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 11 -- Friday: - CAIRO / NEW YORK This morning we will arrive in New York from our night flight. We will head for our home cities with memories.

Final Itinerary available closer to Departure date

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