

IN DEPTH CLASSICAL ISRAEL TOUR

14 DAYS CLASSICAL JOURNEY TO THE LAND OF ISRAEL

LAND PACKAGE FROM **\$2,530**



WHY JOIN US?

The In Depth Classical Israel Tour is a nondenominational tour that will lead you through the land of Israel. Travelers on this wonderful journey will become acquainted with Israel's most important cultural, biblical and historical sites as well as modern Israel.



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Day 1 | THURSDAY

DEPARTURE

Our journey starts today as we depart on our flight to Israel- the Promised Land. Sit back, relax, enjoy your flight, and prepare for a life-changing experience.

Day 2 | FRIDAY

ARRIVE AT BEN GURION INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Welcome to Israel! Upon arrival at Ben Gurion International Airport, you will meet our representative and be transferred to your hotel in Tel Aviv for check-in. The rest of the day will be free to enjoy the hotel and the nearby famous Tel Aviv promenade.

Day 3 | SATURDAY

ENJOY A FREE DAY OF SHABBAT!

Today you will have free time to explore Tel Aviv, the city that never sleeps! Discover the famous boardwalk along the Mediterranean Sea, or take a walk in Old City Jaffa. Tel Aviv is home to numerous art galleries, cafes, and museums, as well as the beach! The Tel Aviv Museum of Art is a very highly rated institution, while the Eretz Israel Museum offers a historical perspective on the history of Tel Aviv. For those who prefer to shop, there are several shopping malls that open after the end of Shabbat till late night. Stroll along the famous tree lined Rothschild boulevard, and take in the magnificent villas and buildings occupying the most expensive real estate in Tel Aviv.

Day 4 | SUNDAY

CAESAREA / MEGIDDO / DRUZE VILLAGES

Drive along the coastal plain to Caesarea, capital of Judea under the Romans. See the excavations of the Crusader city, Roman port, aqueduct and the amphitheater that has been restored to its former glory as a concert venue. Proceed to Megiddo, identified as the site of Armageddon; visit the archaeological excavations including the well preserved water supply system. Continue to Daliat El Carmel, a Druze village and enjoy a late lunch at a local restaurant. Proceed via Mount Carmel to Haifa for a panoramic view of the Haifa Bay and Golden domed Bahai shrine and Gardens.

Day 5 | MONDAY

SAFED / GOLAN HEIGHTS / WINERY

Drive to Safed, the center of Jewish mysticism, where you will visit the ancient synagogues and artists' colony. Continue to the Golan Heights to see the former Syrian bunkers, Kuneitra and the new Israeli town of Katzrin. Stop at the Golan Winery for a tour and wine tasting; Proceed to Kessem Hagolan, a multimedia presentation of the area and its history.

Day 6 | TUESDAY

SEA OF GALILEE / NAZARETH

Start the day with a visit to Nazareth and visit the Church of the Annunciation. Continue to Tiberias; visit Capernaum to see the ruins of the synagogue and octagonal Church of St. Peter. Visit Mount of Beatitudes where Jesus delivered the Sermon on the Mount. Drive via Beit Shean to Beit Alpha to see the remains of the mosaic floor of an ancient synagogue depicting the zodiac.

Day 7 | WEDNESDAY

JERUSALEM: OLD CITY

Start the day with a magnificent panoramic view from Mount of Olives. Drive to the Old City; Visit the tomb of King David and the room of Last Supper on Mt. Zion. Enter the walled city and walk through the newly restored Jewish quarter. Visit the Roman Cardo, the Herodian quarter and continue to the Western Wall. Walk along the Via Dolorosa to the church of the Holy Sepulchre. Continue to Bethlehem*; view Rachel's Tomb and proceed to visit the Church of Nativity and Manger's Square.

Day 8 | THURSDAY

JERUSALEM: NEW CITY

Drive to the Israel Museum; Visit the Shrine of the Book where the Dead Sea Scrolls are housed and the miniature model of Jerusalem as it was during the second temple period; Proceed for a tour at the Knesset, Israel's parliament. Continue to visit Mount Hertz cemetery and Yad Vashem, the memorial to the Holocaust. Visit Mea Shearim, the ultra orthodox neighborhood in Jerusalem and learn about their unique lifestyle. In the evening enjoy a middle eastern dinner followed by the spectacular "sound & light" show* at the Tower of David museum (weather conditions permitting).

Day 9 | FRIDAY

QUMRAN / MASSADA / DEAD SEA

Drive through the Judean Desert to the Dead Sea, the lowest point on earth, almost 1300 feet (400 meters) below sea level. Stop at Qumran to visit the site where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Drive along the shores of the Dead Sea to Massada. Ascend by cable car and tour the ancient fortress where the Zealots made their last stand against the Romans before committing mass suicide in 73 A.D. Descend by cable car. Continue to the Dead Sea; Cover yourself with the mineral rich mud and experience a swim in the Dead Sea* that many believe has its therapeutic effects (*weather permitting).

Day 10 | SATURDAY

FREE DAY IN JERUSALEM

Today is a free day to enjoy the special atmosphere of Shabbat in Jerusalem. You may want to discover some museums and re-visit the Old City.

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Day 11 | SUNDAY

TIMNA / UNDERWATER OBSERVATORY / EILAT

Travel south through the Negev desert, Visit Timna to see the copper mines and King Solomon's pillars and marvel at the huge multi-colored rock formations. Continue to Eilat and stop to visit the underwater observatory, one of the largest seaquariums in the world, built into a coral reef.

Day 12 | MONDAY

AT LEISURE OR OPTIONAL TOUR TO PETRA (ADDITIONAL CHARGE)

After visa assistance at the Jordanian Border, drive straight to Petra through desert highways. Your ultimate destination is the astonishing rose-red city of Petra which was built by the Nabateans (an early Arab tribe). Petra was renowned for its massive architecture, pools, dams and water channels. Petra is the legacy of the Nabateans who settled in the South of Jordan more than two-thousand years ago. The visit begins with the possibility of short horseback-riding for about 700 m. until the entrance of the Siq, which is about 1.2 km long (walking distance). There is a possibility to rent a chariot (extra) to get inside Petra and back to the gate outside. Petra is famous for its huge monuments such as The Treasury, Royal Tombs, The Court, Roman Theatre, Roman Street, Qassier El-Bint (Palace of Pharaoh's daughter) and many other smaller monuments which fascinate visitors. The city itself is almost 45 square km and is considered to be the second wonder of the world. After the visit, enjoy lunch at a nice restaurant, followed by a drive back to the border. En-route, stop for a short visit at Aqaba with possibility for a short walk. Transfer to border at approximately 18:00 for crossing to Eilat.

Day 13 | TUESDAY

EILAT / MITZPE RAMON / SDE BOKER / TEL AVIV

Depart Eilat via Mitzpe Ramon to gaze into the Ramon crater, a geological wonder. Proceed to Sde Boker and see Ben Gurion's hut and grave overlooking the magnificent Zin valley. Stop for a Camel riding experience and 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 hear the story of this brave fighting force.

Day 14 | WEDNESDAY

DEPARTURE FROM ISRAEL / ARRIVAL IN THE USA

After breakfast we will transfer you to Ben Gurion International Airport for your transatlantic flight back to the USA. Take home your fond memories of Israel that will last a lifetime, and start planning your next trip!



DATES & RATES

Land package prices listed are per person in U.S. dollars. Rates are based on double occupancy and inclusive of all taxes. Please visit our website for pricing.



Tour Departs	Tour Ends	1ST Class	Superior 1st Class	5-Star	5-Star Deluxe
Jun 03, 2021	Jun 16, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,790	\$4,525
Jun 10, 2021	Jun 23, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,790	\$4,525
Jun 17, 2021	Jun 30, 2021	\$2,695	\$3,135	\$3,810	\$4,525
Jun 24, 2021	Jul 07, 2021	\$2,695	\$3,135	\$3,810	\$4,515
Jul 01, 2021	Jul 14, 2021	\$2,690	\$3,065	\$3,645	\$4,185
Jul 08, 2021	Jul 21, 2021	\$2,690	\$3,065	\$3,645	\$4,185
Jul 15, 2021	Jul 28, 2021	\$2,690	\$3,065	\$3,645	\$4,185
Jul 22, 2021	Aug 04, 2021	\$2,720	\$3,275	\$3,690	\$4,405
Jul 29, 2021	Aug 11, 2021	\$2,720	\$3,275	\$3,690	\$4,405
Aug 05, 2021	Aug 18, 2021	\$2,720	\$3,275	\$3,690	\$4,405
Aug 12, 2021	Aug 25, 2021	\$2,720	\$3,275	\$3,690	\$4,405
Aug 19, 2021	Sep 01, 2021	\$2,720	\$3,275	\$3,690	\$4,405
Aug 26, 2021	Sep 08, 2021	\$2,635	\$2,965	\$3,645	\$4,185
Sep 30, 2021	Oct 13, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Oct 07, 2021	Oct 20, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Oct 14, 2021	Oct 27, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Oct 21, 2021	Nov 03, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Oct 28, 2021	Nov 10, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Nov 04, 2021	Nov 17, 2021	\$2,665	\$3,040	\$3,810	\$4,525
Nov 11, 2021	Nov 24, 2021	\$2,635	\$3,000	\$3,720	\$3,880
Nov 18, 2021	Dec 01, 2021	\$2,605	\$2,850	\$3,820	\$3,845
Nov 25, 2021	Dec 08, 2021	\$2,605	\$2,850	\$3,820	\$3,845
Dec 02, 2021	Dec 15, 2021	\$2,605	\$2,850	\$3,820	\$3,845
Dec 09, 2021	Dec 22, 2021	\$2,605	\$2,850	\$3,820	\$3,845
Dec 16, 2021	Dec 29, 2021	\$2,600	\$3,140	\$3,940	\$4,645
Dec 23, 2021	Jan 05, 2021	\$2,600	\$3,140	\$3,940	\$4,645
Dec 30, 2021	Jan 12, 2022	\$2,530	\$2,940	\$3,500	\$3,770
Jan 06, 2022	Jan 19, 2022	\$2,530	\$2,940	\$3,500	\$3,770
Jan 13, 2022	Jan 26, 2022	\$2,530	\$2,940	\$3,500	\$3,770
Feb 03, 2022	Feb 16, 2022	\$2,530	\$2,940	\$3,500	\$3,770
Feb 24, 2022	Mar 09, 2021	\$2,615	\$2,880	\$3,555	\$4,095



JOURNEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Explore the excavations of Caesarea
- See Safed and stop at the Golan Heights for wine tasting
- Visit Mount of Beatitudes where Jesus delivered the Sermon on the Mount
- Ride a Cable car to view Masada
- Visit Beit Shean, the biggest archaeological park in Israel
- See the sites of the New City of Jerusalem such as the Western Wall, Israel Museum and Yad Vashem

INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR PACKAGE:

- Shared transfer upon arrival and departure
- 8 full days touring with top professional, government licensed, English Speaking tour guides
- All entrance fees and attraction as per tour itinerary
- Transportation – in deluxe air – conditioned vehicle
- 12 nights accommodation
- Full Israeli buffet breakfasts daily at the hotels
- 2 dinners at the hotel in Kibbutz Lavi in Galilee
- 1 dinner in a Middle Eastern Restaurant in Jerusalem
- Light lunch on Tuesday on their way from Eilat to Tel Aviv
- Enjoy lunch in a Druze Village
- Wine Tasting in the Golan Heights
- Sound and Light show at David Citadel
- Take a cable car to the mountain fortress of Masada
- All service charges and local taxes

PLEASE NOTE:

- Rates are for land package only
- We do sell air tickets; please contact us at **877-248-8687** to arrange your air travel
- Inquire about a discount for reservations of 6 passengers and above
- Extension tours to Eilat and/or Egypt & Jordan are available upon request
- Extension tours to our other destinations are available upon request

NOT INCLUDED:

- International flights: please call us toll free at **(877) 248-8687** to arrange your flights
- Extra expenses of personal nature
- Tips to guide/driver and Hotel staff
- Lunches and dinners not mentioned on the "Included" section
- Travel Insurance (highly recommended)
- Optional day tour of Petra

We strongly recommend the purchase of travel insurance to protect your travel investment.

