



EGYPT ISRAEL JORDAN

Day: 1

Location: CAIRO

Description: Assemble at airport to board flight to Cairo. On arrival at Cairo clear the immigration and custom formalities. After immigration the group will be welcomed by our local representative. Transfer to hotel and Check-in. Time free for freshen upon the evening proceed for Nile Dinner Cruise. Watch the traditional Egyptian Art followed Dinner on board. Overnight at hotel.

Day: 2

Location: CAIRO - SINAI

Description: Breakfast at hotel. Proceed on a tour of this ancient city. Visit the west bank of the Nile, facing Cairo and on top of the Giza plateau rise the 3 Pyramids erected by Cheops, Chepren and Mycerinus, guarded by the mysterious Sphinx which is a mythical statue with the body of a lion and a human head. THE MARVELLOUS PYRAMID WITH SPHINX .After that proceed on a panoramic city tour of Cairo passing the Cairo tower, one of the most recent landmarks of Cairo rising to a height of 187 meters. The famous blue mosque with blue mosaic walls, Mari Mina Church dates back to the early 5th century. Visit old churches of Cairo. Lunch at Restaurant. After lunch proceed to Sinai. Arrive Sinai; view the beautiful and historical Sinai Mountains. On arrival Check in hotel. Time free for freshen up Dinner and Overnight at hotel.

Day: 3

Location: SINAI - TABA - JERUSALEM

Description: After breakfast at hotel Visit St. Catherine Monastery. Set beneath the mountain where Moses is said to have received the Ten Commandments, Saint Catherine Monastery has been one of the world's great centers of religious pilgrimage for over fifteen centuries. Within its imposing walls rests a citadel like no other, incredibly rich in important religious and historical structures. Among its treasures is a library of ancient manuscripts and icons second only to the Vatican's itself, and a 6th century church reputed to lie directly on the site of the Burning Bush. Quite simply, the monastery is a defining feature of the Holy Land. After the sight seeing proceed to Taba Border. On arrival proceed to the Emigration and Customs Formalities. Our representative from Israel will welcome the group at the border. Lunch in restaurant arrive Jerusalem by late evening, On arrival Check in Hotel. Time free for freshen up Dinner and Overnight.

Day: 4

Location: EON KAREEM - MOUNT OF OLIVES - GETHSEMANE - BETHLEHEM

Description: After breakfast at hotel Proceed to EIN Karem, located in the hills next to a little spring. This is the city of Judah and the birthplace of John the Baptist, son of Elizabeth & Zechariah and the Church of Visitation. Drive to the Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit sanctuaries of Peter Nester Ascension. Walk along the Palm Sunday road down to the chapel of Dorminous Flevit where Jesus wept over the eminent destruction of Jerusalem and Garden of Gethsemane. The journey continues to Mt. Of Olives for the panoramic view and from there, by foot to Dominos Flavit. The chapels are built in the shape of a tear as a poignant reminder of this event, and then visit the Garden of Gethsemani, where Jesus prayed while Judah betrayed him to the Romans. Visit the Basilica of agony and Tomb of St. Mary. We then visit the traditional house of the

high priest, Caiaphas, where Jesus was imprisoned. Lunch at the restaurant?. After lunch visit Bethlehem located in the Judah province. It was here that the Angel announced the birth of Jesus to the shepherds of Bethlehem during the reign of King Herod. Also, here David tended his flocks until he was anointed King of Israel. Visit the Church of the Nativity – the birthplace of Jesus and the City of David, Manager Square; Shepherds field Crusaders Cloister Grotto of St. Jerome and Rachel's tomb. This silver star, beneath the altar in the Grotto of the Nativity, marks the spot believed to be the Birthplace of Jesus. Dinner and overnight Bethlehem.

Day: 5

Location: OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM - GOLGOTHA - JERICHO - DEAD SEA

Description: Breakfast at the hotel. After breakfast we will start the day by going to the pools of Beit Hasda, where Jesus healed the crippled man. And from there we take the Via Dolorosa (Way of Grief), traditionally accepted as the last route trodden by Jesus. Follow the 14 Stations of the Cross to Golgotha, the place where Jesus was crucified marking significant events along the route. You will see the Pilate's Judgments Hall; the Chapel of the Flagellation where, according to tradition, the Roman soldiers scourged Jesus and placed a crown of thorns on His heads the Ecce Homo Arch and the Convent of the Sisters of Zion. Early tradition held that Pontius Pilate stood here and thundered "Ecce Homo!" Which means "Behold the man?" Which is what Pilate said when he presented Jesus to the crowd? However, we now know that pagan Emperor Hadrian constructed the arch. Below the Convent is the Lithotrities where Jesus was publicly tried and where the Roman soldiers mocked him. The last 5 Stations of the Cross are inside the Church of the Holy Sepulcher visible from the distance, which is two silver dimes. Also "The Tomb" widely believed to be part of the stone that covered Jesus Tomb. Lunch at restaurant. ?Visit St. Mark Convent the traditional site where Mary went to sleep after Crucifixion, Last Supper Room, where we remember the last supper and the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles on Pentecost. Visit the Cenacle -the tomb of King David and – (the other upper room). We also will visit the Church of St. Peter of Gallicantu, which symbolizes Peter's Denial of Jesus as he has prophesied at the Last Supper. Then we go through the Jewish quarter to the Wailing Wall, which is the holiest place for the Jewish religion. Proceed to Dead Sea then visit Jericho where we stop and view Qarantal, the traditional Mount of Temptation and Sycamore Tree it is also the place where Jesus stopped on this way to Jerusalem, on the Eve of the Passover and where Jesus cured the blind man during his stay at Zachaeus house. Dinner and Overnight in Bethlehem

Day: 6

Location: JOPPA - HAIFA - MOUNT CARMEL - NAZARETH

Description: Breakfast at hotel. After breakfast proceed to Tiberias via Joppa Visit St. Peter Church. Drive via the city of Caesarea to Haifa, Israel's largest port city, built on the slopes of Mt. Carmel. Visit the Famous Persian Hanging Gardens for a view of the Bahai Shrine. Then make a brief halt at the "Home of Eujoh", and then continue to Muhraqa, the place of sacrifice and the site where Prophet Elijah defeated the False Prophets of Baal. Lunch at restaurant?. After lunch Proceed to Nazareth, the boyhood town of Jesus and home of Mary and Joseph and visit the Basilica of the Annunciation built over the grotto where the Archangel Gabriel appeared to announce that she would bear a son, Jesus. We also stop by Joseph's workshop and the Tomb of the Just.?On arrival at Tiberias Check in Hotel. Dinner & Overnight.

Day: 7

Location: SEA OF GALILEE - CAPERNAUM - CANA

Description: After breakfast at hotel visit Capernaum – the center Jesus' ministry after he left Nazareth, we stop at Tabgha – the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes and the expressive church of the Beatitudes, where Jesus gave the Sermon on the Mount This morning we drive through the landscapes of Galilee and later for a ride in a replica of a Galilean fishing boat of

that time, on the Sea of Galilee and where Jesus calmed the storm and walked on the water. Lunch at the restaurant. After lunch we make a brief halt at St. Peter's house, the Church of Primacy of Peter and the place where Jesus bestowed St. Peter with his authority. This is believed to be the place where Jesus dined with his disciples the flat rock known as Mensa Christi. Christ's table commemorates this event. Visit Cana where Jesus performed his first Miracle, changing water into wine at the wedding feast. Then we visit Mt. Tabor, the sacred site of the Transfiguration. Dinner and overnight at Hotel.

Day: 8

Location: JORDAN RIVER - SHEIKH HUSSAIN BRIDGE - AMMAN

Description: Breakfast at the hotel After breakfast proceed to Yardenit on the Jordan River, the traditional baptismal site. Free time for shopping. Lunch at Restaurant. After lunch proceed to the Sheikh Hussein Bridge. After clearing the Emigration & Customs formalities enter into Jordan. Our representative from Jordan will welcome the group. Proceed to Madaba (The City of Mosaics) then to Mount Nebo. Enroute We will have a panoramic view of the Amman city. Mount Nebo : The trip south of Amman along the 5,000 years old King's Highway is one of the most memorable journeys in the Holy Land, passing through a string of ancient sites Jordan, the memorial of Moses, and the presumed site of the prophet's death and burial place. From a platform in front of the church one can enjoy a breathtaking view across the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea. Dinner and Overnight at hotel.

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