

INCLUDED:

- Accommodations at 4 star hotels** for 9/10 nights with half board: breakfast and dinners daily
- Airfare*** and Airport assistance in TLV
- Transportation for 10/11 days
- Transfer to and from TLV Ben Gurion Airport with group arrival and departure
- Professional English Speaking Guide
- All entrance fees as mentioned in your itinerary
- Lunch at the Grotto
- St. Peter's Fish Lunch
- One Farewell dinner at local restaurant
- Tour representative available 24/7 in country while group is touring
- All tips to hotel staff; porters, reception, housekeeping, dining room, and base tips to guide and driver
- Departure packet for each tour participants at departure meeting

EXCLUDED:

- Lunches and drinks, except two lunches
- Items of personal nature and anything not mentioned above
- Travel insurance



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Complete Package – Land and Air

US\$3720.00* per person sharing twin or double room

US\$787.00 per person for the single supplement

Land Only Package

US\$2831.00* per person sharing twin or double room

US\$787.00 per person for the single supplement

Receive \$100.00 discount off total tour price when all deposits and payments are made in check, cashier's check, or money order. Discounts are applied at final billing, and are valid when group materializes to minimum number of participants prior to final billing due date.

Payment due dates:

Deposit \$500.00 – October 16, 2017

Second payment – \$1500.00 April 2, 2018

Final balance due – July 30, 2018

*Prices are based on a minimum number of 22 participants. Should fewer people travel, a price adjustment may be necessary. If the group has more than 27 participants, the price per person will decrease.

**Hotels are quoted based on availability at the time of booking.

***Airfare is estimated at this time. Taxes and fuel surcharges may alter the flight cost, and will be reflected at final billing. Flights can originate from anywhere in the continental U.S. Flights purchased after the initial group flights may cost more, and will be reflected at final billing. Flights are typically reserved 10 months prior to departure, and purchased in full 5.5-6 months prior to departure.

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Experience Israel

with

Pastor Steven & Kim Borst

October 29 - November 9, 2018



In the summer of 2016, Pastor Steven spent a month studying in Israel. Learning from local scholars and experiencing the holy sites of Jesus, he was deeply touched by what St. Jerome called the "5th Gospel" of the Holy Land. **"Read the 5th Gospel,"** Jerome said, **"and the world of the four will open up to you."**

Pastor Steven and Kim invite you to join them to **Experience Israel** for yourself. Come walk with us in the footsteps of Jesus, as we traverse the streets of the Old City of Jerusalem and sail on the Sea of Galilee. Stand on the Mount of Beatitudes and on the Mount of Olives. Pray at the Western Wall and in the Garden of Gethsemane. Pilgrim along the Way of the Cross and pause at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, as we remember all that Jesus did for our salvation.

This tour includes airfare, hotels with breakfast and dinners, comfortable A/C coach, transfers, entrance fees, a scholarly guide, and many extras at one price that individual travel does not match. So come and **Experience Israel** with us!

Places of Interest...

Day 1 – M Depart U.S. for flight to Israel.

Day 2 – T Arrive Tel Aviv Ben Gurion Airport. Meet our guide and transfer to hotel. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 3 – W Begin the day with an overview of Jerusalem from Mt. Scopus. Continue to the Israeli Museum to visit the Model of Jerusalem and the Shrine of the Book. In the evening, we hope to visit the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer for a Reformation service. Overnight in Jerusalem.



Day 4 – TH Visit the Temple Mount and Western Wall. Journey to Bethlehem to visit Christmas Lutheran Church and Church of the Nativity. Enjoy a lunch at the Grotto and visit the Shepherd's Field. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 5 – F Follow Jesus' Palm Sunday walk down the Mt. of Olives, and stop at a number of holy sites along the way. Visit the Pater Noster Church, commemorating Jesus teaching His disciples the Lord's Prayer; the Dominus Flevit Church, observing the place where Jesus wept; and the Church of all Nations Basilica, which contains the rock



where Jesus is believed to have prayed before His betrayal and arrest. We'll pause to pray in the Garden of Gethsemane before continuing to Mt. Zion and St. Peter's in Gallicantu, built over the site of the house of

the High Priest Caiaphas and the courtyard where Peter denied Christ three times. We'll even visit the Church of Christ's Ascension along the way. Overnight in Jerusalem.



Day 6—S Our final day in Jerusalem begins at St. Anne's Church and Bethesda Pool, where Jesus healed the paralyzed man. Then begins the Way of the Cross, following Jesus' path to His crucifixion and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. After lunch in the Old City, we will drive to Qsar al Yahud, the place where the Israelites crossed into the Promised Land and where Jesus was baptized. After a final stop for a view from the Mt. of Temptation, we'll overnight in Jericho.

Day 7—S Driving south along the Dead Sea, take a cable car to the top of Masada to view the fortress of Herod. Proceed to the ruins of the ancient Essene settlement at Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered. Enjoy floating in the Dead Sea, before driving north through the Jordan Valley. Overnight in Galilee.



Day 8—M Begin the day by visiting Beit She'an, the ancient biblical city, which the Greeks and Romans knew as Scythopolis. Continue to Nazareth to visit the Church of the Annunciation and St. Joseph's. After lunch, drive to Cana, the village where Jesus performed the first miracle, with the Wedding Church. Overnight in Galilee.



Day 9—T Drive north to Caesarea Philippi and the spectacular ruins of Tel Dan that contain remnants of a Temple and Abraham's gate. Return to Galilee by driving south along the east side of the Sea of Galilee, through the area known as the Gergesenes. Free time in the afternoon. Overnight in Galilee.



Day 10 - W Spend the day along the Sea of Galilee, where Jesus did so much of His ministry. Visit the Church of the Beatitudes, the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes, and the Church of the Primacy of St. Peter. See Jesus' "hometown" of Capernaum, before taking a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. Enjoy a St. Peter's Fish lunch. Overnight in Galilee.

Day 11— TH Begin the day by visiting Megiddo, with its spectacular water system. Continue to Mt. Carmel where Elijah defeated the prophets of Baal. Continue to Caesarea Maritime National Park and the aqueduct. Drive to Jaffa for our farewell dinner. Transfer to Tel Aviv Ben Gurion Airport for overnight flight back to the U.S. or overnight in Tel Aviv for early flight next morning.



Day 12—F Arrive back home deeply moved by the "5th" Gospel," the land in which Jesus lived.

