



WHAT YOU GET WITH "FRIENDS"

AIRFARE FROM GSP

Booking flights can be stressful, even more so when booking internationally. That's why Friends takes care of booking flights from your location at the most convenient times for you. This trip is about focusing on your spirituality, so we make sure your trip is stress free from day one.

ALL TRANSFERS

So, you're off the plane! You made it...now what? Our crew is there from the time you arrive until you leave to provide transportation and guide you through the trip. You won't have to worry about taxis or drivers speaking a foreign language. We take care of it all!

BAGGAGE HANDLING

Transportation isn't the only headache we'll handle for you! Our goal is to ensure that your mind is focused on the experience, so leave the heavy lifting to us!

BREAKFAST & DINNER

We offer authentic, local food for two meals each day, planned in your itinerary. Our guides are a part of this community, so they're able to offer you the best cuisine in the area -- no matter your craving or curiosity.

ENTRANCE FEES

When you sign up for a tour with Friends, we make sure you're taken care of with no hidden expenses. Trips can be costly, but we ensure that money will be your last concern as you journey through sites and Scripture.

PREMIUM ACCOMMODATIONS

While you're traveling and touring through the places and sites you've only read of, we will be making sure that you have the best-of-the-best accommodations. From your flight here to the hotel and transportation by deluxe motor coaches, we've got you covered.

GRATUITIES

Customs in each country are different and once again, we don't want you to worry about expenses while you're focusing on your spirituality. So, we take care of all gratuities and tips that are necessary during your travel.

PROFESSIONAL TOUR GUIDES

Our tour guides are the traveler's right-hand man, which is why they're trained to be courteous and helpful. All our guides speak both English and Hebrew, allowing them to effectively communicate with both travelers and community members.

ITINERARY

Our tours include visits to all of the must-see sites, plus time for a comfortable and relaxing trip!

DEPOSIT AMOUNT: \$300

A deposit of \$300 will secure your place on this tour. A \$100 cancellation fee applies for any cancellation received in writing up to 90 days prior to departure.

THE FINE PRINT

Final Payment Deadline: 3/10/20

Tour Code: HLCRB620

A copy of our terms and conditions will be included with every registration from. Additionally, you may find them on our website at travelwithfriends.com.

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Western Wall



EXPECTED SIGHTS, UNEXPECTED EXPERIENCES

HOLY LAND DAY BY DAY

MON 6/15

Depart the US for Israel

TUE 6/16

Arrive in Tel Aviv, Israel

Welcome to Israel! You will be met at the Tel Aviv airport and transferred to your 4-star hotel on the Sea of Galilee for dinner and overnight.

WED 6/17

Caesarea Philippi / Capernaum / Mount of Beatitudes
Boat Ride / Tabgha / Magdala

Refreshed from a good night's sleep, we rise early to enjoy an Israeli breakfast buffet. Today we travel north to **Caesarea Philippi** where Peter proclaimed to Jesus, "You are the Christ!" (Matthew 16). As we drive through the **Golan Heights** we will understand the strategic importance of this area to the security of Israel. Then we go to **Capernaum**, the headquarters of Jesus' ministry (Matthew 4). We will enjoy a delicious lunch of St. Peter's fish at a restaurant along the seashore. Visit the **Mount of Beatitudes** where Jesus delivered the **Sermon on the Mount** overlooking the Sea of Galilee (Matthew 5-7). Take a boat ride on the **Sea of Galilee** in a replica of a boat used in Jesus' day. Then we will go to **Tabgha**, where Jesus multiplied the loaves and fishes. Visit **Magdala**, the home of Mary Magdalene (Luke 8). We return to our hotel for dinner and another overnight stay.

THUR 6/18

Caesarea Maritima / Mt. Carmel / Megiddo / Nazareth
Cana / Yardenit for Baptism in the Jordan River

This morning we drive to **Caesarea Maritima** on the Mediterranean Sea. This ancient port city was built by Herod the Great and was the site of major events in the lives of Peter and Paul. This is where the first Gentile, Cornelius the Centurion, and his household were baptized (Acts 10). Visit **Mt. Carmel**, where Elijah defeated the prophets of Baal (1 Kings 18). Then we visit the ancient city and military fortress of **Megiddo**. From here we overlook the fertile Jezreel Valley, later referred to as the **Valley of Armageddon** (Revelation 16). We will drive by **Cana**, where Jesus performed His first miracle. Then we visit **Nazareth**, the boyhood home of Jesus and stand on the **Mount of Precipice**, the place where a mob attempted to throw Jesus off the cliff. From there we go to **Yardenit**, where you will have an opportunity to be baptized in the **Jordan River**. Our day ends with dinner back at our hotel.

FRI 6/19

Beit She'an / Jericho / Valley of the Shadow of Death
Jerusalem / The Western Wall

Today we leave the Galilee region and begin our journey to Jerusalem. We will drive through the **Jordan Valley** and stop at **Beit She'an**, where we will see the excavations of Scythopolis, one of the ten cities of the Decapolis. As we continue through the Jordan Valley we will visit **Jericho**, the oldest known inhabited city in the world. There we will see the ruins of the ancient city conquered by Joshua (Joshua 6) and we will also see the traditional site of the Temptation of Jesus (Matthew 4). Then we drive through the **Judean Wilderness** and the Valley of the Shadow of Death as we drive up to Jerusalem. Our first sight of **Jerusalem**, the Golden City, will be from Mt. Scopus. Then we visit the **Western Wall** to witness the **Sabbath transition** as Jewish worshippers gather to celebrate. Tonight, we will enjoy dinner and an overnight stay in our four-star hotel in Jerusalem.

Mount of Beatitudes



Garden of Gethsemane



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SAT 6/20

Mount of Olives / Garden of Gethsemane / House of
Caiaphas / Bethlehem / Church of the Nativity / Shepherd's Fields

Today we visit the **Mount of Olives** as Jesus often did. Forty days after the Resurrection, Jesus ascended to Heaven from this mount. As we walk down the Mount of Olives on the Palm Sunday Road we will pray in the **Garden of Gethsemane** among the ancient olive trees. From here we will have an excellent view of the Kidron Valley and the city of Jerusalem. Next, we visit the **House of Caiaphas**, where Jesus was held the night before His crucifixion (Luke 22). This afternoon we will visit **Bethlehem**, where you will see the **Church of the Nativity** and the **Shepherd's Fields**. Return to our hotel for dinner and another overnight stay in Jerusalem.

SUN 6/21

Old City / Via Dolorosa / Mount Zion / Upper Room
City of David / Yad Vashem Holocaust Memorial

Today we will travel back 2000 years as we take a walking tour of the **Old City of Jerusalem**. We will walk the **Via Dolorosa**. Afterwards, we travel on to **Mount Zion** and the **Upper Room**, the place of the Last Supper (Mark 14) and where the Holy Spirit was poured out on the Day of Pentecost. Visit the **City of David** and explore Hezekiah's Tunnel. Visit the **Yad Vashem Holocaust Memorial** and be touched by the moving images and stories. Return to our hotel for dinner and another overnight stay in Jerusalem.

MON 6/22

Masada / Qumran / Ein Gedi / Dead Sea

Our day starts with a trip to Herod's ancient fortress of **Masada**, which was built high atop a mountain on the edge of the Dead Sea. Visit **Ein Gedi**, a natural oasis in the wilderness where David hid from King Saul. See the **Qumran Caves** where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Today's journey will end with time and relaxation on the shore of the **Dead Sea** where those who want to can go for a swim, rather a "float", in the salted waters of the Dead Sea. Return to our hotel for dinner and another overnight stay in Jerusalem.

TUE 6/23

Old City Tour / Pool of Bethesda / Temple Mount / Garden Tomb

We begin at the **Lions Gate** where we will see the old **Crusader's Church of St. Anne**, and the **Pool of Bethesda** (John 5). Then we will see **Mount Moriah** which is called **Temple Mount**. Here, on the site of Solomon's Temple, stands the Dome of the Rock and the **Al-Aqsa Mosque**. Afterwards we will travel to the **Garden Tomb** where we will have a worship service and communion. **Enjoy a farewell dinner; then we travel to Tel Aviv to board the overnight flight back to the U.S.A.**

WED 6/24

Return Home

Return home with a renewed faith and memories that will last a lifetime!

Sea of Galilee



Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid.
Go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

Matthew 28:10

Jesus took the Twelve aside and told them, "We are going up to
Jerusalem, and everything that is written by the prophets about the
Son of Man will be fulfilled.

Luke 18:31