

HOLY LAND in SPRING TIME (Petra option)

April 2 - 13, 2018 (12 days)

Escorted by Dr. Wayne Barnes, Pastor Emeritus, First Baptist Church, Zachary, LA

\$4,690 from Baton Rouge

Price is per person & includes airfare, fees, taxes and fuel surcharges (approximately \$800 and subject to change), superior first class hotels, full sightseeing, 2 meals per day (full breakfast and dinner daily), 1 special lunch, transfers, baggage handling at hotels, **taxes and tips, including driver and guide (more than \$600)**. Not included are tips for personal services (meals on your own, maid service, etc.). Single Supplement – \$975

PASSPORT REQUIRED, VALID 6 MONTHS PAST LAST DATE OF TRAVEL & AT LEAST TWO BLANK "VISA" PAGES

Dear Friends: This is your personal invitation to join me in an exciting and inspirational tour of the Bible land. Included are all the important Biblical sights. I can promise you a heartwarming experience greater than you would ever have imagined. Bible reading and study will never be the same for you after personally seeing all the Biblical sights. At least once in your life you should walk where Jesus walked. Ongoing news about Israel may give you some concern. The sad truth is if you wait until there is total peace to go to Israel, you will probably never get to go. Tour groups can now see all the Biblical sights. Do I think it is safe to go? Yes, safer than here. I have been to Israel 46 times before and never once felt threatened. I hope you will look at the itinerary to see all the exciting things we will do. Please come go with me to the land of Jesus and walk where Jesus walked.
Wayne Barnes

Day 1, Mon., Apr. 2 - Depart Baton Rouge for overseas flight.

Day 2, Tues., Apr. 3 – Amman, Jordan – Early evening arrival in Amman, Jordan. Transfer to our hotel for overnight. Time is 8 hours ahead of Central Time.

Day 3, Wed., Apr. 4 – Sea of Galilee – Motorcoach across the Jordan River. Visit ancient Jericho, the oldest city in the world and where Joshua “fought the Battle of Jericho”. Then up the Jordan Valley to Tiberius, on the shore of the Sea of Galilee for 3 nights.

Day 4, Thurs., Apr. 5 – Sea of Galilee – We take a boat ride across the **Sea of Galilee** and visit **Mt. of Beatitudes, Caesarea Philippi, Mt. Hermon, Jordan River headwaters and Capernaum**, focal point of Jesus’ Galilee ministry.

Day 5, Fri., Apr. 6 – Caesarea – Morning **baptism in the Jordan River** for those who desire. Tour **Nazareth**, boyhood home of Jesus. Cross the **Armageddon Valley**. Visit ancient fortress of **Megiddo & Elijah’s Mt. Carmel**. Overnight on the Sea of Galilee.

Day 6, Sat., Apr. 7 – Jerusalem – Morning tour of biblical **Caesarea** where Paul was a prisoner and Cornelius was converted. See the aqueduct. Along the **Mediterranean Sea** to Tel Aviv and ancient port of Joppa where Jonah sailed away and where Peter had his rooftop vision. Visit the **Valley of Elah**, where David slew Goliath. On to Jerusalem, our home for 4 nights.

Day 7, Sun., Apr. 8 – Jerusalem – (The order of sightseeing in Jerusalem may be altered). Enjoy a spectacular **view of Jerusalem** from the top of **Mt. of Olives**, walk down **Palm Sunday Road** and visit the **Garden of Gethsemane**. Afternoon visit to **Bethlehem**, birthplace of Jesus, and **Shepherd’s Field**.

Day 8, Mon., Apr. 9 – Jerusalem - Visit the **Old Walled City, Temple area, Wailing Wall, Pilate’s Judgment Hall, Via Dolorosa, Church of the Holy Sepulcher, Pool of Bethesda**. Visit in & around the **Temple Mount and Dead Sea Scrolls Museum**. Visit the Garden of Gethsemane, the crucifixion site and Garden Tomb. Share in a special Lord’s Supper (communion) service.

Day 9, Tues. Apr. 10 – Jerusalem – Dead Sea – Down the Jericho Road to the Dead Sea. Tour the top of amazing Masada Fortress Palace of herod. Visit the site of the Dead Sea Scrolls Cave. Time for a swim (float) in the Dead Sea.

Day 10, Wed., Apr. 11 – Jerusalem– More touring in the Jerusalem area.

Day 11, Thurs., Apr. 12 - Morning departure to the Jordan River Crossing. Visit beyond Bethany baptismal site. View the Holy Land from the top of Mt. Nebo, as Moses did. Day rooms in Amman for early evening rest.

Day 12, Fri., Apr. 13 – Early morning flight for home, arriving Baton Rouge in the afternoon.

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED - Post Option- Petra, Jordan. April 12-16 - Includes a two night stay in Petra at deluxe Marriott hotel, one night stay in Amman, the Jordan Baptismal site, Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land, plus special dinner in Amman and a full day of sightseeing in Petra (one of the great wonders of the world.) Also visit the amazing Jerash archeological site.

Cost: \$690

Single Supplement \$200.

April temps in Israel average the same as Baton Rouge – average high – 76 degrees, average low – 50 degrees

- \$200 per person required to reserve space, refundable until Feb. 2, 2018 when full payment is due.
- Make check payable to ZACHARY TRAVEL CENTER – 5145 Main St., Suite E, Zachary, LA 70791 (225) 654-9210
- All payments are non-refundable after final payment date. 3% surcharge on credit card payments.

----- RETURN BOTTOM PORTION WITH DEPOSIT -----
REGISTRATION: Enclosed is \$200 per person deposit for Holy Land, Apr. 2 - 13, 2018 FINAL DUE: Feb. 2

♦ **NAMES MUST BE EXACTLY AS LISTED ON PASSPORT**

Holy Land (Israel) Only

Post Option Petra, Jordan

Name _____ Birthdate _____ Name tag _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Pick up location / airport _____

Roommate _____ Birthdate _____ Name tag _____

Payments are refundable until final payment at which time trip is non-refundable. Trip cancellation insurance is recommended

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