

(17 days / 16 Hotel Nights w/Jordan Extension)
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\$800 DO / \$925 SO / for Jordan Extension includes lodging, three meals a day, entrance fees, ground transportation, tips, and Bible teachers.



These seminars are 14-day, life-changing, experiences in the land of the Bible. Over 100 Bible events happened at the sites we will visit. Skilled teachers will explain the customs of Bible times and you will hear the Biblical stories told as you are immersed in the sites, sounds, smells, and feel of each location. You will go home with a new love for Scripture and a better understanding of Biblical events.

Things to consider to determine if this is the tour for you

- As a seminar, it is more intense than a regular Holy Land tour
- Our daily schedule is long—we go places many tourists don't
- We ride buses but also walk considerably in Israel. (Start a walking regimen weeks before the seminar.)
- Everyone attending the seminar will learn and tell two or more Bible stories

Preparation work is required

- Read or listen to "All the Stories of the Bible" (free download at www.BibleTelling.com)
- Watch preparation videos (YouTube: Israel Preparation Videos)
- · Practice telling your stories (five times each)

Expenses not covered by the cost of the tour

- · Airfare to and from Israel
- · Activities on the "free day"
- · Drinks cost extra at some of the meals
- Travel insurance covers more than the cost of the trip. It also covers emergency medical, emergency dental, emergency medical transportation, lost/ damaged baggage, travel delay, baggage delay, missed connections, and travel accidents. Cost of insurance differs according to the person's age and the amount of coverage.

Cultural exchange

One evening during the seminar is a "cultural exchange" evening. Seminar participants, in groups of three or four, will enjoy evening meals in the homes of a local families.

Telling stories during the seminar

Telling stories during this seminar greatly enhances the experience of the trip. Telling the story while standing at the site where it happened is thrilling! These stories are not told as a performance on a stage. These are simply shared with the group as a way of remembering what happened at a particular site. BibleTelling provides training and suggestions to help prepare for this part of the seminar. Reading the story aloud, instead of telling it, is also acceptable.

SAMPLE ITINERARY

Depart/Arrive, Friday-Saturday: Travel to Israel

* check into hotel in **Haifa**

Day 1, Sunday: Caesarea on the Sea, Mt. Carmel, Megiddo, Haifa

Day 2, Monday: Mt. Precipice, Nazareth Village, Church of the Annunciation, Church of the Synagogue, Zippori, and Cana * check into hotel on the **Sea of Galilee**

Day 3, Tuesday: Mount of Beatitudes, trail down the Mount, "Eye of God," Tabgha, Capernaum, Chorazin, boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, and Migdala

Day 4, Wednesday: Tel Hazor, Dan, Caesarea Philippi, Nimrod's Fortress, Other side of Galilee

Day 5, Thursday: Mt Arbel, Jezreel, Gideon's Spring, Jordan River Baptismal site, Tel Jericho * check into hotel in **Jericho**

Day 6, Friday: Jericho Springs, Wadi Qelt (St. George Monastery), En Gedi, Masada, Dead Sea * check into hotel at **Arad**

Day 7, Saturday: Camel ride, Beersheba, Lachish, Valley of Elah (David & Goliath), Beth-shemesh (Samson's area), Shepherd's field * check into hotel in **Bethlehem**

Day 8, Sunday: Old city of Bethlehem—Milk Grotto, Olive Wood Shop, Church of the Nativity, Old Market, Archway, David's Well Cultural exchange: evening meal with local families

Day 9, Monday: Free Morning, Service Opportunity—Orphanage, Farm in Bethlehem

Day 10, Tuesday: Bethel, Shiloh, Samaria, Sychar (woman at the well), Shechem

* check into hotel in Jerusalem

Day 11, Wednesday: (within Jerusalem) Temple front steps, Temple Mount, Western Wall, Pool of Bethesda, Roof top, Hezekiah's Tunnel

Day 12, Thursday: (around Jerusalem) Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Upper room, House of Caiaphas, Valley of Hinnom, Garden Tomb

Day 13/Return, Friday: Travel and arrive home OR Jordan Extension: Timna National Park, Eilat, Gulf of Aqaba, Wadi Rum jeep ride * check into **Bedouin Camp**

Day 14, Saturday: Petra
* check into hotel in Amman

Day 15, Sunday: Madaba, Mt. Nebo, Tel Al Hamam (Sodom)

* check into hotel in Jerusalem

Return, Monday: Travel and arrive home