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December 27 - January 7, 2022



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ITINERARY

Day 1 - Monday, December 27

Depart the USA on an overnight flight to Tel-Aviv, Israel.

Day 2 - Tuesday, December 28

Arrive in Tel Aviv. Stretch out after a long flight with a stroll through the modern city of Yafo. Visit the market and port where the prophet Jonah began his journey. Consider the role of Joppa in the early history of the church. Transfer to your hotel by the Mediterranean Sea in Netanya.

Day 3 - Wednesday, December 29

Travel to Caesarea-by-the-Sea, which was built as the imperial center for the Roman government. Its harbor, theater, and marbled streets signal the arrival of foreign occupation in the Heartland and, not surprisingly, the beginning point for Christianity in the Gentile world. Visit Mount Carmel (Muhraqa), where Elijah defeated the prophets of Baal. Hike Mount Arbel and enjoy a magnificent view of Galilee, a key area in the ministry of Jesus. Transfer to Tiberias for dinner and overnight.

Day 4 - Thursday, December 30

Dawn comes early at Magdala, an industrial site on the edge of the Sea of Galilee. View impressive remains that illustrate the fishing industry from the time of Christ. From Magdala, travel to Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry. Visit the synagogue that stands on the site where Jesus taught. Recall his teaching and preaching the gospel of the kingdom. Pause at the Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus preached the Sermon on the Mount before traveling to Nazareth. Visit Mary's Well and walk through the Church of the Annunciation, a structure built over the traditional home of Jesus. Enjoy a traditional Israeli meal at a local restaurant. Overnight in Tiberias.

Day 5 - Friday, December 31

Experience the beauty of the far north. Leave the Sea of Galilee behind and travel to the site of Tel Dan. Here, an Israelite "high place," gate complex, and fortification walls are visible. Continue to the birthplace of the Jordan River at Pnias, named after the goat god, Pan. Nearby is the site of Caesarea Philippi, where Peter declared Jesus to be "the Christ." End the day (and the year of 2022!) by sailing across the waters of the Sea of Galilee. Overnight in Tiberias.

Day 6 - Saturday, January 1

Visit Beit Shean, one of the Gentile cities of the Decapolis. Travel to the Jordan River for an Affirmation of Baptism Service. Continue to Qumran, the site where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered. Stop by the Dead Sea for an optional swim. Complete the day with a visit to the site of Jericho. Learn about the history of this oasis in the desert and hear the story of Joshua and the Jericho walls. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 7 - Sunday, January 2

Cross the Wilderness of Judea on the way to Bethlehem. Visit the Herodium, the man-made mountain castle of Herod the Great. Travel a short distance



to Shepherds' Field, where the Good News was first heard. Follow the tracks of the shepherds to Bethlehem to the place where the Christian story begins: the Church of the Nativity. Continue to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight.

Day 8 - Monday, January 3

Enter the Old City of Jerusalem on foot via St. Stephen's Gate and walk the path of the Via Dolorosa. Along the way, visit the Pool of Bethesda and the Church of St Anne. Further on is the Sisters of Zion church is built next to the Ecce Homo Arch and tradition says it is built over top the pavement of Pilate's courtyard, where Jesus was condemned to death. Visit a site known as the most sacred in all Christianity: the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Here, the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus are celebrated. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 9 - Tuesday, January 4

Begin today at the Tower of David, a tower from King Herod's first-century palace. Visit Jerusalem's Cardo on the way to the Western Wall. Contemplate how Jerusalem figures into the lives of contemporary Muslims and Jews. Walk Jerusalem's streets to investigate excavations at the Davidson Center. Here, aspects of temple architecture and activity from the NT period are visible. Step back still deeper in time while exploring the City of David Excavations. Go underground and witness Jerusalem's earliest remains, including a Canaanite wall, the possible site of David's palace, and a spectacular water system (conditions permitting) that terminates in the Pool of Siloam. Optional walk through Hezekiah's Tunnel. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 10 - Wednesday, January 5

Walk out of Jerusalem's Old City and visit the Zion Gate. Continue to Mount Zion, where several traditional sites are located. Visit the "Upper Room," a possible location of a Byzantine church that marked the place where Jesus met with his disciples. Visit the Benedictine Church of the Dormition, and the area associated with the Tomb of David. Continue south to another Jerusalem landmark, St Peter in Gallicantu, believed by some to be the location of the House of Caiaphas, the High Priest. In the late afternoon, take in a visit to the Garden of Gethsemane and conclude the day with a sunset view and worship on the Mount of Olives. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 11 - Thursday, January 6

Begin this final day of touring at the Israel Museum. Here, discover an enormous model of NT Jerusalem. Linger in the Shrine of the Book and witness some of the most important manuscripts of the Bible. Return to the hotel for dinner, clean up, last-minute shopping, and final packing. After dinner, transfer to the Tel-Aviv Airport and depart for the USA.

Day 12 - Friday, January 7

Arrive in the USA.

Note: Itinerary is subject to change per guide due to local conditions



About Your Instructor... Mark Ziese, Ph.D.

Discovering the place where faith begins is a passion for Mark Ziese.

This experiential quest is at the center of his work as a Field Instructor with the Jerusalem Center of Biblical Studies, his archaeological excavations in the Middle East, and his regular engagement with college and seminary students.

Mark has been studying, speaking, and writing on matters related to the Bible and its world since 1984. He was named a Fellow at the Albright Institute of Archaeology in Jerusalem in 2011.

Learn more about Mark at his website at:
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TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

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Host: Mark Ziese ID#: 55672 Tour: JC22
Departure City: Washington D.C. Departure Date: 12/27/22 (Z)

First, Middle & Last Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:

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Phone: Alt. Phone:
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If No Roommate: Try to Match Me Single Room (availability limited)

Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan:
1 Travel Protection coverage cannot be added after you have paid in full.
2 Premium is based on TOTAL cost of trip and is non-refundable.
3 Coverage begins when your premium payment is received by JCBS (separate from deposit & clearly designated as your travel protection premium).
4 Premium must be paid in full no later than 09/13/22
Guest 1: I Accept I Decline
Guest 2: I Accept I Decline

DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED

Payment: \$ Check # (Payable to Educational Opportunities Tours)

To Register via Credit Card, you must go to www.JCBS.org

PASSENGER AGREEMENT

By signing and submitting the registration form, I/we certify that I/we have read Passenger Agreement, Program Conditions, and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure, understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the Program Conditions and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to government imposed taxes and fees.

Guest 1 Signature:

Guest 2 Signature:

Tour: JC22 Date: 12/27/22 Code: Z ID: 55672 v.003 05/03/22

Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates

For a full description of the plan, go to: www.tripmate.com/wpF427E

Table with 8 columns: Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost. Rows show various price points from \$0 to \$2500 and corresponding plan costs.

Table with 2 columns: Schedule of Coverages, Maximum Benefit. Includes Part A (Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, Missed Connection, Travel Delay) and Part B (Medical Expense / Emergency Evacuation, Accidental Death & Dismemberment, Baggage and Personal Effects, Baggage Delay).

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co.*For New York Residents Only: Part A Benefits are travel arrangement benefits underwritten by United States Insurance Company.

Conditions and Limitations

This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip or 105 days before departure date, whichever occurs first), suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war. Other Covered Reasons, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancellation or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Strike, mechanical breakdown that causes complete cessation of services of Your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty; destruction of your home or destination by fire, flood, burglary or natural disaster; being called to the emergency service of government to provide aid or relief in the event of a natural disaster; a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; or Revocation of military leave. For further information ask for the Certificate of Coverage which fully details the coverages, provisions, limitations and exclusions of the plan offered and is available to you, upon request, any time prior to your purchase of the plan. This plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatontown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc., 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO, 64114, 1-800-888-7292 (*in CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency).

PROGRAM CONDITIONS

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Round-trip international airfare • Deluxe motorcoaches • 1st class hotels • Guided sightseeing • Entrance fees to sites visited (as listed in itinerary) • Breakfast & dinner daily • Hotel gratuities • Program fees • Administrative Fee • Fuel surcharges \$600 • Government Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change) • Driver Gratuities

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure • Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages at meals & baggage fees • \$100 Document fee for Non-US/Canadian residents • Visa for non-US citizens

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Price is per person based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While JCBS/EOT will try to match roommates, JCBS/EOT cannot guarantee a roommate will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 30 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the following charges apply: \$978 during the basic tour.

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

All prices reflect a 4% discount for full payment via check.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Table with 2 columns: Payment Amount, Payment Due Dates & Notes. Rows include \$300** (Registrations received until 06/27/22), \$600 (Registrations received between 06/28/22 - 09/12/22), \$1,200 (2nd Deposit Amount), \$1,800 (Registrations received between 09/13/22 - 10/14/22), Full Payment (Final Payment is due on 10/13/22), and Travel Protection Amount (The Travel Protection Plan premium will be due no later than 07/14/22).

REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED after September 13, 2022:

We welcome registrations after 09/13/22. Registrations received between 09/14/22 - 09/28/22 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 09/29/22 - 10/13/22 will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received between 10/14/22 - 10/28/22 will incur a \$400 per person fee. Registrations received on 10/29/22 or later will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration.

CANCELLATION FEES:

100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following per-person cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 105 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$100 non-refundable cancellation fee plus any airline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any airline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following per-person charges: 104-60 days = \$400; 59-45 days = \$600; 44-31 days = 40% of total cost; 30 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, there will be no refund for any services not used.

STATEMENTS OF RESPONSIBILITY

JCBS/EOT does not accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air schedules, hotel overbookings, other hotel related problems or causes, and/or travel supplier cancellations or postponements. Travel suppliers include all tour operators, cruise lines, airlines, hotels, bus companies, entertainment venues, and any other travel supplier used to operate the tour. All such losses or expenses will be the responsibility of the passenger. JCBS/EOT reserves the right to make adjustments to the itinerary as deemed desirable by JCBS/EOT, and JCBS/EOT reserves the right to cancel any tour prior to departure. If a tour is canceled beyond the control of JCBS/EOT, JCBS/EOT will provide a refund or a future travel credit to be used two years from the date of issuance for the value of all funds paid by the passenger less nonrefundable travel supplier prepaid deposits, travel supplier change fees, nonrefundable travel protection premiums, and a \$150 administration fee.

ABILITY TO TRAVEL STATEMENT:

Passengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged, those needing oxygen, wheelchairs, or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting to their experiences. If you have questions, please contact Educational Opportunities Tours Inc. for more details. JCBS/EOT reserves the right to refuse or revoke travel to anyone who is, in the sole judgment of JCBS/EOT, incapable of group travel without causing undue demands upon the staff or other tour participants. Accessible rooms/cabins are limited and subject to confirmation after receiving the passenger's written request.

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 09/13/22. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. Discrepancies in information may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel. Any fees incurred due to discrepancies are the responsibility of the passenger.

PRICE INCREASES:

All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change prior to payment in full due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, you may be subject to a price increase after payment in full has been received due to potential government imposed taxes and fees.

AIRLINE ROUTES and TICKETS:

In order to keep prices low, JCBS/EOT does not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once issued, airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class on IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for groups of 10 or more flying together on entire itinerary. If you choose to depart from a different city than your group or traveling companion, or deviate your flight and/or trip plans, and/or you are taking a pre or post tour, you may fly on a different scheduled flight(s) than the rest of your group. If you make your own air arrangements, you are responsible for booking all needed flights for your travel unless specified otherwise. Contact guest services for further details.

FLIGHT TIMES and SEATING:

All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. JCBS/EOT is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If you are making your own flight arrangements to the departure city, we recommend you purchase a ticket that can be exchanged without large penalties. There is no advance seat selection for groups on most airlines. Early check-in is necessary to secure seats with travel companions and those with special needs. Due to security measures taken at airports, it is advisable to arrive at the airport three hours prior to departure time. Seating is solely under the control of the airlines.

ADDITIONAL AIRLINE FEES:

You will likely incur additional airline checked baggage fees that are not included in the price of the tour. These fees vary by airline and are at the airline's discretion on each segment of the flight itinerary. Additionally, you may incur optional fees (food, excess baggage, overweight baggage, items of personal nature, etc.) as well. For more information, visit www.jcbs.org/travelinfo/airlinefees.aspx.

ON OWN DEVIATIONS:

On Own Deviations from the standard tour program must be submitted in writing and are subject to additional airline fees, if applicable. Transfers for passengers who deviate are not included.

ITINERARY CHANGES:

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this brochure. While JCBS/EOT will make every effort to ensure you will see all sites listed in this brochure, the availability of sites, order of sites and/or days and number of days may be altered to accommodate changes in airline, hotel schedules, and local conditions. No changes to the itinerary are effective unless approved in writing and signed by an authorized officer of the tour operator. Except as stated herein, no other person is authorized to cancel, modify or vary the tour arrangements or to make any representation of warranty concerning the tour.

Due to airline schedules, some participants may receive one or two extra leisure days at a nominal per day charge and some extensions may not be available on all departure dates. If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$125 per night; single rooms \$175 per night. Meals for extra nights are not included.

VALIDITY DATE:

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Payment of deposit indicates permission for JCBS/EOT or its agents to record the registrant's participation and appearance on video tape, audio tape, film, photograph, or any other medium and to use the registrant's name, likeness, voice, comments, submitted documentation, written papers, and/or biographical material without restrictions or limitation for any advertising, marketing, publicity, educational or promotional purpose which JCBS/EOT or its agents deem appropriate, unless the registrant or guardian otherwise notifies JCBS/EOT in writing prior to departure.

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