

HOLY LAND

Your Journey Includes: Roundtrip Airfare • 4 Star Hotels • Deluxe Motorcoaches
Four Course Dinner and Israeli Breakfast Buffet Daily • Guided Sightseeing

Departure from: **Houston, November 11 - 21, 2022** (Approximately \$5000)





ITINERARY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11 – Your pilgrimage begins as you depart the United States on your international flight.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12 – You will be welcomed to the Holy Land by our representative and be taken to your hotel in the **Tel Aviv** area. There you will have dinner and overnight.

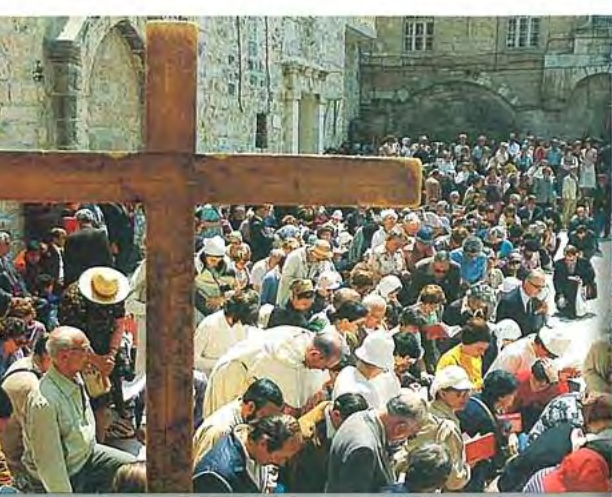
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13 – We'll begin our day with a drive along the coast of the **Mediterranean Sea** to **Caesarea by the Sea**. There we'll see the Roman ruins of the great Theater and Aqueduct, as well as the Crusader city later built on this site. This is the place where Paul left for his final missionary journey. We'll continue to **Mt. Carmel** where Elijah confronted the prophets of Baal. Next we'll travel to **Megiddo**, also known as **Armageddon**. This is the place where Christians believe the final great battle of the world will be fought. We'll travel to **Nazareth** where the angel appeared to Mary to announce that she would be the mother of God's Son. This is also the place where Jesus spent his childhood years. From there we'll drive through **Cana** where Jesus performed his first miracle as we proceed to **Tiberias** for dinner and overnight.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14 – Today we'll begin with a **Boat Ride** across the **Sea of Galilee** where we'll stop for a devotional service. We'll then visit **Kibbutz Ginosar** to see the **ancient boat** from the time of Jesus. We'll continue to **Caesarea Phillipi** at the foot of **Mount Hermon**, the ancient Roman city where Peter first confessed Jesus as the Christ. After our visit there we'll go to the **Road to Damascus** where Paul had his conversion experience. We'll

continue our tour with a visit to the hills above the Sea where we find the **Mount of Beatitudes**. It was here that Jesus gave us the beautiful words from Matthew's gospel. We'll travel on to **Tabgha**, the site of the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. We'll end our day with a visit to **Peter's Primacy**, a beautiful garden on the shores of the **Sea of Galilee** with a chapel commemorating the morning meal that Jesus prepared for the disciples after the resurrection. After our visit there we'll return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 – Today we'll begin with a visit to **Capernaum**, the area where Jesus spent most of his ministry. After the visit here we'll continue to **Zippori**, not far from Nazareth and a center of learning during the time of Jesus. We'll see the beautiful mosaics and get a feel for the area where Jesus grew up. We'll continue to **Beit She'an** where we'll visit the Roman ruins of the ancient Decapolis city which was continuously inhabited for 5000 years. We'll end our day with a **Baptism Service** at the **Jordan River** before we return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 – This morning we'll travel along the **Jordan Valley** on our way to **Masada**, the amazing mountain top fortress built by Herod and site of the final battle in the Jewish Rebellion against the Romans. After our visit there, we'll drive along the **Dead Sea**, passing the springs of **Ein Gedi** on our way to visit **Qumran** where the **Dead Sea Scrolls** were discovered. We'll finish our day with a drive through the **Judean Wilderness** on our way up to **Jerusalem** for dinner and overnight.



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17 – Today's tour begins with a visit to the **Mount of Olives** where we'll see a breathtaking **Panoramic View** of the **Old City of Jerusalem**. We'll walk a part of the **Palm Sunday Road** to the **Garden of Gethsemane** where Jesus went with the disciples on the final night before his crucifixion. There we'll visit the **Church of All Nations** and the garden with its ancient olive trees. Next we'll go to **Mount Zion** where we'll visit the **Upper Room**. From there we'll go to the **House of Caiaphas** where Jesus was imprisoned for a night. We'll finish the day with a visit to the **Nativity Church** in **Bethlehem** where you will visit the grotto, revered as the place where Jesus was born. From there you will go to your hotel for dinner and overnight.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18 – Our day will begin today with a visit to the **Western Wall**, the place most precious for Jews around the world. We'll proceed to the **Temple Mount** where we'll visit the **Dome of the Rock Mosque**. We'll continue from there to the **Pool of Bethesda** where Jesus healed the crippled man. We'll sing a hymn in the **Church of St. Anne** before we begin our walk down the **Via Dolorosa**, following the path Jesus took to the cross. We'll visit the **Church of the Holy Sepulcher** and walk through the fascinating Arab market. We'll tour through the **Jewish Quarter** where we'll see the **Roman Cardo** and other sites of interest. At the end of our visit there, we'll return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19 – Today we will begin with a visit to **Yad Vashem**, the memorial to the Holocaust victims. Nearby, we'll visit the **Israel Museum** which houses the **Dead Sea Scrolls**. From there we'll be able to see the **Israeli Knesset**, seat of the Israeli Parliament and government offices. We'll finish the day with a tour of the **Model of First Century Jerusalem** before returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20 – Today we'll finish our visit in the Holy Land with a very special service of **Communion at the Garden Tomb**. We'll return to the hotel for our **Farewell Dinner** and overnight.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21 – We'll have an early breakfast before proceeding to the airport for our return flight to the USA. We'll arrive home filled with new insights and understanding of the life and land of Jesus.



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PROGRAM CONDITIONS

INCLUDED IN PRICE OF STANDARD PROGRAM: Round trip airfare, transfers with group to/from airport; shared double room in moderate hotel; two meals daily; English speaking guide; transfer to and entrance fees for sites to be visited.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: Tips to be collected and distributed by tour operator; Single room charges (see below); Additions or changes to the standard program (see below); individual transfers; travel insurance; laundry, coffee and drinks; excess baggage and items of a personal nature; any increase in taxes and fees that may occur between the printing of this brochure and issuing of airline tickets. Price is based on the exchange rate at the time of printing and may be subject to change. Any Covid testing required for travel. Covid vaccines are currently required for travel to this destination. Anything not mentioned as included above.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Deposit of \$750 due with registration. Within 90 days of the departure date, space may be limited and/or a supplement in airfare may apply. Final payment is due August 7, 2022.

TOUR DOCUMENTS: The name on your airline ticket **must exactly match** your name as it appears on your passport. You must forward a copy of the photo/informational page of your passport within two weeks of enrollment on the tour. If applying for a new or renewed passport, send the copy as soon as you receive your new passport.

SINGLE ROOMS: Price is based on double occupancy. While Gomega Travel will try to match room mates, we cannot guarantee that a roommate will be available. If not, the payment of a single supplement will be required. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles.

ROOMMATES: You will be charged for a single room if you do not have a roommate and/or Gomega Travel cannot match you with one.

MEALS: Buffet breakfast and set menu dinner daily. All other meals are "on your own".

LUGGAGE: Limit of one suitcase and one carry-on per person, not to exceed 50 pounds or 62 inches total.

TRANSFERS: Transport between airport, hotel and piers is included in the standard program. However, those who request changes from standard program are responsible for their own transfers.

CHANGES FROM STANDARD PROGRAM: Any adjustment in standardized air or land itinerary will carry a \$150 fee (for each change) in addition to any additional expense required. To ensure efficient handling of these requests, Gomega Travel will require that a tour deposit be received before a deviation request can be processed. Transfers to/from airports, etc. are not included if you do not arrive and depart with the group.

AIRLINE TICKETS: Printed 45-60 days prior to departure, tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your European destination will be jet economy class aboard IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amenable tickets for groups of 10 or more passengers flying together for entire itinerary.

FLIGHT TIMES: Subject to change by airlines without advance notice. Gomega Travel is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays.

ITINERARY LENGTH: Because airlines often change flight schedules after brochures are printed, Gomega Travel reserves the right to shorten or lengthen the itinerary accordingly and, whenever possible, you will be notified in writing. If changes necessitate extra overnights, there will be additional charges.

CANCELLATION FEES: From the day of registration to 120 days prior to departure the \$250 non-refundable registration fee is the only charge. Thereafter, the following charges apply: 119-90 days: \$750; 89-60 days: 50% of total cost; 59-45 days: 75% of total cost; 44 days to day of departure: 100% of total cost. All refund claims must be received in writing.

INSURANCE: Gomega Travel recommends cancellation and trip insurance to cover the above fees.

STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY

Gomega Travel agrees to provide the itinerary described in this brochure, and this represents the entire agreement between the passenger and his agent, the Tour Host, and the Tour Operator.

No changes or deviations are effective unless approved in writing and signed by an authorized officer of the tour operator. Except as stated herein, no person is authorized to cancel, modify, or vary the tour arrangements or to make any representation of warranty concerning the tour.

All prices, itineraries and schedules are subject to regulations and changes thereof by acts of Government, International Agreement and Airline tariff adjustments, rules and regulations.

Gomega Travel reserves the right to change or withdraw the tour, in whole or in part at any time. In the event of a change, the sole exclusive obligation of Gomega Travel will be to refund pro rata any payment received. In the event of rescheduling of the tour due to unforeseen circumstances, the cancellation and refund clause will apply. Gomega Travel may decline to accept or retain any individual as a participant on the tour at any time. If any tour participant leaves or is removed from the tour, Gomega Travel is not responsible for any related expenses. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, the tour operator assumes no liability or responsibility for any injuries, inconveniences, illness, irregularity or incidental damages occasioned by circumstances beyond the control of tour operator, or by any person or reason whatsoever, including, but not limited to events such as strikes, revolts, wars, natural disasters, closures of airports or hotels, default or omission of any common or private carrier or the default, negligence or omission of and by any third party providing services or facilities related to or included in this tour or any part thereof, or in arranging for the same, or the acts or omissions of the Tour Host.

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Enrollment in and payment for the tour, constitutes your acceptance of the Program Conditions and Statement of Responsibility.

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