

HOLY LAND & JORDAN

Your Journey Includes: Roundtrip Airfare • 5 Star Hotels • Deluxe Motorcoaches
Four Course Dinner and Israeli Breakfast Buffet Daily • Guided Sightseeing

Departure from: **Houston, October 10 - October 23, 2021** – **\$5,939** cash discount price





ITINERARY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10 – Your pilgrimage begins as you depart the United States on your international flight.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11 – We will be welcomed by our representative and taken to your hotel in the **Tel Aviv** area. There we will have dinner and overnight.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12 – 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.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13 – 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** where we'll see the **ancient boat** from the time of Jesus. We'll travel on to **Tabgha**, the site of the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. From there we'll continue our tour with a visit to the hills above the Sea to visit the **Mount of Beatitudes**. It was here that Jesus gave us the beautiful words from Matthew's gospel. We'll continue to

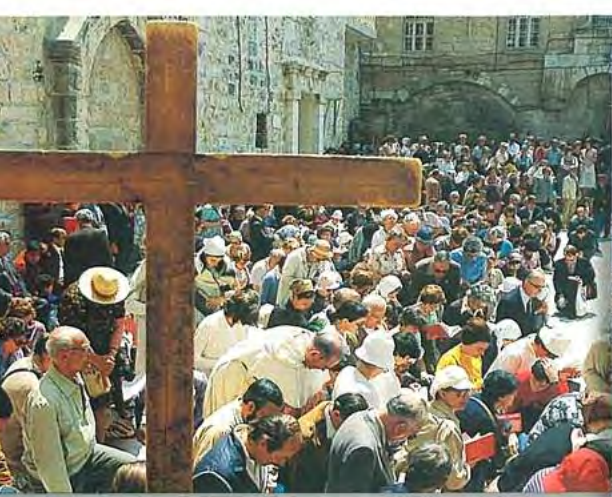
nearby **Capernaum**, the area where Jesus spent most of his ministry. We'll end our day with a visit to **Peter's Primacy**, a beautiful garden on the shores of the Sea of Galilee with a chapel commemorating the morning meal that Jesus prepared for the disciples after the resurrection. After our visit there we'll return to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14 – Today we'll begin with a drive 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. From there we'll continue to see the Roman ruins at **Beit She'an**, 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 to freshen up before going to a local restaurant for dinner.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15 – This morning we will say good-bye to the Galilee and drive through the **Jordan Valley** on our way to **Masada**, the amazing mountain-top fortress built by Herod, and the site of the final battle in the Jewish Rebellion against the Romans. From there we'll go to the **Allenby Bridge** where we'll cross into **Jordan**. We'll continue to the **Dead Sea** where we'll have some time to relax and enjoy the waters of this amazing body of water before dinner and overnight.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16 – We will begin today with a visit to **Mount Nebo** from which Moses viewed the Promised Land. From there we will go to the Christian village of **Madaba** to see the ancient mosaic map of the Holy Land. After our visit there we will continue to **Petra** for dinner and overnight.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17 – Today we'll explore the **Red Rose City of Petra**. This 2000-year old city was



carved by the Nabataens out of the native rock. It has been protected through the centuries by a ring of mountains surrounding the area. Choose between riding a horse or choose between riding a horse or walking to the dramatic canyon where we'll then all walk to the famous **Treasury**, carved in pink stone. We will continue past the **Roman Theatre**, the **Corinthian Tomb** and the **Palace Tomb** to the **Roman Road**. After finishing our visit in Petra, we'll drive to **Amman** for dinner and overnight.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18 – This morning we'll have a city tour of Amman before we return to the Allenby Bridge to cross the border back into Israel. We'll visit **Qumran** where the **Dead Sea Scrolls** were discovered before going up to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19 – 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** with the **Temple Mount** and the **Dome of the Rock Mosque** at the center of the picture. 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. 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 returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20 – Our day will begin today with a visit to the **Western Wall**, the place most precious for Jews around the world. We'll walk through the **Western Wall Tunnel** that goes under the streets of today with pavement from the time of Jesus. When we exit the tunnel, we'll begin our walk along the **Via Dolorosa**. We'll follow the path Jesus took to the cross, ending at the **Church of the Holy Sepulcher**, the traditional site of the crucifixion and

resurrection. From there we'll walk through the fascinating **Arab market** where we'll have some time for shopping. We'll tour the **Jewish Quarter** where we'll see the **Roman Cardo** and other sites of interest. Next we'll go to Mount Zion to visit the **Upper Room** and view the traditional site of **King David's Tomb**. At the end of our visit there, we'll return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21 – We'll begin our day today with a drive to **Bethlehem** where we'll visit the **Nativity Church** and see **Manger Square**. On our way to the church we'll view the **Shepherd's Field** where the angels appeared to the shepherds to announce the birth of Jesus. From there we'll go to the **Israel Museum** which houses the **Dead Sea Scrolls**. We'll view the seat of the Israeli Parliament, the **Knesset**, and tour the **Model of First Century Jerusalem**. We'll end the day with a visit to **Yad Vashem**, the memorial to the Holocaust victims, before returning to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22 – Today we'll begin with a visit to the **Hadassah Hospital** where we'll see the beautiful **Chagall** windows depicting the Twelve Tribes of Israel. We'll finish our visit in the Holy Land with a very special service of **Communion at the Garden Tomb**. You'll return to the hotel to finish packing and have a **Farewell Dinner**. After dinner you'll proceed to the airport for your return flight to the USA.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23 – We'll arrive home with new insights and understandings of the life and teachings 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 of \$330 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. Additional charge of \$268 for double and \$358 for single to pay by credit card.

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 June 28, 2021.

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. Single room supplement for this tour is \$2000.

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, \$472 for double and \$629 for single.

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.

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

The program conditions become a binding contract when your enrollment and payment are received and accepted by Gomega Travel in The Woodlands, Texas. Venue for any disputes is Montgomery County, Texas. This contract shall be governed by the laws of the state of Texas.

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