

BIBLICAL ISRAEL



Day 1, Friday – Arrive Tel Aviv

Arrive in Tel Aviv at Ben Gurion Airport, where are met and transferred to your hotel. (Prima City/Dan Panorama/Dan Tel Aviv)

Day 2, Saturday – Tel Aviv

Day at leisure to explore the city on your own. (B)

Day 3, Sunday – Tel Aviv/Rosh Hanikra

Drive north to Caesarea, once the Roman capital of the region, and see the excavations of the Crusader city. Proceed to Haifa to visit the Clandestine Immigration and Naval museum. Drive to Acre, where the Old City is a World Heritage Site. Walk through the old port and local market. Continue to Rosh Hanikra. Descend by cable car into the water-cut grottoes. (Kibbutz Guesthouse) (B)

Day 4, Monday - Safed/Golan Heights

Drive to Safed, one of the four Holy Cities in Israel. Visit the Caro and Ari synagogues. Stroll through the narrow alleyways and visit the picturesque artists' quarter. Enjoy a jeep tour at the foot of the Golan Heights. Continue upward and stop at the Gadot to see the Roaring Lion monument at the site of a heroic battle in 1920. Proceed to a magnificent observation point over the city of Kuneitra and the Syrian border. Drive to Tel-Hai and overlook, a memorial for the fallen soldiers of the Golan. Meet with a kibbutz member and learn about their unique lifestyle. (Kibbutz Guesthouse) (B)

Day 5, Tuesday - Tiberias/Jerusalem

Drive to Tiberias to visit the grave of Rambam (commonly known as Maimonides), a medieval philosopher who became a great authority on Jewish law. Continue through the Jordan valley to Beit Shean and see the fascinating excavated remains from Roman and Byzantine periods. Stop at Beit Alpha to admire the mosaic floor of a synagogue discovered in 1929. Visit Gan Hashlosha national park and enjoy the warm spring water pools and waterfalls. Continue via the Jordan valley to Jerusalem. (Prima Kings/Dan Panorama/King David) (B)

Day 6, Wednesday – Jerusalem

Today visit the Tomb of King David on Mt. Zion. Walk along the Cardo, heart of the ancient Roman City. Visit the four Sepharadic Synagogues restored after the 1967 war in the Jewish Quarter. Tour the Western Wall Tunnels and the archaeological park at Davidson Center. Walk through the colorful local bazaar to visit the Tower of David museum. (B)

Day 7, Thursday - Jerusalem

Enjoy the Bar-Mitzvah ceremonies at the Kotel (the Hebrew

name for the Western Wall). Drive through Mea Shearim, one of the oldest Jewish neighborhoods in Jerusalem, and learn about the lifestyle of the ultra-orthodox communities. Proceed to Mount Herzl, and Yad Vashem, the memorial to the Holocaust. Visit Ammunition Hill, a former Jordanian army stronghold converted into a national memorial site and museum. Drive by the Knesset, Israel's parliament, and see the Menorah with its biblical emblems. Next, visit the Israel Museum to see the Shrine of the Book, where the Dead Sea Scrolls are housed. (B)

Day 8, Friday - Dead Sea

Drive through the Judean Desert to the Dead Sea, the lowest point on earth. Visit Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls

Guaranteed Departures	Land Only	Single Supplement
Mar 27	\$2370 S \$2695 FC \$3695 D	\$ 910 S \$1170 FC \$2140 D
Apr 17	\$2370 S \$2655 FC \$4665 D	\$ 910 S \$1120 FC \$2140 D
Apr 24	\$2370 S \$2695 FC \$4430 D	\$ 910 S \$1165 FC \$2525 D
May 1, 8, 15, 22 Jun 5, 12, 19 Oct 16, 23, 30; Nov 6	\$2490 S \$2795 FC \$4095 D	\$ 910 S \$1260 FC \$2525 D
Jun 26	\$2415 S \$2870 FC \$4175 D	\$ 885 S \$1260 FC \$2525 D
Jul 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 Aug 7, 14, 21, 28	\$2410 S \$2780 FC \$3810 D	\$ 910 S \$1170 FC \$2165 D
Sep 4, 11	\$2430 S \$2695 FC \$3695 D	\$ 910 S \$1170 FC \$2140 D
Nov 13, 20	\$2365 S \$2795 FC \$3295 D	\$ 895 S \$1260 FC \$1725 D
Nov 27 Dec 4, 11	\$2265 S \$2395 FC \$3275 D	\$ 825 S \$ 870 FC \$1695 D
Dec 18, 25	\$2355 S \$2995 FC \$4075 D	\$ 795 S \$1465 FC \$2495 D
Jan 1, 8, 15, 22 '21 Feb 5, 12, 19 '21	\$2265 S \$2395 FC \$3570 D	\$ 825 S \$ 870 FC \$1995 D

Land Only prices are per person based on double occupancy. Hotels are S (standard), FC (first-class) and D (deluxe), as indicated.

Departures	Suggested Airfare
Jun 1 – Aug 20	\$1440
Dec 10 '20 – Jan 10 '21	\$1100
Mar – May; Aug 21 – Dec 9	\$1100
Jan 11 – Feb 28 '21	\$1100

Suggested Airfare is per person from New York JFK to destination city on itinerary and return from last city on itinerary. Other gateway cities are available. Prices include government taxes and fees. For details, refer to Tour Features on page 2.

10 DAYS/9 NIGHTS

► Tel Aviv, Caesarea, Haifa, Acre, Rosh Hanikra Safed, Golan Heights, Tiberias, Beit Shean Jerusalem, Western Wall, Dead Sea

were found. Continue to Masada, ascend by cable car, and tour the mountain fortress built by King Herod. Visit the remains of the walls, palaces, synagogue and bathhouse. Descend by cable car. Stop for lunch and spa facilities in one of the leading hotels in the area, and enjoy a "swim" in the mineral-rich Dead Sea. (B)

Day 9, Saturday - Jerusalem

Day at leisure in Jerusalem. (B)

Day 10, Sunday – Depart Jerusalem

Today you are transferred to the airport for your departure flight. (B)

