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Holy Land Classic 2010

Jerusalem • Galilee • Bethlehem • Jericho
10 Days of Biblical Discovery

We invite you to join us for a unique Holy Land pilgrimage. Travel with participants from the Rocky Mountain Conference on this life-changing journey. Learn about the Jewish roots of Christianity in the land that gave birth to both religions. Walk where Jesus walked and experience the most important places of his life. Visit Jewish and Christian holy sites. Meet peacemakers from all three Abrahamic faiths while learning about the history that binds them together. All in a land where history and modernity live side by side. Renew your faith as you re-discover the hope that still lives in the Holy Land. Please join us on this one-of-a kind journey.

Shalom!

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Full deposit required. Savings deducted from balance.
Additional \$40 Savings available if full payment via check is received 4 months prior to departure

Your Journey of a Lifetime Includes:

- Roundtrip Airfare • Deluxe Motorcoaches • Guided Sightseeing
- Entrance Fees to Sites Visited
- 1st Class Hotels & Superior 1st Class Hotels
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Lecture Series:

- Jerusalem in the Time of Jesus • Jesus' Ministry in the Galilee
- Impact of the Galilee on Jesus • Geography and Its Impact on the Bible

Educational Theme:

- Jesus: His Life, His Time, His Land, His Hebrew Faith
- Two Units of CEU Credits Available

Register online via credit card or check at www.eo.travelwithus.com

Holy Land Classic 2010

Day 1 Depart the USA

Your spiritual pilgrimage begins as you depart the USA on an overnight flight.

Day 2 Arrive in the Holy Land

You will be welcomed to the **Holy Land** by our airport representative and transferred to your hotel. Enjoy dinner before you rest.

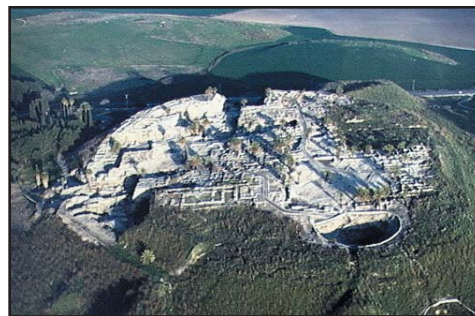


Day 3 The Galilee

With Bible in hand, cross the waters of the **Sea of Galilee** aboard a Kinnereth Sailing Company boat. Along the way, participate in a special on board worship service. Travel to **Capernaum**, the center of Jesus' ministry in the Galilee. Visit the synagogue which stands on the site where Jesus taught. Recall his teaching and preaching the gospel of the kingdom (Matt.4: 13, 23). At **Kibbutz Nof Ginnosar**, you'll learn about the "Ancient Boat", a rare example of the kind



of boat in which Jesus would have sailed. Travel to the **Mount of Beatitudes** where Jesus preached to the people (Matt. 5-7). At **Tabgha**, the traditional location for the calling of the disciples and the feeding of the 5000, you'll visit the **Church of the Fish and the Loaves** (Luke 9:10-17). You'll also visit the **Chapel of the Primacy** where three times Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21). At the River Jordan you can remember your baptism in the **Yardenit Baptismal Site**.



Day 4 Beit Shean, Nazareth, Megiddo and Caesarea

Visit the ruins of **Beit Shean** which was continuously inhabited for 5000 years and was one of the Roman cities Jesus passed on his way from Galilee to Jerusalem. Visit **Nazareth**, Jesus' boyhood

home (Matthew 2: 23). We will also visit and have lunch with Jewish, Muslim and Christian students/faculty of the **Mar Elias School** founded by Elias Chacour at **Ibillin**, near Nazareth. Then we will travel the ancient caravan route past **Tel Megiddo** where 20 different cities lie superimposed upon each other. This longer day of trav-



el will end with sundown on the Mediterranean and a visit to the **Roman Aqueduct and Theatre at Caesarea**, a center of the early Christians. Here, Cornelius became the first Gentile convert to the "new religion" (Acts 10) and Paul was imprisoned before being taken to Rome for Trial.

Day 5 Jericho and Bethlehem

Travel to **Jericho** and visit the ruins of the ancient city, which was conquered by Joshua (Josh. 6: 1, 2, 20). From Jericho, you can see the traditional site of the Temptation of Jesus (Matt. 4: 1-11). Even today, the road from Jericho to Jerusalem twists for miles as it climbs from below sea level into the Judean mountains. Jesus traveled the nearby Roman road, the setting of His parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10: 30-36). In **Bethlehem**, you'll visit the



cave revered as the place where Jesus was born (Matt. 1: 18 - 25; Luke 2: 1- 7). **The Church of the Nativity**, which was constructed on the site, is the world's oldest functioning church. Nearby you'll view **Shepherds' Field** where the Good News was first heard. You will also have the option of eating lunch in a Bethlehem restaurant or visiting the home of a Palestinian Christian family for a home-cooked lunch (for a similar lunch cost).

Day 6 Jerusalem

Visit the **Haas Promenade** and enjoy a panoramic view from the south of Jerusalem, the Old City walls and the hill called **Mount Moriah** where Abraham was commanded by God to offer Isaac as a burnt offering (Gen. 22: 2, 4). View the **Kidron Valley** and the **Valley of Gehenna**. Stand atop the **Mount of Olives** as Jesus did and enjoy a remarkable view of the "Golden City" of Jerusalem, including the **Temple Mount** and **Dome of the Rock**. Forty days after his resurrection, Jesus ascended into heaven from the **Mount of Olives** (Acts 1: 9 - 12). Visit the **Chapel of the Ascension**. Pray in the **Garden of Gethsemane** as Jesus prayed (Matt. 26: 36 - 44). Continue to **Mount Zion** to visit the **House of the High Priest Caiaphas** where Jesus was imprisoned for a night (Matt. 26: 57 - 65). Stand in the

Upper Room, revered as the place of the Last Supper (Mark 14: 12 - 26). View the site of **King David's Tomb**. Tonight, you will have the option (extra fee) of visiting in the home of a Jewish family for conversation and dessert or attending a celebration of Jewish folklore and song.

Day 7 Jerusalem and the Old City

Visit the **Southern Wall Excavations** of the ancient Temple including the **Teaching Steps** and the **Western Wall**. Walk the **Cardo**, the ancient main street of the Old City once lined with shops, now partially restored. We will also visit the Arab marketplace. View the **Pool of Bethesda** (John 5: 1-31) where Jesus performed the Sabbath miracle, and sing a hymn in the **Church of St. Anne**. Visit **Herod's Antonia Fortress** where Jesus was brought before Pontius Pilate (Luke 23: 1-11). Walk the **Via Dolorosa**, "the Way of the Cross," and stand in reverence at the **Church of the Holy Sepulchre**. Tonight, you will have the opportunity to take part in a conversation about current issues in Arab-Israeli peacemaking in the home of a Muslim Sufi Sheik in the Muslim quarter of the Old City in connection with a local peace-building group, Jerusalem Peacemakers.

Day 8 Leisure Day with Optional Qumran, Masada and Dead Sea Tour

Today you may choose to rest in Jerusalem or explore it on your own. Or you may travel to **Qumran**, site of the Dead Sea Scroll discovery, to discuss the mysterious community of Essenes who once lived on the shores of the **Dead Sea**. Then visit **Masada** (additional charge), Herod's mountaintop fortress which became the last stronghold of the Jewish Rebellion against the Romans. Ride the cable car to the top to explore. Peer down upon the remains of the Roman camps and siege ramp below. Time permitting, you'll stop briefly at the **Shores of the Dead Sea** for a quick dip in the salt and mineral laden waters.

Day 9 Jerusalem

Travel to **Ein Karem**, known as the birthplace of John the Baptist and the place where the Virgin Mary visited Elisabeth (Luke 1: 26-40). Then you will visit **Yad Vashem**, Israel's memorial to Jewish victims of the Holocaust. Visit and worship at the **Garden Tomb**, possible site of the garden of Joseph of Arimathea and experience the reality of the Resurrection while sharing in a service of Holy Communion. Your afternoon is free for exploring.

Day 10 Return to USA

Return home with memories of a lifetime.

TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

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Departure Date: **02/03/10** Departure City: _____

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Yes, I am interested in receiving emails about my trip and other EO promotional items

Birth Date: ____/____/____ Age: _____ Sex: M F
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First Trip with EO? Yes No

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INCLUDED IN PRICE: Roundtrip Airfare, Deluxe Motorcoaches, First Class Hotels, Guided Sightseeing, Entrance fees to sites visited, Breakfast and Dinner daily; Basic Gratuities; Taxes, Facilities Charge and Security Fees, Departure, Immigration and Customs Fees; Non-refundable Administrative Fee.

ALSO NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: 1)Optional Travel Protection Program (see box); 2)Extensions and Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure; 3)Miscellaneous fees such as Individual Transfers; Passports, Laundry, Lunches, Beverages at Meals; Excess Baggage and Items of a Personal Nature; 4)Fuel Surcharges which may be imposed by airlines and other suppliers. If applicable, fuel surcharge will be paid by the passenger; 5) Voluntary "Love Offering" for Guide and Driver; 6) Any increase in taxes and/or fees imposed after the printing of this brochure; 7)\$100 Document fee for Non-US and Non-Canadian residents.

PAYMENT: A full deposit of \$300 per person is required. Final payment for trip, including optional travel protection premium if applicable, is due 105 days prior to departure. Thereafter, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed. EOT reserves the right to add a surcharge if the dollar declines by more than 5% against the Israel Shekel based on foreign exchange rates in effect on DECEMBER 1, 2008.

SAVINGS: Early registration discounts are not available to Hosts/Co-Hosts and are deducted from the balance of your bill. An additional \$40 Savings available if full payment is received via check 4 months prior to departure.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Price is based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While EOT will try to match roommates, EOT cannot guarantee a roommate will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the following charges apply: \$425 during the tour.

ITINERARY CHANGES: If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$90 per night; single rooms \$150 per night. Meals for extra nights are not included.

CANCELLATION FEES: 100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is insurable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 105 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$90 non-refundable administrative 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 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, no refund for any services not used.

AIRLINE ROUTES and TICKETS: In order to keep prices low, EOT does not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once "printed", airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class aboard IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for groups of 10 or more flying together for entire itinerary.

FLIGHT TIMES: All flight times are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. EOT is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If making own flight arrangements to departure city, we recommend you purchase a ticket which can be changed without large penalties.

Except where otherwise stated, EOT acts only as agent for the relevant supplier in securing hotels, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall EOT be liable for failure by any such supplier to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. EOT assumes no liability for injury, death, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may occur by reason of any negligent or willful act or omission of any suppliers of service. EOT does not own or operate any of the suppliers of services to your tour. Similarly without limiting the foregoing, passenger agrees to hold EOT harmless for any defect in any vehicle, plane, boat, bus, car, van or other vehicle, act of war or insurrection, terrorist activity, revolt or other civil uprising, military action, strikes or labor unrest or any Act of God or for any other act of any third party. Florida law will be applicable to any dispute which arises out of or concerns this brochure or your tour.

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Premium Rates for This Tour

Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost
\$1001 to \$1500	.....\$ 99	\$3501 to \$4000	.....\$249	\$6001 to \$7000	.....\$399
\$1501 to \$2500	.....\$169	\$4001 to \$5000	.....\$299	\$7001 to \$8000	.....\$449
\$2501 to \$3500	.....\$219	\$5001 to \$6000	.....\$349		

Schedule of Coverages Maximum Benefit

Accidental Death & Dismemberment	.....	\$25,000
Medical Expense / Emergency Assistance	.....	\$25,000
Pre-Departure Trip Cancellation	..... Up To Trip Cost	
Post-Departure Trip Interruption Up To Trip Cost	
Travel Delay (maximum of \$100 per day)	\$ 500
Baggage & Personal Effects	\$ 1,000

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This plan does not cover a loss that results from an illness, disease, or other condition (of you, an Immediate Family Member, Traveling Companion or Business Partner), event or circumstance which occurs at a time when this plan is not in effect for you.

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Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Travel Protection Certificate which will be included with your confirmation invoice and is also available to you, upon request, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan. For example, coverage does not apply to; any sickness or condition that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages,* suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war, mental or nervous disorders. Other Covered Events, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: 1) Post-Departure Trip Interruption due to cancellation of arrangements by an airline, cruise line, or tour operator due to strike, mechanical breakdown or bad weather (Maximum of \$100 per day/\$500 total) or 2) cancellation or interruption of your trip due to: a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; jury duty; destruction of your residence by a natural disaster; or a documented theft of passports or visas. A Traveling Companion is defined as a person booked to share accommodations in the same room or cabin with you during your trip. Sickness or injury must require care by a Physician and must commence while this plan is in effect for you. This plan is underwritten by: Stonebridge Casualty Insurance Company, Columbus, OH. This Plan is offered & administered by: Trip Mate (In CA, Trip Mate Insurance Agency), 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO 64114 (800) 888-7292 464-03

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