

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The Tour Price Includes:

Air Transportation: Airfares are based on special contract agreements with various international airlines and involve certain restrictions and deadlines. These fares are subject to cancellation penalties, and once they are issued, are **NON-REFUNDABLE, NON-TRANSFERABLE AND CAN'T BE USED TOWARDS FUTURE TRAVEL.** Please refer to our **CANCELLATION AND REFUND OF AIR AND LAND ARRANGEMENTS CLAUSE/POLICY** below. Airfares are based on prices in effect as of **JANUARY 1, 2019**, and they are subject to change without notice.

IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU PURCHASE TRAVEL INSURANCE.

Surface Transportation: All surface transportation as described in the itinerary will be by modern motorcoach designed for highway travel. Groups will be met and transferred on arrival and departure.

Hotels: First class Hotels. Hotel classifications as per ratings on OHRG published by Ziff-Davis Company in New York. Hotels are double occupancy (2 people per room).

Single room additional cost **\$700.00**. Single rooms are limited and will be awarded on a first come first serve basis. If you request a roommate and none are available, you will pay ½ this amount as a forced single room.

Meal Plan: The meal plan is FULL board, 3 meals per day, consists of breakfast, lunch, and dinner, depending on the routine of the itinerary. Taxes and service charges normally appearing on the restaurant bills are included in the tour price. **A list of all food allergies must be emailed to insptours@aol.com for hotel accommodation. In the case the hotel is unable to accommodate, passenger is responsible for all meals. Unused meals will NOT be reimbursed.**

Baggage: INSPIRATIONAL TOURS restricts all tour passengers to 1 piece of checked luggage and 1 carry-on. **All Passengers should check with the airline for up-to-date baggage weight and dimension information and restrictions which are subject to change at anytime before tour departure.**

Included: [Airport Taxes, Fuel Surcharges, \(subj to change \) & Tips to guides and drivers.](#)

The Tour Price Does Not Include: Expenses of passports, laundry, wines, liquors, mineral waters, after-luncheon and after-dinner tea or coffee or food not on the menu of the included meals; additional baggage; expenses of carriages, guides, sightseeing or other services than those specifically mentioned as being included in the itinerary; baggage and personal insurance; all items of a personal nature plus those not listed above as being included in the tour price.

Booking Conditions: Deposits and Payment: A deposit of \$300.00 per person is required at the time of booking to be paid by either cash, checks, or money orders only! No registration form will be processed without a deposit. Credit cards will be accepted for full and final payments, which is due 90 days before departure. Registrations received within 90 days of departure require payment in full, deposit only will not be accepted.

Cancellation and Refund Policy: All cancellations **MUST BE RECEIVED IN WRITING VIA FAX, E-MAIL OR REGULAR U.S. MAIL.** Automatic \$100.00 cancellation fee up to 90 days prior to departure; 89 to 60 days prior to departure \$200.00 cancellation fee; 59 to 30 days prior to departure **50%** of tour cost cancellation fee; 29 days prior to departure up to date of departure **100%** of tour cost cancellation fee; **Total loss of tour costs, Air and Land. If non-refundable air tickets have been issued prior to receiving notice of your cancellation, you will be charged the price of the ticket in addition to the cancellation penalties listed above.**

ALL RESERVATIONS ARE NON-TRANSFERABLE AT ANY TIME FOR ANY REASON.

Deviations: Deviation policies vary by airline and are normally only allowed on the **return journey, from the same departing city as the group, and depend upon availability.** There is a change fee of \$150.00 per person, plus any additional airline charges. **ALL deviation requests must be made in writing, at least 90 days before departure date. NO TELEPHONE DEVIATION REQUESTS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Tour Prices All tour prices quoted for transportation and land arrangements in this folder are based on rates, (including foreign exchange rates), in effect at the time of original tour agreement with your tour host and accordingly are subject to increase without notice if such rates change prior to departure.

Insurance: To protect your travel plans, **WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THE PURCHASE OF TRAVEL INSURANCE. A BROCHURE WILL BE PROVIDED UPON RECEIPT OF YOUR REGISTRATION AND DEPOSIT.**

Responsibility: Inspirational Tours, Inc. or their agents act only as agent for the passenger in regards to travel, whether by railroad, motor car, motorcoach, boat or airplane and assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned either by acts or defect in any vehicle or for any reason whatsoever, or through the acts or default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passenger or in carrying out the arrangements of the tour. They can accept no responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air or other services, sickness, weather, strike, war, quarantine or other causes. All such losses or expenses will have to be borne by the passenger as tour rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated. The right is reserved to substitute hotels of similar quality to those specified in the itinerary and the right is reserved to cancel any tour prior to departure, in which latter case a full refund will constitute full settlement to the passenger. No refund will be made for any unused portion of the tour unless arrangements are made prior to departure from the United States. The airlines concerned, their agents, or affiliates and other carriers, are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their aircraft. The passenger ticket in use by said carriers, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the carriers and the purchasers of these tickets and/or the passenger. It is the passengers' responsibility to obtain any visas that they need to travel. The services of any I.A.T.A. carrier may be used for these tours and transportation within the U.S.A. may be provided by any member of the Air Traffic Conference of America. **PRICES ARE BASED ON RATES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2019 AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

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Sea of Galilee

TOUR ITINERARY:

Day 1 Houston / Frankfurt

Depart Houston on Lufthansa nonstop flight to Frankfurt.

Day 2: Frankfurt / Tel Aviv

Arrive in Frankfurt and change planes. In Tel Aviv you will be met by your guide and drive to the Galilee for dinner and overnight. **Overnight in Tiberias. D**

Day 3 Cana / Nazareth

Theme: The Annunciation

Start the day with a visit to Cana, where Jesus performed His first miracle at the request of His mother. There visit the Franciscan chapel where those who wish to participate may renew their wedding vows. Drive to Nazareth, the site of Mary's home and the town where Jesus lived as a child. At Nazareth, see the fascinating excavations there, celebrate Mass in the Basilica of the Annunciation, and visit the Byzantine Church of St. Joseph. This afternoon we return to the beautiful Mount of Beatitudes with time for reflection. **Overnight in Tiberias B, L, D**

Day 4 Tiberias / Sea of Galilee

Theme: The Ministry of Christ in the Galilee

The day starts at the Mount of Beatitudes, scene of Jesus' great Sermon on the Mount, where we will have Mass. Then to Tabgha where Jesus fed the crowd of 5,000 and onto the site known as "Peter's Primacy." Here, after His resurrection, Jesus met with His disciples and told Peter to "feed my lambs; feed my sheep." A short drive away is Capernaum, from where Jesus launched his Ministry; see the synagogue which dates to the time of Jesus and the church built over the site of Peter's home. Time for reflection. **Overnight in Tiberias B, L, D**

Day 5 Mt. Tabor / Bethlehem / Qumran

Theme: The Transfiguration

Today, after breakfast, visit Mount Tabor, the site of the Transfiguration for Mass and reflection Christ's Humanity

and Divinity. After lunch drive down the Jordan Valley to Jericho, the oldest continuously inhabited city in the world, where we view the Mount of Temptation and the Sycamore Tree. Travel to Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Drive through the Judean Wilderness where Jesus spent 40 days fasting. We then continue to Bethlehem to check in to your hotel and meet for reflection. **Overnight in Bethlehem, B, L, D**

Day 6 Bethlehem

Theme: The Nativity

Start the day with a visit to the Shepherds' Fields. The caves have soot marks of the fires that shepherds lit to keep warm while watching over their flocks. Drive to visit Bethlehem University for a chance to see the campus of this Catholic center of hope, which is supported by the Order. Lunch will be prepared by the students of the catering school and a student or two will join each table. You will gain a unique insight into daily life in present day Bethlehem and hear from young students. Then we visit Manger Square which stands in front of one of the oldest of Christian churches, the Church of the Nativity. Enter the Church and down to the Grotto of the Nativity which marks the spot of Jesus' birth. Beneath the Altar, there is a silver star with the Latin inscription: HIC DE VIRGINE MARIA JESUS CHRISTUS NATUS (Here Jesus Christ was born to the Virgin Mary.) We will have Mass there and reflection. **Overnight in Bethlehem. B, L, D**

Day 7 Old City Temple Area / Bethany

Theme: Early Years in Jerusalem and the Wilderness

Visit the Old City of Jerusalem to see the Western Wall Temple Area. At the steps of the Southern Wall of the Temple Mount ponder the Presentation of Jesus at the Temple, the finding of Jesus at the Temple and the healing of the blind man at the Temple. End the day with a visit to Bethany where Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead. Celebrate Mass at Bethany and have time for reflection together. **Overnight in Jerusalem B, L, D**

Day 8 Jerusalem: Our Lady of Palestine /

Emmaus

Theme: The Patronage of Our Lady

Visit the shrine of Our Lady of Palestine and have Mass to honor the patron of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem. Visit the Jerusalem Museum for the history of the holy city. Time for reflection. **Overnight in Jerusalem. B, L, D**

Day 9 Jerusalem: Mt. Zion / The Upper Room

Theme: The Last Supper

From here take the route through the Kidron Valley along which Jesus was taken as a prisoner to the house of the High Priest Caiaphas where He was interrogated and imprisoned. Now called Peter in Gallicantu ("crowing rooster"), this beautiful Church also commemorates Peter's Denial of Christ, his repentance and then being forgiven by Jesus. Visit Mount Zion and the Upper Room, commemorating the Last Supper with Mass at the Cenacle. Nearby is the Benedictine Church of the Dormition. Time for reflection. **Overnight in Jerusalem. B, L, D**

Day 10 Jerusalem: Mt. Of Olives / Gethsemane

Theme: Palm Sunday and the Agony in the Garden

From the Mount of Olives take in the panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Pater Noster shrine, where Jesus taught His disciples the Lord's Prayer (Luke 11:1-4). Walking down the Palm Sunday Road, stop at the beautiful little church, Dominus Fleuit, where Jesus wept over Jerusalem [Luke 19:41]. At Gethsemane, reflect on Jesus' final night. The Garden contains olive trees with roots dating to the time of Jesus. Have Mass at the Church of All Nations to pray at the "Rock of Agony," a section of bedrock revered as where Jesus prayed alone in the garden on the night of His arrest. Return to the hotel for reflection together. **Overnight in Jerusalem. B, L, D**

Day 11 Jerusalem: Via Dolorosa / Church of the Holy Sepulchre

Theme: The Way of the Cross and the Resurrection

This morning we start the Via Dolorosa (The Way of the Cross) at the Antonia Fortress, where Jesus was condemned to death by Pontius Pilate. From there He was taken through the city to be crucified. The Stations of the Cross lead through the markets of the Old City to the Church of



Church of the Holy Sepulchre - Israel



Mt. Beatitude - Israel

the Holy Sepulchre. Here is the site of Calvary and the Tomb of Christ. We will celebrate Solemn High Mass in the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Later, visit the Latin Patriarchate for an audience with the prelate and for the Pilgrim Shell Ceremony. Time for reflection. **Overnight in Jerusalem. B, L, D**

Day 12 Departure

Transfer to airport for the flight home.



Church of Nativity

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