

TRIP TO ISRAEL WITH RABBI GADI CAPELA

Nov. 6-18, 2022

**PRICE PER PERSON
IN DOUBLE ROOM - \$3,830
SINGLE SUPPLEMENT - \$1,390**

THE RATES COVER LAND ONLY

- Price per person based on 15 participants
- The trip will proceed even with less than 15 participants. The pricing and some arrangements may be adjusted.



Book Now

pay \$300 deposit to
secure the trip

Inclusions

- 10 nights accommodation at the following hotels, or similar, on HB basis (2 meals a day):
 - Nov. 7-9, 2022 – Herods, TLV (2 nights)
 - Nov. 9-11, 2022 – Magdala, Galilee (2 nights)
 - Nov. 11-15, 2022 – Leonardo Plaza, JLM (4 nights)
 - Nov. 15-17, 2022 – Leonardo Plaza, Eilat (2 nights)
- 11 days sightseeing in a luxury touring minibus
- Native English speaking licensed tour guide from arrival till departure
- One group arrival and departure transfer from/ to airport on Nov. 7 and Nov. 17 (optional, see itinerary Day 1)
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- 10 breakfasts, 1 lunch (November 12), 9 dinners (except on November 8th & 12th)
- Meet, assist and portorage at Ben Gurion Airport upon arrival only, and at hotels
- 2 bottles of water per participant per day

Terms & Conditions

- An initial non-refundable deposit of \$300 per person is due by August 6, 2022.
- Balance of payment is due September 6, 2022 and is non-refundable.
- Payment can be made by wire transfer or credit card. (Please see attached form.)
- The above rates do not include:
 - Tips to guide, driver, waiters etc.
 - Flights, Travel insurance etc.

For more information, questions and help with booking flights, please contact the ticketing agent, Tonya Story at Isram, Monday-Thursday at tonyas@travelerschoice.com. 212-868-8698 x204

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SAMPLE DAILY ITINERARY

Day 1 | Nov 6: Depart US

- Please book yourself or ask the office to book you on the following flight:
 - El Al - #008 Depart JFK on November 6th at 11:50 PM.
 - Landing at Ben Gurion the next day at 5:10 PM
- The return flight will be El Al #001 departing Tel Aviv at 12:45 AM on November 18th landing back in New York at 5:45 AM.
- If you book yourself on a different flight that day, please try to arrive before the flight above so you can still have the option of waiting for the group pick-up from the airport. Otherwise, please arrange to meet us at the hotel in Tel Aviv.

Day 2 | Nov 7: Arrive Tel Aviv

- Arrival at Ben Gurion International Airport.
- Bus drive through Tel Aviv on the way to the hotel.
- Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Tel Aviv.

Day 3 | Nov 8: Tel Aviv

- Independence Hall where the Declaration of Independence was signed.
- Bus tour introducing the Hebrew architecture in Tel Aviv.
- Lunch on your own at Shuk HaCarmel (Carmel Market), one of the most famous markets in Israel.
- Spend time on Dizengoff Street: One of the city's most iconic streets. Rabin's Square.
- Museum of the Jewish People - ANU Exhibition at Tel Aviv University

Day 4 | Nov 9: Galilee and Golan Heights

- Drive up along the Mediterranean coast to ancient Caesarea.
- Atlit Detainee Camp Museum where many legal and illegal Jewish immigration took place under British Mandate.
- A tour of Haifa
- Drive to Tiberias – Visit the Tomb of Maimonides and exploring his philosophy.
- Boat ride on the Sea of Galilee (Kinneret), the lowest freshwater lake on Earth.
- Prayer at Magdala at the remains of one of the most ancient synagogues excavated.

Day 5 | Nov 10: Galilee

- Visit the ancient synagogue in Capernaum - the most mentioned town in the New Testament.
- Drive to the Golan Heights. Kibbutz Merom Golan Observation over Qunaitra, Syria.
- Visit Tzfat - the center of Kabbalah, Jewish mysticism.
- Visit and pray at the Ari Hakadosh and Yosef Caro Synagogues.
- Explore the artists' colony and meet a Kabbalist artist.

Day 6 | Nov 11: On the Way to Jerusalem

- Visit Bet She'an the magnificent Roman city remains.
- Drive South to Jerusalem through the Jordan Valley to Mt. Scopus and recite Psalms.
- Western Wall (Kotel) before sundown to participate in a joyful Kabbalat Shabbat.
- Festive Shabbat Dinner at the hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 7 | Nov 12: Shabbat in Jerusalem

- Services at the Conservative synagogue and the Orthodox Great Synagogue near the hotel.
- Walking tour of Jerusalem: Rehavia neighborhood, where the Prime Minister and President of Israel reside.
- Walk through the Old City.
- Dinner on your own in Jerusalem.

Day 8 | Nov 13: Old Jerusalem Inside the Walls

- Visit the Temple Mount, the site of both ancient Jewish temples. A holy site to both Jews and Muslims.
- Visit the City of David where over 3000 years ago, King David established the capital of Israel.
- Hezekiah's Tunnel, and Underground Tunnel to Kotel.
- Walk through the Arab Market and Via Dolorosa, ending at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

Day 9 | Nov 14: Greater Jerusalem

- Visit the Israel Museum, Holyland Model, and the Shrine of the Book.
- View of the Israeli Parliament and explaining recent election.
- Lunch on your own in Ein Karem.
- Visit Mount Herzl and Yad Vashem Holocaust Museum.

Day 10 | Nov 15: From the Dead Sea to the Red Sea

- Drive to Qasr Al-Yahud, where the Israelites crossed the Jordan River, The Prophet Elijah was ascended to heaven, and the Baptismal site of Jesus.
- Tour at Kumran and continue south to Masada, where many Israeli soldiers are sworn.
- Floating in the Dead Sea, the lowest and saltiest spot in the world.
- Drive to Eilat, on the south tip of Israel and the Red Sea.

Day 11 | Nov 16: Eilat

- Enjoy a free relaxing day at the hotel or explore Eilat at your own leisure.
- On your own, choose an excursion trip or go snorkeling in exceptional underwater world of Eilat.

Day 12 | Nov 17: Journey "From Egypt to Rehoboth"

- Drive through Ramon Crater, the unique and magical world's largest erosion crater in the Negev Desert.
- Last stop is Rehoboth, Rabbi Gadi's hometown.
- Visit the Weizmann Institute/high tech company
- Underground Weapon factory.
- Visit the Jewish Yemenite Heritage Center
- Farewell dinner