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Israel the right way



**Israel Tour**

**SkyWatch TV Itinerary**



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# 1

## Day

### The start of your amazing journey

Departure from North America. Flight usually arrives in Israel the next day.

Make sure to arrive at the airport 3 hours before your scheduled departure.

# 2

## Day

### Welcome to Israel!

Arrival in **Ben Gurion Airport**, near Tel Aviv. Meet and be assisted by a Lipkin Tours representative responsible for your tour in Israel.

After meeting your tour guide and bus driver, we will drive deep into the biblical heartland of Israel, **Samaria**. Samaria is a vast area in Israel's heartland that includes the tribal lands of Ephraim and Menasseh. Here you will spend the night after orientation and dinner.

Dinner and overnight at Samaria hotel.

# 3

## Day

### Samaria

We will start the day at a spectacular lookout point identified as The **Oak of Moreh**, the place where Abraham built an altar as he entered Canaan (Genesis 12:7).

Next, we visit the Mountain of Blessing, **Mt. Gerizim** from which we will see the ancient city of Shechem (Genesis 31:1), Joseph's tomb (Joshua 24:32) and the Church of Jacob's Well (John 4:5-6).

We end this day on **Mt Ebal**, the mountain of Curses where a huge Israelite altar was found and is attributed to the altar built by Joshua the servant of Moses for the ceremony of the blessings and the curses (Joshua 8).

Dinner and overnight at Samaria hotel.

# 4

## Day

### Biblical land of Benjamin

After Breakfast and checkout, we head to ancient **Shiloh**, the first capital of the 12 tribes and the place where the Tabernacle stood for almost 400 years.

We continue to **Bethel**, the place where Jacob had an amazing dream about angels and a ladder reaching to the heavens (Genesis 28:19).

Driving north we come to the archaeological site of **El Achwat**. This is the possible site of the base of Sisera when he fought Barak (Judges 4-5).

We will end the day by continuing our drive to the **Galilee**.

Dinner and overnight at Galilee hotel.

# 5

## Day

### Golan Heights

We will begin our day at **Mount Hermon**, the highest peak in Israel. Starting south, we will visit **Tel Dan** which is described in the bible as the northernmost city of Israel.

Our next stop will be the **Banias**, a source of the Jordan River, and the site of Caesarea Philippi where the Apostle Peter made his great confession of faith in Jesus as the Christ, the Son of God (Matt. 16:13-17).

Following this, we take a Jeep ride to **Gilgal Rephaim**, a mysterious structure also known as Israel's Stonehenge. Is it connected to the Nephilim Cult of The Dead?

Dinner and overnight at Galilee hotel.

# 6

## Day

### Galilee

Our fourth day of touring will begin at **Nazareth Village**, a reconstructed Jewish village replicating the village where Jesus grew to manhood.

Next, we will visit the "Place of Sacrifice" on **Mt. Carmel** where the Prophet Elijah had an encounter with the Priests of Baal (1 Kings 18:17-40).

The next stop of the day will be **Tel - Megiddo**, where the Messiah will return to earth and defeat the Antichrist (the "beast") in the battle of Armageddon.

We end the day with a boat ride and worship on the **Sea of Galilee** where Jesus walked on water and calmed the sea (Matt 8,14).

Dinner and overnight at Galilee hotel.

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## Day

### Galilee

The Sea of Galilee is rich in memories of the three years of Jesus' ministry around its shores. We begin this day with a visit to **Beit Yerach**, an ancient Canaanite city at the mouth of the Jordan River and at the crossroads of ancient roads.

Our journey will then take us the ruins of **Capernaum** which, in Jesus' time, was a flourishing border town and was called "his own city" because of the frequency with which Jesus visited it and the mighty works he did there.

We continue with a tour of the **Jesus Boat** Museum in Kibbutz Ginosar where a 2,000-year-old boat from Jesus' time is exhibited.

We will visit **Magdala**, the town of Mary Magdalene, a follower of Jesus.

We will return to the Jordan river for a time of baptism.

Dinner and overnight at Jerusalem Hotel.

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## Day

### Dead Sea

Driving south, we will stop by **Argaman** and learn about a mysterious Israelite footprint structure that was found there.

Continuing south in the Jordan valley, we will pass by the city of Jericho on our way to **Qumran** where the famous 2,000-year-old Dead Sea scrolls were found.

We continue to the Dead Sea, the lowest spot on the face of the Earth. You will have time and opportunity at the shores of the **Dead Sea** to bathe in mineral rich waters.

As we enter the holy city of Jerusalem, we will stop on **Mt. Scopus** overlooking ancient and modern Jerusalem. This is going to be a sunset you will cherish for the rest of your life.

Dinner and overnight at Jerusalem Hotel.

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## Day

### Judea

Today we will visit the tribal land of Judah, the tribe of King David.

Traveling south on the **Road of the Patriarchs**, we will come to **Hebron**, the city of the Patriarchs and first capital of King David. We will tour the ancient Jewish neighborhoods and the **Tomb of the Patriarchs**.

We continue to **Gush Etzion** and visit the multimedia show in **Kfar Etzion** to learn about the special history of this area. It is next to **Road of the Patriarchs** and includes ancient ritual baths and strategic lookouts toward Jerusalem.

Dinner and overnight at Jerusalem Hotel.

# 10

## Day

### Jerusalem's Old City

For our first day in Jerusalem, we shall visit the "**City of David**" archaeological site and the **Southern Steps** in the **Davidson Center** that led the Jewish pilgrims from the Siloam pool up to the Holy Temple of Jerusalem.

Following their steps, we will go up onto the **Temple Mount** and tour the magnificent structure where the Temple once stood.

We end our day by touring the last standing remnant of the ancient Temple: The **Western Wall**. This tour will take you into the **Western Wall Tunnels** and down to the wall's massive foundations.

Dinner and overnight at Jerusalem hotel.

# 11

## Day

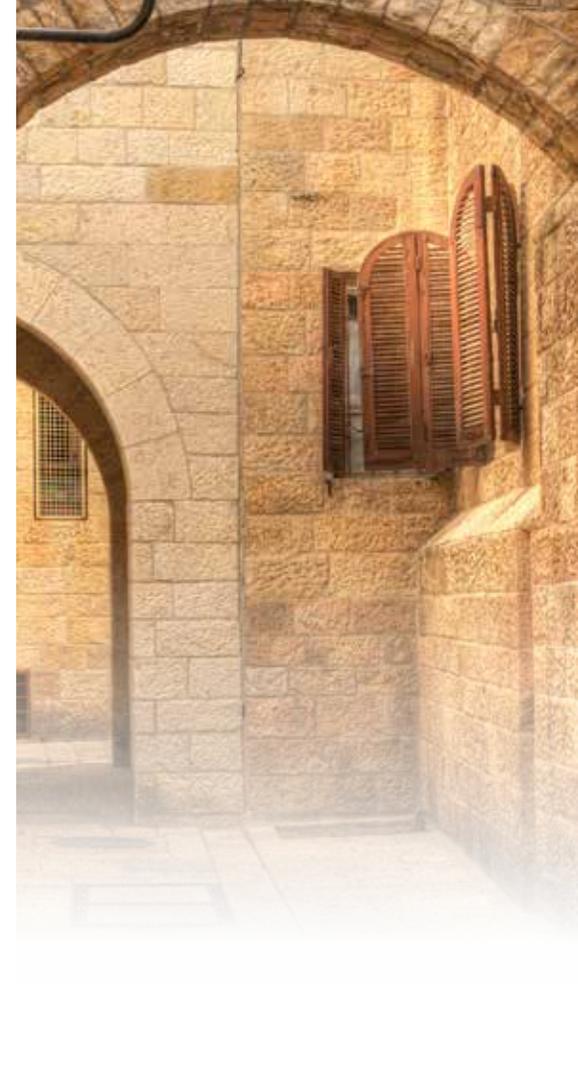
### Jerusalem

After breakfast, we shall start our pilgrimage in Jerusalem with a drive to the top of the **Mt. of Olives**, from which Jesus ascended to heaven after his resurrection. From the top of the Mount there is a magnificent view over all of ancient and modern Jerusalem, the center of the biblical world. We visit the holy shrines on the Mount and walk on down the "**Palm Sunday Road**" visiting the **Church of the Pater Noster** (linked to the teaching of the Lord's Prayer) en route to the **Garden of Gethsemane** (time for prayer) and the **Church of All Nations** where Christ prayed on the night of his betrayal (Lk. 22:40-46).

Finally, we will go to the **Upper Room** where the Holy Spirit was poured out on the disciples on the day of Pentecost.

As our program comes to an end, we will have a **festive farewell dinner**. Those returning to the USA will leave Jerusalem and check in for our homebound flight in **Ben Gurion Airport**. Those traveling to Petra, Jordan will stay one last night in **Jerusalem**.

Return home/overnight at Jerusalem hotel.



This is a sample itinerary and is subject to change

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Thanks LIPKIN TOURS, for the most remarkable trip from the American heartland to the Israeli heartland. It was the best and I would love to return for more teaching and hiking to new places. You're the best!"

**Ms. L. Bond**

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This trip was the most remarkable I have ever experienced, connecting to the heart of the Jewish people and the homeland. Words can't describe what took place."

**Pastor Rowland**

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It was great being in the Land. that was one of my heart's desires to go there and I was not disappointed. We are looking forward to going back, My heart was touch at all the places we visited, the bible came alive to me. I will never read it the same way again.

"Thank you so much for all of your caring ,your efforts and hospitality. We will continue to pray that the God of Abraham Isaac and Jacob will richly bless your family and Lipkin Tours."

**Ms. E Baker**

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It was a great blessing and amazing all around! You and your people did a wonderful job. The Lord greatly bless you.

**Rabbi Jonathan Cahn**

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I highly recommend Lipkin Tours for group travel to Israel! It is such a privilege to work with Bible believers and work together as Christians and Jews.

Lipkin Tours is the best agency and serve us as hosts and our passengers with the utmost professionalism and courtesy. Lipkin Tours is the most biblical travel agency, devoted to God and sharing Israel's wonders with the world.

**Pastor Rosemary Schindler Garlow,  
Skyline Church, La Mesa, CA**