

Petersen Carefree Travel

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Israel A Journey to the Holy Land

February 23 - March 4, 2010



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10 Days • 14 Meals: 8 Breakfasts • 6 Dinners



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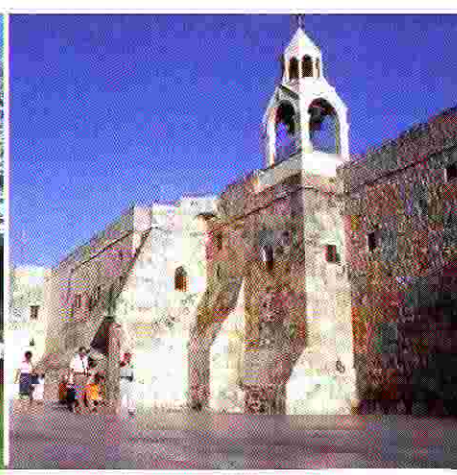
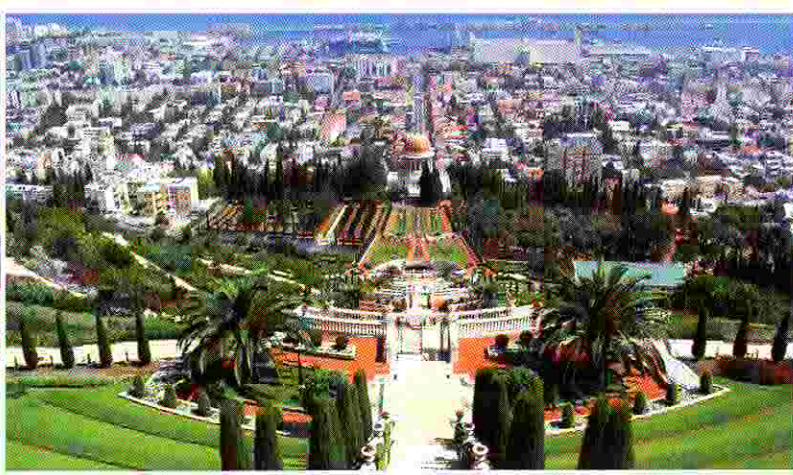


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Highlights... Tel Aviv • Jaffa • Caesarea • Tiberias • Sea of Galilee • Nazareth • Jericho
Dead Sea • Masada • Qumran • Jerusalem • Wailing Wall • Bethlehem • Church of the Nativity
Mount of Olives • Mt. Zion

Per Person Rates: Double \$3,499; Single \$4,249; Triple \$3,469

Included in Price:

Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges of \$400 (subject to increase until paid in full), Hotel Transfers

Not included in price:

Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$200 per person

Day 1: Tuesday, February 23, 2010

Overnight Flight

Journey with Collette Vacations on an inspirational trip to the Holy Land - where it all began. Walk through city streets that are well over 2,000 years old and visit some of the most ancient sites in the entire world.

Day 2: Wednesday, February 24, 2010

Arrive Tel Aviv, Israel

Your tour begins in Tel Aviv. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a special welcome dinner. *Today dinner will be included.*

Day 3: Thursday, February 25, 2010

Tel Aviv - Jaffa - Caesarea - Haifa - Acre - Tiberias

Begin the day with a stroll through the winding alleys of the artists quarter in the ancient port city of Jaffa. Continue along the Mediterranean coast to the ruins of the ancient Roman capital, Caesarea, built by Herod the Great in 22 B.C. Visit the Roman Theatre, Aqueduct and Fortress. Your next stop is Haifa, where you will enjoy a panoramic view of the city and the amazing Baha'i Shrine and Gardens on Mount Carmel (UNESCO World Heritage site). Travel the Valley of Armageddon to the excavation site of Tel Megiddo. **★Then it is on to the ancient Crusader city of Acre, a UNESCO World Heritage site.★** Next, you will drive to your hotel in Tiberias. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 4: Friday, February 26, 2010

Tiberias

This morning visit the Mt. of Beatitudes, site of the Sermon on the Mount, and Tabgha, site of the Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes. Proceed to Capernaum and cross the River Jordan to visit the Golan Heights. This evening, enjoy a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. Next, tour and have dinner at a communal settlement known as a Kibbutz, where you may have the opportunity to interact with some of its residents. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 5: Saturday, February 27, 2010

Tiberias - Nazareth - Jericho - Dead Sea

★Begin your day with a visit to Cana, considered to be the site of the First Miracle, where Jesus turned water into wine.★ From Cana, you will travel to Nazareth to visit the Church of the Annunciation and Mary's Well. Next, it is on to Beit Shean to see the ancient theatre. Continue along the Jordan River Valley to Jericho which, at over 2,000 years old, is considered to be the oldest city on earth. Afterwards, proceed to the lowest place on earth, the Dead Sea. The remainder of the day is at leisure. Perhaps you will choose to enjoy a swim in the Dead Sea. Because of the density of the sea's waters, due to the salt content, you can effortlessly float in its beautiful healing waters. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 6: Sunday, February 28, 2010

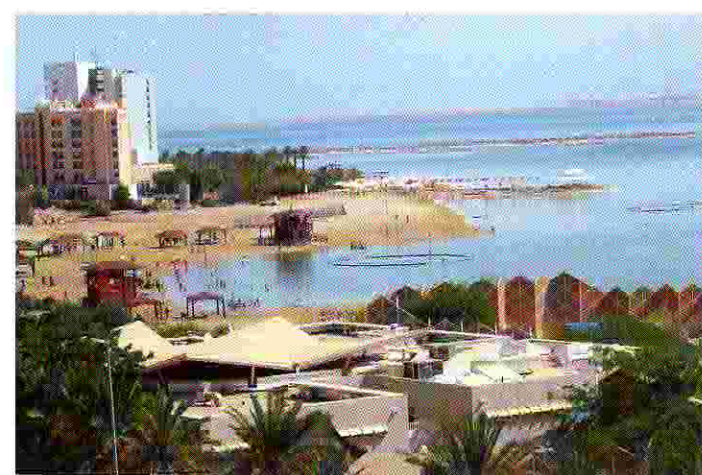
Dead Sea - Masada - Qumran - Jerusalem

Today's route via the shores of the Dead Sea leads to another UNESCO World Heritage site, the former palatial fortress of Masada. Originally Herod's palatial fortress, Masada later served as a last bastion for Jewish freedom fighters against the Romans. **★Ascending the ancient walls of Masada by cable car, a visit to Herod's Palaces, the Roman Camp, and the Synagogue await.★** Later, a drive along the Dead Sea shoreline to Qumran culminates in a tour of the caves where the ancient Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered. This evening you arrive in one of the holiest cities in the world, Jerusalem. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 7: Monday, March 01, 2010

Old City - Bethlehem - Jerusalem

A magnificent tour of the Holy City of Jerusalem begins with a drive to the old walled city. While walking through the four quarters that make up the Old City (UNESCO World Heritage site), you will visit the Western (Wailing) Wall, the Temple Area, the Dome of the Rock, the Pool of Bethesda, and the Church of St. Anne. Next you will walk the path of the Stations of the Cross as you traverse the Via Dolorosa, beginning at Pilate's Judgment Hall and ending at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. **★A stop in the biblical city of**



Bethlehem, spread along the Judean Hills, allows for a visit to the Church of the Nativity, the birthplace of Jesus and the first church ever built.★ Today breakfast and dinner will be included.

**Day 8: Tuesday, March 02, 2010
Jerusalem**

Drive to Mount of Olives for a breathtaking panoramic view of the amazing city of Jerusalem and the surrounding area. You will proceed to the Church of Ascension and the Garden of Gethsemane where you will view the Kidron Valley and the tombs of Mary, Absalom Zachariah, and James. Visit

St. Peter in Galicantu and Mt. Zion where you will see the room of The Last Supper and the tomb of King David. You then view a scale model of Jerusalem and visit the Shrine of the Book at the Israel Museum to view the display of the Dead Sea Scrolls. Your sightseeing tour ends with a visit to the Garden Tomb. *Today breakfast will be included.*

**Day 9: Wednesday, March 03, 2010
Jerusalem**

The day is at leisure to explore this fascinating city. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner celebrating the end of this once-in-a-lifetime trip. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

**Day 10: Thursday, March 04, 2010
Jerusalem - Tour Ends**

Your tour ends today in the city of Jerusalem. *Today breakfast will be included.*

***Experience It!* _____ Jerusalem's Old City: A Confluence of Faiths**

Enter its sacred gates and meander its labyrinth of winding cobblestone streets densely packed in an area covering less than one square mile. In spite of its diminutive size, the walled Old City is of great symbolic importance for Judaism, Christianity and Islam. Your journey with Collette includes venerable locations which have existed for thirty centuries. Walk along the Via Dolorosa or Way of Sorrows to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the site of Jesus Christ's crucifixion, burial and resurrection. Observe the solemnity of the Western Wall, the only surviving remnant of Judaism's most sacred shrine, the Temple Mount; and gaze in awe at one of the world's great architectural masterpieces, the Dome of the Rock. To the Muslims it is where the Prophet Muhammad ascended to heaven.

YOUR ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day	1	Overnight Flight
Day	2	Dan Panorama, Tel Aviv
Day	3, 4	Golden Tulip Club, Tiberias
Day	5	Le Meridien, Dead Sea
Day	6-9	Dan Panorama, Jerusalem

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Please Note:

Air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

To complete your vacation, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing Collette airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Due to flight schedules, you may require a very early morning departure from the hotel on the last day (Day 10). Travel distance from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion airport is approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes. It is recommended that you arrive at Ben Gurion airport approximately 3 hours prior to departure.

Proper dress is required when visiting religious sites, sanctuaries, basilicas, etc.

Collette air passengers will depart from the Tel Aviv airport and all Collette transfers will depart from Jerusalem for the Tel Aviv airport.

This tour requires average physical activity. You should be in good health, able to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, possibly over uneven grounds and cobblestone streets.

For more information contact

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IMPORTANT RESERVATION INFORMATION

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Cancellation Charges for this tour: After your seat reduction date has passed, a non-refundable deposit will be retained. For Cancellation between 60-16 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 20% of total price. For cancellation between 15-1 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 40% of total price. For cancellation on the day of departure and after: 100% of total price. For Ocean Cruises: For cancellation between 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 25% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: 50% of total price. 30 or fewer days prior to departure: 100% of total price. For River Cruises: including Europe, Russia, Egypt and China, 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 40% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 75% of total price. For cancellation 30 or fewer days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 100% of total price. For Galapagos and Antarctica: A cancellation fee of 50% will apply for cancellation between 120-90 days prior to departure; A cancellation charge of 100% will apply for cancellation less than 90 days prior to departure. For Oberammergau: Non-refundable deposit will be retained. A cancellation fee of 75% will apply for cancellation between 120-90 days prior to departure; A cancellation charge of 100% will apply for cancellation less than 90 days prior to departure. Cancellation protection is highly recommended and must be purchased at time of deposit. Air rates are subject to change until tour is paid in full. If waivers have not been purchased and a reservation is cancelled for any reason prior to departure - Air is 100% non-refundable once paid in full. Cancellation charges also apply to reservations made for "pre" and "post" night accommodations. Purchase of Waiver and Insurance guarantees a full refund of all payments (including deposit), except the Waiver and insurance fee itself, made to Collette Vacations for travel arrangements in case of cancellation of your travel plans for any reason prior to the day of departure. The Waiver and Insurance does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's Traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. Upon cancellation of transportation or travel services where you, the customer, are not at fault and have not canceled in violation of the terms and conditions above, you will be refunded 100%. Please see your sales agent for more information, or review our brochure for details.

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Payment of the deposit to Collette constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions.