

Kehilat Bet Avinu - 2019 - Israel Tour

Sunday December 1st - Wednesday December 11th

\$1950.00 per person based on double occupancy.

LAND PACKAGE ONLY

Airfare

It is much less expensive to purchase your own airfare.
Group Airfares have skyrocketed this year. Potentially this
tour could cost you less than \$3000.00****



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- 3. Most tours do not include a guide that speaks English, Spanish , and Hebrew**
- 4. Most Tours do not include centrally located hotels where sites are within walking distance**

Interactive Guide With Internet Links

Day 1 Sunday December 1 To Tel Aviv – Airline of your choice - Transportation to hotel to be arranged.

Day 2 Monday December 2

Arrive Israel – Meet at our hotel in Tel Aviv
Walking tour to the Mediterranean Sea
Dinner and Breakfast - Grand Beach Hotel

https://www.grandhotels-israel.com/grand-beach-hotel-tel-aviv_ga=2.171348135.623610298.1555418366-2086532928.1555418366

Jordan River

During our tour we will be taking the time to see the Jordan river but the exact time or location has not been determine

Day 3 Tuesday December 3

Caesarea - Caesarea is a town on Israel's Mediterranean coast. It's known for Caesarea National Park, which includes a large Roman amphitheater and the historic port. On the site is an archaeological park with pillars and sculptures, and the remains of a hippodrome, with frescoes and stone seating. The ruins of the seafront Promontory Palace include the remains of a mosaic floor. Saul of Tarsus was held prisoner in the city for two years (Acts 24:1,27), where he was put on trial (Acts 23:31-26:32) before his voyage to Rome. Exciting New Excavations!

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/caesarea-national-park/>

Meggido - The Book of Revelation mentions an apocalyptic battle at Armageddon, a name derived from the Hebrew "Har Megiddo" meaning "Mount of Megiddo". "Armageddon" has become a byword for the end of the world. (revelation 16:14-16)

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/tel-megiddo-armageddon-national-park/>

Magdala Synagogue - This synagogue in Magdala is currently the oldest excavated in Galilee and one of seven from the first century in all of Israel. A coin minted in Tiberias in 29 CE was found inside the synagogue, proving that the synagogue was from the first century and the time of Yeshua's ministry. Since the Bible tells us that Yeshua taught throughout the Galilee, it is certain that he taught and frequented this very spot.

The synagogue is well preserved and included an entrance hall that also served as a study room (Bet Midrash), and a chamber for storing the Torah scrolls.

<https://www.magdala.org/visit/archaeological-park/synagogue/>

Dinner and Breakfast - Leonardo Club Hotel
Features Nightly Entertainment

https://www.fattal-hotels.com/hotels_in_israel/tiberias_hotels/leonardo_club_tiberias/?utm_source=gmb&utm_medium=link_site_gmb&utm_campaign=leonardo-club-tiberias-hotel/

Day 4 Wednesday December 4

Boat Ride on the Kinneret - Sea of Galilee - As you head out to sail on the [Sea of Galilee](#) from the pier [Tiberias](#), Genesaret, [Capernaum](#) National Park or Ein Gev, the spray refreshes you, gulls wheel overhead, and other “sailors” call out greetings. But the highlight is when your captain cuts the motor and you’re surrounded by landscapes sacred for thousands of years. In your wooden boat, resembling ancient ones, you feel you’ve gone back to a time when people depended on wind and waves for their livelihood and their miracles. Here, Yeshua walked on the water (John 6:19-21), calmed a storm (Matt. 8:23-26), and showed the disciples miraculous catches of fish (Luke 5:1-8; John 21:1-6). Many Jewish visitors also take the lake trip, heading out to where tradition says Miriam the Prophetess caused a miraculous spring to appear.

Capernaum - Capernaum is frequently mentioned in the Gospels and was Yeshua's main base during his Galilean ministry. It is referred to as Jesus' "own city" (Mt 9:1; Mk 2:1) and a place where he lived (Mt 1:13). He probably chose it simply because it was the home of his first talmidim, Peter and Andrew (Mk 1:21, 29).

https://www.biblewhere.com/virtual_tour/capernaum-kfar-nahum-park/

Korazim - Korazim is an archaeological site mentioned in the New Testament as a city condemned by Jesus (together with [Bethsaida](#) and [Capernaum](#)) for rejecting him. Korazim was a Jewish town renowned for its good wheat in Talmudic times. In the 16th century, Jewish fishermen used to reside here. The town's ruins are spread over an area of 25 acres, subdivided into five separate quarters, with a synagogue in the centre. The ruins at the site include a large, impressive synagogue which was built with black basalt stones and decorated with Jewish motifs. Close by is a ritual bath, surrounded by public and residential buildings. (Luke 10:13-15)

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/new/korazim-national-park/>

Gamla National Park

Known as the “Masada of the North,” Gamla is a symbol of heroism. The Jews of Gamla fought against the Romans during the Great Revolt, until they were eventually defeated. The site includes remains of one of the earliest synagogues and ruins of the original village. See the eagles “Soar” from the Gamla Lookout. Josephus was at the battle of Gamla

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/gamla-nature-reserve/>

Talmudic Village of Katzrin

This site will enhance your understanding of the new testament. Near the city of Katzrin is the Talmudic Village of Katzrin; a reconstructed village that has been brought to life in the actual location of a village from Talmudic times, discovered shortly after the Six Day War. The settlement was one of twenty-seven villages in the center of the Golan. In the village one can see an authentic ancient olive oil press and wander through the museum and the reconstructed kitchen, pantry, living room, bedroom and courtyard which are all complete with objects of daily life, many of which are authentic and were used by the region's farmers up until recently. These utensils often appear in Talmudic passages, bringing the scriptures to life for visitors and suddenly making them so very tangible. Actors and actresses perform for the visitors and explain the kind of life that Jews in the area led in ancient times. Katzrin is the Town we lived in during our time in Israel.

<https://biblewalks.com/sites/Katzrin.html>

Dinner and Breakfast - Leonardo Club Hotel

Day 5 Thursday December 5

Tel Dan Nature Reserve

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/tel-dan-nature-reserve/>

Banias Springs Park (Tel Dan)

The Springs park entrance contains a smaller parking lot, facilities and a gift shop. The wide mouth of Pan's Cave can be seen from the road, making it easily identifiable. Before the cave there is a calm series of stepped water, the Hermon stream, which can ever overflow onto the paved walkway. It is a peaceful and gorgeous entrance to the cave area. The ruins around the cave have been charted out to show the various temples and courts that were built and glorified by Agrippa II after the original site was founded by Herod's son Philip who made the city Caesarea Philipi in the Banias. The cliff edge above the cave and ruins can be climbed, giving a birds-eye view of the park's entrance and various trails and ruins. This is the place where Peter confessed that Yeshua was the Messiah Mt. 16:13-20

Gate of Avraham at Tel Dan (Tel Dan)

Ze'ev Margalit, who is responsible for archaeological preservation at the parks authority, indicated that "the gate is almost 4,000 years old and is made of mud brick. The Bible recounts that the people of Dan took Abraham's nephew Lot prisoner, and Abraham came to Dan to rescue him, but it is hard to confirm whether or not Abraham passed through the gate."

Rosh Hanikra - On the border with Lebanon. The grottoes – a spectacular natural phenomenon

The cable car, which is the steepest in the world, takes visitors down for a fascinating encounter with the sea grottoes. The view from the cable car is breathtaking and that's just the start.

The walking path in the heart of the cliff exposes visitors to the grottoes, which – more simply put – are sea caves. The grottoes were formed in the wake of underground shocks that ripped open gaps within the bedrock.. Slowly, rainwater penetrated these rifts, forming tunnels and caves that continued to expand due to the waves that slammed against the rock. Come and show your children a magical world of spectacular nature in all its splendor.

<https://rosh-hanikra.com/home-en/>

Dinner and Breakfast - Leonardo Club Hotel

Day 6 Friday December 6

To Jerusalem

Nazareth Village - Nazareth Village is an open-air museum in Nazareth, Israel, that reconstructs and reenacts village life in the Galilee in the time of Yeshua.

<https://www.nazarethvillage.com/>

Shabbat Evening at the Kotel (Western Wall)

Here stand the sacred remnants of the ancient Jewish Temple. Jews come from all over the world to pray at the wall and feel its strong spiritual presence.. The joyful energy and the sight of soldiers' lively dancing in celebration of Shabbat make an unforgettable experience.

<https://www.thekotel.org/>

Breakfast and Dinner - Jerusalem - Hotel Ibis

<https://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-8728-ibis-jerusalem-city-center/index.shtml>

Day 7 Shabbat Saturday December 16th (Shabbat Service and Walking Tour)

SHABBAT IN HOLY JERUSALEM

Enjoy **breakfast** and your morning at leisure

Option 1: Shabbat Morning at Leisure

Option 2: Shabbat Service at the Synagogue of your Choice

Option 3: Tour To Bethlehem (Included in price)

<https://www.seetheholyland.net/bethlehem/>

Option 4: Walking Tour - Tentative

Old City Jewish Quarter - The Jewish Quarter remains one of the single most-visited spots in all of Israel. Nestled within one square kilometer of land lay millennia of ancient history.. The Old City dates back to the 8th century BCE and is home to numerous landmarks of historical significance.

King David's Tomb - The Upper Room

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cenacle>

The Church of the Holy Sepulcher.

The site is venerated as Calvary (Golgotha) where Yeshua of Nazareth was crucified and also contains the place where Yeshua is said to have been buried and resurrected. Within the church are the last four (or, by some definitions, five) Stations of the Cross along the Via Dolorosa, .

<https://churchoftheholysepulchre.net/>

Option 1 Night Spectacular at the Tower of David

In the evening you'll head back to the Tower of David's rooftop to view an epic nighttime extravaganza of sight and sound, depicting the conquests of the Greeks, Romans, Crusaders, Turks and others, as they tried to overtake Jerusalem. This show is simply "Spectacular."

<https://www.tod.org.il/en/the-night-spectacular/>

Option 2 Visit to Ben Yehudah Street

A short walk from the hotel, Ben-Yehuda Street is the heart of [Jerusalem](#), and that means more than geography. It's also the beating heart of center-city life in the capital. Shopping fun starts at the top of the street, where Ben-Yehuda intersects with King George Street, and you'll find a great selection of Judaica, jewelry, T-Shirts and other gifts. At its mid-section, Ben-Yehuda turns into a pedestrian mall with sidewalk cafes and an assortment of buskers from around the world offering their music, from Offenbach to Carlebach and everything in between. Your stroll down the Ben-Yehuda pedestrian mall is a good chance to meet Israelis from all walks of life, especially on Saturday night as stores and cafes re-open after the Sabbath ends and it becomes especially popular with the teenage and young adult crowd. Open daily except for Shabbat.

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ben_Yehuda_Street_\(Jerusalem\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ben_Yehuda_Street_(Jerusalem))

Breakfast and Dinner Jerusalem - Hotel Ibis

Day 8 Sunday December 8

THE CITY OF KING DAVID – THE ETERNAL CITY

Davidson Center / City of King David Excavations

The newly constructed Ethan and Marla Davidson Exhibition and Virtual Reconstruction Center is situated at the entrance to the Jerusalem Archaeological Park, one of the largest, most significant archaeological sites in the country. It is some 100 meters south of the Temple Mount complex, in the recently excavated and restored underground storage complex belonging to a seventh century CE Umayyad Palace.

In 1004 BCE, King David conquered this city and secured the place where the Holy Temple would eventually be built by his son, King Solomon. Remaining structures such as Warren's Shaft and the Tunnel of Siloam exhibit the intricate workings of this ancient capital city.

At the Jerusalem Archaeological Park experience Second Temple-era Jerusalem on the eve of its destruction by the Romans.

<https://www.itraveljerusalem.com/ent/davidson-center-jerusalem/>

Western Wall Tunnels Tour

These famous underground tunnels contain remnants of entire rooms from the Second Temple period. At Warren's Gate, you'll stand just a few feet away from where the Holy Ark stood, and feel the yearning of the Jewish people for the Temple for thousands of years.

https://english.thekotel.org/western_wall_sites/western_wall_tunnels/

Temple Institute

THIS SITE TELLS THE STORY OF THE HOLY TEMPLE in words and pictures. It is a story that spans the millennia, from the beginning of creation, to the establishment of the Third Holy Temple, as foretold by every prophet of Israel.. AT THIS SITE, you may view photographs of the actual [sacred Temple vessels](#) that have been produced by the Temple Institute. Each vessel has been created by accomplished craftsmen. These vessels and priestly garments are being fashioned today according to the exact Biblical requirements, specifically for use in the future Holy Temple. They await the day when they will be called into the Divine service of the Holy Temple.

<https://templeinstitute.org/>

Breakfast and Dinner Jerusalem - Hotel Ibis

Day 9 Monday December 9 (Early Start)

Qumran National Park

Learn about the Dead Sea Scrolls and the people who wrote them when you explore the Qumran National Park. Marvel at the table-like structures that are said to have been used to write these scrolls, the ritual baths and the caves where the scrolls were discovered in 1947. - Time Permitting.

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/qumran-park/>

Masada Mountain & Cable Car

Ride via cable car to the top of Masada and explore what remains of King Herod's palace. See what it was like to live there as you view the preserved baths, cisterns and barracks. It was here that leader Eleazer Ben Yair kept the Roman Legion's siege at bay for three years.

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/masada-national-park/>

Ein Gedi National Park

In the biblical period, David hid from Saul amongst the streams and canyons of Ein Gedi. Today, Ein Gedi serves as a refuge from city life and from the arid desert. Enjoy a nature walk amongst date trees, waterfalls, caves and ibex. On a hot day, cool off in the water.

<https://www.parks.org.il/en/reserve-park/en-gedi-nature-reserve/>

Dipping in the Dead Sea - Time Permitting

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Day 10 Tuesday December 10

UNITED JERUSALEM – THE NEW CITY

Israel Museum & Dead Sea Scrolls

Founded in 1965, this is the largest cultural institution in the State of Israel and one of the world's leading art and archaeology museums. Here you will find the oldest existing biblical manuscripts in the world, the Dead Sea Scrolls, which are housed in the Shrine of the Book.

<https://www.imj.org.il/en>

Yad Vashem - In 1963, the Yad Vashem Museum was established as the world center for Holocaust research, education and commemoration. With survivor testimonies, powerful displays, artifacts and memorial gardens, this museum embodies one crucial message: Never again.

<https://www.yadvashem.org/>

The Garden Tomb

The Garden Tomb is believed by many to be the garden and sepulcher of Joseph of Arimathea, and therefore a possible site of the resurrection of Jesus. The Garden Tomb is an alternative site to the famous Holy Sepulcher for you to consider the Crucifixion and Resurrection of Yeshua of Nazareth. The Garden is a beautiful place in which you will discover several things that were all here on the night Jesus died and which match the accounts in the four Gospels.

<https://gardentomb.com/>

Overnight: Jerusalem Hotel Breakfast and Dinner

Day 11 Wednesday December 11 FAREWELL FOR NOW...WE'LL MISS YOU!

Farewell Transfer...We'll Miss you!

Transfer to Ben Gurion Airport for your departure from Israel...Bye for now!

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS*

1 night Tel Aviv

3 nights Tiberias

5 nights Jerusalem

******Price includes**

Arrival transfer from the Ben-Gurion Airport to the Hotel in Tel Aviv and assistance at the airport - 3 Shifts

9 nights accommodation according to the hotels mentioned above in half board (breakfast and dinner)

7 days of touring in Israel

English/Spanish/Hebrew speaking guide

Transport with air conditioning -

Entries to the visited sites according to the itinerary

- Map, hat and mini guide of Israel
- Pilgrim certificate
- Porters in hotels and airport on arrival
- Departure transfer to Ben-Gurion Airport

Not Included

- Lunches
- Drinks not included at Hotel (Coffee, Tea, Juice always included)
- Extras in hotels
- Tips to guide and driver (Suggested \$ 7 per day per person for the guide and driver)
- No other service not mentioned above

Highly unlikely but our itinerary may be subject to slight changes