

# ISRAEL – JORDAN HOLYLAND EXPERIENCE

## TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1 Tue, 16<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Singapore – Amman – Madaba – Mt. Nebo – Petra (Lunch, Dinner)

Assemble at Changi Airport to begin your journey that takes you to many places mentioned in the Old and New Testaments of the Bible.

Welcome to Amman, Jordan. Upon arrival into Amman International Airport you will clear immigration and customs formalities, and met outside customs by our representative where we begin our tour.

Transfer to **Madaba**, Madaba is an ancient town in Jordan, southwest of the capital Amman. It's known for its 6th-century mosaic map of the Holy Land in the Greek Orthodox Church of St. George. The Madaba Archaeological Park preserves the mosaic-rich Church of the Virgin Mary and artifacts from the Hellenistic, Roman, Byzantine and Islamic eras. Northwest, the biblical hill of Mount Nebo overlooks the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea.

Then continues to **Mount Nebo** for visit, Lunch at Madaba – cross Allenby border to Dead Sea.

#### Medeba

Biblical name: Medeba

Numbers 21:30; Joshua 13:7-16

Byzantine Times: Bishop Seat

#### Mount Nebo:

Moses viewed the Promised Land.

(Numbers 27:12-14; Deut 34:5-6)



Balaam and the "talking ass" took place here (Numbers 22:21-31)

Then transfer to Petra,

Dinner and overnight in Petra.

**D**ay 2 Wed, 17<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### **Full day Petra (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**

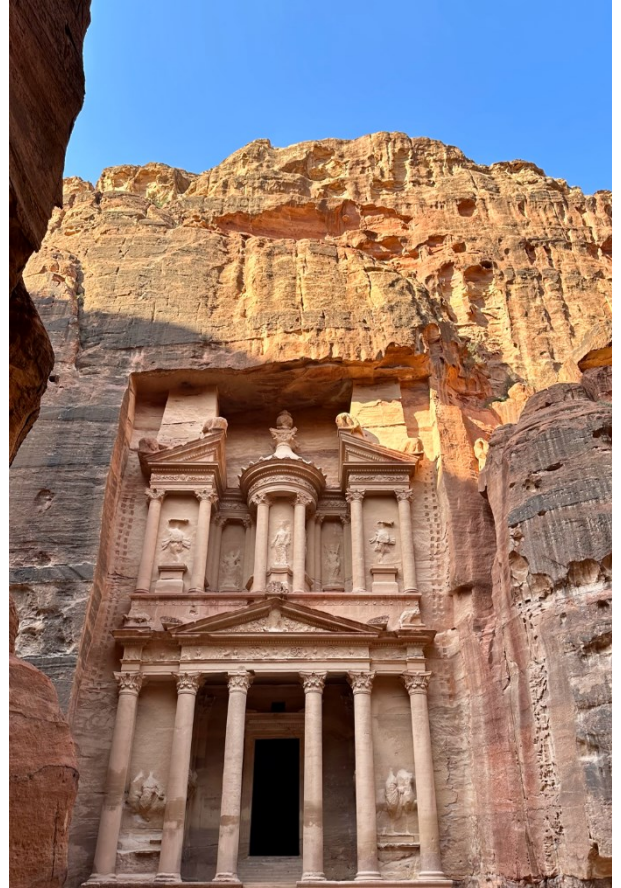
After breakfast, full day visit of Petra, lunch at Petra, Petra was designated a World Heritage Site, Petra is also known as the rose-red city, a name it gets from the wonderful colour of the rock from which many of the city's structures were carved.

Petra

Biblical name: Sela (2Kings 16:9;  
Jeremiah 49:16-17)

Petra was the land of the Horites.

Nabataen can be identified with the First Born of Eshmel Nabajoth (Genesis 25:13)



Day 3 Thu, 18<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Petra – Eilat (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

#### Day 3 Cross Aquaba board and Eilat.

After breakfast, transfer to Aquaba board to Israel. Lunch in **Eilat** near **Red Sea**, (city tour Eilat), drive to **Timna Park** and visit **One of the largest** attractions in the south of Israel the park sits in a beautifully majestic desert setting. It has amazing history and geology. There are also a number of unexpected activities including those on the lake (yes, a lake in the desert!). It covers about 15,000 acres in a horseshoe-shaped valley surrounded by steep cliffs, with Mount Timna, the world's first ever copper mine, standing tall in the center.

Continue to the Dead Sea for dinner and overnight.



Day 4 Fri, 19<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Masada – Ein Fedi – Qumran – Dead Sea (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast, drive to Masada, **Masada** - Masada has so much to see including; the impressive desert getaway palace of King Herod, an underground water cistern, an ancient monastery, a Roman bathhouse, and much more. More riveting than its archeological features is the story that took place in the small synagogue renovated by the Sycarri zealots. After the destruction of the Second Temple by the Romans, a group of Jewish purists



who were rebelling against the Roman Empire escaped to this mountain plateau fortified 100 years prior by King Herod.

Drive to **Ein Gedi National park** for a nice hike towards David Falls. En Gedi is the biggest oasis in Israel. It has springs and waterfalls, and flowing brooks at the foot of the cliffs, home to ibexes and rock hyraxes.

Continue our drive to **Qumran National park**, the place where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Qumran National Park lies at the foot of the vertical cliff of the Judean Desert, rising up from the shores of the Dead Sea. In the 2nd century BCE, Qumran was settled by members of the Essene sect, the writers of the Dead Sea Scrolls.

Have a floating experience at **the Dead Sea**.

Visit the oldest city in the world, **Jericho**. Viewing **Mt. Temptation**, where the devil tried to tempt Jesus.

Dinner and overnight in Jericho



**D**ay 5 Sat, 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

## Galilee – Mt. of Beatitudes – Nazareth (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast, drive north **to Lake Galilee**.

Stop at Nof Ginnosar to see the 2,000-year-old “**Jesus Boat**” unearthed from the Sea of Galilee. Then, enjoy a **boat ride** on the Sea of Galilee docking at Capernaum.

Visit **the Mount of Beatitudes**, where Jesus gave the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5:1-12); **Tabgha**, where Jesus multiplied the loaves and fishes (Luke





9:10-17); and Mensa Christi (Church of the Primacy), the chapel that commemorates where Jesus instructed Peter to “feed my sheep” (John 21:15-17); **Capernaum**, the town where Jesus lived during His Galilee ministry (Matthew 4:13; Mark 3:1)

Visit Yardenit Baptismal site.

Dinner and overnight in Nazareth

**D**ay 6 Sun, 21<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

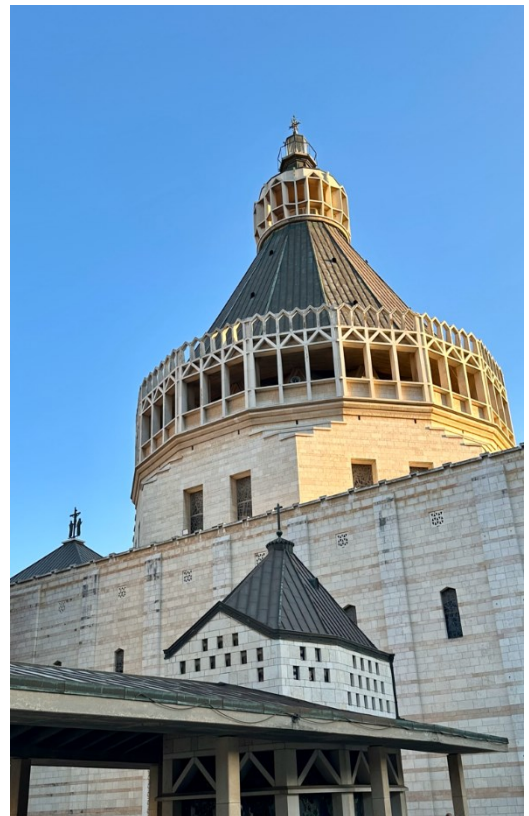
### **Cana – Mount Tabor - Megiddo (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**

After breakfast, visit **Basilica of the**

**Annunciation**, which is built over MARY’S House, the place where The Archangel Gabriel to Mother Mary and announced to her that she carrying the son of God.

Drive on to **Cana** where Jesus performed His first miracle, turning water into wine (John 2:1-11). Couples wanting to renew their marriage vows can do so at the chapel.

**Mount Tabor** - Your bus will climb this steep mountain where the traditional site of the New Testament account of the Transfiguration happened. There are ruins of both Byzantine and Crusader churches, but the most exciting is the current church built by Antonio Barlucci with its picturesque artwork commemorating this event. As you go to the overlook, the Bible will come alive as you have an amazing view of the Megiddo and Jezreel valleys, Mount Gilboa, and **Mount Carmel**, which is perfect for reviewing the biblical account of the battle that the prophetess Deborah fought against Sisra.



**Megiddo** - This multi-layered archeological site will intrigue you with its historical and biblical significance. You can recall King Josiah's death at this very site. You will also ponder on the eschatological significance of Armageddon (Mount Megiddo) as you look over this great valley.

Dinner and overnight in Nazareth

**D**ay 7 Mon, 22<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Haifa – Jerusalem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast, drive to Haifa , and view The Bahai Gardens and Temple. Continue to **Mount Carmel** and stop at Mukhraka, where Elijah fought the prophets of Baal (1 Kings 18: 20-40).

Your journey continues with a drive north along the Mediterranean coast to **Caesarea**, the great Roman port city, and one of the largest archeological digs in Israel. This is where the Roman centurion Cornelius was baptized by Peter and became the first gentile convert to Christianity (Acts 10) and where Paul was tried by Festus (Acts 25:6-12). Visit the Roman theater, Herod's Palace, the Amphitheater and the Crusader City and Harbor.

Continue the drive to Jerusalem. Dinner and Overnight Jerusalem



**D**ay 8 Tue, 23<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Jerusalem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

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Travel by bus to the top of **the Mount of Olives** and view the entire city of Jerusalem. Then, walk down the Palm Sunday Road to the Garden of **Gethsemane** (Matthew 26:30), stopping at **Dominus Flevit**, where Jesus stopped and wept over Jerusalem (Luke 19:41). See the ancient olive trees in the Garden of Gethsemane and visit the beautiful Church of All Nations.

Take a walking tour of the Old City that includes the **Pools of Bethesda** (John 5:1-24), St. Anne's Chapel, the Via Dolorosa, Lithostratos, Ecce Homo Arch, Church of the **Holy Sepulcher**, and the Oriental Market.

Visit the **Wailing Wall**, the holiest site in Judaism.

Visit **Mt. Zion** where you will visit the Tomb of David and the **Upper Room** (Mark 14:12-26; Acts 1:13).

Visit Church of **Saint-Peter in Gallicantu** , where Jesus was prisoned , and where Jesus was denied by Peter 3 times.

Dinner and Overnight Jerusalem



**D**ay 9 Wed, 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Jerusalem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

After breakfast our drive takes you to the **Israel Museum** and the Shrine of the Book, where the Dead Sea scrolls are kept. See the Model of Jerusalem from the time of the second temple. Then drive to the Knesset to view the beautiful Menorah.



Drive to **Ein Karem**, the traditional hometown of Zechariah and Elizabeth, and the birthplace of John the Baptist (Luke 1). Drive west to the Valley of Ayalon, where Joshua called on the Lord to make the moon stand still (Joshua 10:12-13).

Continue to **Bethlehem \***, **the Church of the Nativity** and **Manger Square** (Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 2:1-7), and Shepherds' Field at nearby Beit Sahour \*, where the "Good News" was first heard.

Dinner and Overnight Jerusalem



**D**ay 10 Thu, 25<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024

### Jerusalem - Singapore (Breakfast, Lunch)

Visit **the Garden Tomb** and Gordon's Calvary. There you can enjoy a memorable communion service before heading to Ben Gurion Airport for your flight back.

**D**ay 11 Fri, 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024 (Meals on Board)

Arrival Singapore





第 1 天 星期二, 1 月 16 日

## 新加坡-安曼-米底巴-尼波山-佩特拉 (中, 晚餐)

在樟宜机场集合, 开始您的旅程, 带您前往圣经旧约和新约中提到的许多地方。

抵达安曼国际机场后, 您将办理出入境和海关手续, 由专人在海关外等待迎接我们。然后乘坐豪华空调大巴参观**米底巴 Madaba**。米底巴是约旦最早的基督教小镇, 市中心有圣·乔治希腊东正教教堂, 收藏着一幅完成于公元 560 年的马赛克地图, 栩栩如生的描绘了整个圣地, 从北部的腓尼基城推罗和西顿, 一直到南部的埃及。继续前往**尼波山 Mount Nebo** (毗斯迦山顶 the top of Pisgah)。摩西在旷野 40 年后, 登上尼波山, 眺望应许之地, 然后死在摩押地, 埋葬在摩押地、伯毗珥对面的谷中。申命记 32:49; 34:1 记载摩西上尼波山, 眺望应许之地。堪称约旦最受尊崇的圣地, 尼波山距离米底巴 9 公里, 摩西在这里看到了整片应许之地 (Promised Land), 包括耶路撒冷、约旦河谷、死海、耶利哥等。然后过关前往以色列。

民 21:30 我们射了他们; 希实本直到底本尽皆毁灭。我们使地变成荒场, 直到挪法; 这挪法直延到米底巴。

约书亚记 13:9 是从亚嫩谷边的亚罗珥和谷中的城, 并米底巴的全平原, 直到底本 ...

16 他们的境界是亚嫩谷边的亚罗珥和谷中的城, 靠近米底巴的全平原。

夜宿佩特拉

第 2 天 星期三, 1 月 17 日

## 全天游览佩特拉 (早, 中, 晚餐)

早餐后, 全天参观佩特拉, 在佩特拉享用午餐, 佩特拉被指定为世界遗产, 佩特拉也被称为玫瑰红之城, 这个名字来源于岩石的美妙颜色, 该城市的许多建筑都来自该岩石被雕刻。



佩特拉 经文名称：Sela（列王纪下 16:9；耶利米书 49:16-17）

佩特拉是霍利特人的土地。 Nabataen 可以被认为是 Eshmel Nabajoth 的长子（创世记 25:13）



第 3 天 星期四， 1 月 18 日

### 佩特拉 - 埃拉特（早，中，晚餐）

早餐后，通过 Aquaba 关口入境以色列。在红海附近的埃拉特享用午餐（城市游览埃拉特），驱车前往蒂姆纳公园并参观以色列南部最大的景点之一，该公园坐落在美丽而雄伟的沙漠环境中。它有惊人的历史和地质。还有许多意想不到的活动，包括湖上活动（是的，沙漠中的湖！）。它占地约 15,000 英亩，位于一个被陡峭悬崖环绕的马蹄形山谷中，世界上第一座铜矿提姆纳山 (提姆纳公园) 耸立在中心。

继续前往死海享用晚餐并过夜。



第 4 天 星期五, 1 月 19 日

### 马萨达- 隐基底- 昆兰 - 死海 (早, 中, 晚餐)

早餐后, 驱车前往马萨达, 马萨达 - 马萨达有很多景点, 包括; 令人印象深刻的希律王沙漠度假宫殿、地下蓄水池、古老的修道院、罗马浴室等等。比其考古特征更引人入胜的是发生在锡卡里狂热者翻新的小犹太教堂中的故事。在罗马人摧毁第二圣殿之后, 一群反抗罗马帝国的犹太纯粹主义者逃到了这座 100 年前由希律王设防的山地高原。

驱车前往隐基底国家公园, 隐基底是以色列最大的绿洲。它有泉水和瀑布, 悬崖脚下有流淌的小溪, 是北山羊和岩蹄兔的家园。

继续驱车前往昆兰国家公园, 这里是死海古卷的发现地。库姆兰国家公园位于朱迪亚沙漠垂直悬崖脚下, 从死海沿岸升起。公元前 2 世纪, 死海古卷的作者艾赛尼派成员定居昆兰。

午餐后, 体验死海漂流。

参观世界上最古老的城市耶利哥。乘坐缆车上试探山, 魔鬼试图引诱耶稣。驱车前往伯利恒享用晚餐并过夜。

在耶利哥享用晚餐并过夜



第 5 天 星期六, 1 月 20 日

### 加利利 - 八福山 - 拿撒勒 (早, 中, 晚餐)

早餐后驱车向北前往加利利湖。在 Nof Ginnosar 停留, 观看从加利利海出土的具有 2,000 年历史的“耶稣船”。然后, 在加利利海乘船游览迦百农。

参观八福山, 耶稣在那里发表登山宝训 (马太福音 5: 1-12); Tabgha, 耶稣在那里繁殖面包和鱼 (路加福音 9:10-17); 和 Mensa Christi (首席教堂), 纪念耶稣指示彼得“喂养我的羊”的教堂 (约翰福音 21: 15-17); 迦百农, 耶稣在加利利传道期间居住的城镇 (马太福音 4:13; 马可福音 3:1)



Yardenit 洗礼堂

在拿撒勒享用晚餐并过夜



第 6 天 星期日，1 月 21 日

**迦拿 - 米吉多 - 他泊山 - 拿撒勒（早，中，晚餐）**

早餐后，参观圣母领报大教堂，它建在玛丽的房子上，天使长加百列曾在这里向圣母玛利亚宣布她怀了上帝的儿子。

驱车前往迦拿，耶稣在那里行了第一个神迹，变水为酒（约翰福音 2：1-11）。想要更新婚姻誓言的夫妇可以在教堂这样做。

他泊山- 您的巴士将爬上这座陡峭的山峰，新约圣经记载登山变貌的传统地点就在这里。这里有拜占庭和十字军教堂的遗址，但最令人兴奋的是目前由安东尼奥·巴卢奇 (Antonio Barlucci) 建造的教堂，其精美的艺术品是为了纪念这一事件。当您前往观景台时，圣经将栩栩如生，因为您可以欣赏到米吉多和耶斯列山谷、基利波山和迦密山的壮丽景色，非常适合回顾圣经中女先知黛博拉与西斯拉战斗的记载。

米吉多国家公园，这个多层考古遗址将以其历史和圣经意义吸引您。您可以回想起约西亚王就在这个地方去世。当您俯瞰这个大山谷时，您还能思考世界末日（米吉多山）的末世意义。

在拿撒勒享用晚餐并过夜





第 7 天 星期一， 1 月 22 日

### 海法 - 迦密山 - 耶路撒冷（早，中，晚餐）

早餐后驱车前往海法，参观巴哈伊花园和寺庙。继续前往迦密山，停在穆赫拉卡（Mukhraka），以利亚在那里与巴力的先知作战（列王纪上 18: 20-40）。

继续沿着地中海沿岸向北行驶至凯撒利亚，这是伟大的罗马港口城市，也是以色列最大的考古挖掘地之一。罗马百夫长哥尼流就是在这里接受彼得的洗礼，并成为第一个皈依基督教的外邦人（使徒行传 10 章），也是保罗受非斯都审判的地方（使徒行传 25:6-12）。参观罗马剧院、希律王宫、圆形剧场以及十字军城市和港口。

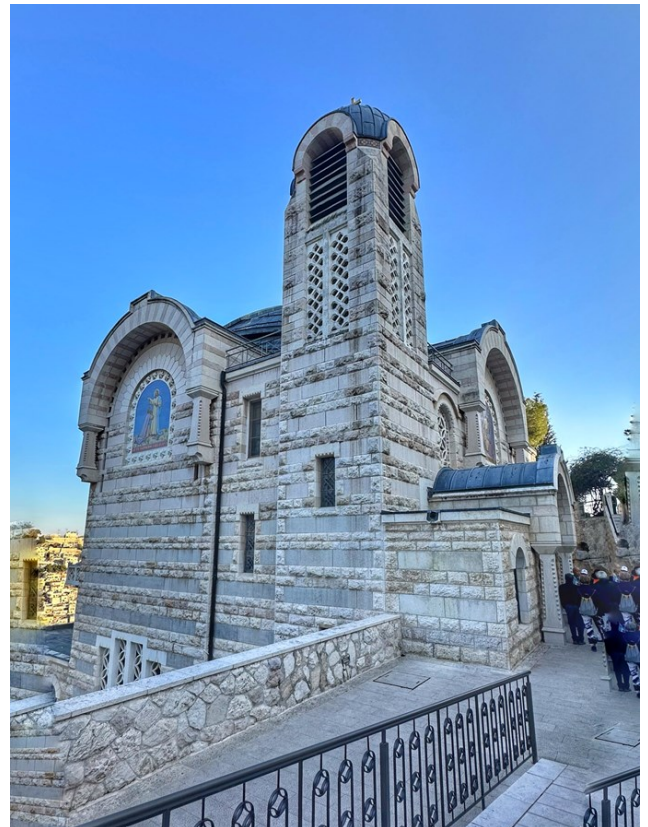
继续驱车前往耶路撒冷。晚餐和夜宿耶路撒冷

第 8 天 星期二， 1 月 23 日

### 耶路撒冷（早，中，晚餐）

早餐后，乘坐巴士前往橄榄山山顶，俯瞰整个耶路撒冷城。然后，沿着棕枝主日路走到客西马尼园（马太福音 26:30），在主泣教堂停留，耶稣停下来为耶路撒冷哭泣（路加福音 19:41）。在客西马尼园观赏古老的橄榄树，参观美丽的万国教堂。

步行游览老城，包括毕士大池（约翰福音 5:1-24）、圣安妮教堂、苦路、铺华石处、Ecce Homo 拱门、圣墓教堂和东方市场。



参观哭墙，最神圣的地方。参观锡安山，在那里您将参观大卫墓和楼房（马可福音 14:12-26；使徒行传 1:13）。

参观鸡鸣堂的圣彼得教堂，耶稣被囚禁在那里，耶稣被彼得 3 次拒绝。

晚餐和夜宿耶路撒冷

第 9 天 星期三，1 月 24 日

### 耶路撒冷 - 伯利恒（早，中，晚餐）

早餐后，我们的车程将带您前往以色列博物馆和保存死海古卷的圣书堂。从第二圣殿时代开始，参观耶路撒冷模型。然后驱车前往以色列议会观看美丽的烛台。

驱车前往撒迦利亚和伊丽莎白的传统故乡恩卡里姆，以及施洗约翰的出生地（路加福音 1）。向西行驶到阿亚隆谷，约书亚在那里祈求耶和华让月亮停止不动（约书亚记 10:12-13）。

继续前往伯利恒\*、圣诞教堂和马槽广场（马太福音 1:18-25；路加福音 2:1-7），以及附近 Beit Sahour\* 的牧羊人场，这里是第一次听到“好消息”的地方。

晚餐和夜宿耶路撒冷



第 10 天 星期四，1 月 25 日

### 返回新加坡（早，中，晚餐）

参观花园墓和戈登的加略山。在前往本古里安机场搭乘返程航班之前，您可以在那里享受难忘的圣餐服务。

第 10 天 星期五，1 月 26 日

抵达新加坡，欢迎来到甜蜜的家。

