

Join Shalom Ministries Inc.  
for an Advanced Tour to

# ISRAEL

13 Days of Biblical Insight  
with Dr. Craig Hartman, Dr. John Vaughn,  
and Pastor Kent Ramler

January 7-19, 2018

Departure from Charlotte \$3,648\*

For information, please contact Malinda Duvall at 864-268-0777

\*The price of \$3,648, which is subject to change, is based on a minimum participation in the tour of 25 travelers paying \$3,648. A fewer number of passengers may result in an increase in the price. The price also reflects a 4% cash or check discount. Please refer to the payment terms in the fine print on the 4th page of the brochure for more information.

## Price Includes:

- **Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing**
- **Roundtrip International Airfare from Charlotte**  
Additional baggage & optional fees may apply. See fine print for details.
- **Fuel Surcharges & Government Taxes**  
(Subject to Change)
- **Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees, Most Gratuities & Program Fees**
- **Buffet Breakfast & Dinner Daily**
- **Deluxe Motorcoaches**
- **First Class Hotels**

**And Much, Much More!**



# Tour of Israel

**Day 1 - January 7: Depart from US.**

**Day 2 - January 8: Israel, Yad Hashmona, and Kiryat Yearim. Overnight in Jerusalem area.**

Arrive in Israel and proceed to Yad Hashmona for orientation and a tour of the Biblical Gardens. Visit Kiryat Yearim, the place where the Ark of the Covenant was kept from the time of Samuel until the time of David (1 Sam. 7). Overnight in Jerusalem area.

**Day 3 - January 9: Samuel's Tomb in Rama, Michmas Pass, drive through Wadi Qelt, Mt. of Temptation, and Jericho. Overnight in Jerusalem area.**

In the morning visit Rama, the site of the prophet Samuel's tomb. Continue to Michmas Pass, a route commonly used and mentioned in Scripture on several occasions. Drive through Wadi Qelt to visit the Mt. of Temptation. End your day visiting Jericho and view the ruins of the city conquered by Joshua (Josh. 6:1, 2, 20). Overnight in Jerusalem area.

**Day 4 - January 10: Day in Samaria including Shiloh, Mt. Gerizim, and Oak of Moreh. Overnight in Jerusalem area.**

Visit Samaria, the capital of the Northern Kingdom, and home to Ahab and Jezebel (1 Kings 16). Travel to Shiloh, a small community. During ancient times it was famous as a place where the Ark of the Covenant was kept (1 Sam. 4:4). See Mt. Gerizim and the Oak of Moreh where the Israelites recited the blessings and cursings of the Law. Overnight in Jerusalem area.

**Day 5 - January 11: Judea, Tel Beer Sheva via Elah Valley and Lachish, Maon and Carmel, and Hebron. Overnight in Jerusalem area.**

Travel to Judea and visit the Valley of Elah where David slew Goliath (1 Sam. 17). Continue to Beer Sheva where Abraham lived and dug seven wells (meaning of the name Beer Sheva) (Gen. 26:23). Continue to Lachish, one of the Philistine cities where David hid from King Saul (1 Sam. 22). Visit the towns of Maon and Carmel. End your day exploring Hebron and see the Cave of the Patriarchs. Abraham paid 400 shekels to purchase the cave as a place of burial for his wife Sarah (Gen. 23). Overnight in Jerusalem area.

**Day 6 - January 12: Road to Emmaus, Antipatris, and Caesaria. Overnight in Netanya.**

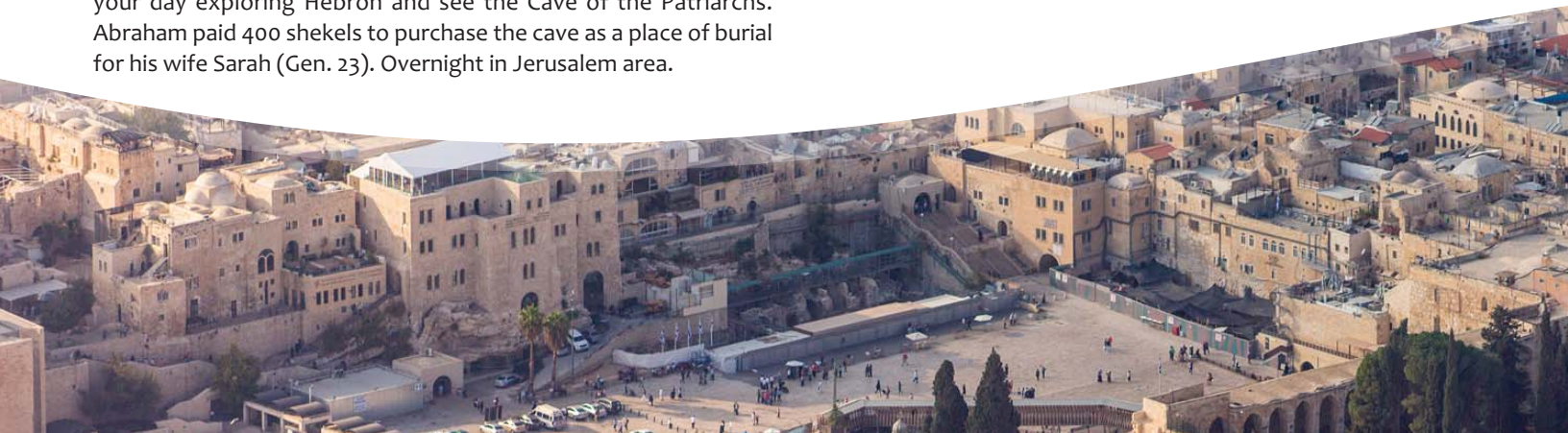
This morning walk the Road to Emmaus where Jesus met two disciples after His resurrection (Luke 24:13-28). Continue to Antipatris the city named after Herod the Great's father. During Biblical times it straddled the ancient Via Maris highway and guarded the headwaters of the Yarkon River. Explore Caesaria, the Roman capital of Judea, with its Theater and Roman Aqueduct where Cornelius became the first Gentile convert to the new covenant (Acts 10) and where Paul was imprisoned before being taken to Rome for trial. Overnight in Netanya.

**Day 7 - January 13: Megiddo, Mt. Carmel, Haifa, and Acco. Overnight in Tiberias.**

Travel to Megiddo (Biblical Armageddon) where 20 different cities lie superimposed upon each other. Visit Mt. Carmel where Elijah defeated the Baal prophets. You'll visit the monastery at the top of the mountain. Continue your journey to the city of Haifa. Visit the ancient port city of Acco, one of the stops on Paul's final return to Jerusalem (Acts 21:7). Overnight in Tiberias.

**Day 8 - January 14: Cliffs of Arbel, Magdala, Mt. of Beatitudes, Tabcha, Capernaum, Kursi, St. Peter's fish lunch, and boat ride to Tiberias. Overnight in Tiberias.**

Travel to Mt. Arbel to view the Sea of Galilee and the area where Jesus ministered. In Magdala, once home to Mary Magdalene, visit a recently discovered first-century synagogue. Visit the peaceful Mt. of Beatitudes. Explore Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry in the Galilean region. Visit the synagogue, which stands on the site where Jesus taught. Recall His teaching and preaching the gospel of the kingdom. Return to the Sea of Galilee area to visit Kursi, the likely area where Christ cast the demons into the herd of swine. Enjoy a St. Peter's fish lunch at the Ein Gev Kibbutz. Afterwards, take a boat ride across the Sea of Galilee to Tiberias. Overnight in Tiberias.



**Day 9 - January 15: Metulah overlook, Banias, Golan Heights, Gamla, and Hamat Gader. Overnight in Tiberias.**

Drive north to upper Galilee today and visit Metulah, the strategic city located on the Lebanonese border and the site of the Good Fence linking the two countries. Continue to Banias (Caesarea Philippi) where Jesus traveled with His disciples and nearby Peter made his great confession to Jesus, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God" (Matt. 16:16). Ascend into the Golan Heights and view Syria from the strategic high plateau. Visit Gamla, the ancient Jewish city which heroically stood against a siege by the Roman Army in the 1st century. Continue to the warm springs at Hamat Gader, known since antiquity and home to a modern-day crocodile farm amongst other tourist attractions. Overnight in Tiberias.



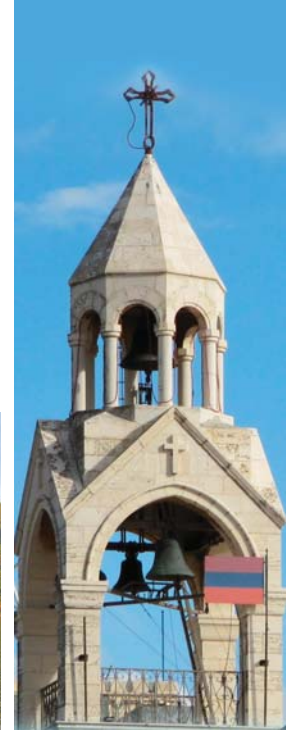
**Day 10 - January 16: Archaeology dig. Overnight in Jerusalem.**

Participate in an archaeological dig today at one of the many ancient dig sites in Israel. Overnight in Jerusalem.



**Day 11 - January 17: Mt. Tabor, Tel Jezreel, Gideon Spring, and Beit Shean. Overnight in Jerusalem.**

Journey to Mt. Tabor and stand where Jesus was transfigured (Matt. 17:2). Travel to Ein Harod (Judg. 7:1), the spring where Gideon gathered his men to fight the Midianites. Continue to Beit Shean, a city continuously inhabited for over 5,000 years. Return to Jerusalem for your overnight stay.



**Day 12 - January 18: Herodium, Day in Jerusalem including the Mt. of Olives, Tower of David Museum, lunch in Old City, finish at Garden Tomb, and head to airport for flight back home.**

This morning visit the Herodium, site of King Herod's Palace. Continue to the Mt. of Olives, where Jesus ascended into heaven (Acts 1:9-12). Explore the Tower of David Museum and have lunch in the Old City. Finally, visit the Garden Tomb where Christ was buried and see the empty tomb because He is risen! Transfer to the Tel Aviv airport for your flight home.



**Day 13 - January 19: Arrive back in the US.**



# For More Information or to Reserve your Spot Contact Malinda Duvall at 864-268-0777

1st deposit, February 13, 2017 .....	\$500
2nd deposit, April 13, 2017 .....	\$500
3rd deposit, July 13, 2017 .....	\$500
Final Payment, October 13, 2017	



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## Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates For All Tours

For a full description of the plan, go to: [www.tripmate.com/wpF427E](http://www.tripmate.com/wpF427E)

Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost
\$ 0 to \$1000 .....	\$ 99	\$2501 to \$3000 .....	\$299	\$4501 to \$5000 .....	\$499	\$6501 to \$7000 .....	\$699
\$1001 to \$1500 .....	\$149	\$3001 to \$3500 .....	\$349	\$5001 to \$5500 .....	\$549	\$7001 to \$8000 .....	\$799
\$1501 to \$2000 .....	\$199	\$3501 to \$4000 .....	\$399	\$5501 to \$6000 .....	\$599	\$8001 to \$9000 .....	\$899
\$2001 to \$2500 .....	\$249	\$4001 to \$4500 .....	\$449	\$6001 to \$6500 .....	\$649	\$9001 to \$10,000 .....	\$999

### Schedule of Coverages

#### Part A

Trip Cancellation ..... Trip Cost

#### Part B

Accidental Death & Dismemberment ..... \$25,000

Medical Expense / Emergency Assistance ..... \$50,000

Trip Interruption ..... Trip Cost

Travel Delay (Up to \$100 Per Day) ..... \$500

Missed Connection ..... \$500

Baggage and Personal Effects ..... \$1,000

Baggage Delay ..... \$100

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Educational Opportunities Tours. Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co. For New York Residents Only; Part A Benefits are travel arrangement benefits underwritten by United States Insurance Company.

### Conditions and Limitations

This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Educational Opportunities Tours, Inc. at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip or 105 days before departure date, whichever occurs first), suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war. Other Covered Reasons, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancellation or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Strike, mechanical breakdown that causes complete cessation of services of Your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty; destruction of your home or destination by fire, flood, burglary or natural disaster; being called to the emergency service of government to provide aid or relief in the event of a natural disaster; a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; or Revocation of military leave. For further information ask for the Certificate of Coverage which fully details the coverages, provisions, limitations and exclusions of the plan offered and is available to you, upon request, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan. This plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatontown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc., 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO, 64114, 1-800-888-7292 (\*in CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency).

### THE FINE PRINT

#### INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Roundtrip international and domestic airfare
- Deluxe motorcoaches
- 1st class hotels
- Guided sightseeing
- Entrance fees to sites visited (as listed in itinerary)
- Breakfast & dinner daily, hotel gratuities
- Fuel surcharges \$600
- Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)
- Program fees

#### NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule)
- Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages at meals, baggage fees
- Voluntary "Love Offering" for guide and driver
- \$100 Document fee for Non-US/Canadian residents

#### ACCOMMODATIONS:

Price is based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While EOT will try to match roommates, EOT cannot guarantee a roommate will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the following charge applies: \$698.

#### PAYMENT:

A full deposit of \$500 per person is due 02/13/2017, 2nd deposit of \$500 is due 04/13/2017, 3rd deposit of \$500 and full travel protection premium is due 07/13/2017. Optional travel protection premiums must be paid in addition to initial or third deposit prior to the final payment for coverage to be in effect. Final payment for trip is due 10/13/2017. All prices reflect a 4% discount for full payment via cash or check. Consequently, if the final payment is not made by check or cash, the balance will be 4% higher than the cash discounted price on the front of the brochure. Thereafter, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed. After final payment date, new registrants may incur significantly higher fees.

#### REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED 105 DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE OR LESS:

We welcome registrations after 9/24/2017. Registrations received after this date will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration.

#### CANCELLATION FEES:

100% of cancellation fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program, provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is insurable. All deposit due dates and payment dates are noted on page four of this brochure. The cancellation fees include the following penalties: The first deposit payment is due on February 13, 2017 and is fully refundable up until the second deposit date of April 13, 2017. There are no penalties for cancellation prior to April 13, 2017. From April 13, 2017 through to 60 days prior to the departure date, the cancellation penalty is 50% of the total deposit payments due (even if this amount exceeds the deposit payments actually made) by the date of the cancellation. The cancellation penalty for cancellation at any time beginning 30 days prior to departure and running through the dates of the trip is 100% of the total cost of the trip. In addition to the penalties described above (and irrespective of the date of cancellation), the cancellation fees will also include any airline penalties imposed, and a single room supplement if cancellation forces another traveler on the trip to be the sole occupant of a hotel room on the trip. Notice of cancellation must be submitted in writing.

#### FIT TO TRAVEL STATEMENT:

Passengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged, those needing oxygen, wheelchairs, or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting to their experiences. If you have questions, please contact Malinda Duvall for more details.

#### PRICE INCREASES:

All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change prior to payment in full due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, you may be subject to a price increase after payment in full has been received due to potential government imposed taxes and fees.

#### AIRLINE ROUTES AND TICKETS:

In order to keep prices low, EOT does not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once "printed," airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class on IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for groups of 10 or more flying together on entire itinerary.

#### FLIGHT TIMES:

All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. EOT is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If you are making your own flight arrangements to the departure city, we recommend you purchase a ticket that can be exchanged without large penalties.

#### ADDITIONAL AIRLINE FEES:

You will likely incur additional airline checked baggage fees that are not included in the price of the tour. These fees vary by airline and are at the airline's discretion on each segment of the flight itinerary. Additionally, you may incur optional fees (food, excess baggage, overweight baggage, items of personal nature, etc.) as well. For more information, visit [www.eo.travel/travelinfo/airlinefees.aspx](http://www.eo.travel/travelinfo/airlinefees.aspx).

#### DEVIATIONS:

Deviations from the standard tour program must be submitted in writing and are subject to additional airline fees, if applicable. Transfers for passengers who deviate are not included.

#### ITINERARY CHANGES:

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this brochure. While you will see all sites listed in this brochure, the order of sites and/or days and number of days may be altered to accommodate changes in airline, hotel schedules, and local conditions. Due to airline schedules, some participants may receive one or two extra leisure days at a nominal per day charge and some extensions may not be available on all departure dates. If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$125 per night; single rooms \$175 per night. Meals for extra nights are not included.

#### VALIDITY DATE:

This brochure is valid until 8/7/16. If validity date has passed, contact Malinda Duvall for current brochures. Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

#### RELEASE INFORMATION

Payment of deposit indicates permission for EOT or its agents to record the registrant's participation and appearance on video tape, audio tape, film, photograph, or any other medium and to use the registrant's name, likeness, voice, comments, submitted documentation, written papers, and/or biographical material without restrictions or limitation for any advertising, marketing, publicity, educational or promotional purpose which EOT or its agents deem appropriate, unless the registrant or guardian otherwise notifies EOT in writing prior to departure.

Except where otherwise stated, EOT acts only as agent for the relevant supplier in securing hotels, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall EOT be liable for failure by any such supplier to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. EOT assumes no liability for injury, death, damage, loss, theft, accident, delay or irregularity which may occur by reason of any negligent or willful act or omission of any suppliers of service. EOT does not own or operate any of the suppliers of services to your tour. Similarly without limiting the foregoing, passenger agrees to hold EOT harmless for any defect in any vehicle, plane, boat, bus, car, van or other vehicle, act of war or insurrection, terrorist activity, revolt or other civil uprising, military action, strikes or labor unrest or any Act of God or for any other act of any third party. Florida law will be applicable to any dispute which arises out of or concerns this brochure or your tour. Any and all litigation must be brought only in and for courts in Polk County, Florida to the exclusion of litigation anywhere else in the world.

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