



Jewish War Veterans

Allied Veterans & Leadership Mission to Israel

October 7-17, 2010

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Day 1: Thursday, Oct. 7

Overnight non-stop flight to Israel from Newark, NJ.
Dinner, in-flight entertainment and breakfast on board.

Day 2: Friday, Oct. 8

Morning arrival at Ben Gurion airport. Meet and assist by Aviatours team. Transfer to our Tel Aviv hotel. Check-in and relax. At noon you will be taken to the Carmel Market to see how Israelis buy their last minute fruits and vegetables just before Shabbat. This is a very colorful experience. We will also visit nearby Sheinkin Street, which is the Soho of Tel Aviv. Afterwards, we will board the bus and take a panoramic tour of the city and see the site of the assassination of Prime Minister Itzhak Rabin, and the Kirya - which houses the Ministry of Defense and the IDF headquarters. Upon return to our hotel, you can enjoy a walk on the Tel Aviv boardwalk.

Kabbalat Shabbat and dinner at our hotel.

Day 3: Saturday, Oct. 9

Shabbat: A day of rest or join the optional tour to Jaffa. You can also watch a group of Israelis enjoying themselves performing Israeli folk dances on the boardwalk. Your guide will direct you as to place and time this will occur.

Dinner on your own.

Day 4: Sunday, Oct. 10

Today we will visit the Independence Hall where David Ben Gurion announced the independence of Israel in 1948. We will then visit the Israeli Museum, depicting Itzhak Rabin's life as linked to the story of the State of Israel. Possible meeting with his daughter Dalia Rabin. Afternoon rest at our hotel in Tel Aviv. In the evening, we will participate in TZEVEV's (IDF veterans) 50th Anniversary event with Israeli President Shimon Peres, Israeli Minister of Defense, Ehud Barak, and Israeli Chief of Staff, Lt. Gen. Gabi Ashkenazi.

Dinner at the event.

Day 5: Monday, Oct. 11

After breakfast, at 8:30 AM, IDF briefing about situation in the middle east. 9:30 AM depart on our tour to Our first stop is Caesarea - the Roman port city built by King Herods. Continue to Haifa to see the magnificent Bahai Gardens. Arrive at our Tiberias hotel. After dinner, enjoy a stroll on the Sea of Galilee boardwalk.

Dinner and overnight at hotel.

Day 6: Tuesday, Oct. 12

Leadership Tour - Bus No. 1: Travel to Golan Heights and stop at Shalom Observation Point for a magnificent view of the Sea of Galilee, then visit the Katzrum Museum to see the story of Gamla. Continue to

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Safed – the center of Kabbalah and Jewish Art. Return to our hotel for rest. In the afternoon, visit the House of Dona Gracia – a unique story of the expulsion of Jews from Spain.

Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Allied Veterans - Bus No. 2: Depart from the hotel, travel to Golan Heights - stop at Shalom Observation Point for a magnificent view of the Sea of Galilee. You will visit the Katzrim Museum to see the story of the Gamla. Continue the day by taking a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee (if weather permits). In the middle of the sea we shut the engines and read the scriptures (Mark 6: 45 – 52). In this holy place we can visualize Him walking on the water. We dock near Capernaum to visit the synagogue where Jesus preached. Later, we will proceed to Tabgha – the site of the multiplication of the fish and bread and then Mount of Beatitudes. Afternoon trip to Nazareth, to visit the Church of Annunciation and Cana where the first miracle of water turning into wine took place. Couples who wish to renew their marriage vows can do so here.

Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Day 7: Wednesday, Oct. 13

Drive to Jerusalem. On the way visit the 2nd World War Jewish Warrior museum at Latroun. Proceed to Kibbutz Ayalon to see a hidden ammunition factory that was operated during the British Mandate and recently discovered. Check in and rest at our Jerusalem hotel.

Dinner at our hotel.

Day 8: Thursday, Oct. 14

We begin by visiting the Western Wall and the Chain of Generations. Meet at the Perimeter Barrier around Jerusalem for a briefing. We will enter the Old City, where we will visit the Herodian Quarter (the underground section of the Jewish Quarter). We will also visit Ammunition Hill-a national memorial site and a battle site from the 6 Day War. This is also the World Center of Jewish War Veterans (possible event).

Free evening and dinner on your own.

Day 9: Friday, Oct. 15

Visit Yad Vashem - the new holocaust museum. Visit Mt. Hertzal to see the new memorial site. Visit the Way of the Cross and the Holy Sepulcher Church. Main group returns to the hotel for a rest.

Allied Veterans - Bus No. 2: Afternoon visit to Bethlehem-Church of the Nativity to see and touch the cave where Jesus was born.

Shabbat Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem .

Day 10: Saturday, Oct. 16

Shabbat rest or join a panoramic tour to Massada and the Dead Sea, famous for its rich minerals.

Dinner at hotel.

Day 11: Sunday, Oct. 17

Flight home. Arrive same day.

Welcome Home! You have just returned from a lifetime experience



Jewish War Veterans of the USA

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Join us on this exciting trip to beautiful and historic Israel!

Visit places other groups do not visit.

Participate in Tzevet (IDF veterans) 50th Anniversary event with Israeli President Shimon Peres, Israeli Minister of Defense, Ehud Barak, and Israeli Chief of Staff, Lt. Gen. Gabi Ashkenazi.

Basic Package includes:

- Round trip coach class tickets on El Al Israel Airlines, from Newark, NJ.
- Transfers to/from airport and hotels (if you fly with the group) and luggage handling in Israel.
- 9 full days of sightseeing in an air-conditioned deluxe bus with the services of a licensed English speaking guide.
- personal audio system to listen to guide
- All entrance fees to sites as per program.
- All taxes and service fees as imposed by hotels.
- Full Israeli buffet breakfast and dinner daily, except for one dinner in Tel Aviv and one in Jerusalem. (Participants have the opportunity to dine in any of the fine local restaurants of their choice).
- Ticket to TZEvet's 50th Anniversary event with dinner

Not included:

- Soft drinks and alcoholic beverages
- Recommended tips of \$9 per person per day for guide, driver and hotel-restaurant staff
- Expenses of a personal nature

Cost:

- \$2925.00 plus \$550.00 airport tax and fuel surcharge (tax and fuel surcharge subject to change). Based on double occupancy.
- \$2150.00 for land fare only.
- \$675.00 additional for single room supplement. The last person to join may have to pay additional single room supplement if roommate is not available.
- Airline Business Class upgrade cost upon request. (approx. \$3,000.00 plus)
- \$165.00 per person Comprehensive Travel Insurance for basic program, including cancellation fees for medical reasons. (**Strongly recommended**). Please contact Aviatours for more information.

(See next page for additional information)

2010 JWV Leadership Mission to Israel

October 7 - 17, 2010

Payment schedule:

- **A \$250.00 deposit is required at time of registration.**
- **2nd payment of \$500.00 is no later than July 1, 2010.**
- **Full payment for trip is due to JWV no later than August 25, 2010, to avoid a \$49.00 late fee.**
- ***Passports must be valid at least until April 18, 2011***

Cancellations And Insurance:

This is a group promotional fare based on a minimum of 15 participants. Your cancellation can affect the size of the group and costs. For this reason we must apply cancellation fees:

- up to 5 months (May 7, 2010) before departure date - \$95.00 fee
- between 5 to 3 months (May 8 - July 7, 2010) before departure date - \$295.00 fee
- between 89 to 45 days (July 8 - August 25) before departure date - \$375.00 fee
- between 44 to 15 days (Aug. 26 - Sept. 23, 2010) before departure date - \$475.00 fee *plus* the value of the non-refundable airline ticket.
- between 14 days to 4 days (Sept. 24 - Oct. 3, 2010) before departure date - \$600.00 fee *plus* the value of non-refundable airline ticket.
- between 3 days to day (Oct. 4 - 7, 2010) of departure - *no refund*.

We highly recommend that you obtain travel insurance to cover the costs of cancellation fees, illness, accidents and lost or damaged luggage.

Responsibility: JWV and AVIATOURS of Freeport NY and/or its agents only represent the passenger concerning the hotels, transportation (air, sea, or motorized) trips and other services, and declare themselves free of liability for any loss, damages or delays incurred by sickness, strikes, war, quarantine or any other cause out of control. We reserve the right to change/alter the itinerary without a penalty, when it is in the interest of the group. We reserve the right to accept/decline any member of the group. In addition, the airlines involved in this tour are not liable/responsible of any act, omission or event during the time that the passengers are not on board the airline equipment. AVIATOURS does not assume responsibility for errors or omissions contained in the brochure.

Airline taxes are subject to change due to fuel charge increase until the group is ticketed.

**For more information, please contact
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Please complete this form and send it along with your signed release and payment to: Jewish War Veterans or Fax: (202) 234-5662
 1811 R Street, NW Attention: Christy Turner
 Washington, DC 20009

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

Phone _____ Work _____

Cell _____ Fax _____

E-mail: _____

Department/State _____ Post/Aux: _____

Military rank if you were in the military _____

I prefer to share a room with: _____

Physical conditions or disabilities which requires special assistance? _____
 If so, please indicate: _____

Passport No. _____
Passports must be valid at least until April 18, 2011

Date of Birth ____/____/____
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Date Issued ____/____/____ Expiration Date: ____/____/____
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Leadership Mission To Israel October 7-17, 2010	Cost	Qty	Total
Basic Tour	\$2925.00		
Mandatory Airport tax and fuel sur-charge (subject to change)	\$550.00		
Single Supplement	\$675.00		
Land Charge only (trip excluding air fare)	\$2150.00		
Comprehensive Travel Insurance, including trip cancellation fees. <i>Travel Insurance is strongly recommended</i>	\$165.00		
		Total Amount	\$

- A \$250.00 deposit is required at time of registration.
- 2nd payment of \$500.00 is due July 1, 2010.
- Full payment is due no later than Aug. 25, 2010 to avoid a \$49.00 late fee charge.

Make checks payable to:
Jewish War Veterans

I have enclosed a check for \$ _____

Please charge my credit card for the amount of: \$ _____

Visa Mastercard American Express Discover

Card #: _____

Exp: ____/____

Cardholder Signature: _____

* Please be sure to include release form along with registration.

Emergency Contact Information

Name: _____

Nature of Relationship: _____

Phone: () _____ Work () _____

Cell: () _____ Work Fax () _____

Fax: () _____

E-mail: _____

Leadership Mission to Israel Release

We have advised you that certain elements in the Middle East are attempting to stop the drive for peace and understanding through the means of terrorism and acts of wanton violence.

Israel and other forward thinking Nations are actively working together in an effort to create a safe and tranquil environment for tourists. However, the Jewish War Veterans of the USA is unable to guarantee your safety. While in the past we have not encountered any terrorism or acts of violence, the Jewish War Veterans of the USA cannot assume any responsibility or liability whatsoever for any death, injury, illness quarantine, loss, delay or other abnormality which may arise from this activity and tour.

By executing this Release, you and your heirs and parties-at-interest, waive any and all rights you may otherwise have to bring suit against the Jewish War Veterans of the USA, or any of its subsidiary or subordinate organizations or echelons, or any of its officials, employees, servants or agents in any courts wherever situated now and forever.

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