



**SMALL GROUP**  
Maximum of  
24 Travelers

**LAND  
JOURNEY**

# Israel

Land of Cultural Treasures

## Inspiring Moments

- ▶ Experience **Israel's diverse religious heritage** at historical sites steeped in Christianity, Judaism and Islam.
- ▶ Tour cosmopolitan **Tel Aviv and Old Jaffa** on the Mediterranean coast.
- ▶ **Engage with a local Druze family** while enjoying lunch in their home.
- ▶ Take a sensory journey in Jerusalem's **Machane Yehuda market**.
- ▶ Discover the stark beauty of the **Dead Sea**, a unique, natural phenomenon.
- ▶ Savor **crisp falafels, refreshing wines** and more of Israel's delectable flavors.
- ▶ Join a local family for a traditional **Shabbat observance**.
- ▶ Experience six **UNESCO World Heritage sites**.

## INCLUDED FEATURES

### Accommodations (with baggage handling)

- **2 nights** in Tel Aviv, Israel, at the first-class Carlton Tel Aviv.
- **2 nights** in Tiberias at the first-class U Boutique Kinneret Hotel by the Sea of Galilee.
- **4 nights** in Jerusalem at the deluxe King David Jerusalem Hotel.

### Transfers (with baggage handling)

- Deluxe motor coach transfers during the Land Program.

### Extensive Meal Program

- 8 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 4 dinners, including a Farewell Dinner; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner.

### Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

- **Discovery excursions** highlight the local culture, heritage and history.
- Expert-led **Enrichment programs** enhance your insight into the region.
- **AHI Sustainability Promise:** We strive to make a positive, purposeful impact in the communities we visit.
- **AHI Connects:** Local immersion.
- Free time to pursue your own interests.
- Welcome Reception.
- A personal VOX headset to hear your English-speaking guide clearly.
- Tipping of guides and drivers.
- Complimentary travel mementos.

### Itinerary

- Day 1** Depart gateway city✈
- Day 2** Arrive in Tel Aviv and transfer↻ to hotel
- Day 3** Tel Aviv
- Day 4** Tel Aviv | Caesarea | Akko | Tiberias
- Day 5** Tabgha | Mount of Beatitudes | Capernaum | Tiberias
- Day 6** Megiddo | Haifa | Jerusalem
- Day 7** Jerusalem
- Day 8** Masada | Ein Bokek
- Day 9** Jerusalem
- Day 10** Transfer↻ to Tel Aviv airport and depart for gateway city✈

✈Flights and ↻transfers included for AHI FlexAir participants.

**Note:** Itinerary may change due to local conditions.

**Activity Level:** We have rated all of our excursions with activity levels to help you assess this program's physical expectations. Please call or visit our website for full details.



Jaffa



**EXPLORERS**  
ALUMNI TRAVEL PROGRAM

## Discovery

### **AHI Connects: Meet the People**

Enjoy an authentic Druze lunch when a family welcomes you into their home. The Druze cuisine is characterized by special blends of delectable, tasty spices.

 **AHI Connects: Shabbat.** Experience an authentic Shabbat dinner tonight with a local family in their home. Learn about key concepts of the weekly observance and share *challah*, a delicious traditional bread.

**Tel Aviv's Ancient Port of Jaffa.** Explore the port of Old Jaffa, and visit a market and an artist's studio. Walk through the artsy Neve Tzedek area and visit the Center for Israeli Innovation, which celebrates the country's achievements in agriculture, medicine, transportation and more.

**White City of Tel Aviv.** Admire the beauty, Bauhaus-style buildings and limestone architecture of "The White City."

**Mediterranean Coast.** See Caesarea's Roman ruins, including Herod's massive amphitheater, hippodrome and aqueduct, followed by a multimedia presentation.

**Ancient Akko.** Stop at Akko, the most complete and well-preserved town in the Holy Land, and visit the Crusader fort.

**Upper Galilee.** Cruise on the Sea of Galilee. Visit Tabgha, a fishing village, and witness the Mount of Beatitudes.

**Capernaum.** Step inside the historical Ancient Synagogue and House of Peter.

**Golan Heights Winery.** Treat your palate to Israel's light and delicious wines.

**Focus on Archeology.** Stand atop layer upon layer of human occupation at Tel Megiddo's UNESCO status ruins.

**Jerusalem's Open Air Market.** Browse a bustling kaleidoscope of alleys, stalls, colors and flavors at the Machane Yehuda Market.

**Jerusalem.** Tour Old Jerusalem, including the Mount of Olives, the Western Wall and the interpretive Davidson Center. See Temple Mount, believed to be the site of the Temple of Jerusalem, the holiest place in Judaism.

**A Poignant Monument.** Yad Vashem is Israel's memorial for the millions who perished in the Holocaust. Carved out of the hillside, the sprawling complex has 10 exhibition halls, each dedicated to a different chapter of the Holocaust. Tour the halls and galleries and see the Hall of Names.

**Masada.** Join a guided tour to see the fortifications of Herod the Great atop this isolated rock plateau above the Dead Sea.

**A Sea of Salt.** Descend below sea level to Ein Bokek on the Dead Sea.

## Enrichment

► **Is it finally time for a peace deal?**

► **A Survivor Speaks**

► **Contemporary Israel: The Old-New Land**

### UNESCO World Heritage

1. The Old City of Acre (Akko)
2. The White City of Tel-Aviv
3. Biblical Tels — Megiddo, Hazor, Beer Sheba
4. Masada
5. Bahá'í Holy Places in Haifa and the Western Galilee
6. Old City of Jerusalem and its Walls



*Bahá'í World Center, Haifa*

### Electives

We've designed an engaging extension to take you further afield.

**Jordan.** Spend three nights in the capital of Amman. See the beauty of the rose-red city of Petra, admire the intricate mosaic map at Madaba and a view of Israel from the top of Mount Nebo. Stroll through the streets of Jerash, an ancient Greco-Roman town, and see temples, arches, baths and other well-preserved ruins.

 Electives are available at an additional cost.

### Accommodations

**Carlton Tel Aviv** 

**U Boutique Kinneret Hotel by the Sea of Galilee** 

**King David Jerusalem Hotel** 



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## AHI Sustainability Promise

We strive to make a positive, purposeful impact in the communities we visit, whenever possible.

**Environmental Impact** | Thoughtful choices to minimize our environmental footprint: eco-friendly transportation, guided walks in lieu of bus tours and less plastic waste.

**Social Impact** | Ongoing initiatives to support local businesses that employ and benefit people in the community. Curating meaningful experiences by staying in intimately sized locales instead of cities affected by overtourism.

**Economic Impact** | Community-based tourism using expert local guides and lecturers, plus program scheduling during quieter, "shoulder seasons."

### AHI Travel Expertise

**Passenger Service Representative** | Helps with everything from arranging flights to fulfilling special requests.

**Travel Director** | Manages all details to ensure a memorable trip.

**Travel information** | Prepares you fully for your journey.

**Expert local guides and lecturers** | Provide friendly, knowledgeable service and share their passion for their country.

### Let us arrange your flights!

 **AHI FlexAir** | Our **personalized air program** features transfers, assistance and flexibility.

## DATES & PRICES

**March 12-21, 2022**

From Price \$4,545

Special Savings \$250

**Special Price** **\$4,295**

VAT is an additional \$395 per person.

All prices quoted are in USD, per person, based on double occupancy and do not include air transportation costs (unless otherwise stated).

Single accommodations are an additional \$1,195 (limited availability).