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Holy Land Pilgrimage

with St. Hagop Church of Tampa/St. Pete

September 1 - 11, 2024



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September 1 - USA / Tel Aviv

Your spiritual pilgrimage begins as you depart on your overnight flight to Tel Aviv. Meals and refreshments will be served aloft.

September 2 - Arrive at Tel Aviv Airport / Jerusalem

After arrival in Tel Aviv, you will be met by your Educational Opportunities representative who will be with you during your stay in the Holy Land. Transfer to your hotel in Jerusalem.

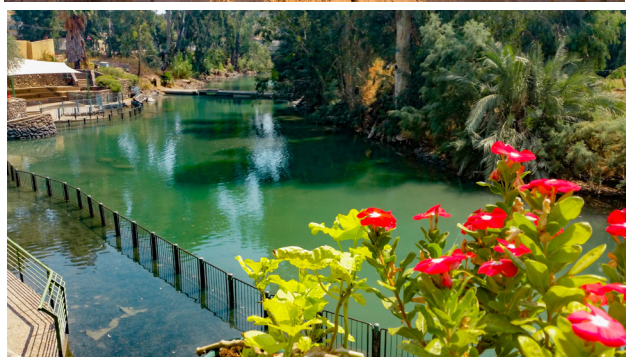


September 3 - Bethlehem

Travel to Bethlehem. Above the traditional Grotto of Jesus' birth, visit the Nativity Church. Tour the manger. Behold the fourteen-pointed star that bears the inscription: "Here Jesus Christ was born to the Virgin Mary." Of the fifteen lamps burning around the recess, five belong to the Armenians. See the two altars that belong to the Armenians. One is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin and the other is known as the Altar of the Kings. Visit the Armenian Monastery, most of which dates from the Byzantine and Crusader periods. The roof of the monastery offers a unique panoramic view of Bethlehem and its terraced environs.

September 4 - Dead Sea, Jericho, Masada Jerusalem

Depart Jerusalem for the Jordan Valley. Continue through the Judean Wilderness to view the Dead Sea, on to ancient Jericho, the oldest known city in the western world. Drive along the shores of the Dead Sea to reach the archeological excavations of Qumran, where the Dead Sea scrolls were found by a wandering shepherd. Visit Masada, Herod's mountaintop fortress that became the last stronghold of the Jewish Rebellion against the Romans. Ride the cable car to the top to explore. Peer down upon the remains of the Roman camps and siege ramp below. Time permitting, you'll stop briefly at the shores of the Dead Sea for a quick dip in the salt and mineral-laden waters.



September 5 - Armenian Patriarchate

Visit the Armenian Patriarchate and tour the Armenian Monastery Complex. View Armenian manuscripts in the chapel of St. Toros. Visit the recently renovated and reopened Edward and Helen Mardigian Museum in the Armenian Quarter of Jerusalem and see the newly transferred 6th-century Armenian Mosaic of Birds. This brilliantly colored and delicate mosaic floor is thought to be one of the first monuments to the Unknown Soldier.

September 6 - Jerusalem

This morning, drive to the top of the Mount of Olives for a spectacular view of Jerusalem. Visit the Church of Pater Noster (commemorating the Lord's Prayer, "Our Father"), the Chapel of Ascension (commemorating the Ascension of Jesus into Heaven), and the Russian Ascension Church, where you will see Armenian Mosaics from the Byzantine period. Proceed to the Chapel of Dominus Fleuit, where Jesus wept over Jerusalem and foretold its complete destruction. On to the Garden of Gethsemane and the Church of All Nations, which commemorates the Agony in the Garden. Visit the Church of the Virgin Mary and the Tomb of Our Lady, where the Virgin Mary is believed to have laid before her Assumption. Visit the Church of Pentecost and the Tomb of King David.



September 7 - Jordan River, Galilee Sightseeing, Nazareth

Today, you will visit the sights around the Sea of Galilee. On the way to Galilee, see the Jordan River, where Jesus was baptized, and have the opportunity to venture into the water. You will then

go to Galilee and visit the Church of the Beatitudes, the traditional site of Jesus' Sermon on the Mount. Enjoy time for meditation and prayer in the tranquil site with its breathtaking view of the Sea of Galilee. Walk down the hill to Tabgha, the traditional place of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes. Enjoy an included fish lunch and take a memorable boat ride across the Sea of Galilee. This afternoon, drive to Cana of Galilee, where our Lord performed the first miracle - changing water into wine at the wedding feast, and then continue to Mount Tabor to see the site of the Transfiguration of Jesus. Finally, visit the Church of the Annunciation in Nazareth, which is St. Mary's home and where the angel Gabriel announced that she would become the Mother of God. Return to Jerusalem.

September 8 - Jerusalem

Attend Divine Liturgy at St. James Cathedral. Have a delicious lunch at Bulghourgi Armenian Restaurant (not included). In the afternoon, attend the Antasdan service at St. James Cathedral.

September 9 - Jerusalem

Explore the Old City. Depart for the Western (Wailing) Wall (The Jewish Holy site) near the Dome of The Rock (The Muslim Holy site). Enter into the Old City through St. Stephen's Gate. View the Pool of Bethesda, where Jesus cured the paralytic who had been ill for 38 years and visit the Church of St. Anne. Continue to walk in Christ's footsteps along the Via Dolorosa (Way of the Cross). Proceed through the exotic Arab bazaar and winding cobblestone streets to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, which is the most venerated shrine in Christendom, and the center of Christian worship in Jerusalem. See the Stone of Unction, Golgotha – the site where Christ was crucified, the Armenian Gallery (Vernadoon), the 12th-century Armenian Chapel of Helena, its rock walls covered with crosses scratched by medieval pilgrims, and where the Cross of Christ was discovered. Finally, visit the Tomb of Christ.

September 10 - Armenian Patriarchate

Enjoy a free day in Jerusalem and a special farewell dinner this evening.

September 11 - Return home

Flight to the USA with same-day arrival.

**Please Note: Schedule is subject to change based on local conditions, time constraints, and site availability.*

Starting at
\$3,698*
from Tampa, FL

YOUR ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICE INCLUDES:

Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing

Round-trip International Airfare

Additional baggage & optional fees may apply; see fine print for details

Fuel Surcharges and Government Taxes

Subject to change

Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees, Hotel Gratuities & Program Fees

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TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

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PROGRAM CONDITIONS

Host: Fr. Hovnan Demerjian ID#: 61466 Tour: HL24
Departure City: Tampa, FL Departure Date: 09/01/24 (H)

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Round-trip international airfare • Deluxe motorcoaches • 1st class hotels • Guided sightseeing • Entrance fees to sites visited (as listed in itinerary) • Breakfast & dinner daily • Hotel gratuities • Program fees • Administrative Fee • Fuel surcharges \$600 • Government Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)

First, Middle & Last Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • Extensions and optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure • 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 • Visa for non-US citizens • Required Vaccinations • Required medical testing before, during, and/or after travel

Guest 1: First Name: (Preferred Name)

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Price is per person 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 30 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the following charges apply: \$998 during the tour.

Middle Name: Last Name: Title:

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

A 3.5% surcharge will be added to all credit card transactions.

Street Address: P.O. Box:

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

City: State: Zip Code:

Table with 2 columns: Payment Amount, Payment Due Dates & Notes. Includes rows for \$600, \$1,200, Full Payment, and Travel Protection Amount.

Phone: Alt. Phone:

REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER MAY 19, 2024:

We welcome registrations after 05/19/24. Registrations received between 05/20/24 - 06/03/24 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 06/04/24 - 06/18/24 will incur a \$200 per person fee.

Email: Send me emails about my trip/EO promos

Birth Date: State of Birth: Sex: Male Female

Emergency Contact: Relationship:

Phone: Alt. Phone:

Dietary Restrictions:

How did you learn about this tour?

CANCELLATION FEES:

100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following per-person cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 105 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$100 non-refundable cancellation fee plus any airline fees.

Guest 2: First Name: (Preferred Name)

STATEMENTS OF RESPONSIBILITY

EOT does not accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air schedules, overbookings, other hotel related problems or causes, and/or travel supplier cancellations or postponements. Travel suppliers include all tour operators, cruise lines, airlines, hotels, bus companies, entertainment venues, and any other travel supplier used to operate the tour.

Middle Name: Last Name: Title:

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 and space limitations on tour buses, wheelchairs and scooters cannot be accommodated.

Street Address: P.O. Box:

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 05/19/24. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel.

City: State: Zip Code:

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.

Phone: Alt. Phone:

AIRLINE ROUTES AND TICKETS:

In order to keep prices low, EOT does not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once issued, 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.

Email: Send me emails about my trip/EO promos

FLIGHT TIMES AND SEATING:

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.

Birth Date: State of Birth: Sex: Male Female

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.

Emergency Contact: Relationship:

ON OWN DEVIATIONS:

On Own 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.

Phone: Alt. Phone:

Dietary Restrictions:

ITINERARY CHANGES:

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this brochure. While EOT will make every effort to ensure you will see all sites listed in this brochure, the availability of sites, order of sites and/or days and number of days may be altered to accommodate changes in airline, hotel schedules, and local conditions.

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VALIDITY DATE:

This brochure is valid until 10/03/23. If validity date has passed, current brochures may be found at www.eo.travel. Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

Roommate(s):

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.

If No Roommate: Try to Match Me Single Room (availability limited)

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. The passenger agrees that EOT assumes no liability for injury, death, damage, loss, theft, accident, delay, any lost or damaged luggage, or irregularity which may occur by reason of any negligent or willful act or omission of any suppliers of service.

Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan:

- 1 Travel Protection coverage cannot be added after you have paid in full.
2 Premium is based on TOTAL cost of trip and is non-refundable.
3 Coverage begins when your premium payment is received by EOT (separate from deposit & clearly designated as your travel protection premium).
4 Premium must be paid in full no later than 05/19/24.

Guest 1: I Accept I Decline
Guest 2: I Accept I Decline

DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED

Payment: \$ Check # (Payable to Educational Opportunities Tours)

To Register via Credit Card, you must go to www.EO.travel

PASSENGER AGREEMENT

By signing and submitting the registration form, I/we certify that I/we have read Passenger Agreement, Program Conditions, and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure, understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the Program Conditions and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to government imposed taxes and fees.

Guest 1 Signature:

Guest 2 Signature:

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Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates

For a full description of the plan, go to: www.tripmate.com/wpF427E

Table with 8 columns: Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost. Shows rates for various trip costs.

Schedule of Coverages Maximum Benefit

Table with 2 columns: Part A - Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, Missed Connection, Travel Delay; Part B - Medical Expense / Emergency Evacuation, Accident and Sickness Medical Expense, Emergency Evacuation and Repatriation, Accidental Death & Dismemberment, Baggage and Personal Effects, Baggage Delay; Part C - Additional Cancellation Protection.

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Educational Opportunities Tours. Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co. Part C - Travel Arrangement 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.)

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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