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A detailed explanation of the tour package



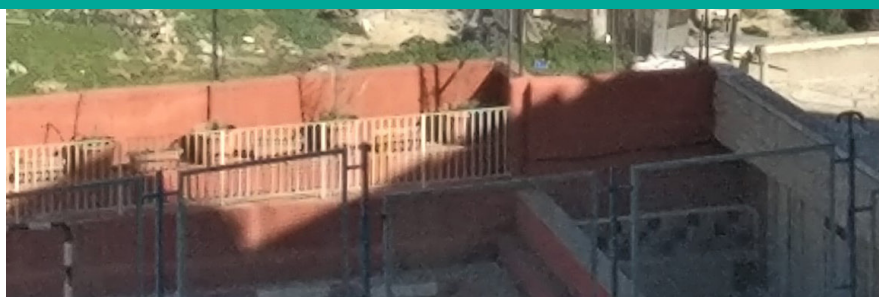
Walking The Way of Jesus

Tuesday 31st Oct – Friday 9th Nov 2023

Led by

Carl & Vivien Palmer

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About

Tour Leaders

Carl and Viv Palmer have led Christian churches and communities for the last thirty years and head up a ministry called 'The Way'. Carl is a Baptist minister, Walk Through the Bible teacher and an experienced group tour leader. Vivien is a creative designer and a passionate follower of Jesus. Together they are passionate about equipping everyday disciples of Jesus to discover 'The Way' to live by experiencing a heavenly Kingdom lifestyle where they live, work and play. They would like to invite you to join them on a life-changing tour of the Holy Land, to bring the Bible alive like never before and walk in the way of Jesus.



Carl and Viv will unpack the Bible stories in their original setting, creating an opportunity to explore the land where Jesus lived and taught His followers. This tour will be an extraordinary adventure and spiritual experience as the group worships and fellowships

together whilst visiting the places where stories within the Bible took place, bringing them to life like never before. Adding this to the fantastic opportunity to make new friendships and learn about culture and history together, with a lot of fun, makes this a memorable lifetime tour!



Travel Plans

DAY 1

London/Galilee

Travel from London Luton to Ben Gurion airport, Tel Aviv. We will be met and transferred to our hotel in Tiberius on arrival. Dinner and overnight in Tiberius.

DAY 2

Jesus' Lakeside Ministry

Most of the day spent around Galilee's shores

SAILING GALILEE

A fabulous, private sail from Tiberius to the Northern Gospel shores to see a first-century excavated fishing boat nicknamed 'The Jesus boat'.

MT OF BEATITUDES

Up to the hillside site of the sermon on the mount.

TABGHA

Down to the lakeside setting of the feeding of the five thousand with the loaves and the fishes, and where Jesus made breakfast for his disciples.

CAPERNAUM

An exciting trip to see the house where Jesus lived with the ruins of a

Jewish synagogue right next door.
Dinner and overnight in Tiberius.

DAY 3

Foothills of Mount Hermon

North to the Golan Heights in upper Galilee

THE PEACE VIEW

A cliff-top stunning panorama of the Sea of Galilee where the full contours of the lake can be seen.

MOUNT HERMON

Ascend the summit by chair lift for a stunning view of the region. Hermon is considered by many to be the 'Mount of Transfiguration'.

CAESAREA PHILIPPI

On to the location where Jesus challenged the disciples and peter made his confession. Today this site is in a nature reserve with a spring, the primary source of the Jordan river.

Dinner and overnight in Tiberius.

DAY 4

Nazareth to Jerusalem

NAZARETH VILLAGE

Start the day after breakfast with an

exciting tour of a reconstruction of rural and village life from the times of Jesus.

JACOB'S WELL

Hewn out of solid rock and over 100 feet deep, is where Jesus met the Samaritan woman and shared about living water.

THE JORDAN RIVER

Visit the Gospel location of the river where John baptised.

THE DEAD SEA

Time to relax, float in the unique 'medicinal' waters, and enjoy the mud in the lowest place on earth.

THE JERICHO ROAD

Enter Wadi Kelt for a short walk to view the deep wilderness valley, which provides a backdrop for the story of the 'Good Samaritan'.
Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 5

Bethlehem/Mount of Olives

SHEPHERD'S FIELDS

The slopes around Bethlehem where the angels announced the birth of Christ to the shepherds. Visiting a cave chapel to worship and celebrate

Jesus' birth

MANGER SQUARE

The Church of the Nativity is now built over cave dwellings from biblical days.

MOUNT OF OLIVES

A spectacular panoramic view of the Old City and then walking the route of the Palm Sunday path down the hillside.

GARDEN OF GETHSEMANE

Space and time to reflect in the Garden where Jesus spent his final night. The Garden contains trees, the roots of which go back 2000 years.

THE GARDEN TOMB

Close the day with a conducted tour of the peaceful Garden, which includes a 1st-century rolling-stone tomb.
An opportunity to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus together.
Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 6

The Old City

WESTERN WALL (WAILING WALL)

Opportunity to witness Jewish prayers and traditions and visit the





'Temple Mount'- the place where Abraham offered Isaac, the location of the old Temple and the setting where Jesus taught.

TEMPLE STEPS

By the southern temple walls to see the remains of the city, Worship and reflection on the ancient temple steps, see the Mikvah baths, the Temple Gates where the money changers sat and the location of the pinnacle, Jerusalem's highest point in that day.

CITY OF DAVID

Explore Jerusalem's beginnings to see David's Palace, Nehemiah's wall, and an opportunity to walk through the exciting Hezekiah's tunnel to the newly excavated huge pool of Siloam.

FREE TIME

To wander, rest, explore or shop for fascinating souvenirs in the bustling narrow streets of Old Jerusalem

Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 7

Jesus' Jerusalem

JERUSALEM MODEL

To the Israeli museum in West Jerusalem to view the helpful 1-50 scale model of the city from the Gospel days.

POOL OF BETHESDA

Enter the city gates to see the pool where Jesus healed the paralysed man.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

Continue along the Via Dolorosa, which leads us to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre; here, visit Calvary and the empty Tomb of Christ.

FREE TIME

Further opportunity to explore, rest, refresh and recharge and explore.

Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 8

FREE DAY

Opportunity to rest and recharge or visit other places such as the Holocaust Museum, the Biblical Zoo or New modern Jerusalem.

Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 9

Masada/Scrolls

MASADA

Descend into the great rift valley and drive along the Dead Sea shore to ascend by cable car to the grand summit of Masada Mountain. Here Jewish zealots withstood

the Roman army after the fall of Jerusalem.

QUMRAN

Time at the caves of Qumran where a shepherd boy found the dead sea scrolls in 1947. Discover the life of the 'Essenes'- an exclusive Jewish sect.

VALLEY OF ELAH

View the site of the epic battle between David the shepherd boy and Goliath, the Philistine giant.

Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

DAY 10

Caesarea Maritima

CAESAREA (BY THE SEA)

Down the old Via Maris (ancient trade route) where we stop to see Herod's massive seaport and capital where Peter and Philip preached, Paul was imprisoned here, and Cornelius became the first Gentile convert. Visit the impressive Roman Amphitheatre, walk by the seashore excavations, and stop by the Aqueduct.

RETURN FLIGHT

On to Ben Gurion airport for the flight to London Luton.

Itinerary is subject to change

Package Cost

Price £1670 per person

Included in the price

- Return flights from Luton to Tel Aviv
- Accommodation in good quality 4* hotels in twin / double bedded rooms with private facilities on half board (Breakfast & evening meal) basis
- Transfer of passengers and baggage
- Sightseeing as in itinerary
- Services of a fully qualified English-speaking guide
- Travel by air-conditioned coaches
- Entrance fees, Gratuities, Service charges and portorage
- Headsets
- Airport taxes
- ATOL protection

Not included in the price

- Single supplement £441 per person
- Lunches and items of a personal nature, including drinks
- Travel insurance, including COVID-19 cover
- Any costs related to COVID-19 testing (PCR and Serology testing etc.)



How to Book

You can book this tour by completing the attached booking form and sending it together with your **deposit of £200** (full payment if within 10 weeks of departure) to:

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General Information

Fitness

People of all ages are welcome, but, whatever your age, we must insist on a reasonable fitness level. Several sites involve rough walking.

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Passports, Visas and Vaccinations

Travellers are responsible for ensuring that they have a valid passport for travel to the relevant countries and that it is valid for at least 6 months after the travel date. Visas are not required for British Passport holders visiting Israel. When this brochure went to press, all travellers visiting Israel must have received a double vaccination against Covid-19. If you have any queries regarding the above, we will be happy to help.

Travel Advice

For the latest travel advice, please visit www.fco.gov.uk or call 0870 606 0290.

Further Information and Paying The Balance

Further information will be sent to you regarding any action that may be required approximately 12 weeks before departure.

A final invoice will also be sent at this time, and the balance for the tour must be paid at least 10 weeks before departure.

Travel Information

Complete travel information, including meeting points, flight times, accommodation and travel information, **will be sent to you approximately 2 weeks before**

departure. Generally, tickets are not issued but are handed to you at the airport or departure point by our representative, who will be there to ensure that you depart without a hitch and to deal with any last-minute difficulties.

Travel Insurance

It is compulsory to have travel insurance for your booking. Holiday Extras have a range of policies available at very competitive prices. You can obtain a quote online by visiting www.christian-travel.com or call 0871 360 2742 and quote ABTA number 93522.

Gratuities

Individual tipping is not recommended unless the circumstances are exceptional. Our standard procedure is to deal with tips on a group basis, which are included in the price. The tour leader will distribute them to the guide, driver and hotels on your behalf.

Room Check-In and Check-Out Times

The standard international practice is to let rooms from midday to midday. However, times do vary. Check-in times are usually between 2pm and 3pm; check-out times are between 11am and 12 noon on the day of departure. Therefore, if you check in immediately after a night flight, this would generally count as one night's accommodation. Similarly, if your return flight is at night, you will usually be required to vacate your room at 12 noon before leaving for the airport. Day rooms are subject to availability/cost and should be arranged locally with the accommodation management.

Please note that the cost of the tour may be subject to surcharges - please see the booking conditions. Currency exchange rates used £1 = US\$1.3098 as published in the Financial Times on the 8th March 2022.



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