



**Join Rabbi Norman Lipson  
and Temple Dor Dorim  
on an amazing journey to  
**ISRAEL****

**June 10 - 24, 2012**

**SAVE \$100 PER PERSON!**

Register by December 31, 2011  
to qualify for the Early Bird Special!

**THIS SUPER DELUXE TOUR INCLUDES:**

- 4 nights at the Renaissance Hotel in Tel Aviv
- 2 nights at Kibbutz Hagoshrim in the Galilee
- 7 nights at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem
- All touring in a deluxe air-conditioned motorcoach with an English-speaking guide
  - Breakfast daily
  - Dinner at Maganda Restaurant
  - Druze lunch with home hospitality
    - 2 kibbutz dinners
  - Shabbat dinner in Jerusalem
    - Dinner at Beit Ticho
  - Lunch and Spa use at the Dead Sea
  - Dinner and camel ride at Eretz Beresheet
    - Shabbat dinner in Tel Aviv
    - Farewell dinner in Tel Aviv
- Group transfers and airport assistance upon arrival and departure
  - Entrance fees per itinerary
- Tips to guides, driver and dining room waiters
  - Porterage

**\$4,534.00 Land Only**

Per person, based on double occupancy

**\$979.00 Airfare**

Airfare is before fuel surcharge/tax, estimated at \$545.00, subject to change until ticketed

**HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:**

- Moving visit to Neve Michael home for youth at risk
- Security briefing at Moshav Natan along the Green Line
- Explore modern history at the Palmach Museum or Rabin Center
- Discover the ancient ruins at Caesarea
- Kayak on the Jordan River
- Enjoy a hands on Mishnaic encounter at Kfar Kedem
- Tour and wine tasting at the Golan Winery
- In Depth Tour of Jerusalem's Old City including the fascinating Western Wall Tunnels
- Fulfill the mitzvah of gleaning with Project Leket
- Participate in an archeological dig
- Partake in a tree planting
- Moving visit to Yad Vashem, Mt. Herzl Cemetery and Museum
- Masada, the Dead Sea and Ein Gedi
- ... AND SO MUCH MORE!



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**Day 1, Sunday, June 10, 2012: BEGIN OUR JOURNEY** - Depart the United States on our overnight flight to Israel.

**Day 2, Monday, June 11, 2012: WELCOME TO ISRAEL!** - Arrival in Israel where we are met and assisted through customs by our Ayelet Representative...Meet expert guide Shimon Zemer, and begin our tour ... Visit Neve Michael, a residential home for Israeli children at risk to meet the children and hear from the center leaders about the work done there... We visit Moshav Natan, located along the green line and security barrier...Meet the head of security for the Moshav and discuss the implications of the fence and their community's location in relation to nearby Arab villages...Continue to our hotel to check in... Overnight Tel Aviv.

**Day 3, Tuesday, June 12, 2012: SEEDS OF A NEW STATE** - Breakfast...Begin our day in Old Jaffa, where we walk among the many artist vendors and cafes as we hear the history of this ancient port... Visit to the Palmach Museum where we "join up" with the paramilitary forces from Israel's pre-Statehood days OR visit the nearby Rabin Center, dedicated to commemorating the life and work of Yitzhak Rabin... This afternoon we learn about the history of the Haganah Movement and see the exhibitions at the Haganah Museum... Enjoy the entertainers, artists, and craftspeople who bring the streets to life at Nachalat Binyamin and in the Carmel Market... Stroll through the Neve Tzedek neighborhood before enjoying dinner at Maganda Restaurant... Overnight Tel Aviv.

**Day 4, Wednesday, June 13, 2012: ADVENTURES ON THE COASTAL** Breakfast...Drive up the coastal road to Continue to Caesarea, where we view the amazing Roman ruins, including the Roman Theater and the aqueduct...Lunch and home hospitality in the Druze village of Daliyat el-Carmel... Stop at the overlook in Haifa, where we take in the panoramic views of the port city, and admire the beautiful Bahai Temple and Persian Gardens...Continue to the crusader era city of Akko and see the British Prison... Check into our kibbutz...Dinner and overnight at our kibbutz in the Galilee.

**Day 5, Thursday, June 14, 2012: BAR/BAT MITZVAH** - Breakfast...Shacharit Bar/Bat Mitzvah Service in the ancient synagogue of Bar Am along the Lebanese border...Visit the Orchard at Kibbutz Malkia... Look out at neighboring Lebanon atop Mt. Dado at Metula... Enjoy lunch with soldiers at an established IDF Tank Base in the Golan heights... Continue to a wine tasting at the world class Golan Winery... Later today we enjoy a kayaking adventure down the Jordan River... Dinner and overnight at our kibbutz in the Galilee.

**Day 6, Friday, June 15, 2012: FROM THE GOLAN** - Breakfast... Visit the Golan Heights, where we pass former Syrian bunkers and stop atop Har Bental for panoramic views stretching far into neighboring Syria... Stop at K'far Kedem to see how life was lived in Mishnaic times, including the chance to ride a donkey and make pita bread... Continue to Jerusalem where we join together for a special "Shehekianu" blessing as we overlook the City of Gold... Time permitting we walk through Machane Yehuda, where we take in the sites and sounds of the marketplace as Jerusalemites prepare for the approaching Shabbat... Continue to our hotel to check in and refresh before welcoming Shabbat at the Western Wall with the people of Jerusalem... Shabbat dinner at our hotel... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 7, Saturday, June 16, 2012: SHABBAT SHALOM!** - Breakfast... Shabbat services this morning at HUC... Enjoy lunch on own before a walking tour with our guide... Free time to relax... This evening we enjoy dinner on own along Ben Yehuda Street or along the new Mamilla Mall... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 8, Sunday, June 17, 2012: JERUSALEM'S OLD CITY** - Breakfast... Today we enjoy a walking tour through the Old City... We walk through the Jewish Quarter, including the Roman Cardo marketplace... Visit the Davidson Center and Robinson's Arch... Explore the Western Wall Tunnels... Wind through the Arab Market ("shuk") to the Christian Quarter, ending at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre... Tonight, enjoy dinner at Beit Ticho... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 9, Monday, June 18, 2012: THE DEAD SEA BASIN** - Breakfast... Travel south through the Dead Sea Basin, stopping at Ein Gedi where we hike to the hidden waterfalls... We next take the cable care up to Masada, where we hear the story of the Jewish Zeolots last stand against the Romans in 73 CE... Continue to the Dead Sea where we float and enjoy lunch at a resort hotel... This afternoon we enjoy a camel ride and dinner at Eretz Beresheet... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 10, Tuesday, June 19, 2012: DIGGING ISRAEL** - Breakfast... Today we fulfill the mitzvah of gleanings of the fields by participating in fruit collection for the needy with Project Leket... Continue to the Beit Guvrin region to take part in a hands on archeological dig and spelunking at the Bar Kochva Caves... Explore the Stalactite Caves in Sorek... Travel back to Jerusalem... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 11, Wednesday, June 20, 2012: EXPLORING OUR PAST** - Breakfast... Morning visit to Yad Vashem, Israel's memorial to the Holocaust, where we view the many moving exhibitions including the Hall of Names and the Avenue of the Righteous Among the Nations... Continue to Gilo to meet with members of its Citizen Guard, volunteers to keep the neighborhood safe... Continue to Mt. Herzl, Jerusalem's military cemetery, visit the gravesites of Theodore Herzl, Golda Meir, and Yitzhak Rabin... Visit the Mt. Herzl Museum, and learn about the life and work of the great Zionist visionary... Visit to the Supreme Court before enjoying the remainder of the day... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 12, Thursday, June 21, 2012: CONNECTING TO THE LAND** - Breakfast... Morning visit to the Mt. of Olives, overlooking the Old City... Explore the foundations of the city at Ir David, the original City of David... Next we enjoy a tree planting in a JNF forest, connecting us physically to the land of Israel... The remainder of the day is at leisure... Overnight Jerusalem.

**Day 13, Friday, June 22, 2012: MODERN FOUNDATIONS** - Breakfast... Depart Jerusalem and travel to Tel Aviv... Visit Latrun, Israel's outdoor armored corps museum, and explore the tanks and artillery used by the Israeli Defense Force throughout the country's history... Visit the Ayalon Institute, and discover the underground ammunition factory that played a pivotal role in Israel's fight for Independence... Check into our hotel with time to freshen up for Shabbat services on the beach... Shabbat dinner at Mishkenot Ruth Daniel... Overnight Tel Aviv.

**Day 14, Saturday, June 23, 2012: SHABBAT SHALOM!** - Breakfast... Day at leisure to relax on the beach or enjoy last minute shopping - we suggest checking out the newly revived "Hatachana" area, with its boutique shops and dining options... This evening we enjoy Havdallah on the beach before we walk together to the nearby Port of Tel Aviv. Here we join together for our farewell dinner at a local restaurant... Overnight Tel Aviv.

**Day 15, Sunday, June 24, 2012: RETURN HOME** - Breakfast... Transfer to the airport to meet our flight back to the United States, arriving home the same day.

**The memories last forever!!!**

\*itinerary subject to change

Tour does not include: Airfare (listed separately). Departure taxes and fuel charges (approximately \$545.00 - subject to change until ticketed), any border taxes or visa fees, travel insurance (HIGHLY RECOMMENDED), any additional fuel surcharges and taxes imposed by the airlines at time of ticketing, or items of a personal nature. **The single supplement cost is \$2,349.00 per person.** For participants sharing in a triple room (must have at least 1 child under 18 in room) subtract \$550.00 per person from the cost of the tour. **CANCELLATION POLICY:** \$100 per person charged if cancelled once booked, plus any applicable airline penalties. \$250 per person charged if cancelled 60-31 days before departure, plus any applicable airline penalties. 100% penalties apply if cancelled 30 days or less before departure. \* **Please note: This Land only price reflects a cash discount and is only for payment by cash or check. If you want to pay by credit card, the price of the main tour is \$4,664.00 per person, \$2,419.00 single supplement and \$1,008.00 for airfare.**

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**Yes, we want to travel on this amazing Tour to Israel with Rabbi Lipson and Temple Dor Dorim!**

**I am sending this form with my \$500 per person deposit!**

Land & Air

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Land Only

Name as it appears on passport: \_\_\_\_\_

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