

ISRAEL STUDY TRIP ITINERARY

March 9-20, 2024

This itinerary prioritizes sites which relate to biblical events including locations that most tour groups do not visit (examples: Ai, Shechem). Sites with a question mark will depend on time availability. Housing locations are noted in bottom rows. This itinerary is subject to change.

Travelling by bus

Saturday (9)	Sunday (10)	Monday (11)	Tuesday (12)	Wednesday (13)	Thursday (14)
<i>Coastal Plain Jezreel Valley</i> - 8:55am arrival (details below) - Caesarea Marit. - Mt Carmel	<i>Jezreel Valley</i> - Beth-Shean - Harod/Jezreel - Megiddo - Nazareth - Magdala	<i>Sea of Galilee</i> - Bethsaida - Capernaum - Beatitudes - Chorazin - Arbel - Galilee boat ride	<i>Northern Galilee</i> - Tabgha - Hazor - Dan - Caesarea Philippi - Nimrud Castle? - Golan heights	<i>Jordan Rift</i> - Jericho - Baptismal site - Qumran (lunch) - Engedi - Dead Sea swim	<i>Negev/Shephelah</i> - Beersheba - Lachish - Elah Valley - Gath - Israel Museum
<i>Ein-Gev Holiday Resort (Sea of Galilee)</i>				<i>Leonardo Club</i>	<i>Gloria Hotel</i>

Friday (15)	Saturday (16)	Sunday (17)	Monday (18)	Tuesday (19)	Wednesday (20)
<i>Mount of Olives</i> - Bethesda Pools - Dominus Flevit - Prophet's tombs - Mount of Olives - Gethsemane	<i>Cross and tomb</i> - Garden Tomb - Church of the Holy Sepulchre - Pilate Bema seat - Broad wall and cardo - Free time	<i>Samaria</i> - Jacob's well - Shechem - Samaria - Shiloh - Ai - Bethel	<i>City of David</i> - Temple Mount - Golden Gate - City of David - Hezek.tunnel - Pool of Siloam - Temple Institute - Jerusalem Arch. Park (option)	<i>Travel day</i> - 10:35am depart Tel Aviv - 11:00pm arrive at JFK (NYC) - Night bus trip back to the NY campus	- Arrive on NY campus around 4:30am
<i>Gloria Hotel</i>				<i>None</i>	

Flights (All listed times refer to local time at point of departure or arrival)

JFK to Istanbul: March 8, 1:00pm-6:50am, Flight TK#004----- Istanbul to Tel Aviv: March 9, 7:55am-9:00am, Flight TK#784

Tel Aviv to Istanbul: March 19, 10:35am-1:55pm, Flight TK#785 ---- Istanbul to JFK: March 19, 7:00pm-11:00pm, Flight TK#011

Hotel contact info

Note: Israel will initially be 7 hours ahead of NY/FL (Eastern Standard Time) and then 6 hours ahead beginning March 10, 2024.

Ein-Gev Holiday Resort: 972-4-665-9800, eastern shore of the Sea of Galilee at Ein Gev, 14940, Israel. www.ingev.com

Leonardo Club Hotel: 972-3-511-0000, Ein-Bokek, Israel www.fattal-hotels.com/hotels-in-israel/dead-sea-hotels/leonardo-club-dead-sea

Gloria Hotel: 972-2-628-2431, located in the Old City of Jerusalem at 33 Latin Patriarchate Street. www.gloria-hotel.com

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