July 15 ~ 27, 2018
Join Us at the Crossroads of History, Faith, and Culture…
A Transformative Journey of the Heart…
An Unforgettable Adventure with George Rodriguez

Since a teenager I have been visiting the Holy Land and teaching about its geography and history, peoples and cultures. As a high school teacher, as well as university and seminary theology professor, my passion is to meaningfully connect people to their biblical roots and invite them to rediscover the Jesus of the Gospels. Having led several educational and church pilgrimages to Israel I have witnessed the profound impact walking in the land of the Bible and in footsteps of Jesus has on the lives of people.

A pilgrimage to the Holy Land is not just a vacation or a tour – it is a tradition since biblical times, a deeply spiritual practice since the early days of Christianity, a transformative encounter with the Lord in community as we retrace the life of Jesus and the cradle of the Christianity. It is an experience of encountering Jesus in the very places mentioned every Sunday in our liturgical readings. We go in order to return inspired so that we will live more authentically and dynamically our Christian faith. We will be blessed and will be able to be a blessing in the lives of many.

In Israel we will explore the ancient history of the biblical Promised Land, rich in archaeological sites and places of profound historical and religious value. After all, it is the land of the Bible…of prophets and apostles. It is also a land rich in diverse peoples to meet and cultures to celebrate. We will likewise enjoy modern Israel, a thriving nation that contributes in many significant ways to the world in spite of its struggles.

A psalmist once wrote, "I rejoiced when they said to me, 'Let us go up to the house of the Lord'.” I invite you to join us so that soon we too will echo the next part of that psalm’s verse, "And now our feet are standing within your gates, Jerusalem" (Psalm 122:1).

View our outstanding itinerary, which offers so much, and I know that you will be excited about being a part of our unforgettable and unique experience. See you on board!

George Rodriguez, D. Min.
What’s Included

Visit the Mount of Olives St. Anne’s Church & the ruins of the Pool of Bethesda ◊ Via Dolorosa ◊ Stations of the Cross ◊ Church of the Flagellation ◊ Church of the Holy Sepulcher ◊ Ethiopian rooftop hermitage ◊ Temple Mount, City of David ◊ Hezekiah’s Tunnel ◊ Canaanites’ Tunnel ◊ Siloam pool ◊ Mount Ophel ◊ Jerusalem Archaeological Park ◊ Western Wall ◊ Western Wall Tunnels tour and the Jewish Quarter ◊ Armenian Quarter and Church of Saint James ◊ Israel Museum ◊ Shrine of the Dead Sea Scrolls ◊ Mount Zion ◊ Church of the Dormition of the Virgin Mary ◊ Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu ◊ Wohl Archaeological Museum ◊ Bethlehem ◊ Belz Sahour ◊ Ein Karem ◊ Church of the Visitation ◊ Damascus Gate ◊ Bethany ◊ Qumran in the Judean desert ◊ Qasr El-Yahud ◊ Swim in the Dead Sea ◊ Jordan Valley ◊ Boat ride on Sea of Galilee ◊ Kibbutz Ginosar ◊ Capernaum ◊ Tabgha ◊ Magdala ◊ Mount Arbel ◊ Mount of Beatitudes ◊ Chorazin and Bethsaida ◊ Yardenit Baptismal Site ◊ Tiberias ◊ Cana of Galilee ◊ Nazareth ◊ Basilica of the Annunciation ◊ Well of the Virgin and the Synagogue ◊ Nazareth Village ◊ Mount Tabor ◊ Haifa ◊ Mount Carmel at Stella Maris ◊ Cave of Elijah ◊ Caesarea Maritima ◊ Jaffa ◊ St. Peter’s Church and much more.

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◊ 11 nights hotel accommodation in the above mentioned hotels
◊ Arrival and departure transfer with driver and guide.
◊ 11 days of touring as per program with an English speaking Government Israeli licensed driver and guide in an air-conditioned deluxe vehicle
◊ Entrance fees included: All sites indicated on attached program.
◊ Meal arrangements: Buffet Breakfast daily ~ Dinner Daily ~ 2 lunches
◊ Roundtrip Coach air from Miami to Tel-Aviv on Lufthansa

Cost Per Person  Double occupancy $3575.00
Single Occupancy supplement $ 775.00

* Airfare includes all airline fees, surcharges and government taxes. Airline-imposed personal charges such as baggage fees may apply. Restrictions apply. Subject to change and availability.

For More Information or to reserve your space call:

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