

South Asian International Fellowship

Israel Tour 24 November - 4 December 2010

(11 Days / 10 Nights)

26 March 2010

Dear Sir/Mdm,

Israel Tour 2010

Greetings. South Asian International Fellowship ("SAIF") is proud to bring you 'Israel Tour 2010', a once in a lifetime christian pilgrimage to the Holy Land, from **24 November to 4 December 2010** (11 days / 10 nights).

Please treat this as a personal invitation from SAIF to journey the life of Jesus and participate on this guided tour of Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazereth, Jericho and beyond, a trip not to be missed and specially organized with you in mind. Full details of the tour may be found in the itinerary, terms and conditions and registration form, enclosed herein. There will also be a briefing held in Singapore, details of which will be released in due course.

At this stage the tour is strictly by *invitation only* and on a *first-come-first-served basis*. To avoid disappointment, please seize this opportunity and register your participation for the trip without delay. Simply e-mail the completed registration form to Richard Kissun at richardkissun@gmail.com. The closing date for registration and full payment is **1 June 2010**.

Please contact Richard Kissun should you have any queries at (+65) 9678 0555 or via e-mail at richardkissun@gmail.com.

We look forward to your participation and a shared memorable experience as we embark on this journey of the life of Jesus together.

Yours faithfully,



Richard Kissun
Organiser
SAIF Israel Tour 2010

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Itinerary



24 Nov 2010 (Wed) Singapore-Doha-Amman (Meals on board, dinner at hotel)

Depart Singapore on QR639 at 0205hours arriving in Doha at 0515hours. Transfer on QR400 at 1250 hours to arrive at Amman airport at 1455 hours. Transfer to hotel for dinner and overnight.

(Check in at airport by 2300 hours on 23 Nov 2010)

25 Nov 2010 (Thu) Amman, Petra, Amman

Travel down the Desert Road to Wadi Mousa outside "the rose - red city" of Petra which from 300 BC. was inhabited by Nabateans. Take a horse ride through the dramatic "ciq" or canyon. See the Treasury, carved in the pink stone, and continue past the Roman theatre, the Corinthian Tomb and Palace Tomb to the Roman road. If time permits, climb up to the High Place or the Deir or Monastery.

26 Nov 2010 (Fri) Bridge, Jericho, Betshean, Jordan River Baptism, Tiberias

Cross the Allenby bridge over the River Jordan and drive to Jericho, the oldest city in the world. Drive up through the Jordan Valley and visit Betshean. Next visit the Jordan River for the traditional baptism site of Jesus. Opportunity to renew your Baptism vows. Finally to your hotel in Tiberias overnight.

27 Nov 2010 (Sat) Sea of Galilee, Capernaum, Tabgha, Mt Beatitudes, Banias, Golan Heights

Take the boat from Tiberias to Capernaum; there you will see an ancient synagogue and St. Peter's house which was later converted into a church. Also by the shore you will visit Tabgha site of the miracle of the Loaves and Fishes. Continue to the Mount of Beatitudes where the Sermon on the Mount is remembered. St Peter's Fish Lunch. Head up the Golan Heights to the Springs of Banias, also known as Caesarea Philippi where Peter said "Thou are Christ". Returning towards the Sea of Galilee we will visit Bethsaida where Jesus restored sight to a blind man and was the home town of Peter, Andrew and Philip. Return to your hotel in Tiberias for dinner and overnight.

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28 Nov 2010 (Sun) Cana, Nazareth, Megiddo, Mukhraka, Haifa, Caesarea, Jerusalem.

Visit Cana, scene of the first miracle and visit the Church of the Wedding. Then go to Nazareth and see the oldest Church of the Annunciation with Mary's Well. Proceed to Megiddo overlooking the Jezreel Valley and considered the Armageddon of the New Testament. Then to Mukhraka for a spectacular view of the northern region. Continue to Haifa and from Mount Carmel have a wonderful view of the area. Stop at Caesarea, once the capital of the Roman province, and see the harbour from which St. Paul was taken to Rome. Drive to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight.

29 Nov 2010 (Mon) Mt Olives, Gethsemane, Bethlehem, Shepherds Field

Drive to the Mount of Olives for a wonderful view of Jerusalem. See the Place of Ascension and the Pater Noster Church, and view the Palm Sunday road. At the foot of the hill see the Garden of Gethsemane with its ancient olive trees and the Church of All Nations. Drive down the Kidron Valley and see the Pool of Siloam, and St. Peter in Gallicantu, built over the palace of the High Priest Caiaphas. Continue south to Bethlehem and see the Church of the Nativity, and below it the cave-stable of Jesus' birth. Return to Jerusalem.

30 Nov 2010 (Tue) Full day Old City and Garden Tomb

Enter the Old City through the Dung Gate to visit the Wailing (or Western) Wall, and the Temple Area with the Al-Aksa Mosque and Dome of the Rock. Visit the City of David. See the Pool of Bethesda where the angel ruffled the water. Visit the Zion Sisters. Pass through the Stations of the Cross where Jesus carried his cross to be crucified. Leave the city through the bazaars to the west by Jaffa Gate. Time for a service at the Garden Tomb.

01 Dec 2010 (Wed) Mt Zion, New City, Museum, Ein Karem

On Mount Zion visit the tomb of David, the Upper Room and the Church of the Dormition. Continue to the New City and, passing the Hebrew University and the Knesset, visit the Israel Museum and the Shrine of the Book and then to the 2nd Temple Model of Jerusalem. Drive to Ein Karem, birthplace of John the Baptist. Back to hotel for overnight.

02 Dec 2010 (Thu) Bethany, Qumran, Dead Sea, Massada

Drive to Bethany, home of Martha, Mary and Lazarus. See the wine-press. Continue to visit Qumran where the Essene enclave was and see the caves where the Dead Sea Scrolls were hidden. Drive along the shore of the Dead Sea onto Ein Gedi and then to Massada, the last stronghold of Jewish resistance to the Romans. Time for a dip in Dead Sea before driving back to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight.

03 Dec 2010 (Fri) Allenby bridge, Mt Nebo, Madeba, Departure

Drive to Allenby bridge and cross back into Jordan. Drive to Mt Nebo, from where Moses (Nebi Mousa) viewed the promised land and is buried. Continue to Madeba to see the mosaic of ancient Jerusalem. After an early lunch transfer to Amman airport for our departure on QR401 at 1555 hours arriving in Doha at 1930 hours.

04 Dec 2010 (Thu) Arrive in Singapore

Connect on QR638 at 0205 hours arriving Spore at 1505hours with fond memories of the tour.

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Details / Terms & Conditions

Tour Price:

- SGD\$4,092.00 per person based on twin share basis
- An additional SGD\$850.00 is chargeable for single room supplement

Tour Price Includes:

- Return economy airfare on Qatar Airways SIN/DOH/AMM/DOH/SIN
- 9 nights hotel accommodation in twin rooms in deluxe 4 star hotels or similar
- Daily meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner only (from dinner on first day to lunch on last day)
- Sightseeing as per our itinerary
- Licensed English speaking Christian guide/escort provided by Harvest Travel, Israel
- Transport by deluxe air-conditioned motor-coach
- Guiding and entrance fees
- Porterage at hotels and airport
- Airport taxes and fuel surcharge on air tickets (as at 23 March 2010)
- All tips and gratuities
- Tenet Traveljoy insurance (Elite Plan), policy details of which are enclosed

Tour Price Excludes:

- Personal items, shopping, room service charges
- Visa fees (applicable for Malaysians and Indonesians at SGD\$60 per visa)
- There is no visa charge for Singapore passport holders

Based on the following hotels or similar:

- 24 - 26 November 2010 – Amman / **Geneva**
- 26 - 28 November 2010 – Tiberias / **Nof Ginosar**
- 28 November - 03 December 2010 – Jerusalem / **Grand Court**

Terms and Conditions:

- Tour is restricted to those 12 years of age and above.
- All non Singaporean passport holders must register by 1 May 2010 to begin processing, after which date registration may not be accepted.
- Full payment is due by 1 June 2010. Only full payment secures your seat. Cheques must clear by 1 June 2010 and be issued in Singapore Dollars.
- All payments are non refundable.
- We will NOT be allocating room mates. To avoid incurring the additional charge of SGD\$850.00 for a single room supplement, please indicate your room mate on the registration form. No discount will be given if there are more than 2 people per room.
- Airport taxes and fuel surcharge on air tickets are as at 23 March 2010, increases before 1 June 2010 are to be borne solely by the participant.
- Minimum 6 months validity on your passport
- Variation of itinerary may occur due to unforeseen circumstances (for example but not limited to hazardous weather, political unrest)

If You are Keen on Participating:

- Read and observe the terms and conditions
- E-mail a copy of the duly completed registration form and a copy of your passport to richardkissun@gmail.com
- Make full payment by 1 June 2010 as per the terms and conditions

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Registration Form

Please furnish details for all fields

Name (As in Passport)		Home Address	
Passport Number		Email Address	
Country of Issue		Mobile Phone	
Date of Issue		Home Phone	
Date of Expiry		Church Membership	
Date of Birth		Tour Room Mate	
Gender		Next of Kin Emergency Contact Name and Number	
Occupation		Dietary Preference	

ONLY For Malaysian and Indonesians:

ALL non Singaporean passport holders must register by 1 May 2010, after which date registration may not be accepted.

Father's Name		Grandfather's Name	
Places visited in the past 5 years			

Cost of Tour:

Single room supplement:

Malaysians and Indonesians:

SGD\$4,092.00

SGD\$850.00 (Additional)

SGD\$60 per visa (Additional)

I will be making a total payment of:

SGD\$

Please make cheques payable to: **South Asian International Fellowship - Israel Tour**

I hereby agree and confirm that South Asian International Fellowship and/or its employees and/or members and/or organisers shall not be liable for any loss or damage of any nature whatsoever arising from or in connection with the above trip suffered either by me and/or my family members. I further confirm that I have read and hereby agree to observe and be bound by the terms and conditions stated above.

Name (Print)

Signature

Date

PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT