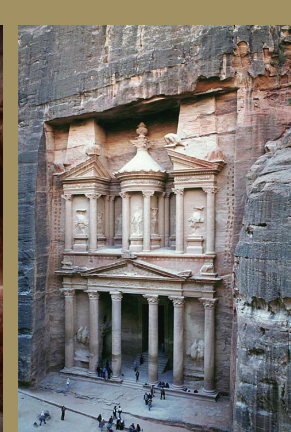
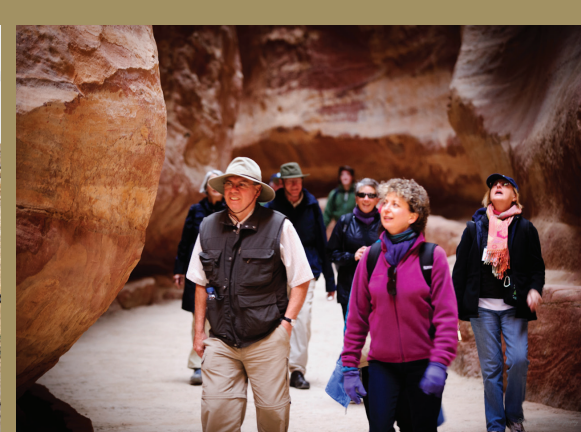


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Pilgrimage to the Holy Land AND BIBLICAL JORDAN



with

DR. PETER A. LILLBACK

OCTOBER 19 through 31, 2014

October 19, 2014

This is your departure date from the United States to Tel Aviv. Connoisseurs Tours will provide each traveler with a suggested air schedule from his or her home city which will connect with the group international flights.

October 20, 2014

Today you arrive are met by our wonderful guide at Ben Gurion airport. We will then



transfer to the Seasons Hotel, Nentanya , for dinner and overnight. (D)

October 21, 2014 Caesarea Maritima / Nazareth, Cana

This morning, we will arise and go to Caesarea Maritima. This most amazing Roman ruin of a completely man made harbor city of Roman times is a beautiful and amazing excavated site which saw Paul argue his defense against Agrippa. We then continue to Nazareth and Cana, In Cana we will have an opportunity

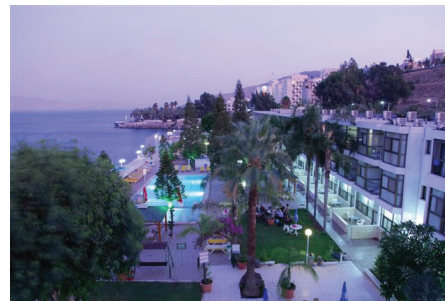


to have a short renewal of marriage vows at the church in Cana- the site of our Lord’s changing of water into wine at the wedding there. In Nazareth we will visit the Basilica of the Annunciation, excavations under the Basilica, Joseph’s workshop, Mary’s Well and the

Synagogue. This evening we have dinner and overnight at our hotel in Tiberius- The Ron Beach Hotel. (B, L, D)

October 22, 2014 Tiberias, Banias

We will start the day with a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. We will visit St. Peter’s Memorial,



St. Peter’s House and the VI Century Synagogue. We then travel on to Mt. Beatitudes where Jesus gave his most famous address, the Sermon on the Mount. Further to Tabgha, the site of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. Then

drive to Banias, a source of the Jordan River also known as Caesarea Philippi. This is where Jesus met his disciples and asked “Who do you say that I am?” Dinner and overnight in The Ron Beach Hotel in Tiberias. (B, L, D)

October 23, 2014 Tiberias, Jerash, Jordan

This morning we will drive through the Jezreel valley and cross into Jordan . Once in Jordan,



drive to Jerash, the beautiful city founded in 300 BC by the soldiers of Alexander the Great. We will experience

the ruins of the Triumphal Arch, the Forum, the Theatre, and the Cardo, which makes this one of the best preserved Roman cities in the world. Dinner and overnight at – The Marriott at the Dead Sea. (B, L, D)

October 24, 2014 Mt. Nebo, Tell Al-Kharrar

Today we climb Mt. Nebo where Yahweh told



Moses to see the promised land before dying. We then visit the Baptismal site at Tell Al-Kharrar, a site of natural beauty and a National Park site set aside by Jordan's King Abdullah to preserve and protect the historic area. This contains archeological indications going back to the second century.

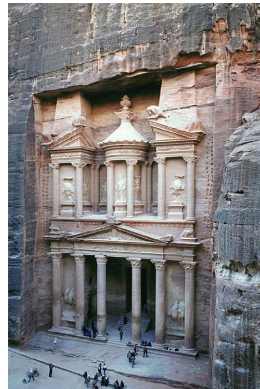
Most Biblical Historians and archeologists believe that this was indeed the place where John baptized Jesus. We will have a service here. Overnight at The Marriott at the Dead Sea. (B, L, D)



October 25, 2014 Petra a Unesco World Heritage Site

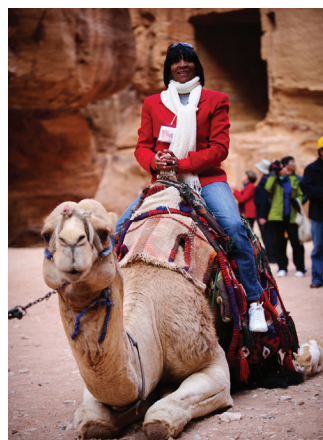
We will drive to the beautiful rose red city of Petra. Inhabited since prehistoric times, this Nabataean caravan-city, situated between the Red Sea and the Dead Sea, was an important crossroads between Arabia, Egypt and Syria-Phoenicia. Petra is half-built, half-carved into the rock, and is surrounded by mountains riddled with passages and gorges. It is one of the world's most famous archaeological sites, where ancient Eastern traditions blend with Hellenistic architecture. We will see the Treasury, Amphitheatre, Necropolis, the Court and the

Prison. Dinner and overnight at our hotel-The Movenpick Petra. (B,L, D)



October 26, 2014 Petra, Jericho, Jerusalem

Today we cross from Jordan back to Israel into



the Holy Land. We will visit the ancient city of Jericho, Elisha's Spring and Zacchias' Sycamore tree. We will see the New city and view Mt. Temptation. We continue the drive to Jerusalem to our hotel – The St. George Landmark Hotel, which has a beautiful roof top garden swimming pool and is a short walking distance from the Old City. (B,L, D)

October 27, 2014 Ein Karem, Bethlehem

This morning we will drive to Ein Karem and visit the Church of the Visitation and the Church of St. John the Baptist. Then we continue drive to Shepherd's Field in Bethlehem, where we will visit the Basilica of the Nativity, Manger of the



Chapel of St. Jerome, and the Crusader Cluster. Dinner and overnight at our hotel in Jerusalem, The St. George Landmark. (B,L,D)

October 28, 2014 Jerusalem

This morning we will start very early with the beautiful ecumenical service at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. This allows us to have a quiet, contemplative experience in a shrine that is visited by thousands daily. After the service we will be able to tour the church and the shrine before the doors are open to the public. This will enable us to see the church before the crowds arrive. After our visit we will return to the hotel for breakfast. After breakfast we will then visit



the Mount of Olives, Ascension Place, Church of Paternoster, Dominus Flevit, Virgin’s Tomb, and the Grotto of Jesus’ Arrest, and Garden and Church of Gethsemane. Included also today will be Mount Zion –to include St. Peter in Gallicantu, the Cenacle, and the Dormition Abbey. Dinner and overnight in our hotel. (B, L, D)

October 29, 2014 Jerusalem



We start the day with a walking tour of the Old City, visiting the Temple area. We view the Western Wall, the Dome of the Rock, Al Aksa Mosque, St. Anne Church, and the Pool of Bethesda. After lunch we trace the final footsteps of Jesus

as we walk, along the Via Dolorosa, following the route where pilgrims for thousands of years have walked. During our walk we will see the Church of the Flagellation, Ecce Homo Arch, and the Church of the Resurrection . Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (B,L,D)

October 30, 2014 Jerusalem

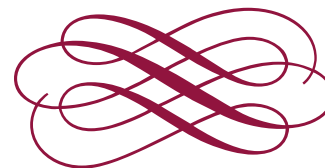
This morning we will have at leisure day for shopping and special interest sightseeing. Late in the afternoon we will enjoy an early farewell



dinner before departing for the airport and our late evening departure for home, thanking God for our extraordinary pilgrimage. (All flights must depart Tel Aviv after 11:00PM) (B,D)

October 31, 2014

Arrive home from our overnight flights



I am so pleased that you are considering joining us for our 2014 Westminster trip to Israel!

As you know, Israel is often referred to as the "Holy Land." But this is not just a clever phrase developed by an ambitious travel agent! The Bible itself speaks of the land of Israel as the Holy Land in Psalm 78:54 and Zech. 2:12. It also designates Jerusalem as the "Holy City" in



several passages (Neh. 11:1, 18; Ps. 46:4; 48:1; Isa. 48:2; 52:1; Dan. 9:16; 9:24; Mt. 4:5; 27:53; Rev. 11:2; 21:2.)

The Holy Land is the crossroads of the world. It is the crossroads of history. But the Holy Land is also the place where Christ walked the road to the cross to die for sinners to give them eternal

life. Today, enter the Holy Land of Heaven by a true repentant faith of a pilgrim. And someday, enter the Holy Land if you can, for it will enrich your faith and your understanding of the Word of God.

The impact of my first journey to Israel in 1996 is still very evident to me. I continue to read my Bible in color. I have reread all of the Gospels with a new zest. I hope you will come along on this exciting journey to Israel and experience for yourself the Holy Land and Holy City of Jerusalem!

TOUR LEADER

Dr. Peter A. Lillback – President and Professor of Historical Theology at Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia. He has authored books and numerous articles in the field of the Reformation and post-Reformation Era including *The Binding of God, Calvin's Role in the Development of Covenant Theology* (Baker Book House, Co. 2001) and served as editor of and contributor to *The Practical Calvinist: An Introduction to the Presbyterian and Reformed Heritage* (Christian Focus, 2002). Dr. Lillback's most recent book is on the Christian faith of George Washington. *George Washington's Sacred Fire* represents the culmination of over 20 years of original research and scholarship.

Dr. Lillback also serves as President of The Providence Forum, a non-profit organization committed to preserving the promoting the spirit, faith, values and worldview of America's Founding Fathers. Dr. Lillback holds degrees from Cedarville University (B.A.), Dallas Theological Seminary (Th.M.), and Westminster Theological Seminary (Ph.D.).

Dr. Lillback grew up in Ohio. He lives in Wayne, Pennsylvania with his wife Debbie.



TOUR CONDITIONS

AIR TRANSPORTATION

The price of the tour is land only. Connoisseurs Tours Travelers come from many different parts of the country. Therefore we have found that most travelers prefer to have flexibility in their air transportation. We will provide a suggested air schedule that includes the group's recommended international flights coordinated with flights from your home city to suit your particular preference. After you have placed a deposit on this tour we will contact you regarding your air schedule.

PRICE OF TOUR

\$2895.00 PER PERSON, double occupancy.
Single accommodations are available at a cost of \$695.00 per single supplement.

The tour includes: Superior First Class Hotels, Full Board accommodation (3 Meals a Day) Transportation Plus Full Sightseeing as per program.
– Guiding with an experienced Israeli and Jordanian Guide ,Entrance fees to included sites and portorage at the hotels, entry Visa to Jordan and Bridge Taxes.

RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENT

DEPOSITS SHOULD BE SENT TO CONNOISSEURS TOURS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$300.00 PER PASSENGER TO RESERVE A PLACE ON THE TOUR. The balance of the payment is due July 25, 2014. Checks should be made to CONNOISSEURS TOURS. Payment can be made via personal checks or any major credit card.

CANCELLATIONS

A \$200.00 per person cancellation fee is charged for any cancellations after the deposit has been paid. All deposits are non-refundable 180 days prior to departure, 91 days to 60 days up to the departure date 50% of the of tour price is non-refundable, 59 days up to the date of departure and later 100% of the tour price is non-refundable. Connoisseurs Tours prepays all hotels, cruise lines, transportation, meals, guides, etc. in advance. Connoisseurs Tours strongly advises passengers to purchase Trip Cancellation interruption insurance, which is available through Connoisseurs Tours.

RESPONSIBILITY

Responsibility of the operators, CONNOISSEURS TOURS is limited. They act only as agents for the passengers in regard to travel whether by railroad, motor coach, private car, boat, aircraft or any other conveyances, and assume no obligation for injury,

damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned either by reason of defect in any vehicle or through the acts of default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passengers or in carrying out the arrangements of the tour. Connoisseurs Tours can accept no responsibility for loss or additional expenses due to delay or changes in schedule or other causes. The right is reserved to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of any tour or to change or withdraw the tour as circumstances demand. All rates are based on tariffs in effect at the time the tour was planned and are subject to change in the event of adjustment therein. Baggage is carried at the owner's risk and baggage insurance is recommended. Final payment by the passenger to Connoisseurs Tours shall be deemed to be consent to the above. All carriers, steamship lines, and other transportation companies whose services are featured in these tours, are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their conveyances. The passage contract in use by the companies when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the companies and the purchaser of these tours and/or passage. CONNOISSEURS TOURS reserves the right to substitute hotels of equal or superior quality.

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Policy 2 – Cancel for an approved medical reason: \$249.00 per person - Cancel for an approved medical reason and receive a 100% refund.

Additional insurance to include the airfare is available through Connoisseurs Tours and must be added within 14 days of purchasing your airline tickets. Contact Connoisseurs Tours for additional information about insurance.

VALIDITY

June 2012 through May 2014

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RESERVATION FORM
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Rooming with: _____

Please reserve _____ place(s) for this tour.

*A deposit in the amount of \$300.00 per person
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- I wish to purchase single accommodations
- Please contact me about airline reservations

Enclosed is a deposit of _____ for _____ people.

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I have read and understand the Terms and Conditions of this tour.

Signature: _____



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Our clients are national and regional organizations whose goals are to travel with a purpose and cultivate opportunities that foster a sense of community and a more profound engagement with the places where they travel.

Connoisseurs Tours, and its parent agency, Harcourttours, were created in 1972. The founder, the late Rev. Harcourt E. Waller, Jr., a retired Episcopal Minister, believed that group travel ought to be able to combine the best of individual travel with lower group costs. To that end, he pioneered in designing tours for small groups who shared similar passions, including university professors, landscape architects, clergymen, and historians.

His small is beautiful philosophy quickly attracted more tour leaders and travelers than anticipated. To preserve the small group integrity, it became necessary for him to offer a limited selection of tours annually. Today, that tradition is continued—through a small professional staff with forty-five years of combined experience in the travel industry.

By having time-honored working relationships with hotels, guides, select cruise lines, motor coach operators and tour providers in each destination country, we are able to eliminate commissions to middle men and offer high-quality tours at lower costs.

Every Connoisseurs Traveler receives our concierge service to assist you in every way: from the moment you pick up the phone to call us, virtually all travel details are handled for you!

We are available year-round, with offices and representatives in Pittsburgh, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Savannah. To every member of our team you are always a name and not a number. We pride ourselves in building lasting relationships with our clients.



I am pleased to invite you to join one (or more) of our culturally rich travel experiences. As always we are standing by and looking forward to speaking with you to answer any questions you may have.

Kathryn Waller, II