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Reformed Theological Seminary

Journeys Through the Lands of the Bible

Israel and Jordan:

With Dr. John Currid - Instructor and Mr. Luther Bigby - Tour Host



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SEPTEMBER
28, 2011

To maximize the benefits of this study tour, you will walk/hike to many of the sites, i.e. Gamla, Mt. Arbel, Wadi Qelt.

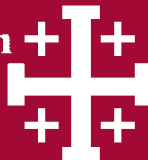
13 Day Itinerary - January 11 – January 23, 2012

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Day 1 – 2 *Wednesday- Thursday, January 11 and 12 – Departure and Arrival*

Depart from Charlotte USA to Jordan and arrive in Amman, Jordan. Transfer to the hotel and dinner and overnight.

Day 3 – *Friday, January 13 – Petra*

Visit the famous city of Petra. Return to Amman for late dinner and overnight.

Day 4- *Saturday, January 14 – Mt. Nebo, Madaba, Jerash, Cross the Border into Israel*

Mt. Nebo Visit/View the Promised Land/ Madaba/ 6th century mosaic of Jerusalem/Jerash/ the best preserved Greco-Roman town. Cross the border into Israel. Overnight in Galilee area. Lecture “*Orientation to the Land*”.

Day 5 – *Sunday, January 15 – Theme: Jesus Ministry in the Upper Galilee*

FIELD TRIP: Gamla, Hazor (Joshua 11:10-11; 1 Kings 9:15); Banyas (Caesarea Philippi) (Matthew 16), Tel Dan (Joshua 19:47-48); Overnight in Galilee area.

Day 6 – *Monday, January 16 - Theme: Jesus’ Ministry around the Kinneret*

FIELD TRIP: Capernaum (Matthew 4:13; 17:24; Mark 2:1), Bethsaida (John 1: Mark 8;), Korazim (Matthew 12:23-24), Boat Ride on the Sea of Galilee, Nof Ginnosar, Mt. of Beatitudes (Matthew 5-7), Jordan River. Mt. Arbel Hike. Overnight in Galilee area.

Day 7 – *Tuesday, January 17 – Theme: The Jordan and the Jezreel Valley*

FIELD TRIP: Beth Shearim, Beth Shean (1 Samuel 31); Jordan Valley, Megiddo (1 Kings 9:15; Rev 15:12), Caesarea (Acts 10; 12; 25;). Overnight in Jerusalem.



The Land is Our Classroom...



**Day 8 – Wednesday, January 18 –
Theme: Jewish Life under the
Herods**

FIELD TRIP: Bethlehem (Matthew 2; Luke 2), Church of Nativity, Shepherds' Field, the Herodium, Mount of Olives (Luke 11; Acts 1), Garden of Gethsemane (Matthew 26); Garden Tomb. Overnight in Jerusalem.



**Day 9 – Thursday, January 19 –
Theme: Old Testament Jerusalem**

FIELD TRIP: Old City of Jerusalem, Western Wall, Temple Mount, Southern Wall Excavations, Teaching Steps, Israel Museum (2nd Temple Model City, Dead Sea Scrolls). Overnight in Jerusalem.

**Day 10 – Friday, January 20 –
Theme: The Patriarchs and the
Exodus**

FIELD TRIP: Lachish, Arad (Numbers 21:1-3; Joshua 12:14), Beersheva (Genesis 21:14, 33; 26:23-33), Avdat. Overnight in Jerusalem.

**Day 11 – Saturday, January 21 –
Theme: The Wilderness of Judea the 1st and 2nd Jewish Revolts**

FIELD TRIP: Wadi Qelt Hike (Matthew 4; Luke 4), NT and OT Jericho; (Joshua 2-7; Luke 10, 18, 19), Ein Gedi Preserve, Masada, Dead Sea Swim, Qumran. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 12 – Sunday, January 22 – Theme: New Testament Jerusalem

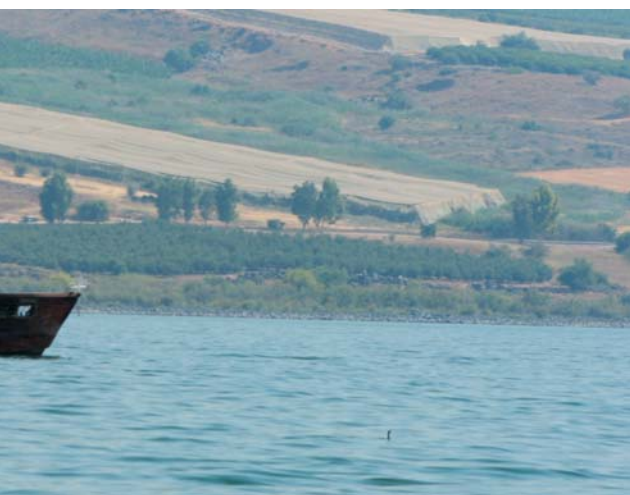
FIELD TRIP: Mount of Olives, Pool of Bethesda (John 5: 1-31), Church of St. Anne, Herod's Antonia Fortress, Via Dolorosa and the Church of the Holy Sepulcher (Matthew 27-28; John 20). Transfer to the airport for evening flight home

Day 13 – Monday, January 23 – Return Home

Arrive to the USA with the memories to last for the rest of your life.



Our instructor is **Dr. John Currid**, Professor of Old Testament at RTS-Charlotte. Dr. Currid is a graduate of the prestigious Oriental Institute at the University of Chicago and is a member of the faculty of the Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies. He also serves as Project Director for the Bethsaida Excavation Project in Israel.



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