

IRREGULAR TOURS

GAY GROUP TRAVEL TO THE WORLD

ISRAEL Gay Pride

AND JORDAN

Tour

JUNE 7 TO 20, 2014



**Irregular
Tours** *travel with a difference*

See the fabulous sights of the
Holy Land in Israel and Jordan.
Travel with a group of like-minded friends.
Participate in the Israel Gay Pride Carnival!
This is an all gay tour, with gay guides and gay tour manager,
organised by gay tour operators!

TEL AVIV GAY PRIDE PARADE

Save the date - Tel Aviv Pride Week 2014

With a gay scene that competes with all gay capitals around the globe, an amazing beach, good weather, great food and other attractions in the country like Jerusalem and the Dead sea, Tel Aviv is definitely a place you should check out for your next trip. Pride Week starts on June 2nd, and will have events throughout the week until Saturday June 8th. The pride parade takes place on Friday, June 14th, 2014. With over 50 gay events throughout Pride Week, not to mention all the regular attractions the city has to offer, coming to Tel Aviv will be a vacation you will never forget!

A few reasons why you should come:

- * HOT GUYS!!!
 - * Magnificent gay beach
 - * Neverending 24 hour nightlife
 - * Shop till you drop
 - * The food just tastes GOOD
 - * No gay area because the WHOLE CITY IS GAY
 - * Jerusalem, the Dead sea and more are just 1 - 1.5 hours away
- And that is just the tip of the iceberg.

The sun is setting, gay pride flags wave next to the water, same-sex couples kiss and cuddle on the beach. This is Tel Aviv — which the government of Israel is now pushing as one of the most gay-friendly cities in the world — and gay tourism is booming.

It's a place you have to go, good parties, nice people, beautiful people and just different from all the other tourist destinations you can go to," says Jorg Grosskopf, a German tourist who, together with his partner, Peter, is on his seventh vacation in Israel.

Tel Aviv will host its annual gay pride parade June 14. The government and organizers say it's expected to be the biggest one ever. The government of Israel is styling the country as a haven for the gay community. But it's more than just beaches, parades and clubs. Israel has laws protecting the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender, or LGBT, community.

"LGBT rights in Israel are truly an achievement," says Itai Pinkas, a former Tel Aviv council member. "It's an obligation to show to the world."

Pinkas notes that gays can openly serve in the Israeli army. Gay marriages from other countries are respected. However, Israel's religious authorities, who control marriages in the country, do not sanction civil marriages, a prohibition that covers both heterosexual and same-sex couples.



Israel Gay Pride and Jordan Tour

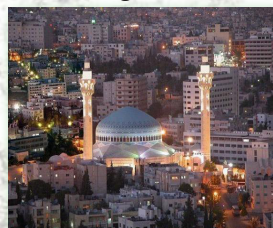
Itinerary June 7 to 21, 2014

Day 1 Saturday June 7

Amman

Hotel Cetury Park ★★★★★

Arrive at Amman International Airport. Meet and greet. Transfer to hotel. Am-



man, the capital of Jordan, is a fascinating city of contrasts – a unique blend of old and new, ideally situated on a hilly area between

the desert and the fertile Jordan Valley.

Day 2 Sunday June 8

Amman

Hotel Century Park ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Late morning departure for day tour of city and surroundings. Visit the Old City, then Jerash which is considered one of the largest and most well-preserved sites of Roman architecture in the world outside Italy, and Ajlun Castle (Qal'at Ar-Rabad). Return to hotel. Dinner.

Day 3 Monday June 9

Petra

Hotel Taybet Zaman ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Early departure for coach drive, visiting Mount Nebo, a ruined monastery with connections to Moses, Madaba known as the City of Mosaics, and Karak, an ancient Crusader stronghold. Arrive Petra and check into hotel. Dinner.

Day 4 Tuesday June 10

Petra

Hotel Taybet Zaman ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Full day visiting the archaeological ruins at Petra. Dinner. **Petra**, the world wonder, is without a doubt Jordan's most valuable treasure and greatest tourist attraction. It is a vast, unique city, carved into the sheer rock face by the Nabataeans.



Day 5 Wednesday June 11

Dead Sea

Dead Sea Spa Club Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Drive to Allenby Bridge border crossing into Israel and continue to Dead Sea - lowest point on earth (420 meters below sea level). Check into hotel. Free time for enjoying Dead Sea facilities. Dinner.



Day 6 Thursday June 12

Tel Aviv

Mercure Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Coach drive to Tel Aviv visiting Massada - the last stronghold of the Jewish Zealots in their battle against the Romans, en-route. Transfer to hotel. Dinner. In the evening go to "Evita" gay bar for opening event in gay pride weekend.



Day 7 Friday June 13

Tel Aviv

Mecure Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Morning tour of Tel Aviv. Afternoon gay pride beach party at the Tel Aviv Beach. Dinner. In the evening, options



are to enjoy the various parties in town (a complete list and special admission rates will be given closer to the date)

Day 8 Saturday June 14

Tel Aviv

Mercure Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Free day to recover, relax, enjoy the beach, shopping, etc. Dinner. **Old Port of Tel Aviv** is one of the



city's highlights - full of modern bars, cafes, restaurants, shops and boutiques.

Old city of Jaffa has an artists' colony.

Day 9 Sunday June 15

Tiberius

Emily Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Morning departure for Tiberius visiting Caesarea an ancient Roman Capital, and then the ancient and beautiful city of Haifa. Atop Mt Carmel, holy to Christians, is the Stella Maris Carmelite Monastery. Haifa and Mount Carmel en-route. Check into hotel. Diner.



Day 10 Monday June 16

Tiberius

Emily Hotel ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Full day of sightseeing to Sea of Galilee where Jesus lived. The tour includes a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. Visit Mt of Beatitudes, site of the Sermon of the Mount. Then Capernaum known as Jesus' town. Then Nazareth, site of the Annunciation. Return to hotel. Dinner



Day 11 Tuesday June 17

Jerusalem

Hotel Prima Kings ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Morning departure for drive to Jerusalem, visiting Jordan Valley which extends from the outlet of the Jordan River at the Sea of Galilee to its inlet into the Dead Sea, and Jericho, which may be the oldest continuously occupied city in the world en-route. Check into hotel. Dinner.



Day 12 Wednesday June 18

Jerusalem

Hotel Prima Kings ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Full day sightseeing to New City of Jerusalem. The modern city of Jerusalem refers to the last 100 years when first neighbourhoods were built outside the walls of the Old City, and Bethlehem - birthplace of Jesus. Return to hotel. Dinner

Day 13 Thursday June 19

Jerusalem

Hotel Prima Kings ★★★★★

Breakfast at hotel. Full day of sightseeing to the Old City of Jerusalem. Enjoy panoramic view of the Golden City from the Mt of Olives. Visit the Garden of Gethsemane, the Western Wall (Wailing Wall), the Via Dolorosa the Holy Sepulchre, the Roman Cardo, the Jewish Quarter and Mt Zion. Dinner.

Day 14 Friday June 20

In flight

Breakfast at hotel. Transfer to Allenby Bridge to cross back to Jordan and proceed to Amman International Airport for departure. **Fly away!**

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Tour highlights:

- Full day sightseeing at world famous archeological Petra
- Crusader fortresses
- Dead Sea
- Sea of Galilee
- Mount Carmel
- Nazareth
- Three days in Jerusalem

Tour date:

Beginning in Amman, Jordan on Saturday, June 7, 2014 and finishing in Amman on Friday June 20, 2014. It is also possible to arrange for arrival and departures through Tel Aviv if requested.

Tour cost:

The cost per person is \$3500 twin share with the single supplement of \$900.

Included:

- Arrival and departure transfers in Jordan and Israel
- Accommodation for 13 nights in 4* hotels (First Class).
- Half board basis throughout (Breakfast and dinner).
- Deluxe air-conditioned coach in Jordan and Israel
- English speaking licenced guides in Jordan and Israel
- All entrance fees as per itinerary
- Porterage at hotels and airport
- Accompanied by gay tour manager at all times

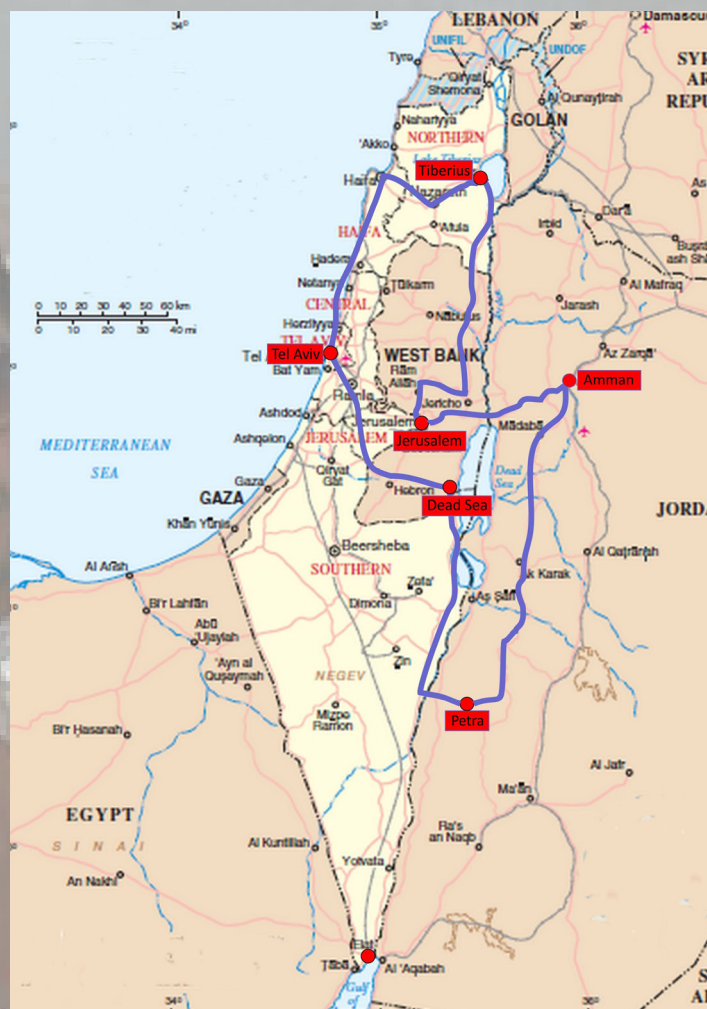
Not included:

- International airfares to and from Amman, Jordan
- Personal expenses (drinks, laundry, etc)
- Lunches
- Visa fee for entry to Jordan
- Border tax departing Jordan to Israel (US\$ 15.00 p/person)
- Tips to guide and driver (recommended US\$ 6.00 p/person per day total about US\$ 90.00)

Booking this tour

To make a reservation for this tour we require:

- Completed reservation form
- A copy of the information page of your passport
- The required deposit.



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