

ISRAEL STUDY TRIP

SEPT 10 - 24, 2027

WITH
BRAD NELSON




Brad Nelson is the Content Director at Walking The Text, where he curates The Teaching Series—a bi-weekly podcast and video resource—leads study trips to the Bible Lands, and contributes as a writer for ***The Lord's Prayer*** film and ***The Sacred Thread***, a groundbreaking episodic series that takes viewers on a global journey into the original context of the Bible. He is also the co-author of *Bringing Heaven Here: How the Lord's Prayer Can Change Your Life and Our World*.

A national speaker, writer, and communication specialist, Brad brings nearly two decades of pastoral experience to his work. Prior to joining Walking The Text, he served for 17 years in church ministry in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and later planted Brick City Church in Ocala, Florida. Brad holds a B.A. in History from Cornerstone University (Grand Rapids, MI) and a Master of Divinity from Western Theological Seminary (Holland, MI), along with additional graduate study at Jerusalem University College in Israel.

He and his wife, Trisha, live in Greensboro, Georgia, with their three daughters.

ITINERARY

Fri - Sept 10 Sat - Sept 11	ORD to FRA (LH431) Depart O'Hare - 4:05pm (Lufthansa) Arrive Frankfurt at 7:25am (Duration 8 hrs 20 min) FRA to TLV (LH686) Depart Frankfurt - 10:25am (Lufthansa) Arrive Tel Aviv at 3:30pm (Duration 4 hr 05 min)
Sat - Sept 11	Late Arrival & Overnight - <i>Neve Ilan, Jerusalem</i> Tel: 972-3-919-0669
Sun - Sept 12	Shephelah Dinner & Overnight - <i>Leonardo Hotel Negev, Beer Sheva</i> Tel: 972-8-640-5444
Mon - Sept 13	Desert Dinner & Overnight - <i>ENJOY Dead Sea Hotel, Dead Sea</i> Tel: 888-697-3791
Tues - Sept 14	Desert Dinner & Overnight - <i>ENJOY Dead Sea Hotel, Dead Sea</i> Tel: 888-697-3791
Wed - Sept 15	Desert Dinner & Overnight - <i>Ein Gev Kibbutz, Galilee</i> Tel: 972-4-665-9800
Thurs - Sept 16	Galilee Dinner & Overnight - <i>Ein Gev Kibbutz, Galilee</i> Tel: 972-4-665-9800
Fri - Sept 17	Galilee Dinner & Overnight - <i>Ein Gev Kibbutz, Galilee</i> Tel: 972-4-665-9800
Sat - Sept 18	Galilee Dinner & Overnight - <i>Ein Gev Kibbutz, Galilee</i> Tel: 972-4-665-9800
Sun - Sept 19	Galilee Dinner & Overnight - <i>Ein Gev Kibbutz, Galilee</i> Tel: 972-4-665-9800
Mon - Sept 20	Galilee - Jerusalem Dinner & Overnight - <i>Dan Hotel, Jerusalem</i> Tel: 972-2-533-1234
Tues - Sept 21	Jerusalem Dinner & Overnight - <i>Dan Hotel, Jerusalem</i> Tel: 972-2-533-1234
Wed - Sept 22	Jerusalem Dinner & Overnight - <i>Vert Lagoon, Netanya</i> Tel: 972-73-387-5555
Thurs - Sept 23	Coast Dinner & Overnight - <i>Tal Hotel, Tel Aviv</i> Tel: 972-3-542-5500
Fri - Sept 24	TLV to FRA on LH691 - Depart Tel Aviv at 4:45am (Lufthansa) Arrive Frankfurt at 8:25am (Duration 4 hr 40 min) FRA to ORD on LH430 - Depart Frankfurt at 10:50am (Lufthansa) Arrive O'Hare at 12:55pm (Duration 9 hrs 05 min)



“A detailed itinerary isn’t given because how you encounter something shapes the experience and the learning.

If you have an idea of what’s next, it isn’t as impactful. Thus, you’re simply invited to enjoy the journey and receive each site as a gift and surprise.

But don’t worry, we will visit all of the major sites during this trip.”

- Brad Gray





PRICING & DETAILS

TOUR PRICING:

- \$TBD per person (double occupancy)
- \$TBD extra for your own room without roommate
- \$100 early booking discount for registrations prior to March 19, 2027

NOTE: Airfare is subject to additional fuel surcharges or taxes as may be assessed by the airline prior to ticketing.

INCLUDES:

- Roundtrip Economy Class from Chicago O'Hare
 - Option to upgrade to Business Class (\$TBD - ?? seats available)
- Deluxe Hotels & Deluxe Motor Coach Touring
- Buffet Breakfast & Dinner Daily, Lunches served on site
- Osprey Hydration Hiking Backpack, Bottled Water on Bus
- Study Guide, Journal (like a Moleskin), Plug Adapter
- Guide & Driver Tips

DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Israel Visa (<https://israel-entry.piba.gov.il/>)
- Insurance
- Drinks at meals (water is provided at every meal, juice and coffee at every breakfast)

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- \$500 per person deposit on confirmation
- Total balance due **July 22, 2027**



REFUND CANCELLATION POLICY:

- Full refund less \$200 for cancellations after deposit
- Full refund less \$500 for cancellations after March 19, 2027
- Full refund less \$2000 for cancellations after April 23, 2027
- No refunds for cancellations after July 22, 2027

INSURANCE:

We **HIGHLY** recommend Travel Insurance. Learn more at <https://gtitours.org/travel-insurance>

Please familiarize yourself with GTI's Tour Policies at <https://gtitours.org/policies>

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