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courses in historical geography and biblical history, uniquely tying studies within the biblical text, with an emphasis on its theological implications. He is the author of several dozen notebooks and teaching materials that are an excellent help to pastors and leaders. He obtained his Ed.D. degree from Southwestern Theological Seminary in Texas.

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Hannaniah (Oliver) Pinto has lived in Jerusalem, Israel from 1983-2004. He is an Israeli tour guide licensed in four languages. His teaching is focused on archaeology and the Jewish background of the Bible. He will help the group to understand the remains of biblical towns, connecting them to stories in the Bible in new and exciting ways. His recently published book:

“Jesus’ Last Night with His Disciples, a Study of the First Century Historical and Archaeological Setting of The Last Supper” will provide many insights into our journey to Israel. He is the co-founder of Biblical History Center, a museum featuring the daily life in biblical times, headquartered in LaGrange, GA. Our tours include Israel, Jordan, Egypt, Turkey, Greece, Italy, Portugal and Spain.

Included in Price

- Tour price includes accommodations for 9 nights in selected superior 4-star hotels with modern comforts, including private facilities, AC, TV, etc.
- Lecturer: Dr. James Fleming
- Teacher/Guide: Hannaniah Pinto
- Tour bus for all transfers to/from airport with selected driver for all visits in the itinerary
- All entrance fees to sites on itinerary
- All tips to hotels, drivers, portorage
- Roundtrip flights from Atlanta/Amman/Cairo

Not Included in Price

- Any items of a personal nature, such as laundry, drinks or coffee with/after meals
- Lunches
- Sound and Light Show
- Travel insurance. (Recommended.)
- Single supplement Egypt/Israel/Jordan: \$750
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Tour Conditions and Payment Schedule

- US \$500.00 per person due at registration.
- Full payment due **65 days before departure**.
- Rates are based on a minimum of 20 participants. Prices quoted are in US Dollars and are based on tariffs and exchange rates in effect as of Jan. 2020. These rates are subject to change without notice, due to fuel surcharges and/or currency devaluation.
- We cannot use frequent flyer miles or upgrade with group rates. **Program is reduced by \$950 per person if arranging your own flights, please RSVP**

CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY:

- All cancellations for any reason and at any time must be received in writing and will be subject to a \$100, per person, administration fee.
- Cancellation between 90-65 days of departure will be subject to additional loss of some non-recoverable sums from independent providers of land and air services.
- No refund is available 65 days or less prior to departure. (Full refund will be issued if BR withdraws the offer of the program). Air tickets once issued are non-refundable. However, it may be used within a year of its travel date according to airline policies.

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Deserts of the Bible



March 3-13, 2021

Israel: \$4550 per person
Double Occupancy
Round trip from Atlanta

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Jim Fleming will weave together the context of Scripture through history, geography, archaeology and theology.

Explore the settings of the Hebrew Scriptures and the Gospels. Discover the time, places, customs and physical settings into which Jesus was born.

Visit places important to Jesus' life and works. Step back in time and enter into the world of the Bible and follow Jesus in his ministry.

March 3-13, 2021 Jordan/Israel/Egypt

March 3, Wednesday - Depart from Atlanta to Amman, Jordan.

March 4 Thursday - Amman

We will be welcomed by our Jordanian tour guide and transferred to our hotel in Amman.
Overnight in Grand Palace Hotel

March 5, Friday Petra

After breakfast we will drive to visit Mt. Nebo from where Moses was granted a view of the Promised Land that he would never enter. The view from the summit provides a panorama of the Holy Land and, to the north, the valley of the River Jordan.
We will continue south to Petra for dinner.
Dinner and Overnight Petra Guest House **B/D**

March 6, Saturday Petra

Explore the Nabatean ruins of Petra, walk through the Sik through the amazing, beautiful, red rock-cut architectures to the Treasurer, tricliniums, and the Roman Theater.
Optional hikes available.
A. Monastery
B. The high place
C. To Byzantine Church
Dinner and Overnight Petra Guest House **B/D**

March 7—Sunday The wilderness wandering

On our way to Eilat, we will visit Wadi Rum for a jeep tour viewing the sand dunes.
Drive South to the Eilat Border. Then head north to Timna to visit the Temple to Hathor, the Midianite Temple (Moses' father-in-law was a Midianite priest), slave camp, melting pits from the time of Exodus, and rock formations.
Dinner/Overnight Herods Palace in Eilat **B/D**

March 8, Monday

Eilat

Free morning in Eilat possible swim at Coral Beach.
Drive south to the Taba border to cross into Sinai/Egypt. We will pass the oasis bedouin villages of Dahab and Nueba.
Dinner and Overnight in Morgenland Village **B/D**

March 09, Tuesday

Monastery in morning

Morning visit to Greek Orthodox Monastery known as St. Catherine Monastery. It lies at the foot of Mount Sinai, most traditional site where we remember God appeared to Moses in the form of a burning bush and/or where Moses received the Ten Commandments. The chapel, which is dated back to the 4th century AD was founded by Constantine. The monastery itself was built by Justinian in the 6th century. It has a great architecture, amazing icons, and a spirituality beyond description.

Afternoon choices:

- A. Rest in hotel or hike
- B. Hike the mountain for sunset.
- C. Hike the mountain for sunrise

Dinner and Overnight in Morgenland Village **B/D**

March 10, Wednesday

The Southern Sinai Desert

After breakfast, we will drive to Cairo on the way we will stop at the Suez Canal which links the Mediterranean and Red Seas.
Dinner and Overnight Movenpick in Cairo **B/D**

March 11, Thursday

Coptic quarter, the Jewish Synagogue

We will wander in Coptic Cairo visiting the traditional house (where the Holy Family may have lived for several years), St. Serguis Coptic Church and Ben Ezra Synagogue.
Afternoon drive to ancient **Memphis**, may have been the capital of Egypt. Drive through modern day Memphis to reach Sakkara, one of the most

exciting archaeological sites in Egypt, this necropolis is dominated by the Step Pyramids of King Djoser.
On the way to hotel we will visit a Papyrus shop. After dinner there will be an optional Sound & Light show in the evening.
Dinner and Overnight Movenpick in Cairo **B/D**

March 12, Friday

Egyptian Museum and Pyramids

Visit and explore the Egyptian Museum and King Tut collection with its golden mask and coffin. Before departing the museum, you will have time to explore some of the displayed artifacts.
We will have an afternoon visit to the famous Pyramids at Giza (Seven Wonders of the world), Cheops, Mekerinus & Chephren, including the solar boat display.
Then continue on to the majestic Sphinx, which is the largest single block sculpture in Egypt, located at the foot of the grandest Pyramid Chephren. After dinner freshen up for late transfer to airport.
Dinner and Overnight Movenpick in Cairo **B/D**

March 13, Saturday

Early morning Departure

Drive to Cairo airport for departure to US



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