

# Threads of Jordan — EXJ

## — Where Legends & Lives Intertwine

8 Days 7 Nights | Curated Blend Style | Small Group



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Mount Nebo | Madaba | Kerak Castle | Petra | Petra by Night | Wadi  
Rum | Aqaba | Jordan Valley | Mujib Trail | Dead Sea | Baptism Site  
| Ajloun Castle | Ajloun Forest Reserve | Ajloun Prophet's Trail |  
Tel Mar Elias

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# Jordan Map

**Eximious Jordan Welcomes You — to a Land of Timeless Beauty and Unrivalled Experiences**



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## JOURNEY HIGHLIGHTS

Discover the heart of Jordan on this carefully crafted 8-day small group journey, guided by an expert who will bring the country's landscapes, history, and culture vividly to life. From the vibrant streets of Amman and the ancient ruins of Jerash, to the awe-inspiring rock city of Petra and the vast desert of Wadi Rum, your group will experience Jordan's diverse tapestry firsthand.

Explore sacred sites like Mount Nebo and the Baptism Site, walk trails once traveled by prophets, and witness panoramic views from Ajloun Castle. Adventure through the stunning Wadi Mujib canyon and unwind in the healing waters of the Dead Sea.

Your journey flows naturally from the timeless wonders of Petra to the tranquility of the Red Sea coast in Aqaba, blending active discovery with moments of reflection and relaxation. Throughout, your dedicated guide will ensure a seamless, immersive experience that connects you deeply—to Jordan's land, its stories, its people, and your fellow travelers.

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# ITINERARY OVERVIEW

- Day 1** | Queen Alia – Amman Evening Walk – Amman
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- Day 3** | Amman – Mount Nebo – Madaba – Kerak – Petra by Night - Petra
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## Day 1 | Queen Alia – Amman Welcome Dinner & Evening Walk – Amman

Upon arrival at Queen Alia International Airport, the group will be warmly welcomed by a dedicated meet-and-assist airport representative who will ensure a smooth and efficient passage through arrivals. After clearing customs, the group will board their premium coach, where the expert guide will be waiting to greet everyone and accompany to Amman. After check-in and time to settle in, your journey begins with a warm and elegant welcome dinner at one of Amman's refined local restaurants. Over a selection of traditional and contemporary Jordanian dishes, your



guide will offer an informal orientation – setting the tone for the days ahead with insights into the itinerary, cultural tips, and travel details. It's a relaxed and enriching way to reconnect with your companions and ease into the rhythm of the trip.

Following dinner, take a short-guided walk through the atmospheric streets of downtown Amman. As you pass by historic cafés, lively souks, and modern promenades like Abdali Boulevard, enjoy your first taste of the city's vibrant energy – perhaps ending with a shared dessert of warm Kenafteh before returning to your hotel for the night.

### Tour Highlights

**Welcome Dinner**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Amman**

**Meals: Welcome Dinner**

## Day 2 | Amman – Amman City Tour – Jerash – Amman

Begin the day with your expert guide, who will accompany the group throughout this immersive journey into Jordan's historical north. Start with a guided exploration of Amman, Jordan's capital city, where ancient history meets contemporary energy. Stroll through the Citadel, stand amid the grand Roman Theatre, and experience the colorful pulse of local markets – all brought vividly to life through your guide's insight.

Next, travel north to the remarkably preserved Roman city of Jerash.

With your guide, walk through colonnaded streets, grand plazas, temples, and amphitheaters – all brought vividly to life through rich storytelling and context. Following your exploration, enjoy a Levantine lunch at one of Jerash's local restaurants, savoring traditional dishes prepared with fresh regional ingredients.

Return to Amman in the late afternoon with time to relax or explore the city at your own pace.



### Tour Highlights

**Amman Citadel & Roman Theater | Jerash**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Amman**

**Meals: Breakfast & Lunch in Jerash; Dinner can be arranged upon request**

## Day 3 | Amman – Mount Nebo – Madaba – Kerak – Petra by Night – Petra

Depart Amman with your expert guide and journey to Mount Nebo, where sweeping panoramic views over the Jordan Valley and the Dead Sea await. Explore the ancient mosaics and sacred sites of this revered pilgrimage destination, gaining insight into its spiritual and historical significance. Continue to Madaba, the “City of Mosaics.” Accompanied by your guide, enjoy a walking exploration through the historic streets, uncovering masterpieces such as St. George’s Church and the Church of the Apostles. Pause for lunch at one of Madaba’s excellent restaurants, savoring authentic regional flavors in a warm and welcoming atmosphere.



Travel along the scenic King’s Highway to Kerak Castle, a formidable Crusader fortress steeped in medieval history. With your guide’s storytelling bringing the fortress to life, explore its impressive walls and towers. By evening, arrive in Petra and settle into your accommodation. Later, gather with your guide for the magical Petra by Night experience, where candlelight illuminates the Treasury beneath the vast desert sky – an unforgettable introduction to the Rose City.

### Tour Highlights

**Mount Nebo | Madaba | Kerak Castle | Petra by Night**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation:** Luxury hotel in Petra

**Meals:** Breakfast & Lunch in Madaba; Dinner can be arranged upon request

## Day 4 | Petra Visit – Wadi Rum

Step into one of the world's greatest archaeological wonders with your guide accompanying the group throughout the day. Begin with a private three-hour guided tour from the Siq to Qasr al-Bint, where Petra's rose-red facades, royal tombs, and sacred temples vividly come to life through expert storytelling and shared reflection. Following this guided introduction, enjoy the freedom to explore at your own pace – whether ascending to the Monastery, hiking to the High Place of Sacrifice, or simply lingering in Petra's timeless canyons. Your guide remains nearby to support and enhance your experience as needed.



As the visit concludes, your guide can coordinate a refined lunch or early dinner at one of Petra's select restaurants, ensuring a seamless and memorable afternoon.

Later, journey south into the vast silence of Wadi Rum. Upon arrival, check in to your serene desert camp – an unforgettable setting nestled among towering sandstone cliffs. Then set out together on a private Jeep tour to witness the sunset over the desert's golden dunes and majestic formations. Return to camp for a traditional Zarb dinner, a Bedouin specialty slow-cooked underground, and served in an authentic desert setting. Gather around the fire for warm tea and fellowship, closing the day in the spiritual stillness of the desert night.

### Tour Highlights

#### **Petra Visit | Wadi Rum Jeep Tour**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation:** Luxury camp in Wadi Rum

**Meals:** Breakfast & Dinner in Wadi Rum; Lunch can be arranged upon request



## Day 5 | Wadi Rum – Aqaba

After a serene morning in Wadi Rum, travel aboard your premium coach to the vibrant coastal city of Aqaba. Your guide will accompany you throughout the journey, enriching the experience with insights and stories. Begin with a captivating visit to Aqaba Castle, where history whispers through ancient stone walls, followed by a leisurely stroll along the coastline. Then, enjoy a refined panoramic city drive, unveiling Aqaba's charming blend of culture and modernity.



Following the tour, check in to your seaside resort, where the rest of the day is yours to enjoy at leisure. Take a refreshing swim in the Red Sea, unwind by the pool, or simply relax on the private beach as the sun sets over the water. The warm coastal breeze and laid-back atmosphere offer the perfect contrast to the desert landscapes you've just explored.

### Tour Highlights

**Wadi Rum | Aqaba Tour | Aqaba**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation: Luxury resort in Aqaba**

**Meals: Breakfast; Other meals can be arranged upon request**

## Day 6 | Aqaba – Jordan Valley Scenic Drive – Wadi Mujib Siq Trail – Dead Sea

After a relaxed morning by the Red Sea, rejoin your guide and board your premium coach for the journey north through the scenic Jordan Valley. Watch the dramatic desert terrain gradually shift into the lush greenery of the valley – a striking transition that highlights the region's rich natural diversity. Along the way, your guide can optionally arrange a lunch stop at a resthouse on the Jordan Valley route, giving the group a chance to refresh and refuel. Your adventure continues with one of Jordan's most thrilling experiences: the Mujib Siq Trail. Accompanied by your guide, your group will trek and scramble through this narrow sandstone gorge, navigating cool flowing waters, natural pools, and small waterfalls. The 2–3 hour trail blends adrenaline and awe, immersing you in the raw beauty of one of the world's lowest nature reserves.



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In the afternoon, arrive at your Dead Sea resort with time to relax and unwind. Float effortlessly in the mineral-rich waters, explore the tranquil shoreline, or indulge in a rejuvenating spa treatment as the sun sets over the Earth's lowest point – a serene end to an unforgettable day of discovery.

### Tour Highlights

**Aqaba | Jordan Valley Highway | Mujib Siq Trail | Dead Sea**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation: Luxury resort in Dead Sea**

**Meals: Breakfast; Other meals can be arranged upon request**

## Day 7 | Dead Sea – Baptism Site – Ajloun Castle – Ajloun Reserve

After breakfast, set out with your expert guide aboard your premium coach for a day of spiritual discovery, historical insight, and natural beauty. Your first destination is the Baptism Site of Jesus Christ (Bethany Beyond the Jordan) – a deeply sacred location recognized as the place where John the Baptist baptized Jesus. As you explore the peaceful surroundings of the Jordan River, your guide will share scriptural context and archaeological findings that illuminate the site's spiritual and historical importance.



From there, continue north to Ajloun Castle, a 12th-century Islamic fortress built by one of Saladin's generals to defend against Crusader incursions. Wander through its impressive halls and towers as your guide offers insight into the region's medieval history, all while enjoying sweeping views over the Jordan Valley. In the afternoon, continue on to the lush woodlands of Ajloun Forest Reserve. Check into your cozy forest cabins and enjoy a peaceful evening surrounded by nature. A freshly prepared dinner at the reserve lodge rounds out the day – a tranquil close to a journey filled with history, flavor, and scenic beauty.

### Tour Highlights

**Dead Sea | Baptism Site | Ajloun Forest Reserve**

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation: Ajloun Forest Reserve**

**Meals: Breakfast & Dinner; Lunch can be arranged upon request**

## Day 8 | Ajloun Reserve – Prophet's Trail – Queen Alia Airport

Rise early for your final adventure in Jordan as your guide leads you on the Rasoun Trail, a rewarding 2 to 3-hour hike through the Ajloun Forest Reserve. This scenic trail winds through rolling hills and shaded woodlands, offering panoramic views and a chance to spot native flora and fauna in one of Jordan's most tranquil natural settings. After the hike, return to your forest cabin for time to freshen up and relax. A farewell lunch can be arranged locally, giving the group a final opportunity to reflect and share memories over a traditional meal.



When ready, travel as a group to Queen Alia International Airport aboard your premium coach, with your guide accompanying you all the way. Upon arrival, a dedicated airport representative will assist with departure formalities, ensuring a smooth and seamless send-off. Your journey concludes here – with not only unforgettable memories of Jordan's landscapes and heritage, but the camaraderie and connection that turned adventure into something truly meaningful.

### Tour Highlights

#### Prophet's Trail | Departure

### Accommodation & Meals

**Accommodation:** Ajloun Forest Reserve

**Meals:** Breakfast; Lunch can be arranged upon request

## **Inclusions**

- Expertly tailored 8-day small group journey, designed for a seamless and engaging experience.
- All accommodations throughout the journey.
- Dedicated expert guide for 8 days, with a meet-and-assist airport representative supporting smooth arrival and departure.
- Meet-and-assist service at Queen Alia Airport upon arrival.
- Airport and hotels porterage.
- 24/7 on-call support from our local operations team throughout your stay in Jordan.
- Visa Fees
- Premium, air-conditioned coach—sanitized and maintained to high cleanliness standards.
- Mineral water, Wi-Fi, and hand sanitizer available on board.
- Trails mentioned in the Itinerary.
- Private Jeep tour in Wadi Rum (2 hours).
- Welcome dinner on Day 1.
- Traditional Levantine Lunch in Jerash.
- Lunch in Madaba.
- Dinner in Wadi Rum.
- Dinner at Ajloun Forest Reserve.
- Visits and entrance fees to all sites listed in the itinerary.
- Personalized assistance throughout the journey from your guide and airport representative on arrival and departure days.

## **Exclusions**

- International flights.
- Travel insurance.
- Lunch and dinner meals not mentioned in the Inclusions.
- (additional meals can be pre-booked or arranged along the route).
- Personal expenses, tips, and gratuities.
- Any services not mentioned in the itinerary or inclusions.



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