# Celestial & Terrestrial —



# — An Intimate Spiritual Journey in Jordan

# 9 Days 8 Nights | Religious and Faith Style | Private



Aqaba Tour | Anjara | Tel Mar Elias | Umm Qais | Amman Citadel & Roman Theater

# Jordan Map

# Eximious Jordan Welcomes You — to a Land of Timeless Beauty and Unrivaled Experiences



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#### **JOURNEY HIGHLIGHTS**

Walk the Pilgrim's Path through Jordan — a sacred land where prophets stood, miracles unfolded, and faith took root in stone and scripture. This extended 9-day spiritual journey invites you to trace the footsteps of saints and seekers, from the baptismal waters of the Jordan River to the silence of Petra and the vast stillness of Wadi Rum.

Spend time in landscapes where divine encounters once occurred — the mountains of Moses and Elijah, the wilderness of John the Baptist, and the early Christian towns etched in mosaic and memory. Along the way, pause for reflection beside the Dead Sea, pray at holy shrines in Anjara and Madaba, and explore ancient cities like Jerash, Umm Qais, and Kerak.

With your private escort/driver and knowledgeable local guides, the journey flows with intention and care — allowing you the space to reconnect, reflect, and walk deeper into a story of enduring faith.

#### ITINERARY OVERVIEW

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- Day 8 | Amman Jerash Anjara Tel mar Elias Umm Qais Amman
- Day 9 | Amman City Tour Q.A

#### **FEATURED SITES & EXPERIENCES**

Dead Sea Float & Renewal | Baptism Site | Mount Nebo | Petra | Jerash |
Madaba | Machaerus | Umm er-Rassas | King's Highway | Kerak Castle |
Shobak Castle | Little Petra | Wadi Rum Jeep Tour | Aqaba Tour | Anjara |
Tel Mar Elias | Umm Qais | Amman Citadel & Roman Theater

#### **EXIMIOUS JORDAN**

## Day 1 | QA Airport - Dead Sea

Upon arrival at Queen Alia
International Airport, you will be
warmly welcomed by our
dedicated airport representative,
who will assist you through
immigration and arrival
procedures with personalized
meet-and-assist service.
Afterward, you'll be introduced
to your private escort/driver who
will accompany you throughout
your journey in Jordan.



Begin your pilgrimage with a

scenic drive to the Dead Sea — the lowest point on Earth and a timeless place of reflection and renewal. Check in to your serene resort and take time to unwind in the peaceful surroundings. As the sun dips over the still waters, let the quiet begin to settle your spirit for the sacred days ahead.

# **Tour Highlights**

**Dead Sea** 

# **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury resort in Dead Sea

Meals: Not included for this day; can be arranged upon request

# Day 2 | Dead Sea – Baptism Site (Al-Maghtas) – Mount Nebo – Madaba – Dead Sea

Enjoy a peaceful morning by the Dead Sea, taking time for quiet reflection and rest along its tranquil shores. At noon, travel to the Baptism Site at Al-Maghtas, believed to be the place where Jesus was baptized by John the Baptist. Walk the same sacred paths once trodden by early pilgrims as you explore the serene baptismal grounds and archaeological remains of this UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Continue to Mount Nebo, where Moses is said to have gazed upon



the Holy Land. The hilltop sanctuary and its ancient mosaics offer both natural beauty and a profound sense of sacred history.

End the day in Madaba, the "City of Mosaics," with a guided walking exploration alongside your escort. Discover treasures such as St. George's Church, the Church of the Apostles, and the city's archaeological parks. Return to your Dead Sea resort for an evening at leisure, immersed in the stillness of this holy landscape.

#### **Tour Highlights**

Baptism Site | Mount Nebo | Madaba

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury resort in Dead Sea

# Day 3 | Dead Sea – Fortress of Machaerus – Umm er-Rassas – King's Highway – Kerak Castle – Petra

Set out from the Dead Sea to the Fortress of Machaerus, a hilltop citadel intimately tied to the story of John the Baptist's imprisonment and martyrdom. Reflect on the sacred history as you take in sweeping views of the Dead Sea and surrounding valleys, a landscape steeped in biblical significance. Continue to Umm er-Rassas, renowned for its remarkable early Christian mosaics and ancient churches - a testament to the enduring faith communities that once flourished here.



Travel along the historic King's Highway, a path once walked by prophets, pilgrims, and traders, tracing the spiritual and cultural arteries of the region.

Pause at Kerak Castle, a formidable Crusader fortress renowned for its impressive architecture and strategic significance during medieval times.

Conclude your day by arriving in Petra, the Rose City, where the spiritual and natural worlds intertwine. Settle into your accommodation and prepare for the profound encounters that lie ahead.

#### **Tour Highlights**

Fortress of Machaerus | Umm er-Rassas | King's Highway | Kerak Castle

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Petra

### Day 4 | Petra Visit

Spend a full day immersed in the sacred wonder of Petra with your private, licensed local guide. Begin by walking through the narrow Siq to the iconic Treasury, uncovering the rose-red facades, tombs, temples, and places of worship where Nabataean spirituality and early Christian traces quietly endure.

Your guide will bring the ancient city to life, sharing stories of faith, culture, and history etched in stone. After



the guided tour, enjoy time for personal reflection and independent exploration — whether hiking to the Monastery, ascending to the High Place of Sacrifice, or simply absorbing the timeless atmosphere of this UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Return to your accommodation in Petra for a restful evening, with the option to savor a refined dinner at one of Petra's select restaurants, concluding your day steeped in the city's enduring spiritual legacy.

#### **Tour Highlights**

**Petra Visit** 

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Petra

# Day 5 | Petra – Shobak Castle – Little Petra – Wadi Rum

Begin your day by Shobak Castle, a 12th-century Crusader fortress perched atop a hill. Reflect on its storied past as a symbol of faith and resilience amid the rugged landscape. Continue to Little Petra, an intimate Nabataean site with intricate rock-cut facades. Enjoy a one-hour, self-guided visit and uncover this hidden gem at your own pace.

After, journey south to the timeless desert of Wadi Rum. Upon arrival, check in to your serene desert camp — a peaceful base for an unforgettable night beneath the stars.



Embark on a private two-hour Jeep tour that concludes with a breathtaking Wadi Rum sunset, taking in the majestic sandstone formations and vast, silent plains. Return to camp to savor a traditional Zarb dinner, a Bedouin specialty slow-cooked underground, and served in an authentic desert setting. End the evening gathered by the fire, sipping tea beneath a canopy of stars.

# **Tour Highlights**

Shobak Castle | Little Petra | Wadi Rum Jeep Tour & Dinner

# **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury camp in Wadi Rum

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

upon request

#### Day 6 | Wadi Rum - Aqaba Tour - Aqaba

After a peaceful morning in the desert, depart from your serene Wadi Rum camp and begin your journey toward Aqaba, Jordan's gateway to the Red Sea. Watch the landscape shift from sandstone valleys to coastal plains, each mile carrying echoes of prophets, pilgrims, and ancient trade. Upon arrival, enjoy a relaxed private tour with your escort through this storied port city, whose roots stretch back to biblical times. Visit the site of the ancient Church of Ayla, considered one of the oldest



purpose-built churches in the world. Stroll through vibrant markets, where the rhythms of daily life hum with tradition and quiet continuity.

Following your tour, transfer to your seaside resort and check in. The remainder of the afternoon is yours to unwind and enjoy the beauty of the Red Sea — whether taking a refreshing swim, strolling along the shore, or simply relaxing with views of the water.

Spend the evening at leisure, with space to reflect on the journey so far as the sun sets gently over the Gulf of Aqaba.

#### **Tour Highlights**

Wadi Rum | Aqaba Tour | Aqaba

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury resort in Aqaba

## Day 7 | Aqaba – Amman – Evening Walking Tour

Enjoy a peaceful morning at leisure by the Red Sea. Whether taking one last swim, walking along the shore, or simply soaking in the coastal calm, this is a final opportunity to savor the stillness of Aqaba. At noon, depart with your private escort/driver for the journey north to Amman. As the road unfolds through Jordan's shifting landscapes, pause along the way for a short rest



and light refreshments — a welcome break and a chance to take in the changing scenery.

Arrive in Amman by late afternoon and check in to your hotel. After settling in, set out with your escort for a gentle early evening walk through the heart of the capital.

#### **Tour Highlights**

**Evening Walking Tour in Amman** 

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Amman

# Day 8 | Amman - Jerash - Anjara - Tel Mar Elias -

**Umm Qais - Amman** 

After breakfast, journey north to Jerash, once renowned for its grand Roman temples and later as an early Christian center with around twenty churches. Explore these sacred sites with a local expert, reflecting on the faith and devotion that shaped this remarkable city.

Continue to Anjara and visit the Shrine of the Virgin Mary, a peaceful sanctuary believed to have welcomed Mary, Jesus, and His disciples. Pause here for reflection and prayer.



Travel on to Tel Mar Elias, a biblical site linked to the Prophet Elijah, where ancient remains speak of enduring faith.

End the day at Umm Qais (ancient Gadara), mentioned in the New Testament as a place where Jesus performed miracles. Enjoy sweeping views over the Sea of Galilee and Golan Heights, reflecting on the biblical landscape. In the evening, return to Amman for your final overnight stay.

#### **Tour Highlights**

Jerash | Anjara | Tel Mar Elias | Umm Qais

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

**Accommodation: Luxury hotel in Amman** 

# Day 9 | Amman - Amman City Tour - Queen Alia

**Airport** 

Begin your final day with a morning exploration of Amman, a city known in biblical times as Ammon—a land of ancient peoples and a crossroads of prophets, empires, and early Christian communities. Visit the Amman Citadel and Roman Theatre, sacred spaces where centuries of spiritual heritage are etched in stone. These landmarks invite quiet reflection on a legacy of resilience and faith that still shapes the city's soul today.



Depending on your flight schedule, enjoy time for final thoughts or a quiet walk before transferring to Queen Alia International Airport. Depart with the blessings of Jordan still echoing in your heart — a land where faith lives in every stone and silence.

#### **Tour Highlights**

**Amman Citadel & Roman Theater** 

#### **Accommodation & Meals**

Accommodation: Departure Day

## **Inclusions**

- Private 9-day tour with full independence and flexibility.
- All accommodations throughout the journey.
- Dedicated escort/driver fluent in English, providing seamless transfers, expert logistics, and a knowledgeable experience.
- Meet-and-assist service at Queen Alia Airport upon arrival.
- Visa Fees
- Modern, deluxe, air-conditioned, sanitized vehicle throughout the journey.
- Licensed, English-speaking local guide in Jerash (2 hours).
- Licensed, English-speaking local guide in Petra (2 hours, trusted Eximious Jordan guides).
- Private Jeep tour in Wadi Rum (2 hours).
- Dinner in Wadi Rum.
- Visits and entrance fees to all sites listed in the itinerary.
- Mineral water, Wi-Fi, and hand sanitizer available on board.
- Personalized assistance throughout the journey from your escort/driver and expert local guides.

## **Exclusions**

- International flights.
- Travel insurance.
- Lunch and dinner (can be pre-booked or arranged along the route).
- Full-day private guide service can be arranged upon request and must be prebooked in advance.
- Personal expenses, tips, and gratuities.
- Any services not mentioned in the itinerary or inclusions.

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