



MEJDI TOURS

# HEALING ACROSS THE DIVIDES

## **A View Across the Divides: Healing Across the Divides In Israel & the West Bank**

### **Itinerary**

#### **Day 1: Sunday, March 12, 2023 – Arrival (no guides, no bus)**

- Arrive at Ben Gurion airport and transfer on your own to Jerusalem for check-in.
- Have the day free to relax. Dinner on your own - Option of meeting Norbert, restaurant TBD.

*Hotel: YMCA Three Arches Hotel, Jerusalem*

#### **Day 2: Monday, March 13, 2022 - Jerusalem Intro (2 guides, bus)**

- Breakfast at Hotel
- Orientation and introductions
- Jerusalem viewpoint from Mt. of Olives led by Daniel Seidemann
- Lunch on your own
- Temple Mount (afternoon hour access) & Old City sites
- Grantee visit: LaDa'at
- Have a welcome dinner this evening with Nehad and Tova

*Hotel: YMCA Three Arches Hotel (Breakfast and Dinner included)*

#### **Day 3: Tuesday, March 14, 2022 – Jerusalem West (2 guides, bus)**

- Breakfast at Hotel
- Visit ruins of Imwas, Heidar's place of birth
- Lunch with Heidar Abu Ghosh, former resident of Imwas
- Visit Yad Vashem
- Late afternoon at leisure and Dinner on your own

*Hotel: YMCA Hotel, Jerusalem (Breakfast and Lunch included)*

**Day 4: Wednesday, March 15, 2023 – Jenin (1 guide, bus)**

- Breakfast at Hotel
- Grantee visit in Jenin: Al-Majd
- Lunch in Jenin or nearby (Burqin, etc)
- Nablus *or* Samaritans visit in afternoon
- Dinner on own

*Hotel: YMCA Three Arches Hotel (Breakfast and Lunch included)*

**Day 5: Thursday, March 16, 2023 – East Jerusalem (2 guides, bus)**

- Breakfast at hotel
- Dual Narrative Tour of East Jerusalem
- Grantee Visit at Kalandiya: Palestine Sports for Life
- End the day with a festive dinner at a Palestinian home with a musical performance by an Arab-Israeli band

*Hotel: YMCA Hotel, Jerusalem (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)*

**Day 6: Friday, March 17, 2023 - Yeruham (1 guide, bus)**

- Breakfast at hotel
- Grantee visit: White Farm
- Lunch at the White Farm
- Tour Ein Gedi Nature Reserve w/guide; free time at the Dead Sea (Optional on own)
- Dinner at Hotel

*Hotel: Ein Gedi Hotel (Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner included)*

**Day 7: Saturday, March 18, 2023 - Hebron & South Hebron Hills (2 guide, bus)**

- Breakfast at hotel
- Grantee visit in the village of Susiya and Hebron: Yes Theatre
- Lunch in Hebron
- Dinner (possible home hospitality (or at hotel))

*Hotel: Ein Gedi Hotel (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)*

**Day 8: Sunday, March 19, 2023 – Jaffa (2 guide, bus)**

- Breakfast at Hotel
- Drive to Jaffa, walking tour of Jaffa
- Lunch with Dahlia Schiendlin, Public opinion expert, at arranged restaurant
- Grantee visit: Kuchinate

- Dinner on own

*Hotel: Market House, Jaffa (Breakfast and Lunch included)*

**Day 9: Monday, March 20, 2023 – Druze Community (2 guides, bus)**

- Breakfast at Hotel
- Grantee meeting: Diabetes Palestine
- Visit a Druze village for lunch. Hear from a member of the Druze community during the meal
- Dinner on own

*Hotel: Market House, Jaffa (Breakfast and Lunch included)*

**Day 10: Tuesday, March 21, 2023 – Wadi Ara (2 guides, bus)**

- Breakfast at hotel
- Grantee visit: Wadi Ara
- Lunch on own
- Review of the study tour with Nehad – late afternoon
- Festive closing dinner

*Hotel: Market House, Jaffa (Breakfast and Dinner included)*

**Day 11: Wednesday, March 22, 2023 – Departure (no guides, no bus)**

- Breakfast at hotel and check-out
- Depart Ben Gurion Airport (on own) for the United States, or for those participating on the Petra extension a transfer (by land) to Amman, Jordan.

\*An optional group transfer will be available at 10:00 a.m at an extra cost of \$450 per group for those traveling to Ben Gurion. This will enable travelers to get to a 3:30pm flight.