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Israel & Wonders of Jordan

14 Day Tour from Tel Aviv to Dead Sea

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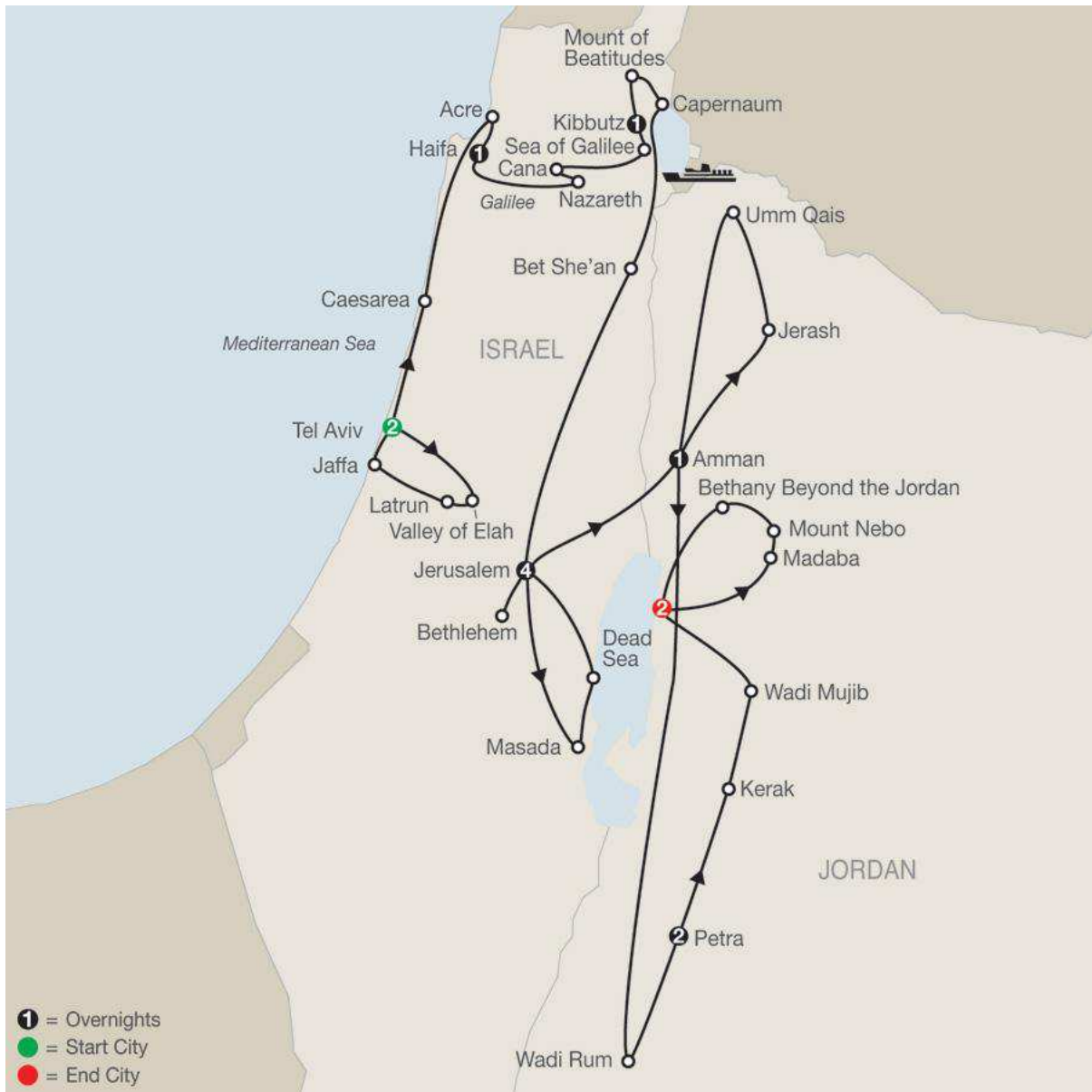
Vacation Overview

Israel and Jordan are treasure troves of historical and biblical sights, and on this Israel and Jordan tour, you'll visit their most famous and interesting sights, many of which are UNESCO World Heritage Sites. These include Baha'i Shrine, the world center of Baha'i faith; Acre, a historic walled port-city where you'll see some of the immense underground Crusader city; Masada, a rugged cliff-top fortress; and Petra, one of the New 7 Wonders of the World®, where you'll walk down the Siq, a narrow gorge with spectacular colors flanked on either side by high cliffs. Here, see the iconic and famed Treasury and sip tea in a Bedouin tent.

Also visit many of the sights associated with Jesus, including Cana, site of the first miracle; Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus delivered his Sermon on the Mount; Capernaum, where Jesus recruited his first followers among the fishermen; the Garden of Gethsemane with its Rock of Agony, where Jesus prayed his last prayer before his arrest; the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, erected on the site of the crucifixion; the house of Caiaphas, where Jesus was kept the night after his arrest; and the Church of the Nativity, which stands on the site where Jesus was born.

Globus has also arranged some out-of-the-ordinary and fun experiences for you on this Israel and Jordan tour, such as a cruise on the Sea of Galilee, and a lecture on kibbutz life. You'll travel to the Dead Sea, where Globus has arranged for you to experience the water's buoyancy and receive a salt scrub gift. You'll also take a 4-wheel drive to the desert of Wadi Rum, virtually untouched by humanity with its incredible rocky landscape and centuries-old paintings spread on the rocky outcrops.

These are just some of the many highlights and marvelous sights you'll visit on this once-in-a-lifetime Israel and Jordan vacation!



Four Ways Globus Eliminates the Hassles

VIP Access

Skip the lines and get special treatment at the must-see attractions.

Perfect Hotels

We've done the work to find just the right hotels in just the right locations.

Tour Directors

Take your heads out of the guidebook and let expert guides make every destination fascinating.

Transportation

Leave the navigating to us – and just sit back and enjoy the ride. Learn how Globus is [reducing transportation-related energy use](#) and greenhouse gas emissions.

Itinerary

Day 1 **ARRIVE IN TEL AVIV, ISRAEL**

Welcome to Tel Aviv! Enjoy this evening's welcome dinner with your traveling companions and Tour Director.

 Dinner

Day 2 **TEL AVIV. EXCURSION TO VALLEY OF ELAH–LATRUN–JAFFA**

Drive into the ancient land of the Philistines and in the Valley of Elah. Stop at the site of David's victory over the Philistine champion, Goliath, and hear about this biblical event. Later, refresh your memory with the tale of Samson and Delilah as you proceed through the land of the Dan tribe to the wide Valley of Ayalon. At strategic Latrun, visit the MONASTERY OF THE TRAPPIST MONKS. Continue along the Mediterranean shore and stop in Jaffa for a walk through the beautifully restored ancient port, where medieval pilgrims started their strenuous 2-day trek to Jerusalem. Return to Tel Aviv.



 Breakfast

Day 3 **TEL AVIV–CAESAREA–ACRE–HAIFA**

Start your tour of the Holy Land with Caesarea, the perfect place to learn about the Roman and Crusader presence in the country. Visit the ROMAN AMPHITHEATER and the impressive CRUSADER FORTRESS, and admire Herod's stadium and harbor. Visit Acre, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, at the northern end of the lovely Bay of Haifa. Acre became the capital of the Crusader kingdom after its conquest by Richard the Lionheart. Marvel at the forbidding Ottoman fortress and tour the excavated part of the immense underground CRUSADER CITY with its secret passageways and the vaulted crypt of the Knights of St. John. Continue to Haifa, a city with a long history dating back to biblical times, and enjoy a visit to the golden-domed BAHAI' SHRINE, the world center of Baha'i faith.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 4 **HAIFA–NAZARETH–CANA–SEA OF GALILEE–KIBBUTZ**

Drive to Nazareth in Galilee to visit the contemporary CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION. Next, travel on to Cana, where Jesus changed water into wine at a wedding. To this day, many couples renew their wedding vows at this sacred place. After a panoramic view over Lake Tiberias,  enjoy a relaxing CRUISE on the Sea of Galilee, and see an ancient fisherman's boat said to be from the time of Christ. Time to relax before dinner, and this evening, you are invited for a  LECTURE ON KIBBUTZ LIFE.


 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 5 **KIBBUTZ–MOUNT OF BEATITUDES–CAPERNAUM–BET SHE'AN–JERUSALEM**

Heading towards the Sea of Galilee, visit the MOUNT OF BEATITUDES, where Jesus delivered his Sermon on the Mount. On to CAPERNAUM, where Jesus recruited his first followers among the fishermen. Via the ruins of Kursi, which memorialize two of Jesus' miracles, arrive at the Jordan River and visit a BAPTISMAL SITE. Then, visit the ancient city of Bet She'an with its fine ROMAN and BYZANTINE RELICS. The city is located at the foot of Mount Gilboa, where King Saul and his son died by their own hands in battle with the Philistines. On the way to Jerusalem, stop for a breathtaking panoramic view of the Holy City, considered one of the oldest places in the world, with a history dating back as far as 4000 BC.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 6 **JERUSALEM. EXCURSION TO MASADA & THE DEAD SEA**

Drive through the Judean wilderness to the Dead Sea, the lowest point on the surface of the Earth. Enjoy the scenery as you follow the road between the salty water and majestic desert mountains. Catch glimpses of the caves of Qumran, where the precious Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Ascend by cable car to the spectacular cliff-top FORTRESS of Masada, and hear how 960 Jewish rebels made their last stand against Roman forces. Around lunchtime, reach one of the comfortable Dead Sea resorts for free time to  experience the incredible buoyancy in the heavy saltwater and receive a SALT SCRUB GIFT. Then, back to Jerusalem.

 Breakfast

Day 7 JERUSALEM. EXCURSION TO YAD VASHEM–THE ISRAEL MUSEUM–BETHLEHEM

Visit YAD VASHEM, the “World Holocaust Remembrance Center,” then continue to the ISRAEL MUSEUM to see the Shrine of the Book and the Dead Sea Scrolls as well as a scale model of Jerusalem at the time of Christ. Proceed to Bethlehem and see Shepherd’s Field, where the angels announced the birth of Jesus. Also visit the CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY, which stands on the site where Jesus was born.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 8 JERUSALEM. EXCURSION TO THE OLD CITY

Visit the GARDEN TOMB, and after a stunning view of the city from the revered MOUNT OF OLIVES, start your guided walking tour. See the Chapel of Dominus Flevit, designed in the shape of a teardrop to symbolize the tears of Christ, and arrive at the GARDEN OF GETHSEMANE, where Jesus prayed the night before his arrest. Nearby are the Cave of the Assumption of Mary, believed to be the Virgin Mary’s tomb; and the Cave of Betrayal, where Judas betrayed Jesus. Follow the VIA DOLOROSA with its Stations of the Cross, marking the path Jesus walked on the way to his crucifixion. In Golgotha, visit the CHURCH OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE, erected on the site of the crucifixion and which houses the remaining five Stations of the Cross. On to the WESTERN WALL, the only remnant of the Second Temple. See the Temple Mount and the Dome of the Rock, which are sacred to both the Jewish and Muslim people. Then, stroll through the restored Jewish Quarter to MOUNT ZION and visit the UPPER ROOM, where Jesus and his disciples had the last supper; the TOMB OF KING DAVID; and the HOUSE OF CAIAPHAS, where Jesus was kept the night after his arrest and where Peter denied knowing him three times. This evening, enjoy a farewell dinner with your traveling companions of an unforgettable journey through the Holy Land.


 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 9 JERUSALEM, ISRAEL–ALLENBY BRIDGE–JERASH, JORDAN–UMM QAIS–AMMAN

A comfortable drive across the Allenby Bridge, brings you to Jordan. Then north to JERASH, which was inhabited as early as 3200 BC. Although the city was impacted by the earthquake of 749 AD, it is the site of the best preserved Greco-Roman ruins in the Middle East. Next, stop in Umm Qais, site of the Gadarene swine miracle, before arriving in Jordan’s capital, Amman.


 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 10 AMMAN–WADI RUM–PETRA

An exciting visit to Wadi Rum is on the program today. Wadi Rum is the largest wadi (ravine) in Jordan and made eternally famous through the movie Lawrence of Arabia. Enjoy a spectacular  FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE through the sand dunes and receive a keffiyeh, a local headscarf. Continue to the “Rose-Red City” of Petra, where you can relax at your hotel this evening or explore the ancient city.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 11 PETRA

A full day of sightseeing with a Local Guide is dedicated to Petra, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the New 7 Wonders of the World®. Lost to the world for centuries, it is located in the biblical land of Moab.  Enjoy an unforgettable experience as you walk down the SIQ, the narrow gorge made famous in the movie Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade. Stand in awe in front of the iconic and famed TREASURY. You’ll see spectacular temples and tombs created out of the rose-colored sandstone, and sip tea in a real BEDOUIN TENT.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 12 PETRA–KERAK–WADI MUJIB–DEAD SEA

This morning, visit the CRUSADER CASTLE in Kerak, and Wadi Mujib, the “Jordanian Grand Canyon.” Continue to your hotel at the Dead Sea for your 2-night stay.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 13 DEAD SEA. EXCURSION TO MADABA, MOUNT NEBO & BETHANY BEYOND THE JORDAN

A fascinating day visit ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH in Madaba, which houses a precious 6th-century mosaic map of the Holy Land. Also explore the MADABA ARCHAEOLOGICAL MUSEUM. Today's major highlight is a visit to MOUNT NEBO, where Moses saw the Promised Land. Next is Bethany Beyond the Jordan, where Christians believe that Jesus was baptized by John the Baptist. Return to the Dead Sea.

 Breakfast  Dinner

Day 14 DEAD SEA

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning. The nearest airport is Amman.

 Breakfast

Vacation Highlights**TEL AVIV**

Welcome dinner

LATRUN AREA

Visit the site of David's victory over Goliath in the Valley of Elah, the Monastery of the Trappist Monks in Latrun

JAFFA

Walking tour of the ancient port

CAESAREA

Visit the Roman Amphitheater and the Crusader fortress

ACRE

Visit the underground Crusader city

HAIFA

Visit the Baha'i Shrine

NAZARETH

Visit the Church of the Annunciation

CANA

Visit the site of the first miracle

SEA OF GALILEE

Panoramic view; see an ancient fisherman's boat; enjoy a cruise

KIBBUTZ

Lecture on kibbutz life

MOUNT OF BEATITUDES

Visit the site where Jesus delivered his sermon

CAPERNAUM

Visit the site where Jesus recruited his followers

RIVER JORDAN

Visit a baptismal site

BET SHE'AN

Admire its Roman and Byzantine relics

JERUSALEM

A panoramic view from the Mount of Olives; visit the Garden of Gethsemane; guided walking tour, follow the Stations of the Cross along the Via Dolorosa and visit the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the Western Wall, and walk through the Jewish Quarter to Mount Zion, visit the Upper Room, the tomb of King David, and the house of Caiaphas; visit Yad Vashem and the Israel Museum; the Church of Nativity in Bethlehem; the Garden Tomb; farewell dinner

MASADA

Ride a cable car and visit the cliff-top fortress

DEAD SEA

Experience the buoyancy feeling in the Dead Sea water and receive a salt scrub gift

JERASH and UMM QAIS

Visit

WADI RUM

Four-wheel drive to Jordan's largest wadi

PETRA

Guided sightseeing. Including the (LF) Siq and the Treasury; sip tea in a Bedouin tent

KERAK

Visit the Crusader Castle

WADI MUJIB

Visit the "Jordanian Grand Canyon"

MADABA

Visit St. George's Church and the Madaba Archaeological Museum.

MOUNT NEBO

Visit the area Moses saw the Promised Land

BETHANY BEYOND THE JORDAN

Visit the site of John the Baptist's settlement

DEAD SEA

Farewell dinner

Scenic Highlights

- Please check visa requirements with your local consulate(s); responsibility for obtaining visas rests with the traveler.

Meals

Full buffet breakfast daily; 11 three-course dinners, including a welcome dinner in Tel Aviv

Hotels**Tel Aviv**

Herods Hotel Tel Aviv



Hotel as shown or similar Superior First-Class>

Contemporary High-rise Hotel situated on the Mediterranean, in hub of fashionable tourist center.

Haifa



Dan Panorama

Hotel as shown or similar Superior First-Class>

Sleek 19-story Tower set on the slopes of Mount Carmel, overlooking Haifa Bay.

Kibbutz



Kibbutz Lavi

Hotel as shown or similar First-Class>

Guest House & Kibbutz in two buildings, situated on a hillside with views of the Golan Mountains.

Jerusalem



Dan Panorama Jerusalem

Hotel as shown or similar First-Class>

The Dan Panorama Hotel Jerusalem with its dignified architecture and honey-colored Jerusalem stone exterior resonates with the spirit of this legendary city. One of Jerusalem's favorite hotels, the Dan Panorama Hotel boasts an exceptional location that enables you to explore Jerusalem's multifaceted attractions simply by stepping outside.

Amman

Amman Marriott

Hotel as shown or similar



Superior First-Class|>

Located in beautiful Shmeisani area, The Amman Marriott Hotel offers comfort and convenience to business and leisure travelers. It affords guests easy access to the business district and cultural attractions in the region, as well as being short distance from the shopping district and the financial center.

Petra



Petra Marriott

Hotel as shown or similar Superior First-Class|>

Enjoy one of the Seven Wonders of the World, the ancient Nabatean city of Petra carved from the rock over a thousand years ago. Embracing traditional hospitality and overlooking Jordan's timeless wonder, the Petra Marriott Hotel offers anticipatory & traditional service designed to exceed all expectations. The hotel is a haven for comfort and luxury.

Dead Sea



Jordan Valley Marriott

Hotel as shown or similar Superior First-Class|>

The Jordan Valley Marriott Resort & Spa located at the Dead Sea offers spectacular views of the Dead Sea from each of its guestrooms and from nearly every facility and restaurant on the property. The resort offers luxurious accommodations, a variety of dining options and relaxing and invigorating leisure facilities.

Jerusalem

Petra

Jerusalem

Jerusalem



Spectacular Light Show and Middle Eastern Dinner

Enjoy the spectacular light show at the Tower of David followed by a delicious Middle Eastern dinner.

Price Range: \$\$

Petra

Petra



Excursion to Little Petra

Enjoy a guided excursion to Little Petra or Al Beidha, once a commercial area and on the trade route to the north and northwest.

Price Range: \$

Dates and Prices

Find the vacation dates that work for you, click "Reserve Now" for a vacation quote. You'll be able to select the number of people traveling, add Travel Protection, and also get an air-inclusive vacation price. You'll find we offer competitive and hassle-free air-inclusive vacations where you receive free airport transfers and flights coordinated with vacation dates.

The price listed does not include your airfare, taxes or fees. Once you click "Reserve Now", you will be able to receive an air quote and a final vacation quote.

Departure Details	Tour Start Date 7/22/2019	Return Date 8/4/2019	Land/Cruise Price Only \$3,699
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	8/12/2019	8/25/2019	\$3,799
	8/26/2019	9/8/2019	\$3,869
	9/2/2019	9/15/2019	\$3,829
Popular Departure	9/9/2019	9/22/2019	\$3,829
Popular Departure	9/16/2019	9/29/2019	\$3,829
	9/23/2019	10/6/2019	\$3,829
	9/30/2019	10/13/2019	\$3,869
	10/21/2019	11/3/2019	\$3,869
Popular Departure	11/4/2019	11/17/2019	\$3,869
Early Booking*	3/2/2020	3/15/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	3/9/2020	3/22/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	3/16/2020	3/29/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	3/23/2020	4/5/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	3/30/2020	4/12/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	4/13/2020	4/26/2020	\$4,279
Early Booking*	4/27/2020	5/10/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	5/4/2020	5/17/2020	\$4,069
Early Booking*	5/11/2020	5/24/2020	\$4,069
Early Booking*	5/18/2020	5/31/2020	\$4,069
Early Booking*	5/25/2020	6/7/2020	\$3,889
Early Booking*	6/8/2020	6/21/2020	\$3,889
Early Booking*	6/22/2020	7/5/2020	\$3,889
Early Booking*	7/6/2020	7/19/2020	\$3,859
Early Booking*	7/20/2020	8/2/2020	\$3,889
Early Booking*	8/10/2020	8/23/2020	\$3,989
Early Booking*	8/24/2020	9/6/2020	\$4,069
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Early Booking*	9/14/2020	9/27/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	10/5/2020	10/18/2020	\$4,029
Early Booking*	10/12/2020	10/25/2020	\$4,069
Early Booking*	10/19/2020	11/1/2020	\$4,069
Early Booking*	10/26/2020	11/8/2020	\$4,069

Popular Departure - due to itinerary and time of year, this departure historically sells out quickly. Early booking is encouraged.

*Indicates that this departure and vacation is available for 2020 early booking. All tours will be open for 2020 bookings in the Fall of 2019. Vacation upgrades and/or additions will not be available for early booking, as well as, any extra pre- or post-night pricing until the Fall of 2019. Future travel promotions are not applicable and are not retroactive on early bookings. Offer reliant on space availability. Applies to new 2020 bookings only. Full cancellation penalties will apply. Additional restrictions may apply.

Single Supplement and Triple Reduction pricing listed above is for 2019 only. For 2020 departures, select "RESERVE NOW" to receive the 2020 price.

Travel Terms & Conditions

The purchase of any travel services offered by Globus, constitutes a contractual arrangement between you (the Traveler) and Globus, and represents your acceptance of the Terms & Conditions. Please ensure that you read carefully and understand the Terms & Conditions prior to booking. These Terms & Conditions cover Deposit & Final Payment information, Air-Inclusive Deposits & Final Payment, Revisions & Revision Fees, Air Arrangements, Participation, Travelers Who Need Special Assistance, Young Travelers, Smoking, Price Policy, Visas and Passports, Hotels & Accommodations, Baggage Allowance, Travel Documents, Not Included in the Land Price, Refunds, Service Inquires After the Vacation, Holidays, Safety, Photos &

Pictures, Optional Excursions, and Responsibility.

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Important Notes

- Vacation departures, itineraries and prices are subject to change.
- A non-refundable, non-transferable deposit is required for Globus to reserve space for you. View [Terms & Conditions](#) for limited exceptions.
- The following charges are not included in the land vacation price unless otherwise noted: airfare to and from the start of your vacation; Intra-vacation air unless specified in the itinerary; airline baggage fees including checked and/or excess baggage fees; Federal inspection fees for the Federal U.S. Customs and Immigrations; International Air Transportation tax; agricultural tax; other per person taxes imposed by government entities; airport taxes and fees including the September 11th Security fee up to \$11.20 per person, passenger facility charges up to \$18 per person, Federal domestic flight segment fees up to \$4.00 per segment, and U.S. and International arrival and departure and other government-imposed added by the airline and applicable at time of booking; port taxes; passports; visas (except on Cuba programs) and vaccinations; tips to your Tour or Cruise Director, Globus Group Leader in Cuba, Local Host, driver, Local Guides, and/or ship's crew; gratuities on ferries, trains, and cruise ships; laundry; telephone; minibar; alcohol, beverages, and food outside of the contracted Globus menu as presented at a hotel or restaurant or onboard your vessel (these extra items will be billed to you before leaving the hotel, ship, or restaurant); airport transfers on non-qualifying flights; optional excursions; additional activities and excursions purchased online; portage at airports and train stations; Travel Protection; and all other items of a personal nature.

Booking your Vacation with Air

For air departure dates within 331 days, you'll be offered a choice of carriers and flight schedules as well as price points to choose from when selecting your flights. Your schedule will be provided to you at the time of booking (schedules are subject to change by carriers). Globus offers 2 air options: Flex Air and Instant Purchase Air. Flex Air allows flexibility if you want to make changes to your vacation schedule. Instant Purchase Air may offer additional airline options but has more restrictions. Some vacations may only offer one Air type option. Guaranteed air-inclusive prices: air is only available to passengers traveling from the United States and only available when booked in conjunction with a land vacation. An additional \$300 per person non-refundable air deposit is required for Flex Air booked in conjunction with any land vacation (i.e. air-inclusive vacation). Air can only be booked by Globus in conjunction with a vacation package. Instant Purchase Air requires air payment in full at time of booking (i.e. air-inclusive vacation) plus non-refundable per person service fee (\$30 for North/Central America, \$50 for Europe/Middle East and \$80 for all other destinations). Once booked, Instant Purchase Air is non-refundable, and non-changeable. Some vacations may only offer one Air type option. However, once your airfare is confirmed and Globus has received your full air and land deposit, your air-inclusive vacation price is guaranteed.

Air-Inclusive Vacations — Applicable Taxes & Fees

Air-inclusive vacations include government-imposed taxes and fees applicable at the time of booking and will be shown as a Total Amount. Additional airline fees for baggage may apply. At the time of booking your air-inclusive vacation online, carrier Websites will be provided to check baggage fees, or you can visit www.iflybags.com for up-to-date baggage pricing/restrictions. For return travel from some countries, international travelers are required to pay entry and/or exit fees at the airport. These fees will be collected by the local government and are payable by the traveler at time of travel. Your confirmation booking information will contain information about these fees.