

# Registration Form

First Fruits of Zion **2020** Modern Israel Tour (April 19–30)



## PERSONAL INFORMATION PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY — ONE FORM PER TOURIST.

### NAME AS IT APPEARS ON YOUR PASSPORT

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Passport Number

Nationality

Expiry Date (MM/DD/YY)

Birthdate (MM/DD/YY)

M  F

Gender

### CURRENT HOME ADDRESS

Street Address

Apt. #

City

State/Province

Zip/Postal Code

Telephone (home)

Telephone (work)

E-mail

### PREFERENCES

Frequent Flyer Number (Validation of FF # is required upon check-in for your flight.)

Special Meal Request:

Kosher  Vegetarian  Other (please describe)

Would you like a single-occupancy room?  Yes  No  
(If "yes," a single supplement cost of \$925 will be added to your invoice.)

Roommate preference

### EMERGENCY CONTACT

Last Name

First Name

Street Address

City

State/Province

Zip/Postal Code

Telephone #1

Telephone #2

Email

### REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

*\* Your \$500 non-refundable deposit must accompany your registration. Payment may be made online at the First Fruits of Zion web store, ffoz.com.*

I have read and accept the terms and agreements of this tour:

Signature

Date

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## Tour Conditions & Responsibilities

FIRST FRUITS OF ZION 2020 MODERN ISRAEL TOUR ■ APRIL 19–30, 2020

**COST**—Full package, including airfare to and from the USA, is \$4,350; a land-only package is available for \$3,100.

**RESERVATIONS**—A \$500 non-refundable deposit and the completed Registration Form will enroll you in this tour so long as space remains. The remaining balance of \$3,850/\$2,600 is due at the FFOZ office by December 15, 2019.

**AIR TRANSPORTATION**—Round-trip group fare on regularly scheduled commercial flights from Chicago, Illinois, USA with purchase of the full tour package; after tickets are issued, they are non-refundable. Land-only tourists are responsible to purchase their own transportation to and from Ben Gurion airport in Tel Aviv.

**TRAVEL INSURANCE**—FFOZ requires ALL travelers to have either health insurance or travel insurance prior to departure. (One option is [travelguard.com](http://travelguard.com).)

**PASSPORT**—Must be valid 6 months beyond date of re-entry into the USA—for this trip until October 28, 2020. Apply for your passport now; FFOZ must have a digital copy of your passport. Visas are issued upon arrival at the airport in Israel at no cost.

**VACCINATIONS & IMMUNIZATIONS**—are not required for Israel.

**HOTELS**—Ten nights in Israel—Four-star first-class hotels and kibbutz hotels are based on sharing twin-bedded rooms with private bath. Single rooms (limited number) are available at an additional cost of \$925. Single travelers will be matched with a suitable, same-sex roommate, and triple-occupancy may be formed in cases of odd numbers of same-sex travelers.

**YOUR LUGGAGE**—One suitcase will be handled for you upon arrival in Israel, transferred between hotels, and back to the airport. One carry-on that fits under the plane seat or in the overhead bin is permitted.

**RESPONSIBILITY**—Neither FFOZ, Sar El Tours, tour guides and hosts or their agents shall be liable for any injury, damage, loss, accident, delay, or irregularity which may be occasioned, whether by reasons of defect in any vehicle or through acts of default of any company or persons engaged in conveying the passenger or in connection therewith or of any hotel proprietor or servant. Such conveying, etc., is subject to the laws of the country where the conveyance, etc., is provided. The aforesaid entities can accept no responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in transportation, company service, sickness, weather, strikes, war, quarantines, or other causes. All such losses or expense will have to be borne by the passenger. The tour host reserves the right to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of the tour whose mental or physical condition or general deportment impedes the operation of the tour or affects the rights, welfare, or enjoyment of other tour passengers. The right is also reserved to cancel or alter the tour if circumstances require it. All arrangements for air transportation are made by the airlines concerned, which are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or event during the time passengers are not on board their planes or conveyances. The passenger contract in use by the airlines concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the purchasers of this tour and/or passengers. No responsibility of any kind attaches to FFOZ, Sar El Tours, or their representatives, or any of the persons or companies mentioned above, or any agent, associate, or employee thereof.

**RATES INCLUDE**—Round-trip flights from Chicago, Illinois to Tel Aviv (for full-package tourists); ten nights of accommodation in Israeli kibbutz-style lodging (four nights) and four-star Jerusalem hotel (six nights); air-conditioned tour bus; dynamic, knowledgeable, and friendly tour guide; entry fees to all sites (as listed on the itinerary); all tips; breakfasts and dinners daily; airport pick-up and drop-off.

**RATES DO NOT INCLUDE**—Beverages; some lunches (please budget \$20/day for three days of the tour); extra hotel services (phone calls, room service, laundry, etc.); single hotel room supplement (\$925); passports; travel insurance; voluntary “Love Offering” for guide and driver; budget for shopping and supporting some sites we visit (i.e., The Olive Oil experience, which sells a variety of excellent olive products or the Tura Winery for those interested in bringing home boutique bottles of wine from Israel); anything else not specifically listed as included.

**PAYMENT**—All payments should be made to FFOZ. A \$500 deposit is due upon registration. Full payment and final registration are due on or before December 15, 2019. Any bookings without full payment at this time may be subject to cancellation. All prices are quoted in US Dollars. A price increase may be applied if the US Dollar to Israeli Shekel exchange rate fluctuates by 5% or more as of January 15, 2020 or for government tax and fee increases, or for unforeseeable circumstances. You will be notified immediately upon discovery of an increase and will have the option of paying the difference or canceling with full refund. Cancellation will result in forfeiture of deposit and balance paid. If FFOZ should elect to cancel prior to departure, a full refund will be issued.

**ACCOMMODATIONS**—Price is based on double occupancy. Single rooms, when available, are often smaller than double rooms. While we will try to match roommates, we cannot guarantee a double-occupancy-only rooming situation. In cases where an odd number of same-sex travelers are present, triple-room occupancy will be assigned. Single room occupancy is available for \$925 before January 15, 2020.

**FLIGHTS, ROUTES, AND TICKETING**—Flight times are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. FFOZ is not responsible for such changes or delays and do not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays if necessary by the airline. Flights will be economy class, non-amendable, non-refundable.

**ADDITIONAL AIRLINE FEES**—You may incur additional airline fees at check-in or on board for excess baggage, food, personal items, etc. We highly recommend bringing only one suitcase to check-in and one carry-on bag for easy access to your luggage while on tour.

**ITINERARY CHANGES**—The course schedule is given in good faith, but it is subject to change to adapt to climate conditions, time limitations, or other circumstances at the discretion of the instructor.

**CANCELLATION FEES**—Cancellations result in costly charges from travel and hotel providers. Therefore, the following fees will apply: Up to 120 days prior to departure, you will be refunded all funds paid except a \$100 administrative fee and any airline fees; 120–80 days = you will be charged the \$500 deposit plus any airline fees/penalties; 80–65 days = \$600 plus any airline fees/penalties; 65–31 days = 40% of total cost plus any airline fees/penalties; 30 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. Also, if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single, you will be charged a single room supplement. Time of cancellation will be when notice is received in our Jerusalem office. (Please note that cancellation fees may be covered by your travel insurance plan provided the premium has been paid and the reason for cancellation is insurable.)

**HEALTH & SPECIAL ASSISTANCE**—All tour participants are required to have (and show proof of) travel insurance for this tour prior to departure. The tour is active and may include a considerable amount of walking on uneven terrain. Travelers must be in good health. A Physician’s Form is required to be signed for each participant. Persons needing assistance must be accompanied by an able companion who will assist them. We regret that wheelchairs and motorized scooters cannot be accommodated on our tour.