



## TOUR NO. 2. Massada and the Dead Sea

### Departures: Daily



Today you will learn about **Massada** and the heroic story of the fighters and you will visit the resort area of the lowest place on earth: the **Dead Sea**.



Depart via the Judean hills to the **Dead Sea**, the lowest place on earth. Visit the "Ahava" Dead Sea Cosmetics Factory. Drive along the shores of the **Dead Sea** to **Massada**. Ascend by cable car and tour the mountain fortress built by King Herod, where the Zealots of the first century made their last stand against the Romans. Visit the **remains of the walls, palaces, synagogue, water cisterns, mosaic floors, roman baths** and other findings. Descend by cable car. Continue to the Dead Sea: Enjoy the unique opportunity to swim and float in the Dead Sea, that many believe has therapeutic effects. On the way back, view Qumran caves, where the Dead Sea scrolls were found.

Note: From the arrival of the cable car to the archaeological site there are 80 steps to climb.



### Please note:

- Pick-up: from Tel Aviv Hotels at 07.20 - 07.30  
from Jerusalem Hotels at 08.50 -09.30
- Entrance fees **are** included; lunches **are not** included.
- Changes in the program are possible due to Holidays or force majeure.
- The tours are not operated during Jewish Holidays: Passover, Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur.
- For the tours to Jerusalem, Haifa and Nazareth, modest attire is required for visiting holy places of any religion (men with head covering, women with shoulder covering; for both men and women - no shorts).
- For the tours to Massada and the Dead Sea head covering, sun protection lotion, bathing suit and towel are recommended.
- For all tours, comfortable walking shoes are

suggested.

All tours are conducted by government licensed

guides and in luxury air-conditioned vehicles and buses.

Daily tours are conducted in English (second language upon request).

Valuable belongings should never be left unattended in the vehicle.

The Tour Operator will not accept responsibility for any loss, injury or damage