

# Culture Extension Tour

05 September to 08 September 2022

ITINERARY - 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS

In the heart of the Fertile Crescent, Jordan is part of the birthplace of civilization. Brimming with relics from ancient times, this tour will show you some of the highlights - from biblical locations to Roman ruins to an Arab crusader castle.

## Day 1: 05 September – Madaba and Mount Nebo, Baptism Site & Amman

The day starts with a visit in the historical city of Madaba, famous for ancient "Mosaic of Jerusalem", one of the oldest pictured testimonials of the Holy city. A church has now been built up around the mosaic to protect this historical site. Continue to Mount Nebo, the mountain where Moses saw the Holy Land before finding his final resting place on the mountain. You can enjoy the great views to Israel and the Jordan Valley. Then it is off to Jordan Valley to the Baptism Site. The day finishes in Amman and check into your hotel.

*Meals included: Breakfast and Lunch.*

## Day 2: 06 September - As-Salt and Amman

Today the tour takes you to the small town of As-Salt, a living museum. As-Salt features old lanes and dazzling houses from the late Ottoman period and a walking tour through this inviting community showcases some of Jordans most charming buildings and bazaars. In As-Salt, many traditional businesses and skilled artisans enrich the city's cultural life where you will see a variety of different trades and shops including blacksmiths, shoemakers, barbershops, Arabic sweet stores, and herbalists. After visiting Salt, you head back to Amman and do a sightseeing tour of the capital's most prominent sites and buildings. Overnight in Amman.

*Included Meals: Breakfast and Lunch.*

## Day 3: 07 September – Ajloun and Amman

After breakfast we head to the Castle of Ajloun, another highlight of northern Jordan. The Ajloun Mountains are famous for their lush vegetation and thick green forest. The journey heads north through the Jordan Valley to the excavated city of Jerash, Pompeii of the East. In its peak, the city flourished from trade with the Nabateans from Petra and was one of the most important cities in the Roman province. In 747 AD Jerash was hit by an earthquake and slowly the city was abandoned. As the years went by, sand buried the columns and buildings, which is why everything was so well preserved when a Russian expedition excavated the city in 1878. After lunch in Jerash the tour heads back to Amman. In the evening we head to a local restaurant in Amman for a group farewell Dinner.

*Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner.*

## Day 4: 08 September - Farewell Jordan

The great adventure in Jordan is over and it's time to bid farewell to this extraordinary country. Check-out time from the hotel is at 12.00 pm. All participants are transferred from Amman to Queen Alia International Airport.

Three transfers are arranged which get you to the airport at 5am, 1pm and 6pm.

It is possible, for an extra charge, to book a different time to suit your journey.

*Meals included: Breakfast.*

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SINGLE ROOM

\$882 AUD

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### PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 3 nights at 3\* Hotel in Amman  
Check in: Mon 05 Sep 2022  
Check Out: Thu 08 Sep 2022
- Transportation as per itinerary
- Meals as per Itinerary
- Entrance fee to Madaba, Mt Nebo, Baptism Site, As-Sait and Jerash
- Local Tour Guide

