



“Dual Narrative” Mission to Israel & The West Bank

April 26 - May 1, 2026

Included

- 5 nights accommodation at hotels
- 2 days touring with 1 MEJDI guide
- 2 days touring with 2 MEJDI guides: one Israeli, one Palestinian
- 3 days of private coach transportation
- Public transit pass as needed for Day 2
- Group airport transfer upon arrival in TLV
- Additional meals per itinerary: 2 lunches and 1 dinner
- Entrances, activities, and honorariums for speakers
- Customary gratuities for guides, drivers and included meals
- 24/7 ground support from MEJDI's logistics team

Not included:

- International Airfare
- Travel insurance - highly recommended
- Single supplement = \$600
- Airport transfers for departure
- Meals not mentioned in itinerary
- Anything not explicitly mentioned as included



MEJDI TOURS



TOUR ITINERARY

Travelers will depart from CMN midday on Sunday, April 26, arriving late night at TLV airport.

*Suggested flight (**do not book your flight until tour is confirmed**):*

Iberia Airlines departing CMN at 12:40pm to MAD (~3 hr layover);

Iberia Airlines departing MAD at 6:20pm, arriving to TLV at 12:10am.

Day 1: Arrival - Sunday, April 26

- Land at TLV late night (12:10am Monday) and transfer to your accommodations.

OVERNIGHT: *Tel Aviv boutique hotel*

MEALS: *Breakfast Included*

Day 2: Tel Aviv - Jaffa Perspectives - Monday, April 27

- Start the day later in the morning, gathering as a group for an opening conversation of transition from Morocco to exploring the current dynamics in Israel.
- Head to the **Carmel Market** for a brief tour of the city center and lunch on own.
- Reach south Tel Aviv to view **graffiti murals** representing the experience of **Israeli children and mothers in captivity**.
- Continue to the plaza outside the Tel Aviv Museum of Art, dubbed **"Hostage Square"** since October 2023.
- Discuss the "Bring Them Home Now" imperative and the legacy of demonstrations that have now defined Israeli public life for consecutive years.
- Head to Jaffa for discussion with a local civil society leader, exploring the history, identity, and current social status of Palestinian citizens of Israel, including reflections on the Nakba.

OVERNIGHT: *Tel Aviv boutique hotel*

MEALS: *Breakfast included*





ETZ CHAYIM TOUR ITINERARY

Day 3: Collective Memory - Tuesday, April 28

- Begin the day in conversation with **Standing Together**, a grassroots movement mobilizing Palestinian and Jewish citizens of Israel in pursuit of peace, equality and social justice.
- After a briefing on the situation in Gaza from a leading expert, depart to **Sderot** to explore its complex history and firsthand accounts of living under threat.
- Continue to the **Gaza border lookout point** for broader geopolitical context and discussion of the deep impacts of war on the Gazan infrastructure and civilian life.
- Arrive at Kibbutz **Re'im** and the **Nova Music Festival site**, where you'll engage with stories of trauma, survival, and collective memory following the events of October 7.
- Travel to **Jerusalem** and check in to your accommodations.

**Possible to connect with a local representative of Project Rozana on this day.*

OVERNIGHT: Jerusalem boutique hotel

MEALS: Breakfast and lunch included

Day 4: Jerusalem in Focus - Wednesday, April 29

- Begin the day in MEJDI's unique "Dual Narrative" format with two guides - one Israeli, one Palestinian - exploring in and around the **Old City of Jerusalem**, including panoramic views of Jerusalem's diverse neighborhoods and conversation about the city's visible and invisible boundaries.
- In the late afternoon, hear from a representative of **Rabbis for Human Rights** about how the organization has evolved in the last 2+ years, especially their work with Palestinian communities in Area C.

OVERNIGHT: Jerusalem boutique hotel

MEALS: Breakfast included





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Day 5: Beyond Bethlehem - Thursday, April 30

- Begin the day at the **Educational Bookshop** in East Jerusalem in conversation about Palestinian life and culture in the city.
- Head to **Bethlehem** for lunch with a local family or women's cooperative.
- See the murals along the separation/security barrier and hear personal stories of those navigating the current conflict.
- Conclude the day in conversation with a representative from a leading organization working to build a more just and peaceful future in the region.
- After facilitated reflection with your guides, enjoy a **farewell group dinner** near the bustling Mahane Yehuda market.

Some flights to the US will depart late night on Thursday/12-1am Friday morning. Private airport transfers offered for an additional cost.

OVERNIGHT: *Jerusalem boutique hotel*

MEALS: *Breakfast, lunch and dinner included*

Day 6: Departure - Friday, May 1

Self-transfer to the airport for departing flights, request an extended hotel reservation (for an additional cost), or continue your travels in Israel.

OVERNIGHT: *N/A*

MEALS: *Breakfast included*

