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Josh McDowell

Set Sail on the Cruise of a Lifetime!
16 days, 12 cruise nights,
1 incredible trip!



ROME • JERUSALEM • GALILEE • MYKONOS • ATHENS • CORINTH
FLORENCE • PISA • VENICE • CYPRUS • MALTA • CRETE

Compass Biblelands Cruise
SEPTEMBER—OCTOBER 2019

Wow!

September-October 2019

Biblelands Cruise

Join us for a 16-day trip of a lifetime!



Parthenon • Athens

Oh wow, the land of the Bible! You've read about it, now it's time to see it with your own eyes! And once you do, you'll simply never be the same. Come with us and see your Bible change from black and white to full living color!

We don't send you to the Holyland, we take you!

Over 25 years of escorting groups through the magnificent Biblelands has given us in-depth knowledge and experience—critical in choosing the very best destinations, accommodations, schedules and guides to make your trip to God's special place on earth the best it can be.

We've designed a fantastic itinerary on a remarkable 16-day trip that includes 12 fabulous cruise days. You'll experience up-close the forever-impacting Mediterranean ports of **Athens (optional Corinth)**, **Jerusalem** (two days), **Galilee**, **Rome**, **Malta** and **Rhodes**. Plus the knock-your-socks-off islands of **Crete**, **Mykonos** and **Cyprus**! Combine all those sites with stellar at-sea Bible studies and there's not a better Holyland itinerary on any ship!!



Biblelands Cruise Baptisms in the Jordan River



Empty Tomb • Jerusalem

But there's more!

You also have the option of extending your trip a few extra days by adding two nights in **Venice** and two nights in **Tuscany**, visiting the **Leaning Tower of Pisa** and breathtaking **Florence**. If you've got the time and a few extra bucks, this is a no-brainer to include!

Finally, the ship is *Celebrity's* stunning **Infinity** . . . in a class by itself. *Celebrity Cruises'* ships have recently been voted "Best Premium Cruise Line" (10 years in a row) by *TravelWeekly's Readers' Choice Awards*.

So it's 16 days, 4 countries and a lifetime of

memories—pray about joining us for this incredible trip! To reserve your stateroom, just fill out the registration and mail it to: *Compass*, P.O. Box 3747 • Coeur d'Alene, ID 83816, fax to (208) 762-3363, email staff@compass.org or send phone pic of completed form to 208-660-3333. *Register early for best cabin incentives!*



Photo by Judy Birschbach

Colosseum • Rome

Your Cruise Hosts and at-sea lecturers



Josh & Dottie McDowell Married 46 years

God has used Josh as a Christian apologist, writer and speaker for over 50 years. He has over 150 books published, including *Evidence That Demands a Verdict* and *More Than a Carpenter*, selling tens of millions of copies. He speaks hundreds of times each year around the world on various Christian topics.

Bill & Susie Perkins Married 43 years

Bill and Susie founded *Compass* in 1993 with the mission to defend the accuracy of the Bible through *Steeling the Mind Bible Conferences* and Bible trips to the Holyland. They also co-author *Good Morning Lord!* daily email Bible studies and have authored numerous books and DVDs.



Pre-cruise trip to Corinth



Many people elect to arrive a day early to acclimate to the time change, etc., before boarding the ship. So we have a no-brainer option—an easy day tour of Ancient **Corinth** where Paul lived for 18 months and addressed two of his New Testament letters. It's an excellent tour day that includes the **Temple of Apollo** ruins, the remnants of the infamous **Bema Seat** and an incredible museum. Also includes the **Corinth Canal**, **Mycenae**, and the theater at Epidaurus. Cost for airport pickup, hotel, dinner and breakfast, full day tour, all entrance fees, guide, Class A bus and an awesome lunch is \$279 pp dbl occ. **Just check the box for the Corinth option on your registration!**

A Taste of Italy



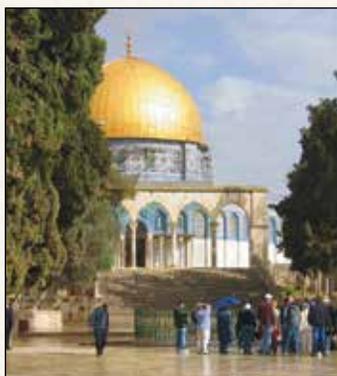
If you can stay a few extra days you can top off your amazing cruise by adding unbelievable **Venice**, the world-famous **Leaning Tower of Pisa** and historic **Florence/Tuscany** which includes visiting Michelangelo's world-famous Statue of David. In Venice you'll spend two picturesque days on the island photographing the historic Venetian waterways, eating in its world-famous canal-lined restaurants and visiting 900-year-old theaters and museums. You'll fly home from Venice.

The price is \$1,895 (pp dbl occ) and includes two nights in Florence (Santa Maria Novella Hotel), two nights in Venice (Danieli Hotel on the

Grand Canal), transportation from Rome to Florence, Florence to Pisa, Florence to Venice and all transfers. **Just check the box for the Taste of Italy option on your cruise registration to add this incredible option.**



Jerusalem Overnight



Spend a memorable night in history-rich Jerusalem! If you choose this option, you'll disembark the ship our first morning in Jerusalem with your overnight bag and at the end of the day, rather than returning to the ship (a one-hour drive each way) you'll be transferred to a five-star hotel in the heart of Jerusalem. The sights and sounds of Jerusalem will forever be etched into your mind.

The cost is \$195 (pp dbl occ) and includes the hotel, an incredible Jewish dinner and breakfast and all transfers. There is just something about spending the night in Jerusalem that permeates your soul forever! **Just check the box for the Jerusalem Overnight on your registration.**



Biblelands Cruise

September-October 2019

Main Cruise—Sept 27-Oct 12
Taste of Italy—Oct 12-16

Post-Cruise Option

Taste of Italy

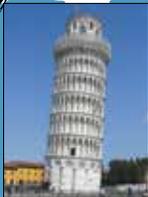
Italy



Venice



Florence



Pisa

Venice
Pisa
Florence
Rome



Greece

Athens
Corinth
Mykonos

Compass At-Sea Sessions

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16 Days!
The Trip of a Lifetime!

- 5-star ship
- 12-day cruise
- 4 countries
- 3 days in Israel
- 1 day/night in Athens, Greece
- 1 day/night in Rome, Italy
- Optional extension to Venice/Florence

Balconies available!



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Celebrity Cruises' "Infinity"



What our past Biblelands travelers have said . . .

"We made life-long friends."

"We were duly impressed with the quality of this trip."

"We should have taken this trip a long time ago!"

"This was a dream come true!"

"I thought calling it 'The Trip of a Lifetime' was a bit of a stretch. I was wrong. Now it's an understatement!"

"Israel is nothing like what you see on TV."

"Now it's like I'm reading a different Bible."

"Well organized, solid teaching, great group of people."

"This trip was a life-changer. I'll never be the same."

"This trip would have been worth it for twice the money."

"Great guides, great Bible studies, great food, great ship. I'm coming back!"

"Viewing the Temple Mount from the Mt of Olives, knowing Jesus is going to rule the earth from that very spot, was incredible."

Malta
Crete
Rhodes
Cyprus
Galilee
Jerusalem
Israel



Biblelands Cruise

September-October 2019

CORINTH PRE-CRUISE OPTION

- 26-Sept Depart USA.
- 27-Sept Arrive **Athens, Greece**. Overnight Athens.
- 28-Sept Visit **Corinth** and Canal. Overnight Athens.

ISRAEL ITINERARY—OCT 3-5

Included in cruise package.

Saturday, Oct 3: Jerusalem

Wailing Wall, Southern Steps, Jewish Quarter, Broad Wall, Temple Mount, Bethlehem overlook. Return to ship or choose optional overnight in Jerusalem.

Sunday, Oct 4: Jerusalem

Mount of Olives, Palm Sunday Road, Garden of Gethsemane, Caiaphas House, St Ann's, Pools of Bethesda, Antonia Fortress, Golgotha and communion at the Empty Tomb. Return to ship.

Monday, Oct 5: Galilee

Nazareth, Valley of Armageddon, Cana, Sea of Galilee boat ride and Bible study, Ancient Boat, Mount of Beatitudes, Capernaum, baptisms in Jordan River.

CRUISE ITINERARY

- 27-Sept Depart USA.
- 28-Sept Arrive **Athens, Greece**, overnight Athens.
- 29-Sept Visit Athens, board ship.
- 30-Sept **Mykonos, Greece**.
- 1-Oct **Rhodes, Greece**.
- 2-Oct **Cyprus, Greece**.
- 3-Oct **Jerusalem** (see itinerary at right).
- 4-Oct **Jerusalem** (see itinerary at right).
- 5-Oct **Galilee** (see itinerary at right).
- 6-Oct Free day at-sea, optional lectures.
- 7-Oct **Crete, Greece**.
- 8-Oct Free day at-sea, optional lectures.
- 9-Oct **Malta**.
- 10-Oct Free day at-sea, optional lectures.
- 11-Oct Arrive and tour **Ancient Rome**, and **Vatican Square**, overnight in Rome.
- 12-Oct Travel home or begin *Taste of Italy* tour.

TASTE OF ITALY POST-CRUISE OPTION

- 12-Oct Travel to and tour historic **Florence**.
- 13-Oct Astonishing Leaning Tower of **Pisa**.
- 14-Oct Travel to Venice by train via **Tuscany**.
- 15-Oct The mind-blowing water canals of **Venice**.
- 16-Oct Travel home from Venice.

September/October 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
Sept 22	23	24	25	26 <i>Depart USA for optional Corinth extension</i>	27 <i>Arrive Athens</i> Depart USA	28 <i>Corinth</i> Arrive Athens
29 Athens, Board Ship	30 Mykonos, Greece	Oct 1 Rhodes, Greece	2 Cyprus, Greece	3 Jerusalem, <i>(Optional overnight in Jerusalem)</i>	4 Jerusalem	5 Galilee
6 Free Day At Sea	7 Crete, Greece	8 Free Day At Sea	9 Island of Malta	10 Free Day At Sea	11 Arrive, Tour Rome	12 Depart Rome or <i>(Optional) Taste of Italy To Florence</i>
13 Pisa/ Tuscany	14 To Venice via train	15 Venice, Italy	16 Travel Home from Venice	17	18	19



Sign me up for the trip of a lifetime!

Biblelands Cruise 2019 Registration



Sept 26-28

Pre-Cruise option:

Corinth \$279 pp dbl occ

See page 3 for details.

- One night in Athens
- Breakfast, lunch & dinner
- Corinth Canal
- Bus, guide and early arrival transfers
- Full-day tour of Ancient Corinth
- Not included: Tips and VAT

Sept 27-Oct 12

Biblelands Cruise

Prices are pp dbl occ.

Choose a stateroom:

- Ocean View \$5,995 *Sold out!*
- Concierge/Balcony \$7,995
- Veranda/Balcony ~~\$7,595~~
- Aqua Class \$8,295
- Suite: Call for pricing

Includes:

- 12-day cruise on Celebrity's *Infinity*
 - All group airport and ship transfers
 - Roundtrip airfare from NYC
 - Three full days of private Israel tours with Israeli guides, site entrance fees & lunches
 - Shipboard meals and entertainment
 - *Compass* group credentials for at-sea sessions
 - Overnight stay (incl. meals) in both Athens and Rome
 - Private Athens and Rome tours
- Not included:** Tips, taxes, port charges & optional tours

Balcony available!



Oct 12-16

Post-Cruise option:

Taste of Italy \$1,895 pp dbl occ

See page 3 for details.

Includes:

- Two nights in Florence and two nights in Venice (On the island/Danieli Hotel on the Grand Canal/San Marco area!)
- Entrance fees to Michelangelo's David
- Walking tours of Florence and Venice
- Train trip to Pisa and Venice from Florence
- **Not included:** Tips, taxes, lunches and dinners

Optional:

- Jerusalem overnight** \$195pp dbl occ Includes hotel, awesome Israeli dinner & breakfast & (see page 3 for details).
- Single room** (no roommate): For cruise, Athens & Rome +\$3900 (Ocean View) • *Taste of Italy* option +\$995 • Corinth +\$99.
- Trip Insurance** (Recommended). We'll send you a quote for you to approve. You're billed only when you accept.

Choose your options above and fax, email, postal mail or phone picture this registration to Compass. You will receive a statement confirming registration details, balance and payment due dates.

Deposit per person: Cruise \$750, Taste of Italy \$250 Balance due: 50% April 1, 2019 and 50% (balance) June 15, 2019.

I wish to pay my deposit by check (enclosed) or bill my credit/debit card below.

- Check Enclosed *Make payable to Compass*
- MasterCard
- Visa
- Discover
- American Express

_____ - _____ - _____ Exp. _____ Security Code _____

Email _____ Daytime Phone _____

(Email is important! We use it to communicate when possible and never sell or rent our lists!)

Cell Phone _____

(Required by ship as an emergency contact number.)

I accept the "Terms and Conditions" of this trip listed at Compass.org/articles.

X _____

Signature

Date

Home airport

Name 1) _____ M F Passport # _____ Exp _____ DOB: _____
As it appears on passport MM/DD/YYYY MM/DD/YYYY

Name 2) _____ M F Passport # _____ Exp _____ DOB: _____
As it appears on passport MM/DD/YYYY MM/DD/YYYY

- Passport has been applied for (please send picture/copy of passport via email, mail, or text to (208) 660-3333 when received).*

TSA PreCheck/Global Entry #(s) 1) _____ 2) _____

Nickname(s) (for name tags) 1) _____ 2) _____

Address for FedEx shipping _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Name of Roommate (if different from above) _____ Group (if any): _____

Friends/Family (for dinner seating, bus, etc.) _____ Capt's Club # 1) _____ 2) _____

Questions?
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Terms & Conditions

Biblelands Cruise September-October 2019 with Post-Trip option to Italy

The Compass Biblelands Cruise 2019 (hereinafter "Compass") is developed and organized by Compass International, Inc. (a non-profit, non-denominational ministry).

Please note that this is a private trip and participants must be approved. Payment due dates and cancellation fees are structured to match those incurred by the trip. Please read the following *Terms and Conditions* in their entirety—it's important to know all the details, payment dates and coverage.

By signing the registration sheet you acknowledge receiving and agreeing to the *Terms and Conditions* set forth below covering *Biblelands Cruise 2019* and any post-trip options. The Conditions of Carriage of the Cruise Carrier are expressly incorporated into this contract.

Smoking

The *Biblelands Cruise 2019* is a smoke-free trip for all passengers in the common areas of the hotels, site visits and inside the ship. This includes halls, dining rooms, lounges, game rooms, meeting rooms and individual staterooms. Smoking outside the land hotels and on certain outside cruise decks is permissible.

Name Changes and Documentation

Participation in this trip is limited to persons whose payment and contract have been received by *Compass*. Name changes are not allowed unless previously approved by *Compass*. Circumstances prohibit transfer of participation to passengers other than those to whom the original registration was made.

All members of this trip must carry passports valid for at least six months beyond the scheduled date of return to the United States. This means your passport must be valid through April 16, 2020, or longer if you choose to extend your trip beyond the cruise. Also, document requirements may vary depending on your citizenship. **Non-U.S. passport holders may be required to obtain other visas for certain countries or ports of call and are personally responsible for securing such permits/visas.** Passengers denied boarding of planes and/or cruise ship due to missing or improper documentation will not be the responsibility of *Compass*. No visa is required for Greece, Israel, or Italy for U.S. citizens.

Air and Cruise Tickets

All trip air and ship tickets are valid only for the dates booked and indicated on documents. Tickets will be sent to you approximately 7-10 days prior to your scheduled departure and after full payment has been received by *Compass*. Tickets for bookings made within 14 days of departure (if available) may be picked up from our representative at the designated hotel in Athens on the day of departure. Re-issuance of air tickets that are lost or stolen prior to departure, or required to be reissued for any other reasons, may be subject to charges or fees by the air carriers and/or other vendors, and may be substantial.

Limitations

This is a private trip. *Compass* reserves the right to decline, reject, or retain any member as a participant in this trip at any time for any reason. The air carrier(s), cruise line, group operators and *Compass* reserve the right to substitute equipment and properties to add or delete en route stops at their discretion with or without notice. The hotels, ground operators, cruise lines and other vendors used by *Compass* reserve the right, in special circumstances, to substitute accommodations and/or transportation of similar or better quality without penalty.

Baggage

Compass cannot be held responsible for delay, loss, or damage to baggage. Travelers are encouraged to check their *Travel Tips* booklet to find ways to reduce the likelihood, or minimize the problem, of having lost or delayed luggage.

Baggage restrictions apply to this trip. You are allowed to check one piece of luggage, maximum 50 pounds, one carry-on bag (maximum weight 17.6 pounds) and one personal item per person. Your carry-on must be one piece of luggage (or handicap device) and may need to be as small as 22.05x17.72x9.84."

Deposits & Reservations

Your reservation cannot be confirmed until the signed registration form and a total deposit of \$750 (or \$1000 if including Italy extension) plus the full amount of the insurance, if selected, are received. One half of the balance is due April 1, 2019 and the remaining balance is due June 15, 2019. The first half payment can be made earlier in order to secure the best air pricing and schedules and becomes nonrefundable from *Compass* (airline credits may be available). Payment is due in full if registering after June 15. Your booking may be canceled if not fully paid by the due date. Please make all checks payable to *Compass*.

Cancellations and Refunds

In the event that you must cancel your reservation (assuming no insurance or a non-covered reason) or payments are not received by specified deadlines, refunds are made in accordance with the following schedule:

Per person cancellation fee, if notice is received:

* 180 days or more prior to your departure date:

Cancellation fee is \$500 per person plus any domestic air and insurance or add-on travel you have purchased.

* 179-90 days prior to your departure date: Cancellation fee is \$1,000 per person plus any domestic air and insurance or add-on travel you have purchased.

* 89-0 days prior to your departure date: Cancellation fee is 100% of package price or deposit (the insurance allows cancellation for covered reasons).

If you wish to book your air prior to your first 1/2 payment due date (to get the best domestic cost and the best schedules), your first 1/2 balance must be pre-paid, plus any additional domestic air charges. All payments paid at that point then become non-refundable.

Refunds and Problems

Unused Trips: No refund will be made for any transportation, accommodations or services included in the trip price, or booked separately, which you, by your choice, do not use.

We recommend you use the *Compass*-appointed travel agent to book your domestic flights from your home airport. We regret we cannot be held responsible for complications from missed connections due to weather or mechanical problems.

We strongly recommend you purchase trip insurance.

Additional Charges

The airlines and cruise operator have given us a price of fuel "not to exceed." Also, *Compass* pays most of the trip expenses in euros. If at the time of sailing fuel does exceed the fuel contractual amount or the dollar loses more than 5% value against the euro, a surcharge will be added. The cost will be pro-rated among all passengers not to exceed \$150 per passenger. (This has happened only once in our last 25 cruises.) The included airfare from NYC to Rome has pre-determined budgets. If the airfare cost at the time of booking exceeds these budgets, an additional charge reflecting the difference may added—although this has never happened in the past. If registering after May 1, Celebrity may raise the cost of a stateroom. If this happens, we pass the cost of the increase on to the registrant who has the right to rescind the registration upon receipt of new total.

Responsibility

Compass has the responsibility of booking with airlines, hotels, condominiums, ground operators, guides, and cruise lines to provide you with these services. The carriers, hotels, cruise lines, and other suppliers providing services are independent contractors and are not agents, employees, or servants of, or joint venturers with, *Compass* or its affiliates. All certificates and other travel documents for services issued by *Compass* are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the supplier and to the laws of the countries in which the services are supplied. Each participant agrees not to hold *Compass International Inc.*, its employees, or trip leaders liable, in the absence of its own negligence, for any loss, act or omission, whether negligent or otherwise, of any person or firm which is to or does provide goods or services for the trip and shall have no liability to the participant for the quality of services or the condition or cleanliness of accommodations or for any transportation delay, including but not limited to liability for inconvenience, shortened vacation time, additional expense, or any other kind of damage. *Compass* is not responsible for government actions, weather, mechanical breakdowns, war, terrorism, acts of nature (secularly known as "Acts of God"),

or other circumstances beyond its control. (Insurance is included that covers most of these plus other coverages.) If a travel ban is imposed by the United States on any country we are scheduled to visit, another route or port may be substituted.

In the past we have always traveled to Israel under State Department "travel warnings" without incident and expect to do so in the future. In the event of delay, the airline or cruise line, and not *Compass*, determines delay procedures and the amenities/compensation, if any, to be offered.

Fit To Travel Statement

Participants registering for this trip accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites in Europe and Israel are not accessible to the physically challenged, those needing oxygen or who have difficulty walking or climbing stairs may be asked to remain on the bus in certain tour situations in order to not slow down the entire group. If you have questions, please contact us.

Optional Trip Activities

Excursion Activities: Trip participants may choose to engage in various activities including, but not limited to, swimming, jogging, water sports, horseback or camel riding, car rental traveling, shipboard activities and other "activities;" participants are hereby notified that these activities may be dangerous and may result in a serious injury and that participation in these activities shall be at the participant's own risk. *Compass* shall not be liable for any injuries sustained by trip participants which are a result of participants engaging in such activities.

Travelers Who Need Special Assistance

Compass must be advised of a participant's special requirements at the time of booking. We may or may not be able to accommodate special requests and cannot confirm a reservation until all travel suppliers have acknowledged that they can provide the services requested. Note: It is possible that *Compass* or its suppliers may have to deny participation in some tours if prior notification of special need is not given. We regret that, due to the nature of the planned itinerary, we cannot guarantee full participation to a member whose physical needs cannot be met. However, the average age of participants on past trips is 65 years and roughly 98% enjoy full participation at each site.

Major Changes

"Major changes" consist only of changes in the trip's departure city and/or departure dates by more than 72 hours, hotel substitutions of lower quality, or a price increase exceeding 10 percent of the trip price occurring 21 or more days before departure. In such cases *Compass* shall notify participant(s) within 14 days after first knowing of such change, but in any event at least 21 days before scheduled departure. If *Compass* first learns of a major change less than 21 days before scheduled departure, *Compass'* liability is limited to a refund excluding insurance and airfare paid.

Compass has contracted with certain hotels to supply accommodation. Occasionally, the accommodation reserved is not available for a variety of reasons (*i.e.* unexpected maintenance problems, guest stay-overs, and overbooking by the hotel) and a substitute hotel of equal or greater quality is provided. In the event of your hotel standard being substantially downgraded, a refund reflecting the difference in price will be issued. The governing laws of the State of Idaho shall prevail and any dispute may be resolved in the City of Coeur d'Alene by means of arbitration. The prevailing party of any dispute will be entitled to recuperate pertinent legal fees and costs from the other party.

Brochure Validity

This brochure and Terms & Conditions cancels and supersedes any previous publications or advertisements to this same trip and cruise. The most current brochure or terms and conditions may be viewed and/or downloaded at www.compass.org.

Trip Insurance

We highly recommend that you purchase trip protection. The coverage includes sickness, death or accident of immediate family or travelling companion, trip interruption, and lost baggage. It covers pre-existing conditions if you purchase it when you first sign up for the trip. Check "Trip Insurance" on your registration form for a quote. You will receive a complete policy in the mail after you register.

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1 amazing cruise!

Details Inside!

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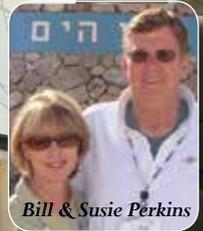
A Message from Compass

Susie and I've taken some 55 trips each to the Holyland and this is as good as it gets—a 16-day trip visiting major Biblical sites all around the Mediterranean Sea. And to top it off, 12 days are on a five-star cruise ship!!

The trip also includes airfare from NYC, overnights in Athens and Rome, five tours in Athens, Rome, Galilee and Jerusalem (2) and the incredible ship entertainment at night and optional Bible studies on the days-at-sea.

Truly the trip of a lifetime for either a first- or second-time Biblelands traveler. So check out the awesome details, including a great video overview on our website—compass.org. But we have limited space, and last year sold out, so please register early!

Bill



Bill & Susie Perkins