

## ***EXPERIENCE JORDAN***

### ***06 Nights / 07 Days***

#### **Amman \* Petra**

##### ***Highlights:***

- **Amman** – Visit Jerash, Ajlun & Um Qais, City tour of Amman, visit Desert castles, Mount Nebo & Madaba, Kerak
- **Petra** – Wadi rum, Dead Sea

##### **Day 01 Arrive Amman**

Arrive at Queen Alia International Airport. Our local representative will be waiting outside the customs area to welcome and transfer you to the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure to explore this capital city – a unique blend of old and new. Amman is ideally situated on a hilly area between the desert and the fertile Jordan valley. Enjoy the city with its modern buildings and hotels, restaurants, art galleries, boutiques and traditional coffee shops. Overnight at the Hotel.

##### **Day 02 Amman**

After breakfast, transfer to Jerash, Ajlun and Um Qais. Jerash, is also known as the “Pompeii of the East” and is one of best preserved Roman outputs. It offers extensive and breathtaking ruins of streets, arches, temples, spectacular theatres, plazas, public squares and baths. Hadrian’s Arch is one of the most astonishing ruins. Also visit Um Qais – is the most dramatically situated of the Decapolis cities. The place was home to several poets and philosophers. You can view fascinating ruins over here. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at the Hotel.

##### **Day 03 Amman**

After breakfast, proceed for a city tour of Amman. Visit the Citadel, Temple of Hercules, Roman Theatre, Church of Madaba and Blue Dome Mosque. Then proceed to the “Desert Castles” – Kharraneh, Amra & Azraq. Desert Castles are a unique and splendid remnant of medieval Arab architecture. See pavilions, caravan stations, secluded baths and hunting lodges. Overnight at the Hotel.

##### **Day 04 Amman - Petra**

After breakfast, check out and transfer to Petra. Enroute visit “Mount Nebo” – one of the most revered sites in Jordan. Here you will get a magnificent view of the Dead Sea and a panorama of mountains. On the summit of Mount Nebo, you can stand where the Prophet looked over the Jordan river towards Palestine. Then visit “Madaba” – City of Mosaics, home to one of the world’s largest collections of mosaics, 1400 years old. The ancient map of the Holy Land can be seen here. Also visit “Kerak”. Overnight at the Hotel.

##### **Day 05 Petra**

After breakfast, visit the town of Petra – Red Rose city. It’s a 2000 year old city carved into rose-coloured stone and hidden from view by the mountains. Petra stuns the visitors with its beauty and grandeur. Entered only through “The Siq” – a narrow 1.2 km long gorge hemmed in by 100 m. cliffs, is the main entrance into Petra. At the end of “The Siq” – is the “Al Khazna” (means treasury), carved out of solid rock, the urn perched at the top of the monument was believed to treasures, gold and precious jewels. Rest of the day at leisure to explore the town on your own. Overnight at the Hotel.

##### **Day 06 Petra – Wadi Rum - Amman**

After breakfast, proceed to Wadi Rum for a 1.5 hour tour with a Bedouin jeep ride inside Wadi Rum. This is a desert terrain with high rocky mountains, green oasis and valleys. Then proceed to the “Dead Sea” area, which is a beautiful landscape with the Dead Sea dropping more than 400 meters below sea

level. This is the lowest point on the face of the earth and the waters of the seas have salts and minerals and you can actually float on the waters. Proceed to Amman in the evening. Overnight at the Hotel.

**Day 07 Depart Amman**

After breakfast check out and transfer to the airport for your departure flight.