

*Southwest Valley Chamber of Commerce presents...*

# Iconic Israel

with Optional 4-Night Jordan Post Tour Extension

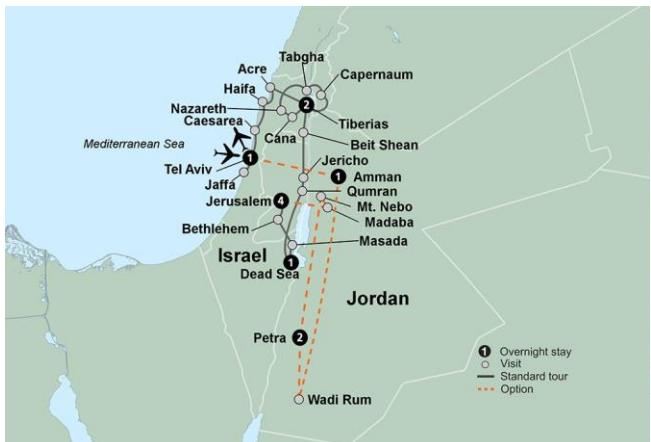
February 5 – 14, 2020



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& Save  
**\$200**  
Per Person

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**10 Days • 15 Meals:** 8 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 6 Dinners

## Book Now & Save \$200 Per Person:

**Double \$4,499;**    **Double \$4,299\***

**Single \$5,349;**    **Single \$5,149;**

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**For bookings made after Aug 06, 2019 call for rates.**

**Included in Price:** Round Trip Air from Sky Harbor Intl Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

**Not included in price:** Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$315 per person

\* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from PHX

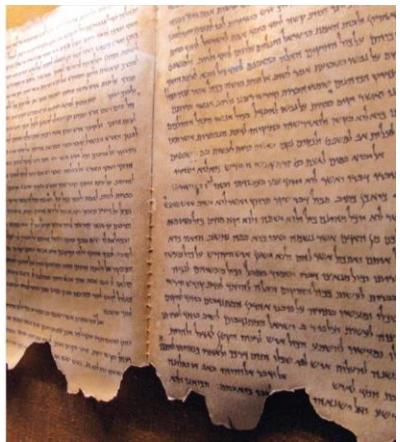
### Upgrade your in-flight experience with Elite Airfare

Additional rate of: Business Class \$4,990

† Refer to the reservation form to choose your upgrade option

**IMPORTANT CONDITIONS:** Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)

**Collette's Flagship:** Collette's tours open the door to a world of amazing destinations. Marvel at must-see sights, sample regional cuisine, stay in centrally located hotels and connect with new and captivating cultures. These itineraries offer an inspiring and easy way to experience the world, where an expert guide takes care of all the details.



## Culinary Inclusions

- Savor dinner at one of Jerusalem's most popular restaurants.
- Get a taste of the local flavor at a kibbutz.

## Collette Experiences

- Venture to the ancient Roman capital of Caesarea, built by Herod the Great around 22 B.C.
- See a boat that sailed the Sea of Galilee approximately 2,000 years ago.
- Ascend the ancient walls of Masada by cable car.

## Must-See Inclusions

- Discover the ancient cities of Nazareth and Bethlehem.
- Explore the oldest city on earth — the ancient ruins of Jericho.
- Delight in the wonder of the Dead Sea.

**Highlights:** Tel Aviv, Jaffa, Caesarea, Tiberias, Nazareth, Galilee Boat Museum, Sea of Galilee, Jericho, Qumran, Dead Sea, Choice on Tour, Masada, Bethlehem, Church of the Nativity, Jerusalem, Mount of Olives, Mt. Zion, The Western Wall

### Day 1: Wednesday, February 5, 2020

**Overnight Flight** Join us as we explore Israel, an ancient land rich in tradition – and home to some of the world's most important historic treasures.

### Day 2: Thursday, February 6, 2020

#### Tel Aviv, Israel - Tour Begins - Jaffa -

**Tel Aviv** Welcome to Tel Aviv, a bustling city on the Mediterranean coast. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner in the ancient port city of Jaffa. (D)

### Day 3: Friday, February 7, 2020 Tel

#### Aviv - Caesarea - Haifa - Acre -

**Tiberias** Follow the coast to the ruins

of the ancient Roman capital of Caesarea, built by Herod the Great around 22 B.C. Marvel at its Roman theater, aqueduct, and fortress. Travel the Valley of Armageddon to the excavation site of Tel Megiddo, which dates back to the Bronze Age. Next, take in the breathtaking panorama of Haifa and the Baha'i Shrine and Gardens on Mount Carmel (UNESCO World Heritage site). Step back in time in the ancient Crusader city of Acre (UNESCO). Your day comes to a close in Tiberias. (B, D)

### Day 4: Saturday, February 8, 2020

#### Tiberias - Cana - Nazareth - Tabgha -



**Capernaum - Sea of Galilee** Set off for Cana, considered to be the site of the First Miracle – where Jesus turned water into wine. In Nazareth, visit the Church of the Annunciation and Mary's Well. Continue to Mt. of Beatitudes, where Jesus delivered the Sermon on the Mount. See Tabgha, the site of the Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes. Before exploring the Galilee Boat Museum, make a stop at the ancient fishing village of Capernaum. Discover a boat that sailed the Sea of Galilee approximately 2,000 years ago – before heading out on a boat ride on those same waters. Get a taste of the local flavor during lunch at a communal settlement, known as a kibbutz. (B, L, D)

#### **Day 5: Sunday, February 9, 2020**

**Tiberias - Beit Shean - Jericho -**

**Qumran - Dead Sea** Peek into Roman times at Beit Shean's well-preserved ancient theater. **Continue along the Jordan River Valley to Jericho**, considered to be the oldest city on earth. Journey to Qumran, the location of one of the most important archaeological finds of all time – the ancient Dead Sea Scrolls. **Keep going**

**to the lowest place on earth, the Dead Sea. Then it's your choice!**

Stop at the AHAVA Visitors Center and learn about the world-famous cosmetics that come from the Dead Sea -**OR-** experience the natural buoyancy of the Sea during a tranquil "float" in its healing waters, rich with salt and minerals. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. (B, D)

#### **Day 6: Monday, February 10, 2020**

**Dead Sea - Masada - Bethlehem -**

**Jerusalem** Travel to the former palatial fortress of Masada (UNESCO).

**Ascend the ancient walls of Masada by cable car** to Herod's Palaces, the Roman Camp and the Synagogue. A stop in the city of Bethlehem, along the spread of the Judean Hills, delivers you to the **Church of the Nativity** – the birthplace of Jesus and the first church ever built. Tonight you arrive in one of the most captivating cities in the world, Jerusalem. (B, D)

#### **Day 7: Tuesday, February 11, 2020**

**Jerusalem** Drive to Mount of Olives for an all-encompassing view of Jerusalem and the surrounding area.

See the Church of Ascension and the Garden of Gethsemane. Discover the



Kidron Valley and the tombs of Mary, Absalom, Zachariah, and James.

Continue to St. Peter in Gallicantu and Mt. Zion to discover the room of The Last Supper and the tomb of King David. Marvel at the Shrine of the Book at the Israel Museum, home to a selection of the Dead Sea Scrolls. Your day concludes at the Garden Tomb. (B)

#### **Day 8: Wednesday, February 12, 2020**

**Old City, Jerusalem** Come to know the Holy City of Jerusalem on a walking tour of the old walled city (UNESCO). See the Western

(Wailing) Wall, the Temple area, the Dome of the Rock (outside view only), the Pool of Bethesda, and the Church of St. Anne. Next, walk the path of the Stations of the Cross as you traverse the Via Dolorosa, beginning at Pilate's Judgment Hall and ending at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Later, continue exploring the city on your own or peruse the sights and sounds of the world-renowned Mahane Yehuda Market, known as the *shuk*, or open-air market. (B)

#### **Day 9: Thursday, February 13, 2020**

**Jerusalem** Enjoy the day at leisure; explore on your own or simply relax. Perhaps you'll choose to take an optional tour to the Genesis Land on a jeep ride through the Judean Desert. This evening, join your fellow travelers for dinner at one of Jerusalem's most popular restaurants. (B, D)

#### **Day 10: Friday, February 14, 2020**

**Jerusalem - Tour Ends** Your tour comes to a close today. (B)

#### **Itinerary at a glance**

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Day 2	Isrotel Tower Hotel, Tel Aviv
Days 3, 4	Leonardo Plaza Hotel Tiberias, Tiberias
Day 5	Isrotel Ganim Hotel, Dead Sea
Days 6 – 9	Dan Boutique Jerusalem Hotel, Jerusalem

*On some dates alternate hotels may be used.*

For important reservation information visit <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/922391>.

You can also find this information on your tour documents.

## **Experience It! Jerusalem's Old City: A Confluence of Faiths**

Enter through the sacred gates to a labyrinth of winding cobblestone streets, densely packed inside an area less than a single square mile. In spite of its diminutive size, the walled Old City is of great symbolic importance for Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. Journey to venerable locations that have existed for thirty centuries. Stroll the Via Dolorosa, or Way of Sorrows, to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the site of Jesus Christ's crucifixion, burial, and resurrection.

Experience the solemnity of the Western Wall, the only surviving remnant of Judaism's most sacred shrine, the Temple Mount. Gaze in awe at the Dome of the Rock, one of the world's great architectural masterpieces. For Muslims, this is the site of the Prophet Muhammad's ascension to Heaven.

### **Please Note:**

#### **IDENTIFICATION**

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov) for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

**IMPORTANT:** We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers.

Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Proper dress is required when visiting religious sites, sanctuaries, basilicas, etc.

To truly experience the program and destination, you need to be able to participate in physical activities such as longer walking tours, walking over uneven terrain, climbing stairs and periods of standing. Some of the

touring days may be longer, with select included activities occurring later in the evening.

Air passengers will depart from Tel Aviv airport and all transfers will depart from Jerusalem for Tel Aviv airport.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Due to flight schedules, you may require a very early morning departure from the hotel on the last day (Day 10). Travel distance from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion airport is approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes. It is recommended that you arrive at Ben Gurion airport approximately 3 hours prior to departure.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

**A deposit of \$500 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of July 30, 2019 are based upon availability. Final payment due by December 07, 2019. Deposits are refundable up until August 06, 2019.**

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## Extend your vacation with

### Optional 5 Days 4-Night Jordan Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,499.00 USD per person, double, land only

6 Meals: 4 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners

#### **Day 10: Jerusalem - Border Crossing - Madaba, Jordan - Mt. Nebo - Petra**

This morning you travel to the Jordan Valley, crossing the border\* into Jordan. Travel the Desert Highway to the city of Madaba, the “City of Mosaics.” Visit the church of St. George to see the famous 6th-century Byzantine mosaic map of the region, one of the oldest in existence, and the museum where many other spectacular mosaic examples are on display. Visit a local mosaic school to learn the history of this ancient art and how to create your very own mosaic piece. You will also visit Mt. Nebo, where Moses saw the Promised Land – present day Israel – and is believed to be laid to rest. Continue to the ancient city of Petra for a 2-night stay.

#### **Day 11: Petra**

Enjoy a full day tour of the remarkable stone-carved city of Petra (UNESCO), one of the new Wonders of the World. A treasure of the ancient world, Petra was “hidden” behind rugged mountains prior to its discovery in 1812 after being lost for over 300 years. Explore this breathtaking city, carved from sandstone by the Nabataeans, with an expert guide and learn about the importance of Petra to the ancient trade routes, the history of its prominence and decline, its rediscovery, and efforts at preservation. This evening, experience the flavors of the region with a delightful dinner at a popular local restaurant. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

#### **Day 12: Petra - Wadi Rum - Amman**

This morning depart for the immense desert of Wadi Rum, stunning in its natural beauty and home of the famous film, *Lawrence of Arabia*. Experience desert life and learn about the fascinating history of the Bedouin people who have lived for generations in the Wadi Rum’s stark, fragile and unspoiled desert. Later, arrive in Amman, known as the “White City” because of white limestone used to construct the majority of the buildings. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

#### **Day 13: Amman - Jerash - Jordan Valley Border Crossing - Tel Aviv, Israel**

Travel the quiet valley among the mountains of Gilead to the city of Jerash – the “Pompeii of the East.” Step back in time as you tour the ruins with a local guide. Walk through columned streets, hilltop temples, public squares and plazas. Archaeologists uncovered evidence inside the city walls indicating Amman was occupied as far back as the Neolithic age over 6,500 years ago. Later, travel to the Jordan Valley Border Crossing,\* returning to Israel. Continue to Tel Aviv for your overnight stay. *Today breakfast will be included.*

#### **Day 14: Tel Aviv - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close today. *Today breakfast will be included.*

## Please Note:

\*When using the shuttle buses at the border crossings, a \$3 USD fee per person, paid in local currency or USD, is collected on the bus by each driver.

\*Israel exit fee is approximately \$32 USD per person, paid in local currency when crossing the border into Jordan. A Jordanian visa is required and can be purchased at the Sheik Hussein (Jordan Valley) border crossing at an approximate cost of \$57 USD, paid in local currency (40 Jordanian dinar). Money can be exchanged at the border crossing. When returning to Israel, the Jordan exit fee is approximately \$15 USD per person, paid in local currency, subject to change without advance notice. Rates are approximate and can be changed at any time based on governing authority.

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

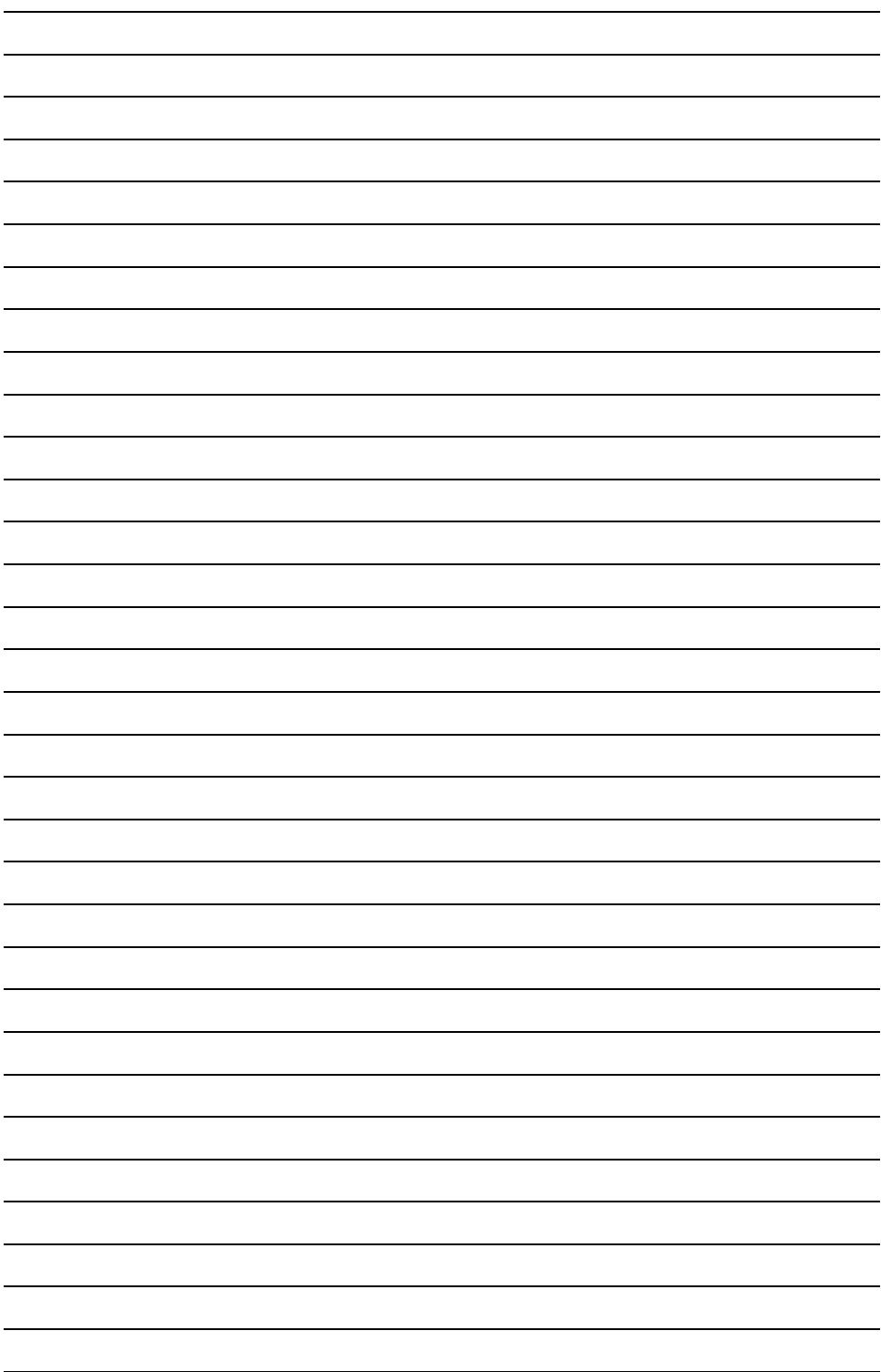
During your extension, your local guide will provide included sightseeing services and will be available via a local office at other times.

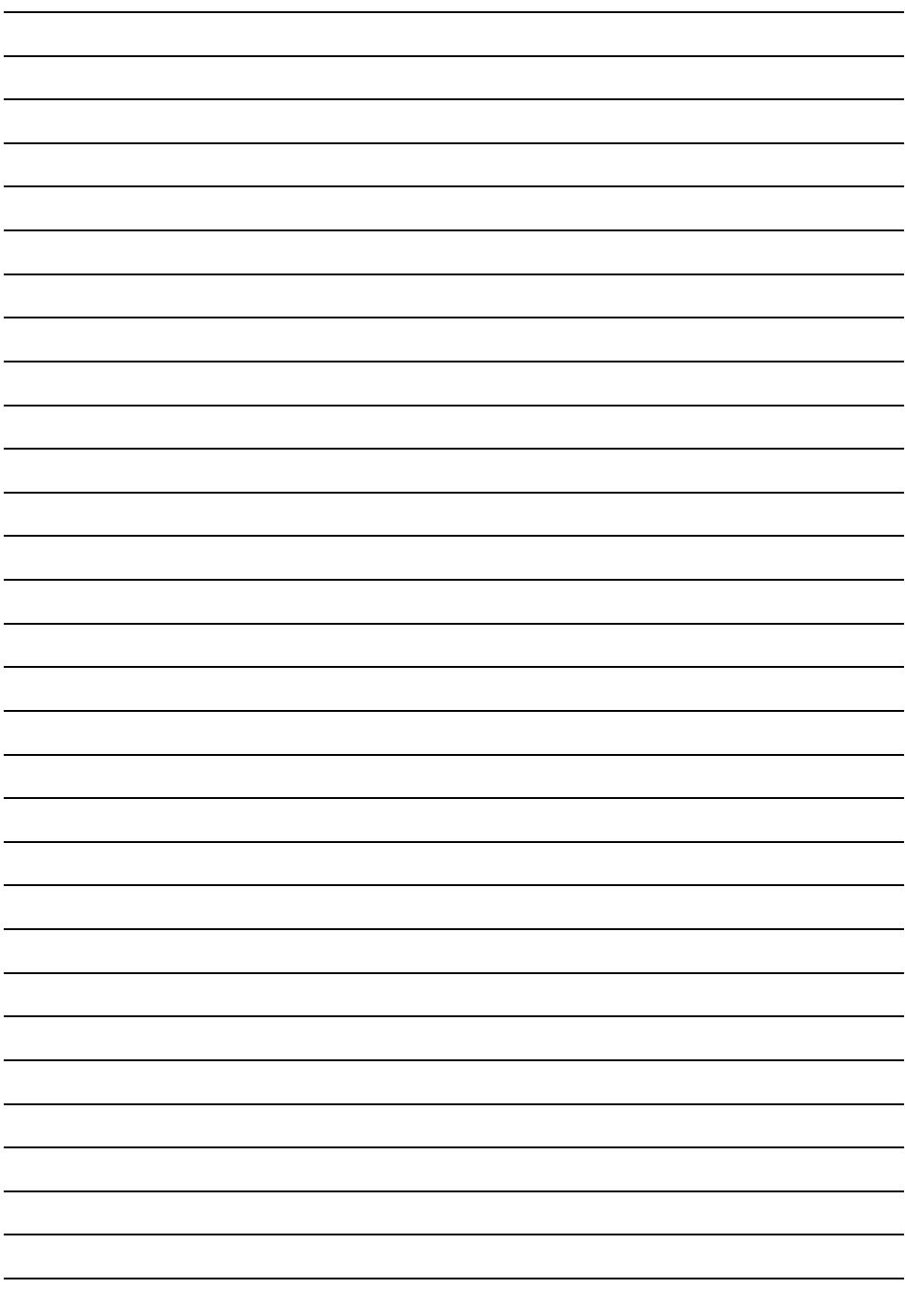
Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

A minimum of 4 passengers is required for this extension to operate.

This extension includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

## **NOTES:**





**For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/922391>**

## Air Upgrades

Collette's Elite Airfare allows you to travel in ultimate comfort and convenience. Treat yourself to a wealth of amenities that come with a business, premium economy, or first-class ticket. Land rested, refreshed, and ready for your adventure.

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## The Collette Gateway

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† Full credit is valid for your next tour when travel is completed within 12 months of the original trip. \$100 of the credit remains valid for travel within 13-24 months. Credit expires 24 months after the original trip.



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