

The Architecture of Holiness-Between East and West

Join in a unique experience to contemplate *Space*, between Holy and Profane
Guided by Julian Resnick

We will explore Israel in a way Israel is not usually explored. We will open our eyes wide to see both the great architecture and the great questions buildings raise for us in their beauty, ugliness and purpose. Is beauty inherent because of form, color, shape or does purpose determine how we see a space?

May 23-May 26, 2016

Day 1: Monday, May 23

What is Architecture?

- 16:00 Gather at the hotel
- Opening Site: Lifta and the Calatrava Bridge-We will explore the natural architecture of Jerusalem during the ages and compare it to foreign implants brought from overseas.
- Dinner at Jerusalem restaurant
- Evening discussion "The Architecture of Time"

Overnight: Jerusalem

Day 2: Tuesday, May 24

The Borderlines

- Morning: Who (has) designs (on) our deserts? The 'text' for this session will be the Machsom (Checkpoint) on the way out of Jerusalem towards Ma'alei Adumim, a Bedouin encampment along the road, The Inn of the Good Samaritan, and Mitzpe Yericho; the edges of Jericho
- Lunch in Ramot Eshkol
- Afternoon: "Things we see from over here are not seen from over here": Two guests will describe what they see as we move along what was once *No Man's Land*, between Jordan and Israel.
- Dinner at the hotel
- Following dinner: The architecture of food design with Shai Golan: A hands on patisserie workshop

Overnight: Jerusalem

Day 3: Wednesday, May 25

**Kadosh, Kadosh, Kadosh-Holy, Holy, Holy?
Is this not a blasphemy?**

- 05.30 Machaneh Yehuda Art walk
- 07.30 Breakfast at the Shuk
- Morning: Where may we go? Does conscience ever determine where we walk? Is Holiness inherent or dependent on how we behave in/relate to a place? We will visit David's City, the Kotel, the Temple Mount, The Mount of Olives, and Maria Magdalena.
- Lunch
- Afternoon: Break/Shlafstunda/siesta or optional museum visit
- Late afternoon: Walking the walk: from the Tachana Harishona to the Bilingual school
- Dinner on your own

Overnight: Jerusalem

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Thursday, May 26

Good Fences Make Good Neighbors?

- Morning: Musrara and Talbiye and one or two in between, between Black Panthers, Black hats and the Yekke Potz
- Lunch in Abu Ghosh
- Visit to new mosque in Abu Ghosh
- Afternoon: Visit the Gaza border Sderot, Kibbutz Kfar Azza and Gaza (Observation). Identities under extreme stress.
- Dinner at Julian Resnick's home on KibbutzTzora with a presentation by an Israeli Hi Tech Designer (What is Israeli Scientific engineering?)

Overnight: Jerusalem

Friday, May 27

Between the White City and Earthly Tel Aviv

- Depart Jerusalem and head to Tel Aviv
- The Kulturkampf: Rothschild, Ahad Ha'am and Shenkin- Tel Aviv is also the battleground upon which the cultural identity of the Jewish State is being fought with a passion which is so totally Israeli. We will unlock some of these issues on our walk.
- Lunch on your own in Tel Aviv
- 13.00 Arrive at Shefayim

Draft itinerary, subject to change

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