

Spring Break 2010

ENCOUNTERS AFAR: **JERUSALEM**

(TWO (2) CREDIT HOURS)

(WITH CAIRO ADD-ON)

Drs. Campbell & Heiser

Jerusalem (six days)

Price: \$1750-\$1950

During our six days in **Jerusalem** we will:

- ❖ Visit Christian sites such as the Garden of Gethsemane, the room of the Last Supper, Bethlehem, and the Church of the Holy Sepulcher (Built over Jesus' tomb and place of crucifixion)
- ❖ Visit Jewish and Muslim sites such as the Tower of David, the Wailing Wall, the Holocaust Museum, and the Dome of the Rock
- ❖ Explore Crusader sites in and around Jerusalem and elsewhere
- ❖ Make a special day-trip to the Jewish strong-hold of Masada (where defiant resistance against Roman besiegement ended in mass suicide in 73 AD), the Dead Sea, and Qumron (where the Dead Sea scrolls were discovered)
- ❖ Make a day-trip to the Roman ruins of Caesarea and the walled-Crusader city of Acre (where we'll crawl through the crusaders' network of underground tunnels)
- ❖ Witness the realities of the daily struggles and compromises between Palestinians and Israelis in occupied West Bank and Jerusalem proper
- ❖ Earn **Two (2) Credit Hours** studying Jerusalem's long and turbulent history.

*Accommodation will be in Jerusalem's walled, pedestrian-only Old Town, at a hotel just a short walk from the Via Dolorosa (Jesus' path of sorrow). www.gloria-hotel.com

Cairo Add-On (two days):

Price: \$750 (added to the above price)

For those who elect to also visit **Cairo** we will:

- ❖ Visit the Pyramids and Sphinx
- ❖ Explore the Egyptian Museum and the treasures of King Tut's tomb
- ❖ Go shopping in the back alleys of Cairo's medieval Islamic bazaar
- ❖ Visit the churches of Coptic (Christian) Cairo

*Accommodation will be in Cairo's bustling downtown, a short walk from the Nile.
www.talisman-hotel.com

