# DOOBIE SABBO TOURS OF ISRAEL



## Private, Custom Tours of Israel

I promise to give you an amazing tour of Israel that is custom fit to you and what you are interested in seeing. — Doobie Sabbo

**Private Tours** 

**Christian Themed Tours** 

**Jewish Themed Tours** 

**Group Tours** 

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- See what you want.
  - Our private tours cater to your specific interests and what you want to see and do. Before and during your tour, we will suggest things for you to do and see, so that you get the most out of your limited vacation time.
- See more of your Israel.
  - Avoid getting stuck in a large tour group, where you are rushed from spot to spot. Our private tours give you all the time you want to focus on the spots you want, and avoid those you don't.
- Your guide is a lifelong local.
  - Doobie Sabbo was born and raised in Israel. He has the facts, information, and skills to give you the best tour possible, avoiding large crowds and tourist traps.
- Israel's premier tour guide.
  - There are a lot of good guides in Israel, and a handful of excellent ones. Families, celebrities, lonely tourists, politicians and businesspeople consistently choose Doobie.

## **Private Jewish Tours**

Live your history.

Connect (or reconnect) with Jewish culture, religion and heritage. Our private tours will show you an entire side of Israel you never knew existed.

**Your** pilgrimage. Doobie will help you plan your customized tour to the holy land, so you'll experience the historical, spiritual and cultural sites that are important to you, and skip those that aren't.

Meet the locals. Born and raised in Israel, Doobie Sabbo knows people everywhere. You'll experience Jewish culture in Israel firsthand from the standpoint of Jews of all types engaged in the daily life of Israel.

The journey of a lifetime. Maybe you are trying to find out what Judaism means to you. Perhaps you are looking for your history, or even your present or future. Doobie will help you find what you're looking for. See some featured clients and what they found

Bar / Bat Mitzvahs. A bar mitzvah in Israel is an unforgettable experience. Doobie can arrange this and customize all details of your event, holding ceremonies at the actual locations you care about.

## **Private Christian Tours**

Walk in the footsteps. Our private tours allow you see and experience the areas where Jesus and his disciples walked, and where miracles were performed.

Your spiritual journey. Your vacation time is limited. Doobie will help you experience a custom tour of the Biblical sites that interest and move you, and skip those that don't.

Experience Christianity. See where Jesus was born, where he prayed, taught, died, rose and ascended. See where the prophets lived and walked. Bethlehem, Nazareth, The Mount of Olives, Capernaum, it's all here

See the secret spots. Doobie was born and raised in Israel, so he knows just about every stone. There are many traditional Biblical spots - and Doobie knows just about all of them.

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## Benefits of touring with Doobie:

#### More places & information

As a native of Israel, Doobie knows all the secret places that many other tour guides don't know about. Doobie has a lifetime of contacts in all areas of Israel that can get you just about anything you'll want or need.

#### You're in control

Doobie provides an itinerary, but he's flexible and ultimately works around your schedule.

#### VIP tours for everyone

Many of the leading travel agencies send their VIP's to Doobie. Doobie tours with everyone: families, lonely tourists, politicians, doctors, businesspeople

#### Education

Doobie's brings an extensive background and education to the the table. He served in an elite unit of the Israel Defense Forces and studied Geography and History at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Doobie is an honored member of the <u>Stanford Who's Who guide</u>.

#### Safety

Your safety is paramount. Doobie served in a special unit of the Israel Defense Forces. As a native of Israel, Doobie knows the fastest routes and best times to travel, and he is an **Authorized Driving Guide** with 33 years of driving experience and a clean record.

#### Licensed Tour Guide

Many other guides in Israel are not licensed, or provide tours part time. Doobie trained for years across a multitude of subjects to pass the official licensing exam set forth by the Ministry of Tourism, and he provides tours full time.

#### Born & raised in Israel

Doobie Sabbo was born in Jerusalem, and has over 17 years of professional tour experience. He knows just about every stone in Israel, and can help you **see more**, in the most efficient manner possible.

#### Better food options

Many guides simply take you to places where they receive kickbacks for bringing in customers. Doobie knows the best places to go that are **off the regular tourist trail**.

#### Premier

We focus on providing **quality**, **premier tours** that you will never forget. You'll see the places you won't see on the large tours.

#### Humor

Doobie means "teddy bear". He has a **great sense of humor**, which always helps lighten and ease the atmosphere when traveling. You'll see the lighter side of Israel as well.

#### Competitive pricing

For around the same price as most other tour guides, you can have the same excellent guide that celebrities and VIP's get - and see more of what you actually want to see.

#### Flexibility

You might wake up one morning and change your mind about what you want to see that day. No problem! Doobie realizes that this is your vacation and is happy to accommodate whatever you want to see and do!

# Pricing

## 1-6 people \$ 595 full day

Car includes:
200 km/day
Gas, insurance, tolls & parking fees
\$1.75 per additional km
Up to 10 hours/day
\$25 per additional hour

### 7-10 people <sup>\$</sup>750 full day

Car includes:
200 km/day
Gas, insurance, tolls & parking fees
\$2.75 per additional km
Up to 10 hours/day
\$35 per additional hour

### Guide only \$350 full day

No car Up to 10 hours/day \$35 per additional hour

#### **Pricing Explained**

#### The cost of living in Israel:

In Israel, the cost of living is about twice what it is in the USA. For example, a gallon of gas costs about \$9. Taxes in Israel are about 50%.

Our rates are very competitive with other private tour guides. However, at the end of your tour, we know you'll agree that the experience was well worth the price!

#### **Other potential costs:**

Not included with your tour are any site entrance fees (depending on what we do on your tour), overnights, meals and tips.

Overnight fees for the guide may be added (hotel, B&B) when staying outside of Jerusalem.

#### **How tipping works:**

Tipping works differently in different countries, and we are often asked if it is customary to tip in Israel. The answer is yes.

Beyond that, we are also asked about a fair amount to tip a guide. In general, 20% (or about \$100/day) is considered a fair tip.

All tours are conducted by an Authorized driving guide.

## Featured clients

Here are some of the notable clients we've had that we can share.





Amar'e Stoudemire, Christie Desfontaine of The Arrows, Kenny G., and Attorney Lane Potkin.





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