

Landmarks of Faith


FROM ISRAEL TO YOU!

Enrich your study of the Bible with these Bible-based seminars. Learn about customs, places, and events in Israel and Christian history! Seminars I, II, IV, and V include powerpoint presentations. A handout booklet with information and diagrams is also available for most of the seminars. The next best thing to a trip to Israel!

Seminar I: Jesus of Nazareth

1) Prayer Shawls and Money Belts: Jewish Life as Jesus Experienced It.



Clothing, Calendar, and Prayer. How did Jesus and the disciples worship God? How did they observe the Sabbath? How did they pray?

2) Scroll and Synagogue: Jewish Religion in Jesus' Day.

The Temple in Jerusalem: latest discoveries. The Dead Sea Scrolls: why are they important? New insights into Pharisees, Sadducees, and Zealots. Expectations of the Messiah.

3) Feeding Trough and Workman's Chisel: Jesus' Early Life and Trade.

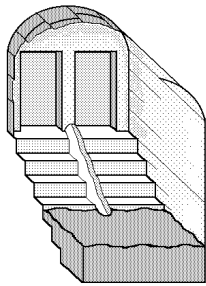
Discoveries at Bethlehem and Nazareth. Why were shepherds in the fields at night? Who were the Magi? Ancient Jewish marriage and other customs that explain Jesus' teachings.

4) Colonnade and Fisherman's Hovel: Jesus' Ministry in Galilee.

Capernaum and the Sea of Galilee. What did the homes of the disciples look like? How did Jesus' message compare to other teachings in Galilee?

5) Palm Branch and Olive Tree: Jesus' Passion and Triumph.

Mt. of Olives, Golgotha, the Empty Tomb. Why did the crowd bring palm branches? Why did Jesus choose Passover Eve for the Lord's Supper?



Seminar II: The Jewish Roots of Christianity

1) The Law of the Spirit: Early Jewish Christianity.

2) Anti-Semites and Idol Worshipers: The Gentilization of the Faith.

3) Politics and Power: Imperial Christianity.

4) The Cross and Star of David: Christianity and the Modern State of Israel.

Seminar III: The Revelation of Jesus Christ to John

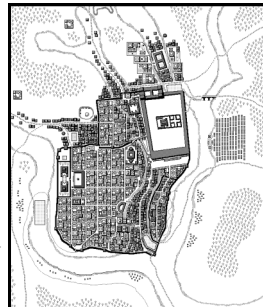
1) Laying A Solid Foundation: Using the Bible to Interpret the Bible.

2) The Court of Heaven and the Scroll of Judgment: The Beginning of Birth Pains.

3) The Dominion of the Beasts: A Prophetic View of History.

4) Payback Time: The Mother of Harlots In the Winepress of God's Fury.

5) The End of Life as We Know It: The Landscape of Eternity.



Seminar IV: Great Discoveries of the Bible

1) Before the Flood, Noah, Babel.

What can we know about the time before the Flood? Does Noah's ark still exist? What did the tower of Babel look like?

2) Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.

From Ur and Haran to Sodom and Gomorrah. Strange customs in Genesis explained by discoveries at Nuzi and Ebla. Abe's worship of God. What are standing stones? Why did God reject them?

3) Joseph, Moses, and the Exodus.

Who were the Midianites? What is the evidence for the route of the Exodus? Is there any truth to recent claims that Mt. Sinai is in Saudi Arabia? How can discoveries in the tomb of King Tut help us understand the Tabernacle? Seeing God on Mt. Sinai.

4) Joshua and the Judges.

Evidence for the destruction of Jericho and Hazor. Who were the Canaanites (Ugarit)? Evidence of the Israelites: their homes and way of life. Why do Samson and Goliath sound like Greek heroes?

5) David, Solomon and the Kings.

New discoveries in David's Jerusalem. What remains of the Temple of Solomon? Is the ark of the covenant in Ethiopia? Discoveries at Dan and Arad: Evidence of religious compromise with false gods. Hezekiah's victory. The fall of Jerusalem to the Babylonians.



Seminar V: Evidence of the Creation

1) Evidence from History

Six days or six eras: what does the Bible say? Science: from one "certainty" to another. Darwin's own limits. Racism and evolution. What really happened at the Scopes monkey trial? And more...

2) Evidence from Geology

How to make a rock. Why are rock formations flat? "Impossible" fossils. Radiometric contradictions. Traces of the Flood. Old sediments and a young earth. Footprints in the rock.

3) Evidence from Paleontology

Dinosaurs and the Bible. How quickly do fossils form? Frozen mammoths. Living fossils. Evolution or extinction? Unfossilized dinosaur bones. The links are still missing. Life before the Flood.

4) Evidence from Astronomy

How do planets form? Is the speed of light changing? Our puzzling moon. Lunar dust and crater creep. Young rings and youthful comets. Massive inter-galactic structures and the big bang.

5) Evidence from Biology

The miracle of DNA. Can life really be made in a test tube? If life is a game of chance, what are the odds? The truth about mutations. Ape-man hysteria. Living technology: evidence of design.

Scheduling Information

The Landmarks of Faith series draws on Pastor Jeff Harrison's years as a study-tour teacher in Israel. Photos, maps, and diagrams introduce you to locations, customs, and events in the Bible, Early Church, and the Middle East today.

The material Pastor Jeff will be sharing is based on his study with some of the top Israeli archeologists and scholars in Jerusalem.

Each seminar is made up of several sessions: seminars I, III, IV, and V have 5 sessions each, seminar II has 4 sessions. Each session is 1½ hours in length. This includes a powerpoint presentation (no powerpoint for Seminar III). One session may be held each evening for several days, or in any other convenient arrangement. No more than 2 sessions may be scheduled in a single day.

Handout booklets are available for each of the seminars. If your sponsoring organization would like to make these available to those attending the seminar, we will provide an original copy. They can then make copies and charge participants to cover copying costs. The booklet for Seminar I is 40 pages, for Seminar II is 25 pages, for Seminar III is 47 pages, and for Seminar IV is 31 pages. There is no booklet for Seminar V.

Seminars are made available on a free-will offering basis with accomodations for our family of four. Further details are available on request and on our web site.

To The Ends Of The Earth Ministries

seeks to educate the body of Christ with balanced, Biblical information about the Jewish Roots of our faith. The Bible says that in the last days "instruction will go forth from Zion, and the Word of the Lord from Jerusalem" (Isaiah 2:3). This prophecy is literally being fulfilled through the many new discoveries in Israel and the Middle East that make it possible to understand the Bible more accurately today than for almost two thousand years. The goal of this ministry is to interpret these discoveries accurately and make them available to the worldwide body of Messiah.

Our outreach includes Bible-based seminars, an internet ministry (www.totheends.com), an e-mail newsletter, and tours of Israel. Landmarks of Faith seminars are presented on a regular basis in the U.S., Taiwan, and the Philippines. Our newsletters are available in English and Chinese via e-mail and on the internet on our web site.

Pastor and missionary Jeff Harrison studied for two years at the graduate level in Jerusalem and taught for two years in Israel as a Study Tour teacher. He has an M.Div., an M.A. in Biblical Literature, and coursework toward a Ph.D. in Hermeneutics. He and his family served as missionaries in the Philippines for 11 years. They are now living in Taiwan.

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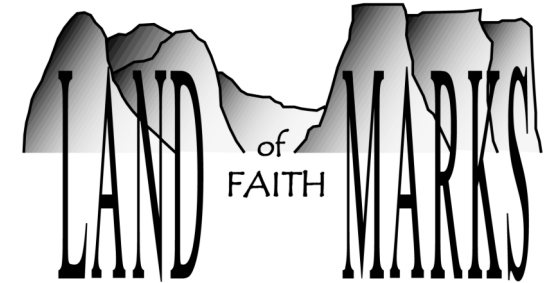
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