

AWESOME AUSTRALIAWITH RABBI BEREL WEIN

JULY 21-AUGUST 7, 2013

G'day mates – we are going to the land 'down under' and you are not going to want to miss this one. Explore the woodlands and wetlands on this luxurious eco-adventure. In true Aussie style, you will experience the wild and civilized sides of this magnificent destination – and you will be in the company of **Rabbi Berel Wein**, scholar, historian, and educator. A mini-course in Jewish history: **Australia – Issues in Halacha, History and Attitude** will be offered on tour, in addition to daily minyanim and a Daf Hayomi each morning.

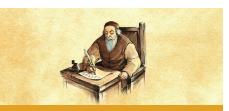
Be prepared to be pampered and totally spellbound by the magnificent, worldclass resorts we have chosen for you. These retreats will provide a soothing and sensory experience. Seamless service is what awaits you at these superior venues.

Get your cameras ready as you set out on the cliffs, in the canyons and through the bush in the Australian outback. Take in the landscape of dramatic escarpments, gorges, lush valleys and 'roos' as you trek, explore and view this dramatic World Heritage landscape. Australia has some of the 'best' of everything...the best natural scenery, the best wildlife, the



best beaches, the best harbor, and the best weather (even in their winter!)

Our tour, led by professional local guides, will combine the 'best' with two memorable Shabbosos with the local Jewish communities of **Sydney** and **Melbourne**. In addition to the dramatic and iconic **Red Centre at Uluru**, the pure relaxation amidst the rugged cliffs of **Kangaroo Island**, and the fascinating flora and fauna of the **Great Barrier Reef**, the only element missing here is you....



DESTINY TOURS / 2013

Your kind of travel – For over ten years the Destiny Foundation has been creating and delivering a unique and exceptional summer adventure for the discerning kosher traveler. We choose sites that are magnificent to the eye and couple that with an educational component – a mini-history course by world -renowned historian, Rabbi Berel Wein. Join us for our 2013 trip to Australia. This is one you won't want to miss!







JOURNEY ACTIVITIES

Hiking and Cruising

You'll experience the magnificent vistas up close and personal on treks through the bush, the desert and from the highest vantage points. With a natural landscape that is unparalleled, you will view the scenes from the world-renowned harbors – and you will pass wild and stunning beaches, forests and dramatic cliff-top scenery.

Wildlife and Nature

You will journey through the desert landscape both in the early morning and late afternoon and watch as it actually comes alive. A full range of signature activities are available as we view sleepy koalas, wild sea lions, and kangaroos... as well as enjoy cliff walks with expert guides.

Culture and History

You'll get a new perspective on the local Aboriginal people – their mystery and their symbolic art. Our guides will expound on the red stone and its popularity the world over. Our tour combines the iconic sites and stories that make up the uniqueness of the Aussie experience. And, perhaps best of all, Rabbi Wein will weave together the story of Australia and its Jews as only he can.







LODGING



Sails in the Desert, Uluru



The Langham, Sydney



Southern Ocean Lodge, Kangaroo Island



Quest East, St. Kilda, Melbourne



Qualia, Hamilton Island



Sheraton on the Park, Sydney

ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Sunday, July 21-22 Trans-Atlantic flights

Australia
Tuesday, July 23
Arrive Sydney
Flight to Ayers Rock
Arrive at the magnificent
Sails in the Desert resort in
the heart of Australia's Red
Centre. Rest and relax in this
destination of exploration
and indulgence. Meet and
Greet Dinner.

Wednesday, July 24 Kata Tjuta National Park Uluru

At sunrise view the sun's morning glow of the **36** domes and Walpa Gorge, stroll among the mighty rock walls. Return at sunset to the Mutitjulu Waterhole, nestled in the contours of Uluru.

Thursday, July 25
Uluru
Learn about Aboriginal art
Bush Tucker Experience –
the Aborigine culture and the
people,

Transfer to Sydney

Friday, July 26
Sydney
Arrive at The Langham
Sydney Opera House
Private Tour. Lunch in West
Head /Ku-ring-gai Chase
National Park the Rocks
district, Botanic Gardens,
Macquarie Street and more

Shabbos in Sydney with the Jewish community Motzei Shabbos program

Sunday, July 28
Sydney
Jewish Museum, lunch in
Middle Head, Sydney
Harbor Cruise
Markets and shopping - Visit
Jewish community in Bondi

Monday, July 29 –
Thursday, August 1
Transfer to Adelaide and
Kangaroo Island To
Southern Ocean Lodge, the
finest luxury wilderness
retreat Seal Bay, Coastal
Cliff Walk, Edward's
cottage, eco-chic comforts,
Kangaroos in their natural
environment

Thursday, August 1 –
Sunday, August 4
Transfer to Melbourne
Experience Melbourne's
cosmopolitan appeal –
museums, galleries markets,
Shabbos in Melbourne

Sunday, August 4 – Tuesday, August 6 Transfer to Hamilton Island to the Qualia Resort / part of the 74 Whitsunday Islands glass- bottomed boat cruise to the unsurpassed beauty of the Great Barrier Reef, snorkeling, bush walking, water skiing, parasailing and more. Transfer to Sydney for overnight

Wednesday, August 7
Last looks at Awesome
Australia
Trans-Atlantic flights











FLIGHT INFORMATION

Flights: Below please find various flights that will work with our itinerary. The preferable ones are Delta and United and the El Al flight listed, as they all get in and leave around the same time. We will meet at a designated spot and take our first internal flight to Ayers Rock / Uluru.

Trip begins and ends in Sydney

Please be in touch with our office before making any flight arrangements. If you are planning on upgrading using points, you should try to book as soon as possible as there is only limited availability for these business seats. With regard to internal flights, we will book these as a group. That information will follow.

DELTA	UNITED	23 JUL 13 - TUESDAY
		AR SYDNEY 615A
21 JUL 13 - SUNDAY	21 JUL 13 - SUNDAY	
DELTA FLT:17	FLT:535	07 AUG 13 - WEDNESDAY
LV NEW YORK JFK 615P	LV NEW YORK JFK 605P	CATHAY PACIFIC FLT:110
CHANGE AT LOS ANGELES	AR LOS ANGELES 939P	LV SYDNEY 735A
		AR HONG KONG 310P
23 JUL 13 - TUESDAY	FLT:839	
AR SYDNEY 635A	LV LOS ANGELES 1025P	EL AL ISRAEL
		FLT:76
07 AUG 13 - WEDNESDAY	23 JUL 13 - TUESDAY	LV HONG KONG 415P
DELTA FLT:16	AR SYDNEY 610A	AR TEL AVIV 1110P
LV SYDNEY 945A		
TO LOS ANGELES	07 AUG 13 - WEDNESDAY	Internal Flights
AR NEW YORK JFK 510P	UNITED FLT:870	23 July:
	LV SYDNEY 245P	Sydney- Ayers Rock (Uluru)
QANTAS	AR SAN FRANCISCO 1100A	
		25 July:
21 JUL 13 - SUNDAY	UNITED AIRLINES FLT:637	Uluru – Sydney
QANTAS FLT:108	LV SAN FRAN	, ,
NEW YORK / 655P		29 July:
1 STOP VIA LOS ANGELES	El Al	Sydney – Adelaide
23 JUL 13 - TUESDAY	21 JUL 13 - SUNDAY	1 August:
AR SYDNEY 740A	EL AL FLT:75	Adelaide – Melbourne
	LV TEL AVIV 1000P	
07 AUG 13 - WEDNESDAY		4 August:
QANTAS FLT:107	22 JUL 13 - MONDAY	Melbourne – Hamilton Island
LV SYDNEY 1000A	AR HONG KONG 150P	
AR NEW YORK JFK 525P	CATHAY PACIFIC FLT:111	6 August:

Upgrades and Single Accommodations: For those requiring suites, there is limited availability at additional cost - but this must be arranged well in advance. For those requiring single accommodations, a supplement will be charged. Please contact the Destiny office.

LV HONG KONG 700P

Hamilton Island - Sydney

Insurance: Fully comprehensive insurance is recommended for all.

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