APN Study Tour to Israel February 5-12, 2011



APN's is organizing a small study tour to Israel, which will take place from February 5th to 12th, 2011. The group will be led by Professor Mark Rosenblum, APN founder and Israel/Middle-East Expert. You'll explore the "real" Israel -- the one behind the headlines which many tourists don't usually encounter.

Join us as we:

- See settlement construction activity in the West Bank with Hagit Ofran, Director of Peace Now's renowned Settlement Watch Project.
- Meet with representatives of Peace Now and other groups who demonstrate weekly against demolition of houses in the Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood of East Jerusalem.
- Listen to people with diverse views --members of the government, academics, pollsters, politicians and pundits of all stripes who comment upon and actually shape events in Israel.



Professor Mark Rosenblum

- Visit Ramallah to meet representatives of the Palestinian Authority as well as hear from representatives of some groups critical of the PA.
- See the separation barrier and experience its effect on Israelis and Palestinians in their everyday lives.
- Meet with activists who refuse to give up or surrender to the general malaise which says peace is not possible.

Price: Land cost is \$2400, which includes hotel (double occupancy), ground transportation, and all meals. Single supplements of \$1,000 are available.

Deadline for a non-refundable deposit of \$500 is October 15th. RESERVE YOUR SPOT NOW.

Visit APN's website at www.peacenow.org to download the trip registration form. For further details, contact Barbara Green, Study Tour coordinator, at 202-728-1893 or at israeltour@peacenow.org.

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