

"A LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS" TOUR

A HANUKAH EXCURSION TO MODI'IN



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You are invited to take part in a behind the scenes tour of the story of Hanukah with Travelujah.com, the only Christian social network focused on travel to the Holy Land. For a holiday that is celebrated for eight days, the epic saga of a small clan of Jews defeating the great Greek army is not to be found in the Jewish canon of Scripture. Find out why.

For one day only, Travelujah.com in partnership with The Center for Jewish-Christian Understanding & Cooperation, The International Christian Embassy of Jerusalem and Neot Kedumim are sponsoring an on-site archaeological tour of where the story of Hanukah began; Modi'in. Join renowned archaeologist Dr. Shimon Gibson, author of the recent bestseller "The Last Days of Jesus", and

Rabbi Dr. Daniel Jackson, to learn more about the Maccabean revolt, including a brief visit to the biblical landscape of Neot Kedumim, the recent excavations of several ancient Modi'in sites including Khirbet Midya, Khirbet Hamman and Titura Hill, sacred texts related to the story of Hanukah, and the canonization process of the Hebrew canon.

The tour will end with a VIP entrance into a recently-excavated ancient synagogue dating back to Second Temple period hosted by Deputy Mayor of Modi'in, Alex Weinreb, who will take us along with a visit to the possible location of the royal Hasmonean tombs. In addition, there will be an opportunity to celebrate an authentic Hanukah ceremony with all the holiday culinary in a synagogue.

Date: December 13, 2009 / **Time:** 11:00 am – 5 pm

Departure location: Jerusalem – Binyenei Hauma / **Price:** 180 shekel

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