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# Olive Tree MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL



A CHURCH-BASED Independent Baptist Jewish Outreach Ministry of the Victory Baptist Church, Weatherford, TX

**STARTED IN 1993**

**INDEPENDENT BAPTIST**

**KJV BIBLE USED IN ALL PREACHING AND TEACHING**

**ALL MESSAGES GIVE STRONG LOCAL CHURCH EMPHASIS**

**ENCOURAGE AND TRAIN CHURCHES, STUDENTS & MISSIONARIES TO REACH THEIR JEWISH FRIENDS**

**JEWISH EVANGELISM COURSE**

**JEWISH WITNESSING LITERATURE IN ENGLISH, SPANISH, PORTUGUESE AND RUSSIAN**

**PROPHECY, MISSION AND STEWARDSHIP SPEAKER**

**CHRIST IN THE PASSOVER SERIES AND "FEASTS" CONFERENCE**

**AUTHOR OF 4 BOOKS, 2 DVD'S SERIES**

**EDUCATIONAL TRIPS TO ISRAEL, GREECE & JORDAN**

Shalom, Pastor and Church:

January – March 2026

**We were scheduled to lead a Bible study trip to Greece and Israel in late May.** But three months before we were to leave, America and Israel decided to end the 47-year war against Iran. Two months before we were to leave, we got the notice that the Israeli part of the trip was canceled. So, the group voted to do only the first half of the trip, an 8-day trip to Greece. The group is disappointed not to be able to go to Israel, but it will be a great trip! Still, all the hurried meetings with the tour company and our group were high-pressure and difficult. *Would you join us in prayer for the group? A lot of time and money have been invested in this trip, but we want to be safe.*

### **Our Virtual Tour of Israel Zoom Class Has Been "meat"!**

Hebrews 5:14 But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil. We finished the Feast of Weeks (Shavuot/Pentecost) in February. At our March meeting, we taught on the Feast of Trumpets. It is THE key feast that your eschatology will frame its meaning. The prophecy is amazing, the teaching is invaluable, as Leviticus 23 is the GREATEST prophetic chapter in the Old Testament. We have a student who transferred to Norris Bible Baptist Seminary who said he had never been taught the feasts at his previous school. **Could we schedule a "Feast" plus/or Prophecy Conference with YOUR church?** It can be a two- or three-message Sunday or go to greater depth with a Sunday-Wednesday meeting.

Retired Brazilian missionary, Dr. Don Leaf, finished his 13th file of translations of our Virtual Tour of Israel material into Portuguese (only 55 more to go). They are being used by Brazilian missionary Thomas Gilmore. A big thank you to those who gave a special offering to support this project. *We still need additional funds, so will you pray about contributing to this important work?*

**Our Classes at Norris Bible Baptist Seminary have finished the Midterms, spring break, and are back in school.** We again opened our home to students this semester to encourage Jewish Evangelism. We fed them as they watched, learned, and enjoyed Jewish customs by showing "Fiddler on the Roof" with my explanations.

Thank you for praying, reading, and supporting our work! After 33 years, the ministry does not get easier but more interesting! Thank you for your love for Jewish missions!

**Partakers Together:** "of the root and fatness of the olive tree"

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