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We Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem! Psalm 122:6

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Shalom!

We left ISRAEL as our 90 day visa expired!

Air France was over an hour late in departing TLV, so we arrived in Paris as our flight to Boston was taking off! After about 25 minutes on the computer, the agent put us on a much later Air France flight to JFK in New York, to connect with a Delta flight to Tampa, FL. The AF flight to JFK took off from Paris over an hour late as well!

After we cleared Immigration and Customs at JFK, the Transfer desk said if we hurried we could still catch the flight to Tampa. We ran from one terminal to the next one, with all our suitcases on a cart (thankfully!), the Delta agent kindly took care of our baggage to be cleared and sent on, and we ran for the gate.

The Delta flight left the gate a few minutes late, then we sat on the taxiway for 40 minutes, as we lined up behind other planes ready to take off. Naomi's cell phone had "no signal" at JFK, so we could not tell Ron what was going on so he could meet us in Tampa. Being the last flight to Tampa for the night, Ron assumed we would be on it. He was there as we arrived past midnight. Then the 2 hour drive home and we were in bed by 3am last Friday.

This was our first, and hopefully the last time we set feet on French soil! On our flight out last May, Air France in Paris messed us up and we had to get a flight 8 hours later, arriving TLV past midnight instead of 4pm, on a Friday night (Shabbat) so it cost us \$100 for the taxi to Caesarea, more than double the normal rate. So, we have eliminated Air France, and France, from further travels. They don't like Americans or Israelis/Jews, so now the feeling is mutual. Sorry about that, but US airlines need our business!

Next trip? To the Philippines, for March and April, then to Israel for the APMF Tour in May. In the meantime, you can probably reach us at home in Florida! We have been gone for 6 of the last 8 months.

"Pray for the Peace of Jerusalem!" They badly need it; more on that later.
Blessings on you,

Roger & Naomi