

Picture Book Germany

Heidelberg, Cologne (Köln), Alsace, Black Forest, Munich(München),
Nuremberg(Nürnberg)

Germany is one of the most interesting countries in the world. Historical Towns with medieval architecture on the one hand, palaces from glass in ultra-modern cities on the other. High tech Parks change with romantic river valleys and lovely land scapes.

22. May, Day 1: Welcome to the „World Cup Country“

Arrival at Frankfurt Airport. Your tour starts. Transfer to the „Hockenheim Ring“, one of the most modern racing-courses of the world. Reception at the Schumann Lounge with a glass of champagne. The wonderful view from here shows: only the area itself is worth seeing and wakes up memories of great names like Juan Manuel Fangio, Jack Brabham, John Surtees, Jochen Rindt or Nicki Lauda. Later You visit the interesting „Motorsport Museum“.

In the afternoon You reach Your Hotel in Heidelberg.

23. May, Day 2: Heidelberg und Köln(Cologne)

Heidelberg, the old famous university town, is one of the most visited places in Germany. Sightseeing tour through the medieval town center, along the Neckar river, old bridge and Heidelberg Castle.

In the late afternoon You reach Köln (Cologne) with its mighty Dom. One of the greatest church buildings and an outstanding example for the gothic architecture.

24. May, Day 3: „Romantic River Rhein (Rhine)“

From Koblenz and the „Deutsches Eck“ you continue Your journey by boat on the most beautiful part of the River Rhein. You pass various attractions of this area. Such as the „Loreley“ , a rock at the river with a fairy-tale history.

Boppard - a romantical wine village - is famous for its typical half-timbered houses. Dinner and overnight in Rudesheim.

25. May, Day 4: Straßburg

Straßburg and the Alsace (in german: Elsaß) several times in history have changed in belonging to Germany or France. Now belonging to France, nevertheless most of the older people still speak french and german, but mainly their local dialect. After a sightseeing walk inside the Münster Cathedral - the landmark of Straßburg - you may stroll through the narrow streets around the church. The most idyllic quarter is called „Petit France“, where fisherman, tanners and other craftsman used to live in former times. Boat trip on the river Ill. Dinner and overnight in Straßburg.

26. May, Day 5: „The Alsace Wine Road“

Haut-Koenigsbourg - the biggest castle in the Alsace - extends over 2.7km on the mountain-tops. From the castle - which once belonged to the noble family of Hohenstaufen - You have a splendid view over the Rhein plain to theSchwarzwald (Black Forest). Following the Wine Road You pass picturesque little villages and towns like Ribeauville or Riquewihr with beautiful houses of Gothic and Renaissance style, nice court-yards, wine cellars, bars and merchants.After a typical alsacian lunch. the tour continues to the Schwarzwald (Black Forest). Overnight..

27. May, Day 6: „Declaration of love“ to München (Munich)

Passing the lovely landscapes of the Black Forest and the „Allgäu“ You reach the Bavarian Capital Munich. The guided tour - walking through the heart of Munich around the „Marienplatz“ and the town hall - already includes many highlights : „Frauenkirche“, Isartor, „Valentin-Museum“ and many others. Outside the City center You will see spectacular buildings like the BMW-Tower or the Olympic Stadium from 1972. Overnight at the Maritim Hotel.

28. May, Day 7 : „From Technic to Entertainment“

A „must“ in Munich is a visit to the „Deutsches Museum“. The most significant museum shows moving function mock-ups and unique exhibits from the world of natural science.Lunch at the world famous „Hofbräuhaus“. You will like the typical bavarian atmosphere.Munich and Bavaria without beer and leather pants is like a fish without water.

In the afternoon: transfer to Nuremberg.

29. May, Day 8: Nürnberg (Nuremberg)

One of the most beautiful towns in Germany. The history of the Franconian Capital is full of remarkable dates and events in some respects, light and dark chapters. As a witness the Castle over the centuries still sits enthroned above the old town. In the morning : transfer to Dresden, arrival at Your hotel in the afternoon.

Summary of Contents:

Touring/Transfers with Schumann-Coach (toilet, Air Condition, Audio/Video, kitchen)

7 x overnight stays incl. breakfast and dinner , 4* or 5* - hotels

2 x lunch

boat trips on the Rhein and Ill - Sightseeings acc. to program

Date: May22th - May29th, 2006

**Price per Person
(Double Room, Shower, WC) : € 1494**

Surcharge for Single Room: € 350