

**Regensburg:**  
The Old Stone Bridge is  
the oldest surviving  
stone bridge in  
Germany.



# Experience Historic Bavaria

5 DAYS TOUR INCLUDING:

REGENSBURG · NUREMBERG · WÜRZBURG · ASCHAFFENBURG ·  
ROTHENBURG OB DER TAUBER



Travel back in time to Bavaria's magnificent past. Bavaria's more than 2,000 year history spans as an important center of economy and trade during the Romans times to developing into a prestigious kingdom in the 19th century. Throughout history, Bavaria has been part of many important events and its proud heritage of important names is firmly anchored in its Bavarian identity. Come and experience Bavaria's history up close.



## DAY 1

*Morning* Arrival at Munich Airport. Transfer to Regensburg (2 h\*)

### WELCOME TO REGENSBURG!

The city of **Regensburg** is situated beautifully on the banks of the Danube River. Founded by the Romans over 2,000 years ago, it is the best preserved medieval town in Germany. Regensburg's entire old town is inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage list. The Stone Bridge is an exceptional engineering achievement dating to the 12th century.



#### Guided Historic Walking Tour

Get acquainted with the Old Town, with its patrician towered houses, the cathedral, the Old Town Hall, the Stone Bridge and the Porta Praetoria.



#### Lunch at "Historic Sausage Kitchen"

Taste traditional and hand-made sausages from the oldest sausage kitchen in the world, right on the banks of the Danube River.



#### Leisure Time

Enjoy sightseeing highlights such as St. Peter's Cathedral, the Thurn and Taxis Palace, the Document Altes Rathaus, and the Perpetual Imperial Assembly Museum with Torture Chamber.

Dinner suggestions in the city center:

- ★ [Kneitinger Brewery](#)
- ★ [Weißbräuhaus](#)



#### TIP Visit the oldest inn in the world, [Gasthaus Röhrl](#)

Just outside of Regensburg (25 mins), meet Bavarian insider, Muk Röhrl, landlord of the inn. The Röhrl family has owned the inn since 1658. The Guinness Book of World Records has confirmed the family's long management.

Overnight in Regensburg



**Family traditions:**  
Muk is the eleventh generation to run the inn



**Nuremberg:**  
It is the second largest city in Bavaria



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## DAY 2

*Morning* Transfer from Regensburg to Nuremberg (1 h 30 m\*)

### WELCOME TO NUREMBERG!

In 1835 the first German railway was opened between **Nuremberg** and Fürth. Nuremberg is famous for the Imperial Castle, the Albrecht Dürer House, the German National Museum and the Documentation Center and of course the world-famous Christkindlesmarkt, Christmas Market.



#### Guided tour of the Documentation Center and the former Nazi Party Rally Ground



#### Private guided tour through the Old Town and visit of the Imperial Castle

Imperial Castle is one of the most important imperial palaces dating from the Middle Ages: from 1050 to 1571 all the emperors of the Holy Roman Empire stayed here various times during their reign.



#### Private visit of the historic rock-cut beer cellars and Dinner at [Hausbrauerei Altstadt Hof](#)

Since its founding in 1984 at the historic site of the former Red Brewery in Bergstraße in the old town of Nuremberg, the Altstadt Hof Brewery has dedicated itself to brewing genuine Nuremberg beer specialties.

Overnight in Nuremberg



**Alte Mainbrücke:**  
One of the city's prime gathering spots for socializing and meeting friends

## WELCOME TO ASCHAFFENBURG!

**Aschaffenburg** is a historical, modern city located on the Main River. King Ludwig I of Bavaria loved the 1,000-year-old city because of its mild, almost Mediterranean climate.



Explore Medieval Old Town

Overnight in Aschaffenburg

## DAY 3

*Morning* Transfer from Nuremberg to Würzburg (1 h 30 m\*)

### WELCOME TO WÜRZBURG!

**Würzburg** has a special mix of culture and ambience, world heritage and wine festivals, modern and classical music, avant-garde and age-old traditions. The stunning historical architecture provides the perfect setting!



#### Old town walking tour

Explore the historic town hall, the Romanesque cathedral "St. Kilian", the medieval fortress Marienberg and the old bridge "Alte Mainbrücke", where you can enjoy views of the famous vineyards.

#### Tour of **Würzburg Residence Palace and Court Garden** (UNESCO World Heritage Site)

Built as the permanent residence for the prince bishops of Würzburg, it is one of the most impressive Baroque castles in Europe, adorned by the largest ceiling fresco in the world.



#### Wine tasting and lunch at the **Bürgerspital Weinhaus**

*Afternoon* Transfer from Würzburg to Aschaffenburg (1 h\*)



**Würzburg Residence:**  
Designed by the then young and unknown architect Balthasar Neumann in the 1700s



**Aschaffenburg:**  
The mediterranean side of Bavaria



## DAY 4

*Morning* Visit **Johannisburg Castle**

The massive four-winged complex, built from 1605 to 1614 is one of the most important examples of palace architecture from the German Renaissance era.



#### Explore **Schönbusch Park**

Features an observation tower, the Red Bridge, the Temple of Friendship and the Philosopher's House, all arranged in charming settings with artificial lakes and "hills".

#### The **Pompeianum**

Inspired by the excavations in Pompeii, King Ludwig I of Bavaria commissioned the building of an idealized Roman villa, which was completed from 1840 to 1848.

*Afternoon* Transfer from Aschaffenburg to Rothenburg ob der Tauber (2 h\*)



**The Perfect backdrop:**  
Rothenburg's medieval streets and towers

## WELCOME TO ROTHENBURG OB DER TAUBER!

With its splendid location on the Romantic Road and medieval atmosphere, [Rothenburg ob der Tauber](#) captivates its visitors. The imposing building of the Town Hall, stately towers, massive fortifications, and patrician houses are witnesses to a mighty imperial past.



**Private tour of Christmas Village and Museum at [Käthe Wohlfahrt](#)**

Open all year round and where to purchase top-quality Christmas decorations and souvenirs.



**Wine tasting and dinner at [Glocke Weingut und Hotel](#)**



**[Night Watchman Tour](#), starts at 8:00 pm on Fridays and Saturdays**

Discover the hidden places of Rothenburg with the night watchman. Long ago, the Night Watchmen in Medieval cities ensured law and order as well as the citizens' safety.

Overnight in Rothenburg ob der Tauber

## DAY 5



**Explore the day in Rothenburg. Options:**

- ★ Visit Medieval Crime and Justice Museum and Rothenburg Museum
- ★ Walk on top of the city wall and along the Tower Trail
- ★ "Snowball" pastry lesson at local Rothenburg bakery. The pastry dates back to the Middle Ages at [Bäckerei Striffler](#).

- ★ Private chocolate figurine making at [Allegra Schokolade](#). Chocolatier and pastry chef Alexander Hildebrand shows his visitors how to create chocolate figurines

Overnight in Rothenburg ob der Tauber

*End of trip. We hope you enjoyed your visit.*

*\* Please note: Transfer times are approximate and can depend on road conditions on the day of travel.*

## INSIDER TIP

**Destinations between Rothenburg and Munich:**

- ★ **Nördlingen:** Medieval town and Germany's only completely preserved city wall. Dine at star-chef [Jockl Kaiser](#)'s "Meyers Keller" offering Bavarian inn fare at Michelin-starred level.
- ★ **Augsburg:** Stay overnight at [Hotel Maximilian's](#), 5-star historic property with over 300 years of tradition and hospitality.



**Star-chef Jockl Kaiser:**  
Menu includes regional dishes with a blend of high-quality gourmet flavors

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