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King-Ludwig-Way

ON THE TRAIL OF THE FAIRYTALE KING.

The King-Ludwig-Way starts at the idyllic lake Starnberg, where the fairytale king died so tragically, and leads through the Alpine foothills over to the castles of the Allgäu region, where he spent his youth. You walk past remarkable highlights and Bavarian cultural treasures across a landscape, very much adored by this Bavarian monarch King Ludwig II which ultimately inspired him to have several castles and palaces built. On your tour little monastery towns, tranquil villages, paths past lakes and moors await you. Enjoy the fantastic panoramic views onto the Ammergauer Alps, the Zugspitze summit and the Allgäu mountains just like King Ludwig used to.

Details about hiking holidays on the King-Ludwig-Way

Lakes, nature reserves, small villages, monasteries and beer gardens: you will meet the Bavarian lifestyle every day on the King-Ludwig-Way. And tranquil nature too, because the hiking route takes you to the most beautiful places in the region. The eight-day, very leisurely hiking tour really makes you want to sit down and relax in unspoiled nature. It's great that there are numerous fantastic panoramas in the foothills of the Alps.

Highlights of the King-Ludwig-Way at a glance:

- **Distant views of famous peaks:** Although you are hiking through the hilly Alpine foothills, you can see the Ammergau Alps, the Zugspitze and the Allgäu mountains in the distance.
- **Castles, monasteries and pretty towns:** Where King Ludwig felt particularly at home, he left his mark to this day – like in Neuschwanstein or Hohenschwangau. You can feel at home in the small villages of Bavaria.
- **Bavarian Lakes:** The Starnberger See and the Ammersee are among the most popular breathing places in Bavaria. On the hiking route you can admire the lakes from panoramic viewpoints.

Walking



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-guided Tour

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY
1

Arrival in Bernried on Lake Starnberg

Hotel example: [Seeblick](#)

DAY
2

From Bernried to Dießen on Lake Ammer

The tour leads you through the nature reserve along the banks of Lake Starnberg via the Ilka cave with its stunning view onto Lake Starnberg all the way to the Deixfurter pond. Along pretty Bavarian villages with inviting beergardens you head for Andechs monastery with its own brewery. Then a short bus ride to Herrsching and a cosy boat trip to Dießen.

Hotel example: [Seefelder Hof](#)



approx. 5 to 6 hours



21 km



250 m



150 m

DAY
3

From Dießen on Lake Ammer to Wessobrunn

From Dießen the path leads you across beautiful meadows and past the castle chapel and after that into the stunningly peaceful Stiller forest. Via hilltops with marvellous views you reach Wessobrunn, home of the well-known 'grey duke' (historic belfry) and the natural landmark 'Tassilolinde'. In the distance you get a glimpse of the Zugspitze summit.

Hotel example: [Gasthof Post](#)



approx. 4 to 5 hours



13 km



250 m



100 m

DAY
4*From Wessobrunn to Peiting*

Today you explore the Alpine foothills, very typical for Bavaria with its sleepy little villages and the remote moor areas. Prepare for a steep ascent onto the Hohen Peissenberg mountain, a magnificent spot with weather station and breathtaking panoramic views over the Alps from the Großvenediger all the way into the Allgäu region. Onwards now downhill to Hohenpeissenberg and your tour continues through forests and across fields all the way to Peiting.

Hotel example: [Pfaffenwinkel](#)



approx. 4.5 to 6 hours



21 km



450 m



400 m

DAY
5*From Peiting to Wildsteig/Bad Bayersoien*

From Peiting onwards to the untamed and romantic Ammer ravine. Several little bridges and footbridges take you through a ravine above the river Ammer all the way to Rottenbuch. There an especially ornate monastery church awaits you. Then across hills and meadows with glorious views onto the Alpine mountain range, you arrive at today's day finish.

Hotel example: [Zum Strauß](#)



approx. 4 to 5 hours



14 km



250 m



100 m

DAY
6*From Wildsteig/Bad Bayersoien to Buching*

Through lonely forests and idyllic moor regions onwards to the world famous UNESCO world heritage 'Kirche in der Wies' (church in the meadow). Via soft hilltops, through forests and meadows covered in colourful flowers and distant views onto the Allgäu Alps and the King-Ludwig-country on Lake Fergensee to your Day 6 finish Buching.

Hotel example: [Alpchalet Schwanstein](#)



approx. 4 to 5.5 hours



19 km



150 m



200 m

DAY
7*From Buching to Füssen/Surroundings*

Across nature reserves along and past Lake Hegratsried and then either continue on the path along Lake Fergensee to Füssen or uphill to the most stunning castles Neuschwanstein and Hohenschwangau on Lake Schwansee. Then along the Kalvarienberg into the historic market town of Füssen.

Hotel example: [Hirsch](#)



approx. 4.5 hours



17 km



300 m



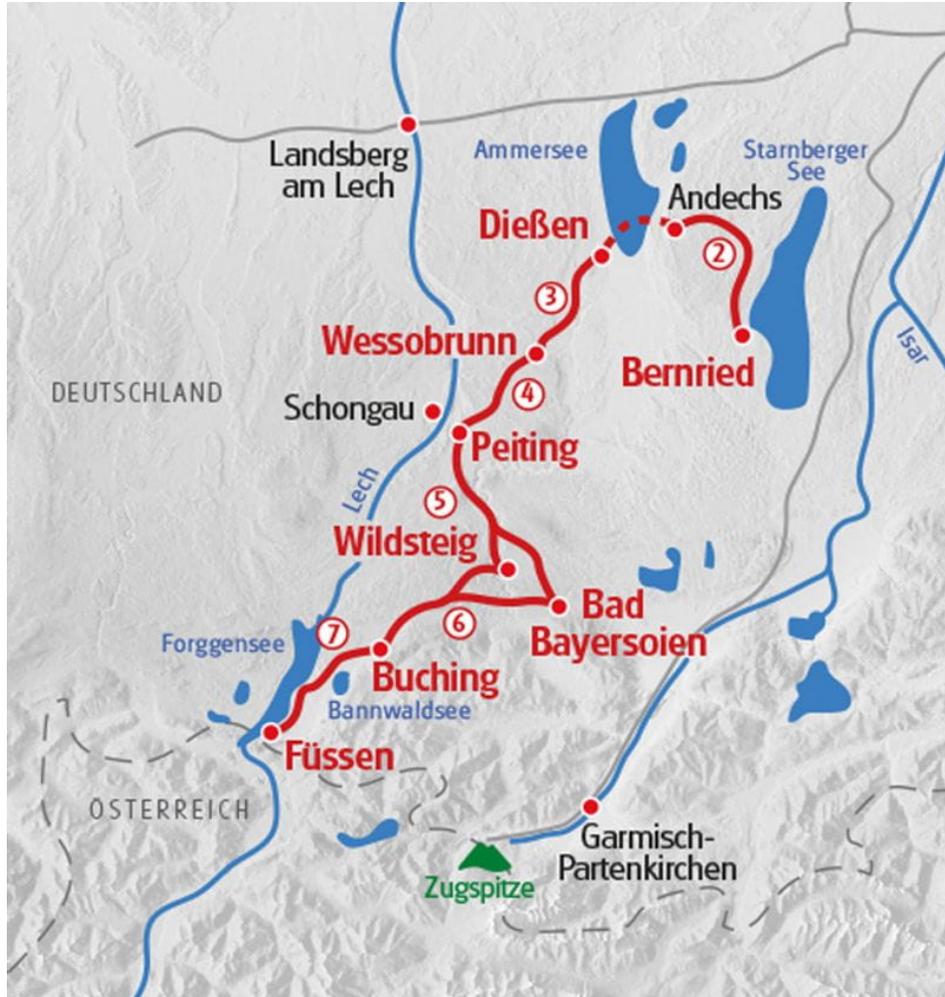
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Departure or extension

Characteristics of the route

You walk on walking paths or forest trails as well as on asphalted paths. For tours through the Alpine foothills with a walking time of 4 to max. 6 hours, stamina and a good basic fitness level is required.



Prices and events

Place of arrival: Bernried

	Season 1 09.04.2022 - 08.05.2022 19.09.2022 - 08.10.2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday	Season 2 09.05.2022 - 19.06.2022 22.08.2022 - 18.09.2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday	Season 3 20.06.2022 - 21.08.2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday
King-Ludwig-Path, 8 days, DE-MUWSF-08X			
Base price	64900	69900	75900
Surcharge single room	22900	22900	22900

Category: lovely 3***-hotels and country hotels

Additional nights

Place of arrival: Bernried

	Season 1 Apr 9, 2022 - May 8, 2022 Sep 19, 2022 - Oct 8, 2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday	Season 2 May 9, 2022 - Jun 19, 2022 Aug 22, 2022 - Sep 18, 2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday	Season 3 Jun 20, 2022 - Aug 21, 2022 Arrival Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday
Bernried			
Double room p. P.	9900	9900	9900
Surcharge single room	3900	3900	3900
Füssen/Surroundings			
Double room p. P.	8500	8500	8500
Surcharge single room	6500	6500	6500

Prices per person in EUR

Services and infos

Services

Included:

- Accommodation as already mentioned
- Breakfast
- Luggage transfer
- 1 Boat ride from Herrsching to Dießen
- Carefully elaborated route description
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (German, English)
- App for Navigation and GPS-data available
- Service hotline

Optional extras:

- Return transfer by minibus to Bernried every day, costs EUR 59 per person, EUR 19 per dog, reservation is necessary, to be paid for in advance.

Infos

Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Arrival in Munich and then a 45 mins train journey to Bernried on Lake Starnberg.
- Munich airport.
- Parking: hotel parking spaces free of charge, no reservation required.
- Return train journey from Füssen to Bernried, duration approx. 3 hours (2x change trains).

Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price
- Bus fare from Andechs to Herrsching, approx. EUR 3 per person
- Special dates on request
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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