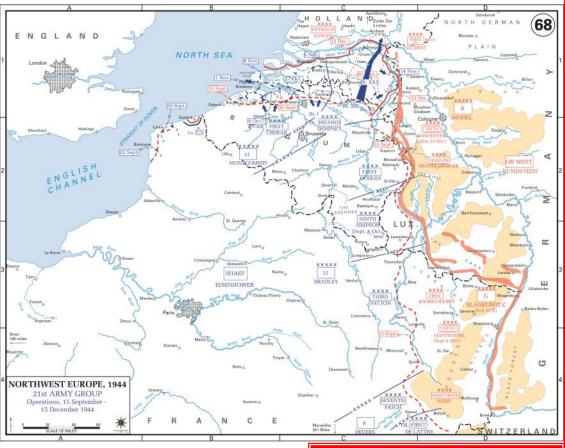


MILITARY HISTORICAL TOURS is proud to offer another in our series of historic anniversary tours to the world's battlefields. Our tour starts in Amsterdam, before touring all the must see

historical sites of the Operation Market Garden made famous in Cornelius Ryan's book A Bridge Too Far from 1974 that made into blockbuster movie in 1977. This huge operation ended without accomplishing quick strike across the Rhine. We do see the huge capture of the Ludendorff Bridge that penetrated Germany. We continue on to Berlin to see all the famous sites from the creation of the German Empire to the fall of the Third Reich & all the intrigue of the Cold War.



# **Tour Itinerary**

#### DAY 01: (SATURDAY, 26 April)

Participants arrive at Amsterdam Airport. Icebreaker at hotel. Group Dinner.

RON in Amsterdam. Hotel Van Der Walk – Schiphol.

# DAY 02: (SUNDAY, 27 April) - 101st Airborne Day

Breakfast at hotel. Load luggage on bus.

Bus departs for Eindhoven, then Nijmegan.

Tour 101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Sites.

Wings of Victory Museum

Drop Zone.

Airborne Monument.

Church Observation Tower in Nijmegen.

Airborne Monument (side wall of town hall).

Portion of Hell's Highway.

101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Monument (Son).

Lt Diel Memorial. (Son). (Bailey Bridge at Son & Breugel).

Hancock Bridge (Drive by). (Sint Oedenrode Capt Hancock.)

Joe E. Mann Monument (Son & Breugel.)



Lunch on own during tour.
Visit American
Cemetery at
Maasttricht.
Dinner on own.
RON Nijmegen.
Mecure Hotel.

**Tour Price:** \$ 4,250\* Based on double Occupancy

Single Room Supplement: \$ 950

# Tour Price Includes:

**Deluxe Hotel Accommodations** 

Air-conditioned deluxe motorcoach with onboard restroom

Meals as indicated in itinerary

Historical Trip information packet, containing maps & other Tour information

Admission fees to all sites, museums and special attractions listed

Services of experienced Tour Leaders and local guides

Get your own or Book Optional MHT Airfare: Round-trip economy or business class airfare from your

> hometown to London Heathrow (or home from CDG Paris) price quoted upon registration!

\* - Price based on € conversion rate at final billing

# DAY 03: (MONDAY, 28 April) - 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne Day

Breakfast at hotel.

Bus to Grave. Tour 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne Sites.

Tour Groesbeek Museum.

Waal Memorial to 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne.

Canadian Cemetery.

Airborne Monument

Glider landing zone.

General Gavin Bridge.

Long bridge over the Maas.

Lunch on own enroute.

Dinner on own.

RON Nijmegen. Mercure Hotel.

# DAY 04: (TUESDAY, 29 April) 1st Airborne Division Day

Breakfast at hotel.

Tour British 1<sup>st</sup> Airborne Division sites.

Tour Hartenstein Museum Lunch on own.

Bus from Oosterbeek to Arnhem, Tour Bridge Museum.

Dinner on own.

RON Nijmegen. Mercure Hotel.

# DAY 05: (WEDNESDAY, 30 April)

Breakfast at hotel. Load luggage on bus.

Bus from Nijmegen to Cologne.

Tour Cathedral in Cologne.

Lunch enroute.

Bus from Cologne to Remagen.

Tour 9<sup>th</sup> Armor Division AOR. Visit the Peace Museum Bridge in the ruins of the Ludendorff Bridge at Remagen. Note: 9<sup>th</sup> Armor

at Remagen. Note: 9<sup>th</sup> Armor Div captured the bridge across the Rhine intact.

Tour sites on both sides of the bridge.

Group Dinner.

RON in Remagen. Best Western Hotel Kaiserhof, breakfast included.

#### DAY 06: (THURSDAY, 1 May)

Breakfast at hotel. Load luggage on bus.

Bus from Remagen to Jena.

Lunch enroute.

Visit Jena Museum.

Stop at Hassenhausen Vantage Point.

Bus from Jena to Weimar.

Group Dinner.

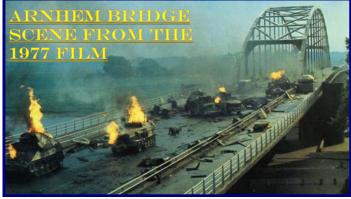
RON in Weimar. Congress Hotel Weimar by Mercure, Breakfast included.

#### DAY 07: (FRIDAY, 2 May)

Breakfast in hotel.

Bus to & Tour Nordhausen Concentration Camp.





Bus to Merkers. Lunch on own enroute. Tour Merkers Salt

Tour Merkers Salt Mine (Merkers Adventure Mines) Bus from Merkers to Weimar.

Group Dinner.

RON in Weimar. Congress Hotel Weimar by Mercure, Breakfast

included.

## DAY 08: (SATURDAY, 3 May)

Breakfast at hotel.

Bus from Wiemar to Buchenwald.

Tour Buchenwald Concentration Camp.

Lunch on own.

Bus from Buchenwald to Ohdruf,

Tour Ohdruf Concentration Camp.

Dinner on own.

RON in Weimar. Congress Hotel by Mecure.

# DAY 09: (SUNDAY, 4 May)

Breakfast at hotel.

Bus to Mittelbau-Dora.

Tour Mittelbau-Dora Concentration Camp.

Lunch on own enroute.

Bus from Mittelbau-Dora to Leipzig.

Dinner on own.

RON in Weimar. Congress Hotel by Mecure.

#### DAY 10: (MONDAY, 5 May)

Breakfast at hotel. Load luggage on bus.

Bus to Leipzig.

Tour Leipzig Battlefield.

Lunch on own enroute.

Visit Monument of the Battle of the Nations.

Bus from Leipzig to Berlin.

Dinner on own.



# Sanssouci-Summer Palace of Frederick the Great

RON in Berlin. Westin Grand, Friedrichstrasse.

#### DAY 11: (TUESDAY, 6 May)

Breakfast at hotel.
Bus Tour of Berlin.
Brandenburg Tor.
Check Point Charlie.

"Checkpoint Charlie"

Jewish Memorial. Berlin Wall.
Benderblock.
1936 Olympic
Stadium.
Soviet Memorial. Scharnhorst's Grave.
Lunch on own.
Dinner on own in

DAY 12: (WEDNESDAY, 7 May)

RON in Berlin. Westin Grand.

Breakfast in hotel. Bus tour of Potsdam.

Berlin.

Sanssouci. (Frederick the Great's Summer Palace.

Frederick the Great's grave.



Ceciliahof (site of the Potsdam Conference).
Bridge of Spies.
Lunch on own enroute.
Bus tour of the Russian occupation area of Potsdam.
Wansee site in Berlin.
Farewell Dinner in Berlin.
RON in Berlin.

Westin Grand.

## DAY 13: (THURSDAY, 8 May)

Breakfast in hotel. Everyone departs from Berlin.

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