

# SLOW TOURS

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Full Itinerary and Tour details for

## Rudesheim-Koblenz 8-day Self-guided Walking Tour Level 3



Prices starting from.

**879 €**

Trip Duration.

**8 days**

Max Passengers.

**12**

Start and Finish.

**Rudesheim to Koblenz**

Activity Level.

**3**

Experience.

**Walking Tours Europe**

Tour Code.

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## Tour Details and Description

### Walk the Rhinegau & Middle Rhine valley

Mountain chains with legendary views onto the river Rhine, vineyards as far as the eye can reach, countless castles and palaces, enchanting half-timber: all of this and more will you discover during the hiking week located between Mainz and Koblenz. The Rheingau-region with its idyllic wine locations and numerous wine taverns called 'Straußenwirtschaften' invite you to sample the delicious Riesling-wine. In the UNESCO-World Cultural Heritage region of the 'Mittelrheingau' you walk past a number of majestic strongholds situated on ledges along the tracks of pure Rhine romanticism, which already inspired Heinrich Heine to create his Loreley-song. Incredible scenic beauty and culture – it is not for nothing that the Rheinsteig-path was nominated Germany's most beautiful hiking route. Simply hiking 'on a high level, in the truest sense of the word!

### Character - Mountain hiking Level 3

Wine-grower paths, solitary walking paths and old bridle paths ensure varied walking. Basic fitness and sure-footedness is required for uphill/downhill sections on the mountain ridges of Middle-Rhine valley. Walking times of up to 6 hrs. And distances of up to 24 km are to be reckoned.

### Included in the Walking Tour:

- 7 overnight stays in 3\* hotels and country hotels
- Breakfast
- Luggage transfer
- 1 Wine tasting
- Carefully elaborated route description
- Detailed travel and tour documents
- GPS data is available and app navigation
- Service-Hotline

**Not included:**

- Any visitor's taxes are not included in the tour price and payable on site
- Anything not mentioned in 'included'

**Arrival / Parking / Departure**

- By train to Rudesheim and a few walking minutes/short taxi ride to the hotel
- Car parking: Limited hotel parking spaces, approx. EUR 16 per day, no reservation possible
- Public parking in Rudesheim for about 10-20 EUR per day
- Return to starting point by train, duration 1 hr for all routes
- Return to starting point by ship ([www.k-d.com](http://www.k-d.com)), travel times: St. Goarshausen - Rudesheim about 3 hours, Koblenz - Rudesheim about 6 hours, Koblenz - Mainz on request (1x changeover)
- Frankfurt/ Main or Koln/ Bonn airports

**Notes:**

- Options for 5-day (Rudesheim to St Goarshausen) or 11-day (Mainz to Koblenz) walking tours on request: [sales@slowtours.com](mailto:sales@slowtours.com)
- Extra nights
  - Rudesheim: From 75 EUR p.p (+49 EUR single room)
  - Koblenz: From 75 EUR p.p (+49 EUR single room)
- Daily departure from March to October

**WHAT SLOW TOURS OFFERS YOU:**

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**Reviews:** Customer reviews available, and being constantly updated

## Itinerary

**Day 1**

Individual journey to Rudesheim

**Day 2**

Rudesheim - Lorch Climb the high rides of Middle-Rhine valley (by cable car) and enjoy the beautiful views on the estuary of Nahe. Wine-grower communities Assmannshausen and Lorch display many half-timbered houses. Walking time: approx. 5.5 hrs. Details: approx. 21,3 km, +660 m / -680 m

**Day 3**

Lorch – Dörscheid/Kaub The mountain ranges offer

beautiful views across Rhine valley. Little wine-grower towns Kaub or Dörscheid will grant for a pleasant evening. Walking time: approx. 4.5 hrs. Details: approx. 13,6 km, +460 m / -460 m

(example): Brenner

Day 8

Individual departure from Koblenz

Day 4

Dörscheid/Kaub – St. Goarshausen/surroundings  
Climb on legendary Loreley-rock and look down on river Rhine. Three fortresses in St. Goarshausen are expecting you. Walking time: approx. 6 hrs. Details: approx. 19,2 km, +590m / -620 m

Day 5

St. Goarshausen/surroundings – Kamp Bornhofen  
Walk on idyllic paths to wine-grower communities on the river Rhine. Fortress Liebenstein and fortress Sterrenberg are two „hostile brothers“ from the 12th/13th century. Walking time: approx. 6 hrs. Details: approx. 21,3 km, +690 m / -700 m

Day 6

Kamp Bornhofen – Braubach Fortress Liebeneck, Dinkelholder mills and a completely conserved Marksburg fortress are your faithful companions on the stage to Braubach, a wine-grower town with fortification wall and many half-timbered houses. Walking time: approx. 5,5 hrs. Details: approx. 17,5 km, +620 m / -620 m Hotel (example): Zum Weissen Schwanen

Day 7

Braubach – Koblenz Cross a tributary river to Rhine at Lahnstein and ascent to Westerwald. One final highlight is Ruppertsklamm – a dramatic gorge and then the grand final: the Deutsches Eck (German Corner) in Koblenz where river Moselle joins the waters of Rhine. Walking time: approx. 5.5 hrs. Details: approx. 20,1 km, +690 m / - 680 m Hotel



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