

# PARIS WALKS AUGUST 2022

## Walking Tours in English. All tours require a reservation

Please reserve by 10pm the day before the tour (e-mail is best). If we already have some reservations you can reserve on the day of the tour. We will acknowledge your reservation.

Price: Adults 25€ (Children under 15 = 10€, students under 21 = 15€)

Tours last about 2 hours. We meet at metro stations, unless indicated, above ground at street level, guides wear Paris Walks badges and are easy to find.

Private tours can be arranged (walks and museum visits) Please contact us for details

**EVERY MONDAY The French Revolution 10.30am** In the historic Latin Quarter, see where the revolutionaries lived and met, the oldest café in Paris, and the hall where Danton and the radical Cordeliers' club held their debates. On this lively tour you will understand the background to the chilling stories: Dr Guillotin's sinister 'razor', Marat stabbed in his bath by Charlotte Corday.

*Meet at metro Odeon, at the statue of Danton (exit 1)*

**EVERY TUESDAY The Historic Marais Quarter 10.30am** This is the most unspoilt historic quarter in Paris. Beautiful architecture from picturesque medieval streets to splendid classical mansions, and the lovely royal square, the place des Vosges. We look at architecture, history, Jewish heritage, and hear stories of the famous inhabitants such as Victor Hugo and Mme de Sevigné, celebrated for her witty letters. *Meet at metro St Paul*

**EVERY WEDNESDAY The Village of Montmartre 10.30am** On this picturesque walk you will discover a delightful neighbourhood with old winding streets, the local vineyard, artists' studios (Renoir, Lautrec, Van Gogh, Picasso) quirky street art, quiet gardens, historic cabarets, the place-du-Tertre with its bistros, artists and portrait sketchers, the Sacré Coeur Basilica and a stunning view over the city. *Meet at metro Abbesses (use the elevator, the station is deep!)*

**EVERY THURSDAY Paris during the Occupation and Liberation 10.30am** On this walk in the area of the Tuileries gardens, place Vendome, Concorde and Champs Elysées, hear how the Parisians survived the dark years of the Occupation from 1940-44 with stories of daily life, the Gestapo, the plight of the Jews, the Resistance and the Liberation. *Meet at metro Tuileries*

**EVERY FRIDAY Hemingway's Paris 10.30am** Explore this charming district in the Latin Quarter with its old houses and courtyards, the Mouffetard market street, a hidden fragment of the medieval city wall, and the lovely historic church of St Etienne-du-Mont. It is associated with many writers: Joyce, Orwell, Balzac, Hugo, Verlaine. The area was immortalised by Hemingway in *A Moveable Feast* and by Woody Allen in *Midnight in Paris*. *Meet at metro Cardinal Lemoine (exit 1)*

## EVERY SATURDAY

**The Marais 10.30am** See Tuesday above. *Meet at metro Saint Paul*

## EVERY SUNDAY

**The Village of Montmartre 10.30am** See Wednesday above. *Meet at metro Abbesses.*

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