In the Footsteps of Johann Strauss: A Musical Journey Through Vienna

Recommended length: 3-4 nights



Embark on a captivating journey through the heart of Vienna, following in the footsteps of the legendary Johann Strauss. Known as the "Waltz King," Strauss left an indelible mark on the city's rich musical heritage. This 3-day itinerary takes you to iconic locations tied to his life and works, from historic concert halls to the charming spots that inspired his timeless melodies. Experience the elegance of Vienna as you immerse yourself in the world of Strauss, where classical music and imperial history come to life.



DAY 1

- Start the journey with Johann Strauss Monument in Stadtpark (City Park)
- Explore the magic of sound and Vienna's musical heritage at the House of Music
- Enjoy lunch at Café Schwarzenberg
- Visit <u>the Wiener Musikverein</u>, a prestigious concert hall in the heart of the city
- Learn the elegant steps of the famous Viennese waltz at a walzer dancing class
- Dinner at <u>Glacis Beisl</u> (traditional Austrian cuisine)/ <u>Tian</u> (vegetarian)/ <u>Steirereck</u> (Michelin-starred restaurant)
- End the day with a concert in Hofburg <u>Strauss & Mozart Konzerte</u>, or a night-cap at a <u>rooftop bar overlooking Vienna</u>

DAY 2

- Get a closer look at Strauss' life in Vienna at the House of Strauss
- Treat yourself to a delicious Wiener Schnitzel at <u>Figlmüller</u>
- Head to Johann Strauss Museum at the <u>Theater Museum</u>, where his contributions to music are beautifully celebrated
- Visit <u>Johann Strauss Apartment</u>, where the world-famous "Danube Waltz" was composed
- Take a ride on the <u>Giant Ferris Wheel</u> (Riesenrad) for stunning panoramic views of Vienna
- Enjoy the <u>Strauss Dinner Show</u>, a delightful 4-course meal while being entertained by the Strauss' captivating melodies performed by a live orchestra and ballet dancers



DAY 3

- Dive into a multimedia experience that tells the story of Johann Strauss' life and music at <u>Museum New Dimension</u>
- Book a guided tour of the <u>Vienna State Opera</u> and enhance your experience by securing tickets for an unforgettable evening performance
- Stop at the historic Café Central for a spot of lunch or coffee & cake
- While walking through the inner city, drop into <u>St. Stephen's Cathedral</u>, one of Vienna's most famous landmarks
- Take a <u>Wien Museum</u> Tour, where, together with a museum tour guide, you will learn more about Johann Strauss' importance to the city of Vienna
- Dine at the cosy Café Dommayer Schönbrunn restaurant
- End your journey with a magical <u>Concert in Schönbrunn</u>, where you can experience a blend of Mozart and Strauss in the stunning setting of this historic venue

EXTRA TIPS

- Enjoy discounts or free entry to the city's most important sights with the Vienna City Card
- Stay at the Johann Strauss hotel to further deepen your experience
- Johann Strauss Walk iVie App Take an individual audio walking tour
- If you have some free time, enjoy Vienna's various museums