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### How It All Started

The idea for a newsletter about travel in the German-speaking countries had simmered in my subconscious for several years until one day my brother Tom, a free-lance writer, told me two things: first, that he had read in *Money Magazine* about a successful newsletter on France and, second, about a computer software program called PageMaker. Tom's computer, one of the first of Apple's Macintoshes, could run PageMaker which would allow us to produce camera-ready pages without expensive and time-consuming typesetting and paste-up. Of course, we would still have to write it and then — hard part — find somebody who would pay to read it.

Tom came up with the name which, in one way, is perfect: its German meaning exactly fits what we're trying to do and it almost never fails to bring a smile to the face of Germans, Austrians and Swiss. From another standpoint, however, it's probably a liability. Conventional marketing wisdom says that, at the very minimum, a product's name should be immediately recognizable and meaningful to potential customers. To most people, however, *Gemütlichkeit* is simply a word that is very difficult to pronounce.

Tom was also responsible for the basic look of the newsletter which is still much the same as it was when we started.

After a couple of years, Tom bowed out when he discovered he had a very bright future as a writer and creative consultant to companies in the exploding Silicon Valley (recently he was creative director on the video Microsoft's Bill Gates used as the centerpiece of his keynote address to the annual COMDEX conference in Las Vegas).

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# GEMÜTLICHKEIT

The Travel Letter for Germany, Austria, Switzerland & the New Europe

## A DECADE OF GEMÜTLICHKEIT

We mark *Gemütlichkeit's* 10th year with a special 10-page issue. In a year-by-year review of our first decade we have compiled a "mini" guide to the best of Germany, Austria and Switzerland.

### 1987

In that first January, 1987, issue we reviewed the

**Gasthof Fraundorfer** in Garmisch-Partenkirchen, told readers how to see a first-division German professional *fussball* (soccer) game and wrote about an excursion from Vienna to Budapest, which had just opened to western travel. We recommended the **Budapest Hilton** as the place to stay and the **Mathias Pin-**

**ce** as an atmospheric dinner choice. We cautioned against the huge **Grand Hotel Hungaria**. Those recommendations are still good today.

In a story on backroads travel we said, "automobile touring in Europe offers the ultimate in travel satisfaction. The motorist moves at his own pace and on his own timetable, not someone else's; stops anytime; stays longer or departs earlier, as it suits; has the means to visit the tiniest hamlets; and, finally and simply, turns left instead or right, at whim."

Though still advocates of auto travel, since then we have come to better appreciate the joys of seeing Europe by rail.

### Other 1987 highlights

- The lovely backroads drive from Hiefalau to Mariazell

in Austria. In Mariazell we recommend the simple **Gasthof Zum Alten Brauhaus**.

- In Verbier, the Austrian ski resort, we find the extraordinary **Hotel Rosalp** and its restaurant **Pierroz**, one of the country's finest. Also noted is the **Hotel de la Poste**.

- Zermatt's **Le Gitan** restaurant is praised for its marinated loin of lamb cooked over a wood fire.

For addresses, phone and fax numbers of establishments listed or mentioned in this month's 10th anniversary issue, please refer to the alphabetical listings on pages 11-12.

trains of Switzerland including a description of a ride on the famed Glacier Express.

- The cheapest subcompact rental car is \$138 per week, excluding tax. Currently, that car rents for \$109 per week.

- **LTU**, the German airline offers a \$449 round-trip, New York to Frankfurt. **Condor**, the **Lufthansa** charter airline, offers RT prices of \$649, \$679 and \$709 from the West Coast.

- We review "last night" hotels near the Frankfurt Airport. Our two favorites are the **Hotel Dreieich**

in Langen and the **Hotel Birkenhof** in Hanau.

- In April we explain how to get the most from *Michelin Red Guides* and report the first one was published in 1900 and that in 1901 a new symbol — W.C. — first appeared. It meant the hotel listed possessed a flush toilet.

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### 20 Favorite Country Hotels 1987-1996

Anker	Marktheidenfeld	Ger
Bavaria	Pfronten	Ger
Benen-Diken-Hof	Sylt	Ger
Bon Accueil	Chateaux d Oex	Swi
Der Bär	Ellmau	Aus
Geiger	Berchtesgaden	Ger
Grandhotel Giessbach	Brienz	Swi
Grüner Baum	Badgastein	Aus
Gutshotel des Weingutes	Neumagen-Dhron	Ger
Haus Hirt	Badgastein	Aus
L'Ermitage	Vufflens	Swi
Landhaus Hubertushof	Altaussee	Aus
Le Débarcadère	St. Sulpice	Swi
Romantik Hotel Bierhütte	Hohenau	Ger
Romantik Hotel Tennerhof	Kitzbühel	Aus
Rosalp	Verbier	Swi
Schloss-Hotel Chasté	Scuol-Tarasp	Swi
Schloss Haunspurg	Oberalm bei Salzburg	Aus
Schlossli Bottighofen	Bottighofen	Swi
Waldhotel Doldenhorn	Kandersteg	Swi

- We report on 10 small, country "hideout" hotels in Germany, notably the **Romantik Hotel Bierhütte** and the **Hotel Andrea**, both in the Bavarian Forest, and the **Romantik Hotel Zehntkeller** in Iphofen and **Schloss Spangenberg**, south of Kassel.

- We review the mountain

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So we produced a first issue and then went in search of readers, which is just the reverse of how successful publications are born these days. (First comes a mailing which invites potential readers to send in subscription orders. If enough paid orders are received, publication goes forward. If not, the money is returned and the newsletter never gets off the ground.)

Even though we did things a little backwards, it was clear from our very first direct mail solicitation we had a product that was of interest to a certain sort of traveler. (Obviously, you are one of that "certain sort" and we thank you for your subscription.)

At the beginning, the dollar was very strong versus European currencies and we were more inclined to cover the best hotels. At three marks to the dollar a double room at Munich's **Vier Jahreszeiten** could be had for about \$136. At the nearby **An der Oper**, a fine little three-star hotel, rooms were from \$33 to \$58. It was even cheaper in the countryside.

But as the dollar declined over the years we had to lower our sights and so *Gemütlichkeit* began to look for less expensive hotels and restaurants. While we still review four and five-star hotels — everybody likes an occasional splurge — we now present a more balanced range of accommodations, including pensions, self-catering units and one and two-star-hotels.

Our current policy on restaurants reflects our personal tastes. Once in a while we don't mind putting on a coat and tie to drop a large number (but then, baby, it had better be good). We mostly look for simple restaurants that can execute well the traditional recipes. I wish there

were more of them. And, I am sorry to say, the cuisine of far too many of Germany, Austria and Switzerland's grand restaurants is stuck in the past, serving thick, salty, artery-clogging sauces, huge portions of meat and overcooked vegetables.

As to our bias toward auto travel over train travel, we're coming around. Earlier this month we went by train from St. Gallen, Switzerland, to Prague. Then from Prague to Weimar and from there to Frankfurt and then on to Zürich. Except for one incident — about which you will hear later but for now just remember to not, *under any circumstances*, check your bags when traveling by train from one country to another — it

communism. It opened up whole new territories for us to explore. The second is the fall of the dollar. It changed where we stay, where we eat and how long and how often we visit Europe. Fortunately, car rental prices have fallen in the last 10 years and, on an inflation-adjusted basis, so have fares. The third major development is the Internet. The respected *Value Line Investment Survey* says the Internet's development "poses a change in the environment that is analogous to the displacement of the telegraph by the telephone." How does that affect travelers? One example: prior to the trip referred to above, I accessed the Net and was able to easily locate and print all the train schedules related to our specific itinerary. So, for instance, in our hotel room the night before we were to depart Weimar, we simply dug out the single sheet of paper that had the Weimar to Frankfurt timetable and selected our departure time. No fat books to carry, no phone calls to make.

In looking over the first 119 issues of *Gemütlichkeit* — rereading many of them for the first time since their month of publication — I began to feel a real sense of accomplishment. There's a lot of solid information in those 956 pages (the December, 1989 issue had 12 pages), if I do say so. And all of it based on firsthand observations. We set out to be *the* publication for independent travelers to our three countries and I think we have succeeded. There have been more than a few misspellings and misuses of German (and French and Italian) words and phrases, but the heart of the matter, the advice on where to stay, where to eat, how to get there, what to see, how to save a buck here and there, where to drive, what to drive, and so on, has been pretty much right on.

And we're still on the case: still excited about travel and still enjoy talking about it and writing about it. — RHB

### The Best: 1987-1996

**Hotel:** Victoria Jungfrau, Interlaken, Swi  
**Country Hotel:** Grüner Baum, Badgastein, Aus  
**Value, Country Hotel:** Pension Heim, Seeg, Ger  
**City Hotel:** Abtei, Hamburg  
**Value, City Hotel:** Pension Altstadt, Vienna  
**View - Hotel Room:** Forsthaus Graseck, Garmisch-Partenkirchen Ger  
**Restaurant:** L'Ermitage, Vufflens (Morges), Swi  
**Value, Restaurant:** Markgräfler Hof, Freiburg  
**Simple Restaurant:** Hotel Bahnhof, Saanen, Swi  
**Ambience, Restaurant:** Kronenhalle, Zürich, Swi  
**View, Restaurant:** Bürgenstock, Swi  
**Most Fun, Restaurant:** Gasthof Fraundorfer  
**Airline:** Swissair

was pure delight. Germany's new ICE (Inter-City Express) trains were particularly comfortable; they'll even bring food and wine or beer, and not just bottled beer but *Bier vom Fass*, to your seat.

The past 10 years have brought three major changes for traveler's to Germany, Austria and Switzerland. The first, of course, is the fall of

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### HOTEL RESTAURANT RATING KEY

Rating Scale	Scale	Hotel Rating Criteria	
Excellent	16 - 20	People/Service	30%
Above Average	12 - 15	Location/Setting	15%
Average	8 - 11	Guestrooms	30%
Adequate	4 - 7	Public rooms	5%
Unacceptable	0 - 3	Facilities/Restaurant	20%
Value Rating	Scale	Restaurant Criteria	
Outstanding Value	17 - 20	Food	65%
Very Good Value	12 - 16	Service	20%
Average Value	9 - 11	Atmosphere	15%
Below Average Value	5 - 8		
A Rip-Off	0 - 4		

#### Special Designation

By virtue of location, decor, charm, warmth of management, or combination thereof, an especially pleasant establishment.

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- *Gemütlichkeit* explains why it is essential that auto travelers use road maps of 1:200,000 scale such as the Mairs *Die Generalkarte*. Smaller scale maps simply don't show all the small towns and country roads.

- In Munich we give two stars (out of three) to the **Vier Jahreszeiten** and also recommend the **Hotel An der Oper** and the **Hotel Adria. Betten Rid**, a bedding store, is noted as a place to purchase down comforters and pillows for shipment back to the U.S. **Hugendubl**, the big Marienplatz bookstore, is the best place for English-language books and for maps and atlases. Colorful soccer shirts from **Shuster** make good gifts for gentlemen age 7 to 20.

- **Augustiner Gaststätten** and **Spatenhaus** are the top beer restaurants.

- The Salzburg inn that gets our highest value rating is **Pension Wolf** in the heart of the old town.

- A story on Nürnberg recommends the **Weinhaus Steichele** (hotel) and the **Bratwursthäusle**, the town's temple of Bratwurst where the *Eisbein* (pork hock or shank) is huge and delicious.

- In Coburg the recommendations are the **Hotel Blankenburg** and for food the hotel's **Restaurant Kräutergarten** and the cozy **Loreley Restaurant**, across from Ehrenburg Castle.

- Appenzell, a tiny Canton in the northeast corner of Switzerland, keeps old traditions alive. We give "excellent" ratings to three hotels: the **Hecht, Säntis** and **Appenzell**, with the Hecht getting the nod for value. A restaurant revered by the local farmers is the **Marktplatz**.

- Berlin in 1987 is a unique city; surrounded by hostile, communist East Germany. We tell tales about driving to the city from the West and recommend the perfectly located **Hotel Am Zoo** — then moderately-priced — and rave about **Fofi's Estiatorio**, a chic bistro.

- From Schaffhausen, on the Rhine at the western end of the Bodensee, we explore the region. In the charming Swiss town of Stein am Rhein two hotels impress us: the **Closterhof** and the simpler, less expensive **Hotel Rheinfels**, right on the river. Dinner at the highly touted **Fischerzunft** is an expensive disappointment.

- Venturing as far to the northwest as one can go in Germany we discover Sylt a skinny island that contains some of Germany's best hotels and restaurants. The small, elegant country **Hotel Benen-Diken-Hof** is our favorite of 1987 and one of the best we have seen in the past 10 years. High marks

also went to the **Stadt Hamburg** and the **Hotel Wünschmann**. At the **Restaurant Käpt'n Hahn** (no longer in business) we had a memorable meal.

- On a ski trip to Obertauern, about 90 km south of Salzburg, we fall in love with the **Hotel Kohlmayr** calling it a "near perfect skier's inn."

- On a trip to Austria we are disappointed by service and food at **Schloss Dürnstein**, chronicle a backroads drive from Dürnstein to Vienna and recommend the Romantik **Hotel Schwarzer Adler** in Innsbruck, the **Jagdschloss Graf Recke** in Wald im Pinzgau and the **Gasthof Edelweiss** in Gerlos.

## 1988

- We begin 1988 with more "hideout" hotels of Germany. The **Harzhotel Romantischer Winkel** is well off the beaten track in the Harz Mountains and the quirky **Hotel Feiler**, in that part of Germany, known as Swiss Franconia, has a wonderful restaurant.

- Switzerland's new hotel category, the Landgasthof, consists of small country hotels with pleasant rooms and good food. We review five, the best of which is **Seehotel Schiff** on the Bodensee.

- Venturing a few kilometers out of

### SEPTEMBER, 1988

*Despite our frightening appearance — matted hair, unfocused eyes and blue jeans — we were greeted as though we were part of King Hussein's (a sometimes guest) entourage. A team of whispering, white-jacketed waiters hovered around our table, changing plates and silverware more often than the New York Yankess change managers. — Lunch at the Beau Rivage Palace in Lausanne after 11 hours over the Atlantic and a three-hour train ride.*

our territory into nearby Alsace, we have one of the best meals of our lives at the French three-star restaurant, **Auberge de l'III**.

- **Chalet du Lac**, on the Brienersee, is praised as a quiet country hotel with an excellent restaurant offering good value.

- Our first issue on Zürich has good things to say about the **Hotels Florhof, Zum Storchen, Tiefenau, Splügenschloss** and **Eden au Lac**. Top restaurant is **Petermann's Kunststube**.

- A recommended countryside tour is a 21-day affair beginning in Frankfurt, heads south through the Black Forest, on to Stein am Rhein in Switzerland, then to Appenzell, to Bavaria with stops in Mittenwald and Garmisch-Partenkirchen, then to the Bavarian Forest, to Coburg, up to Berlin and back to Frankfurt by way of the Harz Mountains. Total cost, including airfare and car rental, for two persons is about \$5800.

- **Aubergine**, later to become known

as Germany's finest restaurant, comes up just a little short of advance billing.

- In the Bavarian village of Mittenwald, famous for its violin makers, we find comfortable rooms, great service and good food at the **Berghotel Latscheneck**.

- Top ratings go to a marvelous country hotel, the **Wald und Schlosshotel Friedrichsruhe**.

- Best Lugano hotel is **Villa Principe Leopoldo**. We also like **Hotel Montalbano**, the **Splendide Royale** and the **Grand Hotel Villa Castagnola**.

- Two excellent restaurants in the suburbs of Nürnberg are **Gasthof Bammes**, which gets our "memorable experience" rating, and the **Restaurant Polster**.

- A resort-golf hotel in the Black Forest, the **Hotel Öschberghof**, is recognized for its value.

- In our first major coverage of Vienna we give highest marks to the **Hotel Imperial** and the famed **Sacher**. Best small hotel is **Römischer Kaiser**, followed by **König von Ungarn** and the best hotel value, the **Kaiserin Elisabeth**. At the **Palais Schwarzenberg** we spot Greta Garbo lunching alone in a large, private dining room. Michelin-starred **Korso** is our restaurant choice and

**Smutny**, which attracts musicians from the nearby State Opera, leads the way among unpretentious restaurant/taverns.

- In Switzerland's French-speaking canton of Vaud, we are dazzled by Lausanne's fabulous **Hotel Le Beau Rivage Palace**. The restaurant **La Grappe d' Or** provides our second best meal of 1988.

- Further down the lake in Montreux, we praise the atmospheric **Hotel Victoria** and give a rave review to a **L'Auberge de Chernex**, a tiny restaurant-hotel in the hills above the town.

- On Germany's lovely, meandering Mosel river we discover great charm and value in the **Gutshotel des Weingutes**, the main house of a former wine estate. In nearby Trier, the **Hotel Petrisberg** is "just the sort of place we had in mind when we started this newsletter." The best part of this trip, however, is a private interview and tasting with two of Germany's leading winemakers, Egon Müller (Scharzhofberg-

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er) and Dr. Manfred Prüm (Wehlener Sonnenuhr).

- A Südtirol (Italy) excursion yields the welcoming **Hotel Cappella**.

- In a drive through Bavaria we enjoy beer and music at the **Löwenbrau Stuben** Bayrischzell but find the touted **Romantik Hotel Die Meindelei** deteriorating. **Hotel Tonihof**, in Eschenloe, is much better. In Pfronten, we find a treasure in the **Hotel Bavaria** and great calves liver at the **Hotel Post**.

- In Switzerland's Emmental, we stumble on to the **Hotel Hirschen**, where owner Walter Birkhäuser opens bottle after bottle of Swiss wine in order to make the point that they are the equal to any in the world. In order to be allowed to go to bed we finally agree. Next morning is the hangover of the decade.

- *Gemütlichkeit* is among the very first to report that credit card companies now provide collision damage insurance coverage for those who use the credit card to pay for the rental.

## 1989

- In Switzerland's Vaudois Alps we fly by helicopter up to the Les Diableret Glacier one day and float in a hot-air balloon over Château-d'Oex the next. The region's best inn is **Bon Accueil**.

- The Austrian resort of Seefeld has several excellent hotels. Our picks are the **Gartenhotel Tümmelerhof** and the **Hotel Lärchenhof**.

- On a one-night stand in Zerne, in Switzerland's Engadine Valley, we find hearty Italian food and decent rooms, both at good prices, at **Sport Hotel Bettini**.

- Cologne hotel picks are the **Excelsior Hotel Ernst** and the **Europa**. Food at **Ristoranti Rino Casati** is good, the service much less so. The simpler **Alt Köln** is a much better value.

- Best rental price for a compact car for one week in Germany is \$138.

- Best hotel of the year is **Schloss Haunsperg**, near Salzburg. The hospitality has to be experienced to be believed. Country restaurants near Salzburg are the upscale **Weisses Kreuz**, the **Lebzelter**, **Schloss Fuschl** and the restaurant of the **Roman-**

tik **Hotel Schlosswirt**.

- In Davos, the Swiss ski resort, we give two stars (excellent) to **Hotel Walsertal**, a favorite of Britain's Prince Charles.

- In Meersburg, on the German side of the Bodensee, our hotels of choice are the **Wildler Mann** and the **Villa Bellevue**.

- We look for the best small hotels in Munich and find the **Exquisit**, the **Prinzregent**, the **Palace** and the **König Ludwig**. In the city's Schwabing district we very much like **Restaurant Georgenhof** and **Restaurant 33**.

- **Hotel Les Sources Des Alpes**, in Leukerbad above Switzerland's Rhône Valley, is the first to get our highest rating ("memorable experience") as both a hotel and restaurant. Here we meet "Mr. T," the

value. In nearby Oberreitnau we pig out at **Gasthof Adler** where "the portions would intimidate all but Henry VIII."

- Reviewing Vienna's better restaurants we give highest marks to **Hotel-Restaurant König von Ungarn**, **Zu Den Drei Husaren**, **Restaurant Daniel** and **Ristorante Firenze Enoteca**. Special note is made of the goodies at **Wild**, a great deli in the Neuermarkt area.

## 1990

- We cruise aboard the luxury Danube riverboat, **MS Mozart**. Splendid accommodations but ordinary food.

- Communism falls and we send Roger Holliday and Claudia Fischer into the former East Germany. They visit Erfurt, Weimar and Dresden and, not unexpectedly, find bad hotels, almost no restaurants and wonderful people. They meet a Dresden couple who invite them to dinner in their home.

- In Zürich we rip the **Bierhalle Kropf** and praise the **Restaurant Blaue Ente**.

- Those tireless globetrotters, Holliday and Fischer, report on New Year's Eve at a rapidly crumbling Berlin Wall — an historic night. They like the **Boka Grill** just off the Ku'damm.

- We list some 200 German restaurants where a three-course meal can be had for less than \$25.

- We find good value near Interlaken at the **Hotel Bären** in Wilderswil and a pleasant, well-run hotel in Weggis on Lake Lucerne, the **Albana**.

- In Geneva, **Hotel Le Richmond** gets three stars but not far behind is the smaller **Hotel de la Cigogne**. We have unfortunate dining experiences at **Le Marignac**, a Michelin-starred restaurant, and at

**Brasserie Lipp**.

- In Zürich we give high marks to the **Savoy Hotel Baur en Ville** and note the **Zeughauskeller** is the kind of restaurant "we fly 6,000 miles for...dark wood beams, shared tables, extensive menu, adroit servers who have little time to chat and large plates of delicious, farm-style food that goes down best with fresh draught beer." We also discover the **Rheinfelder Bierhaus**.

- In Ascona, we enjoy a delightful three days at one of Switzerland's finest country hotels, **Albergo Giardino**. There,

## 25 Best Value Hotels 1987-1996

Adam	Bodenmais	Ger
Auberge de la Couronne	Apples	Swi
Berggasthof Panorama	Garmisch-Partenkirchen	Ger
Domus	Berlin	Ger
Gasthaus zum Kreuz	Freiburg-Kappel	Ger
Gasthof Fraundorfer	Garmisch-Partenkirchen	Ger
Haus Christophorus	Kitzbühel	Aus
Haus Sarstein	Hallstatt	Aus
Hecht	Appenzell	Swi
Hirschen	Langnau im Emmental	Swi
K & F Hotel	Salzburg	Aus
Kraft	Munich	Ger
L'Auberge De Chernerx	Chernerx	Swi
Landhaus Gletschermühle	Badgastein	Aus
Landhaus Sommer am See	Füssen	Ger
Pension Aviano	Vienna	Aus
Pension Heim	Seeg	Ger
Petrisberg	Trier	Ger
Rebenhof	Neuweier	Ger
Schwechater Hof	Steyr	Aus
Seehotel Schiff	Mannbach am Untersee	Swi
Sidi	Prague	CZ
Trumer Stube	Salzburg	Aus
Waldhotel Forellenhof	Baden-Baden	Ger
Weinhaus Steichele	Nürnberg	Ger

sadistic therapist, whose best efforts we negate every night in Les Sources' marvelous restaurant and bar.

- Heidelberg's historic **Hotel Hirschgasse** is restored following a fire. We give it two stars.

- Of two castle hotels near Graz, we give a slight edge to **Schloss Plankenwarth** over **Schloss Obermayerhofen**, due mostly to the latter's chilly welcome. However, we term Obermayerhofen's **Restaurant Hofstüberl** "an off-the-beaten-track find."

- Our top hotel choice in Lindau is **Garnihotel Reulein**, also an excellent

for the first time, we see the Closomat, a device which, through alternating streams of warm water and air, takes the place of toilet paper. A morning hike in the country, led by Hans Leu, the Giardino's high energy owner, finishes with a marvelous lunch at **Stazione "da Agnese"** in Intragna.

- A Lake Geneva find is **Hostellerie du Débarcardère**.

- Hamburg's tiny (14 rooms) **Hotel Abtei** gets three stars for a "memorable experience." So does the famed **Vier Jahreszeiten**. We eat *Laubkaus* at the **Old Commercial Room** and give a star to the atmospheric **Ratsweinkeller**.

- In Gstaad, where the rich and famous come to ski, we are captivated by **Le Grand Chalet**, a gloriously upscale country hotel in a pasture above the town. One of the best meals of the year is at the plain **Hotel Bahnhof** in nearby Saanen.

- Graz is a revelation. It has everything except hordes of tourists. We find a friendly welcome and good value at the **Hotel Erzherzog Johann**. Best meal is at **Kepler Keller**.

- We describe **Hotel Anker** in Marktheidenfeld as a "Mercedes Benz of a hotel; solid, not flashy, but everything works and is built to last." It's restaurant, the **Weinhaus Anker** deserves its Michelin star. The **Landhaus Hubertushof** in Altausee, Austria, gets our "memorable experience" rating. We recommend **Schloss Spangenberg** in Germany and also the excellent **Hotel der Bär** in Ellmau, Austria.

**1991** • The Gulf War begins.

- Eastern European specialists, Roger Holliday and Claudia Fischer, begin the year with reviews and updates of Budapest and Prague. In the former they recommend the inexpensive **Hotel Nemzeti** and **Restaurant Kispipa**. In Prague they write of a dinner for two that included "quite a lot of beer" at the *pivnice* (beer hall) **U Dvou Kocek** for which they pay \$3.23. A ride on the Prague metro system is three cents.

- In Garmisch-Partenkirchen we call the **Restaurant Alpenhof** the "best in town."

- Our first story on self-catering rentals appears and includes a two-week European vacation for \$1,500 per person including airfare.

- In Grindelwald our hotel pick is **Grand Hotel Regina** and the best value is

the **Hotel-Restaurant Fiescherblick**.

- *Gemütlichkeit* recognizes that its readers also travel by rail. Train travelers, Holliday and Fischer, give us a six-step, how-to guide on riding the rails of Germany, Austria and Switzerland and then design a tour of Switzerland that matches the country's legendary transport system with five good hotels.

- We give a star to **Hostellerie des Chevaliers** in Gruyères, Switzerland.

- The **Gasthof Post** and the **Rote Wand** in Lech in the Austrian Arlberg are awarded "excellent establishment" ratings. An inexpensive, atmospheric restaurant is the **Bodenalpe**.

- Holliday/Fischer report on a tour of Northern Germany. They liken Goslar to

report on **Ballenberg**, the outdoor, farm museum and the woodcarving factory, **H. Huggler-Wyss**. One of Switzerland's better luxury hotel bargains is the **Grandhotel Giessbach**; the much cheaper **Brienzer-Bürli** gets our "significant value" rating.

- In a review of Vienna's three-star hotels, our choice is the **Kärntnerhof**.

- Combining good value and charm in the Black Forest if the **Hotel Dorer** in Schönwald.

- Our rating system is revamped. It is not a change for the better. In Lausanne we give a star ("cut above restaurants in its price class") to **Restaurant La Croix d' Ouchy**.

- In Freiburg we have a glorious meal at the **Hotel Markgräfler Hof**, most noteworthy for the "right on" wine recommendations of owner Hans Leo Kempchen, and another at the less expensive **Gasthaus zum Kreuz** in nearby Kappel. Hotels of choice are the **Park Hotel Post** and **Gasthaus zum Kreuz**.

**1992**

- Continuing our search for good value we

review 11 three-star Munich hotels. The best are the **Exquisit**, the **Olympic** and the **Hotel Kraft**, which also wins a "significant value" designation.

- We rip Morley Safer and "60 Minutes" who urge Americans to stay home from Europe because, among other reasons, our collective exhaling of carbon dioxide is destroying such treasures as the Cathedral of Notre Dame. Since our comments, the show's ratings have plummeted. Yeah, not dropped, **PLUMMETED**. We just don't get easy targets like that

anymore.

- Tiny Wildhaus in Switzerland's St. Gallen canton is way off the beaten track. Its splendid country chalet, **Hotel Alpenrose**, gets an "excellent" rating plus a "G" award.

- Our small hotels search continues in Salzburg where top ratings goes to the **Trumer Stube**, followed by the **Goldfassan** and the low budget **Hotel K & F**. We like the food at **Zwettler's**, **Peterskeller** and give an "editor's choice" to **Zum Mohren**.

- We cover Bad Pyrmont, a spa town south of Hanover, and get a few complaints that there are "too many old peo-

### Our 25 Favorite Hotels 1987-1996

Abtei	Hamburg	Ger
Albergo Gardenia	Caslano	Swi
Albergo Giardino	Ascona	Swi
Anker	Marktheidenfeld	Ger
Benen-Diken-Hof	Sylt	Ger
Brandenburgerhof	Berlin	Ger
Das Triest	Vienna	Aus
Exquisit	Munich	Ger
Gasthof Fraundorfer	Garmisch-Partenkirchen	Ger
Geiger	Berchtesgaden	Ger
Grüner Baum	Badgastein	Aus
Gutshotel des Weingutes	Neumagen-Dhron	Ger
L'Ermitage	Vufflens	Swi
Landhaus Hubertushof	Altausee	Aus
Le Beau-Rivage Palace	Lausanne	Swi
Les Sources Des Alps	Leukerbad	Swi
Pension Altstadt	Vienna	Aus
Römischer Kaiser	Vienna	Aus
Romnatik Hotel Tennerhof	Kitzbühel	Aus
Savoy Baur en Ville	Zürich	Swi
Schloss Haunsperg	Obralm Bei Hallein	Aus
Schlossli Bottighofen	Kreuzlingen	Swi
Victoria Jungfrau	Interlaken	Swi
Wald U. Schlosshotel Friedrichsruhe	Öhringen	Ger
Waldhotel Doldenhorn	Kandersteg	Swi

Rothenburg but without American tourists and give high marks to **Hotel Villa Berger**. Celle, they say, is pretty enough to be a movie set. Their hotel pick is **Hotel Caroline Mathilde**.

- Regensburg's old town hasn't been touched by war since 1809. The hotel pick there is the **Altstadthotel Arch**. Top values are the **Kaiserhof Am Dom** and the **Münchner Hof**. Best food is at **Historisches Eck**; best cheap food at the **Hofbräuhaus**.

- The relatively inexpensive Swiss lakeside town of Brienz is central to many of the country's major attractions. We

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ple" in the town. Nonetheless, it is a beautiful city and our top hotel choice is **Burgkürpark**. Best value is the **Schlossblick**.

- Two very different but very good hotels are at each end of an interesting drive from Sion to Kandersteg (Switzerland) via the Lötschberg Car Train. **Hotel Des Vignes** is French and modern, and **Waldhotel Doldenhorn** in Kandersteg is traditional and German-speaking. The Doldenhorn is special.

- **Schloss Sommersdorf** is one-of-a-kind: a 700-year-old drawbridge castle with apartments for rent (inexpensive) and mummies in the basement.

- One of our periodic country hotel reports results in an "editor's choice" for **Gasthof zum Löwen** in Worb near Bern and an "underachiever" label for the somewhat weird **Schloss Feyregg**.

- Switzerland's 100 best restaurants in 1992 are topped by **Girardet** in Crissier (near Lausanne), **Petermann's Kunststuben** (Zürich), **Le Pont-de-Brent** (Montreux), **Stucki** (Basel) and **Restaurant Pierroz** in the **Hotel Rosalp** (Verbier).

- One of the better simple meals of the year is at **Restaurant zum Türmli** in Watt, Switzerland, about 10 minutes from the Zürich Airport.

- In "post-Wall" Berlin, hotel prices skyrocket. Seeking good value we find **Hotel Domus**, **Kronprinz** and, on the eastern side, **Hotel Gendarm**. The **Hotel Brandenburger Hof**, though not cheap, is very, very chic. We discover a fine, mid-priced neighborhood restaurant, the **Florian**.

- The dollar flounders and we layout a 14-day auto tour for slightly more than \$2,000 per person including airfare.

- Near the Bavarian Royal Castles in Seeg, we unearth one of the more important hotel finds of the decade: **Pension Heim**. The nearby **Gasthof Hirsch** is also a low budget treasure. In Füssen our choices are **Landhaus Sommer am See** and the **Fürstenhof**, both good value.

- In a review of five-star Swiss hotels, we ascend to Bürgenstock above Lake Lucerne to stay at the posh **Park Hotel** and rate it "excellent." Because of the room and the view, dinner at **Club Bürgenstock** is a lovely experience but we find the food not very creative. Zürich's **Dolder Grand** is indeed grand but dinner in its **La Rotonde Restaurant** is memorable only for undistinguished food and careless service.

- In an issue on Berchtesgaden we meet the **Hotel Geiger**, our "Hotel of the

Year." We find good value at **Hotel Gasthof Berghemat**.

- Holliday/Fischer update Prague. Their restaurant picks are **U Semi Andelu** and **U Cerneho Slunce**.

## 1993

- Readers seek information on vacation rentals (*Ferienwohnungen*) and we publish Karl Becker's report on two months of travel throughout Germany using this type of accommodation. His average cost of lodging, all with private bath, is about \$41 per day for two persons

- In Interlaken we use such phrases as "sumptuous guest rooms," "most lavish spa we've ever seen" and "ornate, exquisitely Victorian public rooms" in describing the **Hotel Victoria Jungfrau**. With Bad-

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*All in all, it was a pretty elitist pitch by Safer and CBS, and their conclusion that we should all stay home is laughable. After a youth spent dreaming over picture books of the great churches and castles of Europe are we not to see them for ourselves? Now that we have the time and the money (barely) are we to heed the not-in-my-backyard scolding of some elitist, globetrotting TV reporter who's in Paris five or six times a year and only sees the flying buttresses of Notre Dame from the back seat of a limo? No way. — Dear Subscriber, January, 1992*

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gastein's **Grüner Baum** (see below) it is our "Hotel of the Year."

- **Kur-und Sport Hotel Adam**, in Bodenmais near the Czech border, is a value choice with its own brewery.

- At the urging of readers we finally get around to the **Hotel Grüner Baum** in the old Austrian spa town of Badgastein. It is *Gemütlichkeit's* Country Hotel of the Decade. Other fine hotels in the town are **Haus Hirt**, also a good value; the classy little **Villa Solitude**; and the inexpensive but sparkling **Landhaus Gletschermühle**. **Restaurant Brasserie** in the **Villa Solitude** is a "cut above" other restaurants in its category.

- Best hotel in the remote Swiss village of Wengen is the **Regina**. Good value is the **Alpenruhe**.

- Our last stay at Zürich's **Hotel Florhof** under the direction of the courtly Herr Schilter. He retires a few months later and the hotel loses some of its charm. At **Restaurant Kronenhalle** we are in awe of the restaurant's paintings (Miró, Cézanne, Monet, Latrec, Matisse, Klee, Chagall, Braque and others, all originals). A waiter, noting our interest, gives us an impromptu tour including the history and background of the more prominent works.

- Holliday/Fischer report on Würzburg and dub **Gasthof Zur Stadt Mainz** the hotel that best combines charm, hospitality and value. The 500-year-old **Backöfle** is their choice for food.

- In Kitzbühel the clear choice is **Romantik-Hotel Tennerhof**. Also very nice is **Golf-Hotel Ramushof**. The **Hotel Haus Christophorus** is a fine value and **Restaurant Chizzo** serves good food at moderate prices.

- Holliday/Fischer give us our first report on tourist mecca Rothenburg ob der Tauber. The well-known **Eisenhut** gets good marks, especially its restaurant, but a better value is **Hotel Reichs-Küchenmeister**.

- We report on a new hotel near Lugano. The art-filled **Albergo Gardenia**, including its two restaurants **Bacco** and **Grotto Valle**, is an enthusiastic "editor's choice."

- In beautifully preserved Bamberg, "editor's choice" designations go to **Hotel-Restaurant St. Nepomuk**, **Hotel Wein-**

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**haus Messerschmidt** and the lower-priced **Hotel-Gasthof Wilde Rose**. Noted for its smoky beer (*Rauchbier*) and friendly atmosphere is **Brauerei Schlenkerla**.

- We devote two issues to Switzerland's Engadine and find Pontresina is less expensive and more charming than nearby St. Moritz. A truly first-rate hotel there is the **Kronenhof**. **La Collina** is also recommended, particularly its restaurant. We give **Restaurant Sarazena** an unfavorable review. On a mountain above Scuol we find a great country hotel, the beautiful **Schloss-Hotel Chastè**. Another "editor's choice" in Scuol is **Romantik Hotel Guardaval** and **Hotel Chasa Belvoir** gets a "significant value" designation. In more charming Zuoz, our picks are **Schlosshotel Castell** and the simpler **Hotel Klarer**.

- Stuttgart is the subject of Holliday/Fischer report. The hotel choice is the **Wörtz zur Weinsteige**. Best meal is in the restaurant of **Hotel Schlossgarten**. Other restaurants of choice are **Weinstube Stuttgarter Stäffele** and **Weinstube Bacchus**.

- Train guru Bruce Woelfel makes his first *Gemütlichkeit* appearance with a how-to story on using the Swiss railway network.

## 1994

- The *Gemütlichkeit* rating system is revised — again. Its basis is now a 20 point scale. The "G" for special places and the "\$" for significant value remain.



- We return to Vienna to seek out the city's best pensions. Tops is Otto Wiesenthal's **Altstadt Vienna** (our 1994 "Hotel of the Year"), followed closely by **Pension Aviano** in the very heart of the Ring. Worthwhile restaurants noted are **Boheme** and **Zur Hohen Brücke Gästatte**. An old favorite, **Smutny**, seems to have slipped.

- A tour of Baroque churches of southwestern Germany begins with a stay at a pleasant, new Swiss country inn, the **Chäseren**. Along the way we enjoy the **Hotel Falken** in Memmingen, Germany.

- In Bremen, Fischer/Holiday give high marks to **Hotel Lichtsinn** and like the food at the **Ratskeller**.

- We become infatuated with the Austrian country town of Steyr. Quality and value is found at **Hotel Mader** on the main square. Another value — and less expensive — is **Schwechater Hof**. Cheapest of all, but still recommended, **Gasthof Pöhhacher**.

- St. Gallen's best hotel, not surprisingly, turns out to be the **Einstein**. We also like the quirky **Rössligump**. For meals typical of the region we like **Restaurant Anker**.

- We send Bruce Woelfel to Austria where he reports on Hallstatt and a scenic train trip along the Enns river. In Hallstatt he says the "best, friendliest and most expensive" hotel is the **Grüner Baum**, but his top choice is the much less expensive **Haus Sarstein**.

- In our first look at Neuchâtel and La Chaux-de-Fonds the "editor's choice" hotels are the **Beaufort** and the **du Vaisseau** and the **Club**. Top restaurant choices are the three in the **Hotel-Restaurant du Marche**. Intriguing sights are the **International Museum of Horology** and the **Jaquet-Droz Automaton**.

- A rebuilding Dresden gets the full treatment. Most hotels are rated "above average" but **Hotel Martha** offers the best value. The **Bayerischer Hof** is the best of those we see. Bruce Woelfel, who loves trains and especially dining on trains, reports on his lunch at 125 MPH on the Heinrich Heine between Dresden and Mannheim.

- A story on apartment rental in Switzerland reports good values in Ticino, Valais, the Engadine, Northeastern Switzerland and especially in the Bernese Ober-

land — namely Ringgenberg near Interlaken — where one bedroom units are \$45 to \$65 per night.

- Baden-Baden has many good to great hotels. In September, we single out **Waldhotel Forellenhof** and **Hotel Rebenhof**, a hotel in the vineyards, for rustic charm and value. For luxury we like the **Quisisana**. The expensive **Romantik Der Kleine Prinz** a little too cute for our taste and, while the well-known **Brenner's Park** is undeniably a great hotel, there are a few glitches with our stay.

- In Graz, Bruce Woelfel gives a "significant value" rating to the **Hotel Ohnime** in the Mariatrost section of town.

- One of the top 20 hotels of the de-

bert, reports on apartment and chalet rental in Austria. Areas with low prices and wide selection include the Montafon valley in the Vorarlberg; the Zillertal Alps; Strobl, 25 miles southeast of Salzburg; and the Klopeiner See region near Klagenfurt.

- We ask Bruce Woelfel to do the near impossible: find good, inexpensive to moderately priced, hotels in Zürich. The **Hotel Bristol** and **Hotel Scheuble** both provide doubles under \$150. As for restaurants, he chooses the **St. Gotthard Café**, the **Zeughauskeller** and the restaurant in the **Hotel Florhof**.

- Returning to Berlin, we praise the **Hotel Savoy** and the value offered by the huge **Radisson Plaza**, but only when special rates are available. **Gasthaus Krombacher** is noted for its friendly atmosphere and reasonable prices.

- Highest possible marks and our "Hotel of the Year" award go to one of the finest country hotel and restaurants of the decade, **L'Ermitage** in Vufflens near Morges on Lac Léman. The **Auberge de la Couronne** in nearby Apples is an excellent value and has a fine restaurant.

- In Zell am See, in Austria, our hotel choices are the **Hotel Berner** and the **Feinschmeck**. Excellent country cuisine at good prices is **Gasthof Steinerwirt**.

- Lausanne's new **Musee Olympique** is a triumph of great sculpture, Olympic memorabilia and multimedia presentation.

- Bruce Woelfel uses his **Entertainment Europe** card to get a 50% discount at Budapest's **Hotel Gellert**, which he rates "above average." His top restaurant choice is the **Araybarany** and he even recommends the folkloric dinner

show at **Hotel Tanne**.

- **Gemütlichkeit** returns to Heidelberg where hotel prices rival those in Berlin, Hamburg and Munich. We conclude that the **Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza** is the best value, but only if one books in the U.S. through the main Holiday Inn reservation service. Even the simple **Gasthof Hackteufel** has double rooms as high at 250 DM (\$190). **Kurpfälzisches** is our restaurant pick this time around.

- We publish the first leg of our "Grand Tour," a self-guided affair that incorporates many of our favorite cities,

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## 25 Best Meals 1987-1996

Auberge de l'Ill	Illhaeusern	Fra
Augustiner Gaststätten	Munich	Ger
Bratwursthäusle	Nürnberg	Ger
Hotel Feiler	Wiesenttal	Ger
Fofi's Estiatorio	Berlin	Ger
Gasthof Adler	Lindau-Oberreitnau	Ger
Gasthof Bammes	Nürnberg-Buch	Ger
Gasthof Steinerwirt	Zell am See	Aus
Hotel Bahnhof	Gstaad-Saanen	Swi
Hotel Post	Pfronten-Weissbach	Ger
Kapt'n Hahn	Westerland-Sylt	Ger
Kepler Keller	Graz	Aus
Kronenhalle	Zürich	Swi
Kunst-Hotel Teufelhof	Basel	Swi
La Grappe d'Or	Lausanne	Swi
L'Ermitage	Vufflens	Swi
Hotel Les Sources des Alps	Leukerbad	Swi
Le Débarcadère	St. Sulpice	Swi
Le Dézaley	Zürich	Swi
Markgräfler Hof	Freiburg	Ger
Ratskeller Spangenberg	Spangenberg	Ger
Restaurant Pierroz-Rosalp Hotel	Verbier	Swi
Stazione "da Agnese"	Intragna	Swi
Weinhaus Anker	Marktheidenfeld	Ger
Weisses Kreuz	Am Mondsee	Aus

cade turns out to be **Kneippkurhaus Christliches Hospiz** in Oberstdorf, Germany. Best value in town is the **Hotel Adler**.

**1995** • Bruce Woelfel starts the year with a report on Prague where he recommends the **City-Hotel Moran**, the **Hotel Adria-Praha** and the **Restaurant Adria** (no relation to the hotel).

- "Editor's Choice" hotels on the Swiss side of the Bodensee are **Schlössli Bottighofen** near Kreuzlingen and **Romantik Hotel Krone** in Gottlieben.

- Canadian travel writer, John Her-

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towns, villages, sights, hotels and backroads. It is 14 days, starts in Zürich and ends in Frankfurt. Some of the stops along the way are Appenzell, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Munich, the Bavarian Forest and Bamberg.

- In September, for the first time we address the issue of travel planning on-line and conclude that the conventional methods — telephone, travel agents, guidebooks — are still easier, quicker and more reliable.

- In Lucerne we review a batch of expensive hotels and choose the **Hotel Montana** as the one that best combines luxury with value. Our restaurant pick is **Zunfthaus zu Pfistern**.

- "Grand Tour - Part II" is routed over some of Austria's most scenic roads and includes stops in Zell Am See, Salzburg, Murau, Graz, Rust and Vienna.

- Basel, a wonderful city that draws few American visitors, gets two "editor's choice" hotels, the **Drei Könige** and, by the railway station, the **Hotel St. Gotthard**. We also report on the city's outstanding zoo and the good food at **Restaurant Der Teufelhof**.

- In a return to Prague, Holliday/Fischer discover the tiny **Hotel Sidi**, by the Charles Bridge, and give an "editor's choice" to **Restaurant Kampa Park**.

## 1996

- We begin the 10th year with John Herbert's story on good value rentals in Switzerland's Emmental, where an apartment near Langnau with kitchen, dining room, living room, bedrooms and bath rents for less than \$55 per day.

- Holliday/Fischer report on a one-day rail excursion from Salzburg that includes a four-hour walk from Badgastein to Bad Hofgastein.

- In Hamburg Bruce Woelfel gives an editor's

choice to **Hotel Hafen Hamburg**. His unfavorable comments on the welcome and service at **Restaurant Peter Lembcke** sets off a lively series of letters in "Readers' Forum" about whether Northern Germans are a frosty lot who don't much like Americans or whether Americans don't dress properly when dining abroad or pay enough attention to local customs.

- The friendly **Hegers Parkhotel Flora** in the Black Forest gets an "editor's choice."

- In the Austrian lakeside town of Attersee we find a good selection of moderately-priced accommodations, including the **Hotel-Seegasthof Oberndorfer** and several pleasant apartments.

- *Gemütlichkeit* contributor Karen Pasold reports on the **Hotel Weinhaus am Alten Markt** in the picturesque German town of Miltenberg.

- In Germany's most popular resort, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, we tag fun-loving **Gasthof Fraundorfer** as the "prototype Bavarian inn." Other "editor's choice" selections: **Hotel Berggasthof Panorama**, **Hotel Sonnenbichl** and **Ferienwohnungen Regina**.

- Twenty-five-year-old *Gemütlichkeit* staffer Andrew Bestor reports on 16 days in the excellent campgrounds of Germany and Switzerland. He and 'significant other' Margaret discover they can, except for airfare, see Europe for less than \$50 per day each. One night they, like many *Gemütlichkeit* folk before them, drink a little too much beer at the Fraundorfer in Garmisch-Partenkirchen.

- In an update on Munich we revisit a number of old favorites including **Restaurant zum Bürgerhaus**, where we have a terrible meal, and the **Hotel Adria** which is still o.k. but beginning to need refurbishment. Two hotels we still like very much are the **Domus** and the **Exquisit**.

- Karen Pasold reports on an extended stay in Budapest. Out of some 25 hotels and restaurants reviewed, "editor's choice" designations go to

**Kempinski Hotel Corvinus**, the **Astoria Hotel**, **Hotel Mercure Korona** and restaurants **Százéves**, **Kisbuda Gyöngye**, **Múzeum** and **Paksi Halvendéglő**.

- *Gemütlichkeit* returns to Berlin, a city in the throes of massive changes, to see the world's largest construction project at Potsdamer Platz and the resurrection of Friedrichstrasse, which, before the war, was the town's premiere shopping, entertainment and business street.

- Switzerland's spa industry has spent more than half a billion dollars in the last six years on new and updated facilities. We report on six spa hotels.

- We never tire of Vienna, Europe's music center. This time around we find a stunning new hotel, **Das Triest**, and a lively, moderately-priced **Beisel**, **Spatzennest**.

### HOTELS

**Abtei**, Abteistrasse 14, D-20149, Hamburg, 040/4495 95, 040/449820

**Adam**, D-94249, Bodenmais

**Adler**, Fuggerstrasse 1, D-87561, Oberstdorf, 08322/30 59, 08322/8187

**Adria**, Liebigstrasse 8a, D-80538, Munich, 089/293081, 089/227015

**Adria Praha**, Vaclavske namesti 26, CZ-110 00, Prague, 02/242 19274, 02/242 11025

**Albana**, CH-6353, Weggis, 041/93 21 41, 041/93 29 59

**Albergo Giardino**, CH-6612, Ascona, 093/35 01 01, 093/361094

**Alpenrose**, CH-9658, Wildhaus (Obertoggenburg), 074/52121, 074/51052

**Alpenruhe**, CH-3823, Wengen, 036 55 27 44, 036 55 27 77

**Altstadthotel Arch**, Haidplatz 4, D-93047, Regensburg, 0941/50 20 60, 0941/5 02 06 68

**Am Zoo**, Kurfürstendamm 25, D-10719, Berlin, 030/883091

**An der Oper**, Falkenturmstr. 10, D-80331, Munich, 089/290 0270, 089/2900 2729

**Andrea**, Holzweg 10, D-94249, Bodenmais, 09924/3-86, 09924/74 74

**Anker**, Obertorstrasse 6, D-97828, Marktheidenfeld, 09301/6 00 40, 09301/600 47

**Appenzell**, CH-9050, Appenzell, 071/787 4211

**Astoria Hotel**, Kossouth Lajos u. 19, H-1053, Budapest, 1/117-3411, 1/118-6798

**Auberge de la Couronne**, CH-1143, Apples, 021/800 3167

**Bären**, CH-4622, Egerkingen-Langenbruk, 062/601414

**Bavaria**, Kienbergstr. 62, D-87459, Pfronten, 08363/90 20, 08363/68 15

**Bayerischerhof**, Antonstrasse 35, D-01097, Dresden, 0351/5024/193/94, 0351/5780 589

**Beaufort**, 1 Esplanade du Mont-Blanc,

CH-2000, Neuchâtel, 4138/24 00 24, 4138/24 78 94

**Benen-Diken-Hof**, Süderstrasse, D-25980, Sylt, 04651/3 10 35, 04651/35835

**Berggasthof Panorama**, St. Anton 3, D-82467, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, 08821/25 15, 08821/48 84

**Berghotel Latscheneck**, Kaffeefeld 1, D-82481, Mittenwald, 08823/1419

**Berner**, Nikolaus-Gassner-Promenade 1, A-5700, Zell am See, 06542/2557, 06542/25577

**Birkenhof**, von-Eiff-Strasse 37, D-63456, Hanau am Main, 06181/6 48 80, 06181/64 88 39

**Blankenberg**, Rosenauer Str. 30, D-96450, Coburg, 09561/75005

**Bon Accueil**, CH-1837, Chateaux d Oex, 029/46320

**Brandenburgerhof**, Eiselbenerstrasse 14, D-10789, Berlin, 030/21405 0, 030/21405 100

**Brenner's Park Hotel & Spa**, Schillerstrasse 6, D-76530, Baden-Baden, 07221/9000, 07221/38772

**Brienzerburi**, CH-3855, Brienz, 036/511241, 036/513841

**Bristol**, Stampfenbachstrasse 34, CH-8035, Zürich, 01/2618400, 01/2511951

**Budapest Hilton**, Hess Andras ter 1-3, H-1014, Budapest, 361/1751000, 361/1560285

**Burgkürpark**, Ockelstrasse 11, D-31812, Bad Pyrmont, 05281/4001, 05281/4004

**Cappella**, 39030 Colfosco, Val Badia, 04-71836183

**Caroline Mathilde**, Bremer Weg 37, Celle, D-29223, 05141/32023, 05141/32028

**Chalet du Lac**, CH-3807, Iseltwald, 036/451112, 036/45 11 44

**Chasa Belvoir**, Bad Scoul, CH-7550, Bad Scoul, 081/864/93/94, 081/864 99 82

**Chäseren**, Wald-Schönegrund, CH-9105, 071/571751, 071/571759

**City Hotel Moran**, Na Morani 15, CZ-120 00, Prague 2, 02/249 1528, 02/29 7533

**Closterhof**, CH-8260, Stein am Rhein, 054/42 42 42, 054/41 13 37

**Club**, rue de Parc 71, CH-2300, La Chaux de Fonds, 039/23 5300, 039/23 9501

**Das Triest**, Wiedner Hauptstrasse 12, A-1040, Vienna, 01/589 18-0

**De La Cigogne**, 17 Pl. Longemalle, CH-1204, Geneva, 022/21 42 42, 022/21 40 65

**De La Poste**, CH-1936, Verbier VS 18, 026/75681

**Der Bär**, A-6352, Ellmau, 05358/2395, 05358/23 9556

**Des Vignes**, CH-1958, Uvrier-Sion, 027/311671, 027/313727

**Dolder Grand**, Kurhausstr. 65, CH-8032, Zürich, 01/251 6231, 01/251 8829

**Domus**, Uhlandstrasse 49, D-10719, Berlin, 030/88 20 41, 030/882 0410

**Domus**, St-Anna-Strasse 31, D-80538, Munich, 089/221704, 089/2285359

**Dorer**, Franz-Schubertstr. 20, D-78141, Schönwald, 07722/9 50 50, 07722/9 50 530

**Drei Könige**, Blumenrain 8, CH-4001, Basel, 061/261 5252, 061/261 2153

**Dreieich**, Frankfurter Str. 49, Langen, D-63225, 06103/2-10-01, 06103/5 20 30

**Du Vaisseau**, Petit-Cortailloil Plage, CH-2016, Cortailloil, 038/42 1942, 038/421092

**Eden au Lac**, 11 rue du Theatre, CH-



1820, Montreux, 021/9635551, 021/9631813  
**Einstein**, Berneggstrasse 2, CH-9002, St. Gallen, 071/20 00 33, 071/23 54 74  
**Eisenhut**, Herrngasse 3, D-91541, Rothenburg o.d. T., 09861/70 50, 09861/70545  
**Erzherzog Johann**, Sackstrasse 3-5, A-8010, Graz, 0316/81 16 16, 0316/81 15 15  
**Europa**, Am Hof 38-46, D-50667, Cologne, 02/212058-0  
**Excelsior Hotel Ernst**, Domplatz, D-50667, Cologne, 02/212701  
**Exquisit**, Pettenkofersstrasse 3, D-80336, Munich, 089/5519900, 089/55199499  
**Falken**, Rossmarkt 3, D-87700, Memmingen, 08331/47081, 08331/47086  
**Feiler**, Oberer Markt 4, D-91346, Wiesenttal, 09196/9 29 50, 09196/362  
**Feinschmeck**, Dreifaltigkeitgasse 10, A-5700, Zell am See, 06542/2549, 06542/254949  
**Ferienwohnungen Regina**, Riffelstrasse 4, D-82467, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, 08821/56159, 08821/56159  
**Fiescherblick**, CH-3818, Grindelwald, 036/534453, 036/534457  
**Florhof**, Florhohgasse 4, CH-8001, Zürich, 01/261 44 70, 01/261 46 11  
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**Spatenhaus**, Residenzstrasse 12, D-80333, Munich, 089/227841  
**Stazione "da Agnese"**, CH-6655, Intragna, 091/796 1212, 091/796 3133  
**Stucki**, Bruderholzallee 42, CH-4059, Basel, 061/361 82 22, 361 82 03  
**Szazeves**, Pesti Barnabas u. 2, H-1052, Budapest, 118-3608, 266-5240  
**Tanne Restaurant**, Erze Tamas U.6, H-2092, Budapest, 176/6144  
**U Cerneho Slunce**, Kamzikova 9, Prague 1, 02/236 5769  
**U Dvou Koceck**, Uhelny trh. 10, CZ-110 00, Prague 1  
**U Sedmi Andelu**, Jilska 20, Prague 1, 02/266355  
**Weinhaus Anker**, Obertorstr. 13, D-97828, Marktheidenfeld, 09391/1736, 09391/1742  
**Weinstube Bachus**, Calwer Strasse 60, D-70173, Stuttgart, 0711/29 68 75  
**Weinstube Stuttgart**, Buschelstrasse 2A, D-70178, Stuttgart, 0711/61 72 76  
**Weisses Kreuz**, Herzog-Odilo-Strasse 25, A-5310, Am Mondsee, 06232 22 54  
**Wild**, Neuermarkt, A-1010, Vienna  
**Zeughauskeller**, Bahnhofstrasse 28, CH-8035, Zürich, 01/2112690  
**Zu den drei Husaren**, Weihburggasse 4, A-1010, Vienna, 01/51 21 092  
**Zum Bürgerhaus**, Pettekenferstrasse 1, D-80336, Munich, 089/597909, 089/9304313  
**Zum Mohren**, Judengasse 9, A-5020, Salzburg, 0662/84 23 87  
**Zunftthaus zu Pfistern**, Kornmarkt 4, CH-6000, Lucern  
**Zur Hohen Brücke Gastätte**, Wiplingerstrasse 23, A-1010, Vienna  
**Zwettler's**, Kaigasse 3, A-5020, 0662/840044

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- Driving tour of the **Vaudois Alps**.