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European Cultural Route of the German Knights (English) Route culturelle europeenne des chevaliers teutons (Français)





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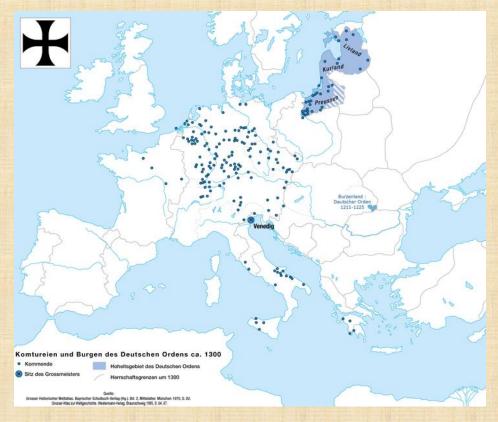
From Akkon to Marienburg (today Feldioara) and after in 12 other european countries

Grandmaster Herman von Salza (1209 – 1239)

The Order of the German Knights or Teutonic Order was foundet in the Holy Land, in Akkon 1190 as **Order of Brothers of the German House of Saint Mary in Jerusalem**. In 1199 this order was transformated in the **Ordo Teutonicus or Order of the German Knights**.

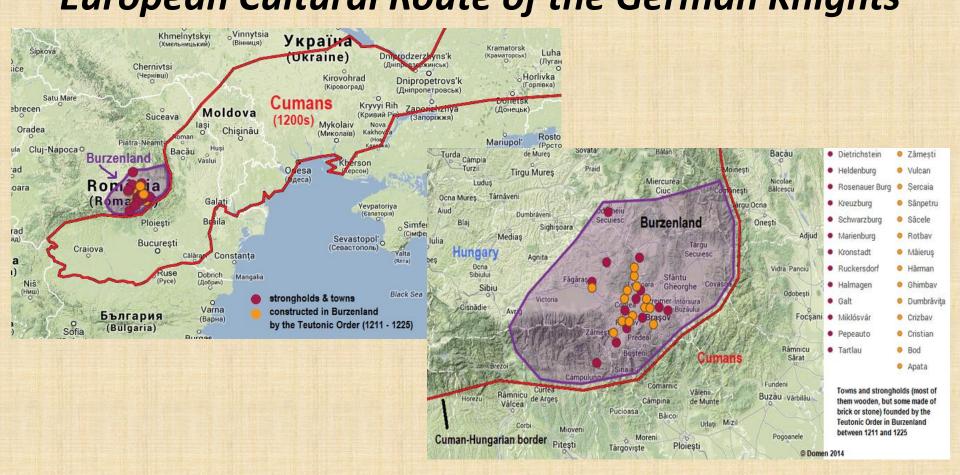
The first stop in Europe was in Transylvania between 1211 - 1225



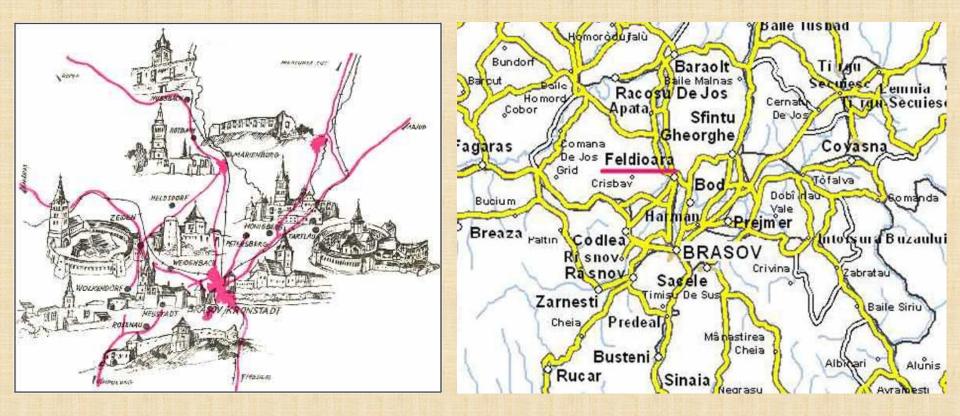




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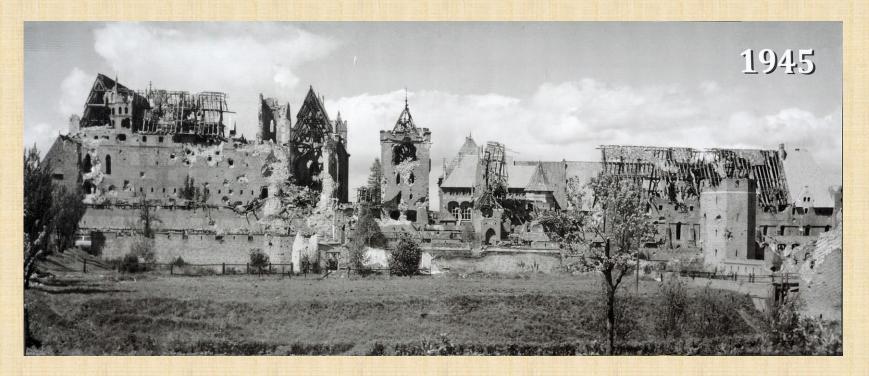




# Fordo Ceutomicus

## **European Cultural Route of the German Knights**

#### From the Marienburg in Transylvania to the Marienburg in Poland







- The Marienburg was the headquarter of the Order after Venice
- Was destroyed in the WW2
- Thepolisch Goverment started the reconstruction
- 1997 the Castle was the Teutonic Castle inscribed in the World Heritage List of UNESCO



The German Knights in Poland and in the 3 baltic countries, Lithuania, Estonia & Latvia





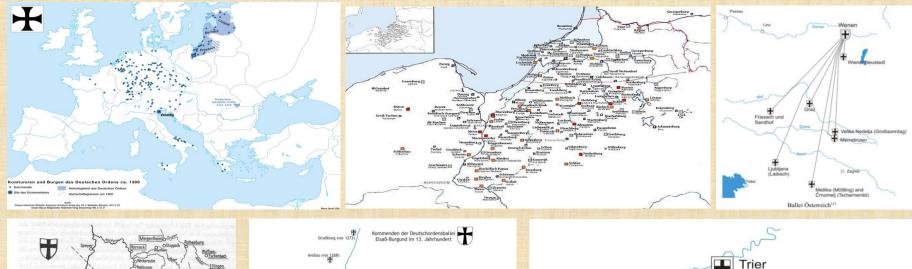


The German Knights Order was organised in Europe in a lot of regional commanderies in:

- Germany
- Austria
- France
- Spain
- Luxemburg
- Belgium
- Holland
- Switzerland - Italy

- Czeh Republic
- Slovakia
- Slovenia
- Poland
- Estonia
- Lithuania
- Letonia
- Romania/Transylvania

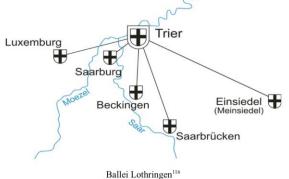






Karte 8: Der Deutschorden in Südwestdeutschland vor der Französischen Revolution















# European Cultural Route of the German Knights European Heritage of the German Knights

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German Knights Museums in Europee





**Bad Mergentheim** 

#### Wien - Vienna







German Knights Museums in Europee





Ellingen

Marienburg Feldioara







German Knights Museums in Europe





Malbork / Marienburg











Promotion and advetising of the Knights-Tournament on tourism exibitions







#### The Tournement of the Knights – The Event





















Official visit of the Grandmaster of the Teitonic Order, Dr. Bruno Plater from Vienna in Marienburg







Ruta culturală europeană a Cavalerilor Teutoni The European cultural route of the Teutonic Knights Die europäische Kulturroute der Deutschen Ritter

LEGENDĂ

Akkó, Israel

#### EUROPA

- ROMÂNIA, Marienburg (Feldioara)
- POLONIA, Malbork
  ESTONIA
  LITUANIA
  LETONIA
- GERMANIA, Bad Mergentheim LUXEMBURG
   OLANDA
   BELGIA
   FRANȚA, Alsacia
   SPANIA, Madrid
   ELVEȚIA, Berna
   GERMANIA, Nuremberg
   ITALIA, Tirol, Bolzano
   ITALIA, Sicilia
   ITALIA, Sicilia
   ITALIA, Roma
   ITALIA, Veneția
   AUSTRIA, Viena
   CEHIA

SLOVACIA SLOVENIA

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# **European Cultural Route of the German Knights**

#### Very attractiv for history fans

- Very attractiv for tourists increasing the number of tourist
- Very attractiv for childrens and families through the knights festivals organised at the teutonic Castles
- Bringing all the castles and museums of the Teutonic Knights from all Europe in a fantastic turistical and cultural network together.







Thank you for the attention and lets work together to bring into reality this great cultural europea route that brings toghether Israel with 17 european countries.

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