

itinerary 2 - Giants of the Borderlands

company name: **Simply Nice Tours**

name of tour: **Giants of the Borderlands**

dates of tour: **available upon request**

no. of days and nights: **5 days, 4 nights**

published rate: **£650 p.p.**

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Price includes 4 nts Bed & Breakfast accommodation at the Golden Pheasant Country Hotel. Services of a fully-qualified driver-tour guide and walks leader throughout. Admission prices to attractions and 1 x Packed lunch

day 1 - music and poetry

Pick-up.

We walk and tour the two valleys of the Dee and Ceiriog, firstly along the Llangollen History Trail (including a visit to the site of the International Musical Eisteddfod); and then the Ceiriog Valley Walk, passing the birthplace of John Ceiriog Hughes and Huw Morris, two of Wales' most influential poets.

Lunch in Llangollen, dinner at Hotel.

day 2 - castles and churches

A walk along the historic Offas Dyke path leads us to the 13th century Chirk Castle (National Trust), and from there we tour a number of the Borderlands' historic churches, following the 'Wrexham Discovery Trail'.

Lunch at Chirk Castle, dinner at The West Arms Hotel, Llanarmon

day 3 - the 7 wonders of wales

We have already seen 4 of the Wonders, so into the Berwyn Mountains today, as we walk along the Berwyn Ridge to the spectacular Pistyll Rhaeadr Waterfall, and then continue our circular tour to view the other 2 – plus another couple of candidates!

Packed lunch, dinner at The Corn Mill, Llangollen

day 4 - homes and gardens

We explore a few of the prettiest gardens and impressive country houses in the Borderlands area, linked with a walk along the Maelor Way.

Lunch at Erddig House, dinner at Hotel

day 5 - along the border

Our final walk along the Shropshire Union Canal towpath takes us from Wales into England – and back again!

Lunch at the Moreton Hall Garden Centre.

Drop-off.