

Traveling Abroad

Humanities students get a taste of the world

Last summer a group of about fifty Milligan students and faculty, as well as other chaperones got to take a new look at the world by traveling to Europe on the Humanities tour. The twenty-eight day trip covered several European countries including England, France, Holland, Italy, Belgium, and Germany. For many travelers, it was not only a fun and educational journey, but also a religious experience. "This trip was also a great religious experience for me," said Scott Linn. "Through the wonderful creations of man, I can see how great God really is."

Some of the more serious highlights of the trip included Dachau work camp in Germany, as well as the home of Anne Frank. "To think of what fear that poor family lived in just because they were Jews is an outrage," said Gabe Goulds. "Although the Frank's story is sad it gives me feelings

of courage."

Other students recalled the beauty of well-known artifacts and buildings such as Notre Dame cathedral, the Globe Theater, Arena Chapel, or the British Museum. "We went to the impressive British Museum... a massive building that houses art and artifacts from ancient China, Egypt, and Greece, not to mention others," said Sean Mitchell.

Probably the best memories were made just goofing off with friends. "At Versailles Trent put on his hat backward with one of his eyes pulled up weird and talked to strangers," said Meredith Orrell. "It was funny."

No matter what the best memory was all seemed to share the same sentiment. "I had the trip of a lifetime," said Goulds. "I don't think anything compares to the things I have seen, the places I have been, and the friends I have made."



The twelve Greek gods?!

Way to go guys! Show those Greeks how Americans do it. Greece had an overload of stud power when these guys came to town.

Riiiiicooolaaaaa!!

Are these Swiss guys not cool? A trip to the Swiss Alps revealed that the Ricola men do indeed exist.





Wow! So that's what it really looks like!

Restoration goes on in the background while students explore the wonders of Greece. A stop in Greece really brought freshman humanities into perspective for students on the tour.

Memorable Quotes from the Humanities Tour

"Words can't describe the feeling of standing in the Sistine Chapel. As I stood there I took a deep, inhaled breath remembering the movie Good Will Hunting. In the film Robin Williams asks the younger Matt Damon did he know what it smells like in the Sistine Chapel. I do!"
--Derek Sharpe

"We just visited Heidelberg Castle. Big time views from everywhere. I saw the biggest keg in the world. I'm telling you you could throw a party every night for 5 years straight and still not run out."
--Nathan Jenkins



How cute!

How many clowns do you think can fit inside? The Humanities tour provided students with the chance to go to Europe and see the cultures they had learned about for the past two years.

We made it!

We climbed all the way up here just to take this picture so we could say we climbed all the way up here. Climbing became the only way to travel as students traveled mountainous Greece.

Yeah Baby, Yeah!

The first stop on the tour was London, England. Students saw many sites including Buckingham Palace and the Globe Theatre. "We went to the Globe Theatre for Shakespeare's *Julius Caesar*. As groundlings, we stood during the acts and sat during 5 minute interludes. All in all, it was an excellent portrayal," said Erin Jones.

