



OVERVIEW OF GUIDED WALKING TOURS – duration 2h

- **HISTORIC CENTRE**
Classic city tour along the most important historical monuments.
- **HISTORIC CENTRE + THE CATHEDRAL**
Ready for a dive into Ghent's past? You will be amazed by the fascinating history, art and culture. Combine the tour with a visit to the Adoration of the Mystic Lamb.
- **HISTORIC CENTRE + BELFRY AND CLOTH HALL INCLUDED**
Our guide takes you along the most beautiful spots in the historic heart. Including a visit to the Cloth Hall and the Belfry, symbols of liberty and economic power in the medieval city.
- **PLAYFUL WALK**
Walk along the nicest locations in the historic heart of the city. The Ghent guide will cheer up the atmosphere with his humour and enthusiasm.
- **WITCH OR SAINT FROM GHENT : TAKE YOUR PICK !**
Magic, witchcraft, occultism, demonic fantasies are of all times. What places do witches have in this list? Were there witch trails in Ghent?
- **GRAFFITI & STREET ART TOUR**
A vibrant city is characterized by street art, and in Ghent, this is more vibrant than ever! Join the guide to discover the rich history behind this art form.
- **OMG! THE INCREDIBLE ADVENTURES OF THE MYSTIC LAMB**
You will discover the true story of one of the world's most coveted works of art.
- **EXQUISITE DISTRICTS: PATERSHOL & PRINSENHOF**
Join us for a walk through "Patershol" and "Prinsenhof", two beautiful districts where the medieval soul of Ghent is still alive.
- **MIGHTY HIGH HEELS**
Over the centuries, female sovereigns have left their mark on Ghent in various ways. The traces they left behind are not easy to find, but the guide knows them like the back of their hand!
- **THE KROOK: CULTURAL HOTSPOT IN GHENT**
As the most impressive library, the Krook is a well-known place in Ghent. And behind all this splendor and books lies a considerable amount of history!
- **THE EMPEROR AND THE NOOSE WEARERS**
Ghent, February 24, 1500. A proud town celebrates the birth of her most famous resident: the Emperor Charles V, one of the most powerful monarchs ever in European history. Forty years later love has come to an end. Find out about the love-hate relationship between the Ghent people and their emperor.
- **A WALKING TOUR IN GHENT'S RED-LIGHT DISTRICT:**
The world's oldest profession is very well known in Ghent. The guide will take you to the famous and less known red-light quarters in this town.



- **FROM ABBEY TO BREWERY**

This walk focuses on the history of beer and breweries through the centuries in Ghent (not a pub crawl).

- **THE BIJLOKE: CENTER OF CREATIVITY AND INSPIRATION**

For more than 750 years, the Bijloke site served as a monastery and hospital. Today, it is a vibrant cultural and museum complex.

- **THE CITADEL PARK: CHILL IN THE GREEN**

For more than 100 years, we have been enjoying a beautiful park on the site of the old citadel of Ghent. Join the guide on a walk through more than 15 hectares of greenery and immerse yourself in the splendor of nature.

- **THE MYRIAD FACES OF THE COUPURE**

Of all the channels in Ghent, the Coupure is one of the most sought after residential environments in the city. But that wasn't always the case. Join the guide on a tour along the attractive watercourse with its many faces.

- **THE RUINED ABBEY OF ST BAVO**

A mere few minutes away from the cathedral lies a unique spot of Ghent's rich past in an oasis of natural tranquillity: the ruined abbey of St Bavo.

- **GHENT BY NIGHT**

Once night falls over Ghent, you have the impression to be in a completely different city. Allow yourself to be enchanted by fairy-like views and get lost in the romantically illuminated little streets.

- **GHENT AND WWI**

During the First World War Ghent was occupied by the German army. Discover how the city and its inhabitants tried to live on. Smuggling e.g. was a simple but dangerous way to survive.

- **MEDIEVAL GHENT**

Wondering why the third son of king Edward III is called John of Gaunt? Has this "Gaunt" anything to do with Ghent? Well, yes! His godfather was the famous Ghentian merchant and politician Jacob van Artevelde, who more or less saved the city from ruin around 1340. Discover the city of merchants who were rich enough to be friends with the English king, and with many more.

- **GHENT DURING THE PERIOD OF THE REFORMATION**

Plunge into the turbulent sixteenth century, when protestantism raged against the Catholic Church. Our guide will tell you about stake burnings and executions, about the critical Chambers of Rhetoric, but also about the Pacification of Ghent, the treaty signed in the gorgeous Town Hall.

- **BLUE COLLARS IN THE 19TH CENTURY GHENT**

In the 19th century, Ghent was Flanders' largest industrial city, but the conditions in which the workers lived were often dire. During this walk, you will gain a broad insight into the harsh working life of this period.

- **THE FASCINATING PAST OF THE ZUID-SITE**

Join us on a journey of discovery through the Zuid site. Learn all about its history, from industrialization to decline and revival.



- **FROM ZOO TO SOUTH**

Did you know that there used to be a zoo on the site of De Zuid? Explore this neighborhood and take a walk through nearly 200 years of turbulent history.

- **DISCOVER THE MULTICULTURAL LIFE IN THE SLEEPSTRAAT**

More than 160 nationalities live side by side in Ghent. Take a stroll through Sleepstraat and soak up the multicultural atmosphere.

- **IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF STRIKING WOMAN**

All around the world, women have always fought for their emancipation and this was not any different in Ghent. Join us in exploring the streets of the city in order to discover the foot steps of striking women, from the Maid of Ghent to the Maid of Borremans and from the women around Emperor Charles to the women of Maurice Maeterlinck. Who does not know Vina Bouvy and Hélène Maréchal yet? Which obstacles did they have to face and what drove them to keep going and to contribute to change the history of Ghent? Discover their statues, their personal stories and their legacy.

- **FROM WORLD EXHIBITION 1913 TO MILLIONAIRES' QUARTERS:**

Just outside the centre, behind Saint-Peter Station, you will find a number of impressive country houses from the interbellum. Discover the Millionaires' Quarter, once the location of the famous World Exhibition of 1913.