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Bergamo – Città Alta



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Bergamo



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Città dei Mille

Città di Gaetano Donizetti



Città UNESCO

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Capital italiana de la cultura 2023

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Città Alta: la parte antica della città, fondata dagli antichi Romani con il nome Bergomum intorno al 200 a.C., fortificata dalla Repubblica di Venezia con le Mura Veneziane costruite dal **1561 al 1591**

Città Bassa: la parte moderna della città

Città Alta = Upper Town: the ancient part of the city, founded by the ancient Romans with the name Bergomum around 200 BC, fortified by the Republic of Venice with the Venetian Walls built from **1561 to 1591**

Città Bassa = Lower Town: the modern part of the city

Città Alta = Ville Haute: la partie ancienne de la ville, fondée par les anciens Romains sous le nom de Bergomum vers 200 avant JC, fortifiée par la République de Venise avec les Murs Vénitiens construits de **1561 à 1591**

Città Bassa = Ville Basse: la partie moderne de la ville

Città Alta = Hohe Stadt: der antike Teil der Stadt, der um 200 v. Chr. von den alten Römern unter dem Namen Bergomum gegründet wurde, von der Republik Venedig mit den Venezianischen Mauern befestigt wurde, die von **1561 bis 1591** erbaut wurden

Città Bassa = Unterstadt: der moderne Teil der Stadt

Città Alta = Ciudad Alta: la parte antigua de la ciudad, fundada por los antiguos Romanos con el nombre de Bergomum alrededor del año 200 a.C., fortificada por la República de Venecia con las Murallas Venecianas construidas entre **1561 y 1591**

Città Bassa = Ciudad Baja: la parte moderna de la ciudad

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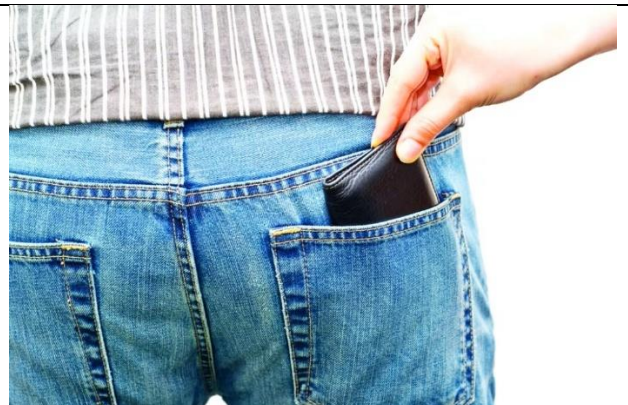
AVVISO: attenzione a ladri e borseggiatori

WARNING: beware of thieves and pickpockets

ATTENTION: méfiez-vous des voleurs et des pickpockets

ACHTUNG: hüten Sie sich vor Dieben und Taschendieben

ADVERTENCIA: cuidado con los ladrones y carteristas



Bergamo – Città Alta Tour



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1. Useful informations: in Città Alta there are 4 Gates



Porta Sant'Alessandro
West



Porta San Giacomo
South



Porta Sant'Agostino
East, with **Walls Museum**



Porta San Lorenzo = Garibaldi
North

2. Useful informations: in Città Alta there are 2 Funiculars



Funicolare Città Bassa
double cabin



Funicolare San Vigilio
single cabin

Discounted ticket for 7 museums in 48 h. = 14€ <https://museodellestorie.bergamo.it>
Mura di Bergamo, Torre del Campanone, Palazzo del Podestà & 500, Rocca & 800, Museo Sestini della Fotografia & 900, Museo Donizetti della Musica, Torre dei Caduti (BG Bassa)
or Lombardia Museum Subscription Card for all Museums

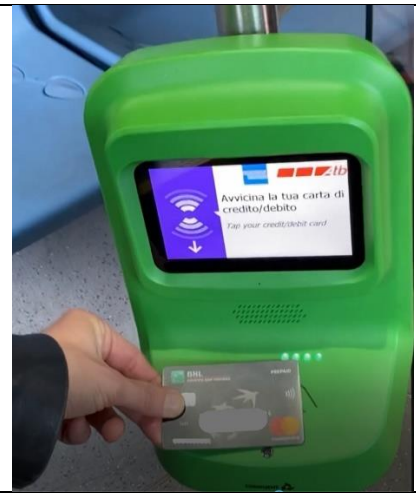
3. Useful informations: if you don't want to walk to Porta Nuova (1 Km), you can get Bus C2 A or C2 B near apartment, 100 m from home, in front of TAKE SUSHI japanese restaurant, at the entrance of Via Ronzoni. Get off the bus at Porta Nuova



4. Go to **Porta Nuova**, look at the building with the columns on the **right**, buy Bus Tickets at **ATB point** (automatic machine outside or desk office inside) = **Ticket price Zone 1 is 1,70 Euro and the ticket is valid for 75 minutes** since you stamp it
5. Bus Tickets can be previolusly purchased also in some Bars, Tobacconist and Newspaper kiosks.
6. If you have a different **Bancomat or Credit Card** for each passenger, you can pay directly on board (without buying the paper tickets before), **selecting the CARD icon on the onboard ticket machine**

Porta Nuova





7. Get **Bus number 1 A** in front of church **Santa Maria delle Grazie**, direction **CITTA' ALTA**

8. Stamp the ticket (or pay with the Card) boarding the Bus



9. Do **NOT** get off the but at the “Città Bassa Funicolare Station”, but stay on the Bus until it reaches the terminal in Città Alta, **Largo Colle Aperto**
10. The **Bus** will go all the way up, enter Città Alta from **Porta Sant’Agostino** gate and go through panoramic tour **Viale delle Mura**
11. If you are interested, inside **Porta Sant’Agostino** there is an interesting **Museum with the history of the building of the walls from 1561 to 1591** (all inside panels are in italian and english languages)



12. Go to the end and get down at **Bus Terminal = Largo Colle Aperto**
13. Exit from **Porta Sant’Alessandro** gate (50 m)



14. With the same Ticket or Card (you have to pass it again, but it will not be charged), get **Funicolare San Vigilio** and go up to the top



15. When up, exit from Funicolare and go to the right for about 200 meters

16. Half the way, look right, you will see Città Alta from above!



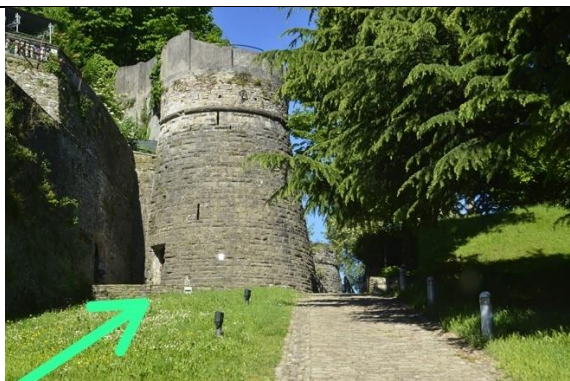
17. You will reach **Castello di San Vigilio** (entrance is free = no ticket)

18. Enter the main tower (**green arrow** in the picture below), and go up the stairs to the top

19. You will have wonderful sighthseen all around, in the clear days you can also see **Milano** and all the **Alps** mountains

20. Come down from Castle through the **main stairs (on your left)** and return to Funicolare

21. With the same Ticket or Card (you have to pass it again, but it will not be charged), get **Funicolare San Vigilio** and go down



22. Arriving down, enter the **Porta Sant’Alessandro** gate
23. On your right, I recommend you the famous **Bar, Gelateria, Pasticceria, Ristorante** (Ice-cream shop, Pastry shop, Restaurant) **“La Marianna”**, where I suggest you the icecream **Gelato Stracciatella** (they invented it in 1961) during the summer, or the **Hot Chocolate (with cream) to drink = Cioccolata (con panna)** in the winter



24. Go across the **Largo Colle Aperto** square and enter **Piazza Cittadella**
25. Visit the **amazing Museo di Storia Naturale** (Natural History Museum), **children are free**, with Dinosaur, Mammuth, Whale and many others animals



Museo di Storia Naturale = Natural History Museum



26. Exiting museum, go to the left and pass under Torre Della Campanella (Small Bell Tower)



27. Go straight to Via Bartolomeo Colleoni with typical old shops



28. After 300 m you will arrive in Piazza Vecchia (center of Città Alta)



Torre del Campanone (Large Bell Tower) year 1656

Every evening, since 400 years, starting at h. 22.00 (10 PM) you will be able to hear the CAMPANONE (large bell) from the Clock Tower in Piazza Vecchia - Bergamo Città Alta, ringing 100 chimes (GONG, GONG, GONG, ... in about 2 minutes) as a medieval tradition: in the Middle Ages, it was the signal for people outside the walls that in a few minutes the city gates would close for the night, and people could rush inside in time

Depending on the direction of the wind, it is often possible to hear the bell even from the apartment in Città Bassa





29. In Piazza Vecchia you can see the **Fontana del Contarini** at the center, the white building **Biblioteca Angelo Maj** (public library), then visit: **Torre del Campanone** (Large Bell Tower, go up with the lift), under it there is the ancient **Roman Archaeological Museum**. Visit **Palazzo del Podestà & Museum 500**. The large stairs bring you to the first floor of **Palazzo della Ragione**, house of Bergamo Governor during the domination of the Republic of Venice (697-1797). Then visit the beautiful churches: **Duomo Cattedrale di Sant'Alessandro** (Saint protector of Bergamo), **Santa Maria Maggiore**, **Cappella Colleoni** (Chapel), **Battistero** (Baptistery)
30. For your **lunch or dinner** in Bergamo try “**Casoncelli alla Bergamasca**” typical specialty
31. **Recommended Restaurant #1** in Piazza Vecchia: **Restaurant “Il Sole” = “The Sun”** in Via Bartolomeo Colleoni 1, phone +39 035 218.238 to reserve a table
32. **Recommended Restaurant #2** in Piazza Vecchia: **Restaurant “Da Franco”** in Via Bartolomeo Colleoni 8, phone +39 035 238.565 to reserve a table
33. Go east direction to see **Lavatoio** (where women washed their linen and clothes until last century) in **Via Mario Lupo, 6**
34. Go to **Piazza Mercato delle Scarpe** (Shoes Market Square), where you will find **Funicolare Station from Bergamo Alta to Bergamo Bassa**.
35. If you are not tired, go uphill in **Via Solata**, and then to the right in **Via Rocca**, and after 100 m. you will reach la **Rocca**, the fortress of Bergamo Alta in **Piazzale Brigata Legnano**. Entrance of the park (with artillery from I World War and a tank from II World War) is free, but you need to buy a ticket (or Museum Card) to go up to the **Tower and walls** and visit the internal **Independence War (1859) & 800 Museum**

36. Exiting from Rocca, if you are not tired, go uphill in direction **Piazza Mercato del Fieno, 6** (Hay Market Square) and you will find **Convento di San Francesco**: entrance is free, but you need to buy a ticket (or Museum Card) to visit **Museo Sestini della Fotografia** (Photography Museum), then go back to **Piazza Mercato delle Scarpe**
37. Enter the **Funicolare station**, in front you have a **Bar with a terrace**, from where you can see from above **Funicolare cabins** going up and down and Città Bassa; **optional you can sit and take a drink there**
38. **Don't take the funicular yet, but go out the station**
39. Go on the left downhill in **Via San Giacomo**, after 100 meters you will arrive at beautiful **Porta San Giacomo** (the white color gate, visible from Città Bassa)
40. Exit from the gate 50 meters and look at the **walls** on both sides!
41. **Now you can return to Città Bassa and Happy Home in 4 different ways:**
42. **Way #1** = return uphill to Funicolare station, get Funicolare, when you arrive down get bus Number 1 (direction Porta Nuova / Stazione / Aeroporto), get off at Porta Nuova, get Bus Number 5 and after few stops get off in Via Moroni, in front of TAKE SUSHI japanese restaurant.
43. **Way #2** = from the walls near Porta San Giacomo there is a Bus Stop, get bus Number 1 (direction Porta Nuova / Stazione / Aeroporto), get off at Porta Nuova, get Bus Number 5 and after few stops get off in Via Moroni, in front of TAKE SUSHI japanese restaurant
44. **Way #3** = from outside Porta San Giacomo, walk downhill for 100 meters, turn left, get a narrow road called **SCALETTA** that after 100 meters will take you to Funicolare lower station. Get bus Number 1 (direction Porta Nuova / Stazione / Aeroporto), get off at Porta Nuova, get Bus Number 5 and after few stops get off in Via Moroni, in front of TAKE SUSHI japanese restaurant
45. **If you don't want to wait for Bus number 5, you can walk 1 Km from Porta Nuova to Happy Home**
46. **Way #4** = from Porta San Giacomo, walk downhill for less than 1 km along **Via Sant'Alessandro**, in only 10 minutes you will arrive in **Piazza Pontida**, and in another 5 minutes you will arrive at Happy Home

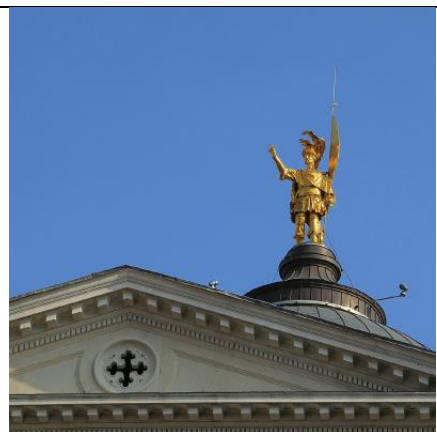
Lavatoio = Old washing site for clothes - Via Lupo 6



Porta San Giacomo and Walls



**Duomo di Bergamo = Cattedrale di Sant'Alessandro
Chiesa Giubilare con Porta Santa = Jubilee Church with Holy Door**



Santa Maria Maggiore



North door



South door



Inside



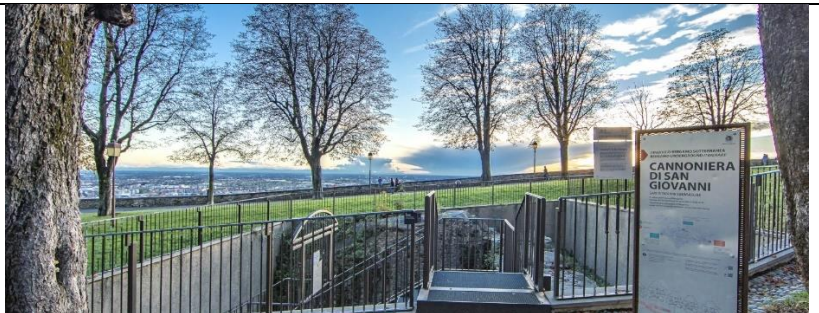
Cappella Colleoni (Chapel)



Battistero (Baptistry)



Cannoniera di San Giovanni lungo le Mura = Artillery site along the walls
 From April to September: Monday to Friday 14/18, Saturday and Sunday 10/12 + 14/18



Rocca = Fortress – Via Rocca & Museo 800

Inside: historical museum from Napoleone Bonaparte to Giuseppe Garibaldi (1800-1860)

Outside: artillery from World War I (1914-1918) and Tank from World War II (1939-1945)

From the walls: splendid panoramic view



Convento di San Francesco – Museo della Fotografia & Museo 900
Piazza Mercato del Fieno, 6



Ex Chiesa (Church) di Sant'Agostino – today University
Piazza Sant'Agostino



Fontana del Lantro
Water source of the old aqueduct of Bergamo Città Alta
Via della Boccola, 2

