

# App "Leipzig '89"

Multimedia guide about the Sites of the Peaceful Revolution



Orte der Friedlichen Revolution

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**9. JULI 1989**  
**Demonstration für Demokratie während des Kirchentages**  
Am Vorabend des Kirchentages fanden heute in der Messehalle des 1. Juli in Leipzig statt. Die Demonstranten forderten aufgrund massiver Strafen verhängt auf politische Forderungen. Demonstrationen, Schlägerei und Beschädigung der öffentlichen Infrastruktur. Die Demonstranten forderten die Abschaffung der Strafen für politische Demonstrationen in der DDR.

Während der Abschlusssitzung auf der Messe wurde ein Schulbuch präsentiert, das die Bürger gegen die DDR und die Abschaffung der Strafen forderte. Die DDR-Führung versuchte, die Demonstration zu verhindern, indem sie die Demonstranten mit Wasser und Schlägen versuchte zu verhindern. Die Demonstranten forderten die Abschaffung der Strafen für politische Demonstrationen in der DDR.

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**10. JULI 1989**  
**Demonstration for democracy during the Church Congress**  
The Church Congress ("Kirchentag") of the Peaceful Revolution took place in Leipzig on July 9-10, 1989. The demonstrators demanded the abolition of the laws on political demonstrations, the abolition of the laws on the destruction of public property, and the abolition of the laws on the destruction of public property. The demonstrators demanded the abolition of the laws on political demonstrations in the GDR.

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"Leipzig '89" is a multilingual audio guide leading to 20 authentic locations in the urban area of Leipzig where there took place radical actions of the democratic turmoil in 1989/1990 that led to the fall of the SED (Socialist Unity Party of Germany) dictatorship.

The GPS-supported city tour illustrates the particularity, complexity and uniqueness of the entire event called the Peaceful Revolution in Leipzig. The project's basis is the stele exhibition "Sites of the Peaceful Revolution". The steles, which are made of expanded metal as a reminiscence of the border fortifications in the GDR, point out significant actions of the political resistance in Leipzig. This exhibition does not only show the most known events like the decisive Monday demonstration on October 9, 1989, the occupation of the Stasi headquarters on December 4, 1989 and the first free parliamentary election on March 18, 1990, it also presents smaller, but not less important actions of the civil rights movement.

The city tour shows the chronological and spatial progress of the Peaceful Revolution, as well as the change of the city since 1989. It reminds of the power of the democratic idea, which helped the citizens to free themselves from the SED dictatorship. "Leipzig '89" presents impressively an important chapter in German history, as well as the important role of Leipzig as the city of the Peaceful Revolution.

The app makes the events of the Peaceful Revolution visible and audible and also sensually experienceable. GPS-supported maps and route navigation lead the user directly to the different locations. You can download the app directly on mobile devices or call up the respective station on the app by scanning the QR code on the steles. A lot of original photos, documents and contemporary film footage complete the information on the steles and the audio guide.

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