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Journeys to Extraordinary Lands

Dear Pipedreams Friends (and Fanatics),

Finally, after many hurdles have been jumped, chasms crossed, and impediments removed, we are able to announce the 2023 PIPEDREAMS Tour in Sweden. I apologize for the long period of uncertainty.

The acclaimed recitalist and teacher Hans Fagius will be our in-residence 'organ guru', and the ever resourceful and genial Tim Schmutzler again will be our 'crew chief'.

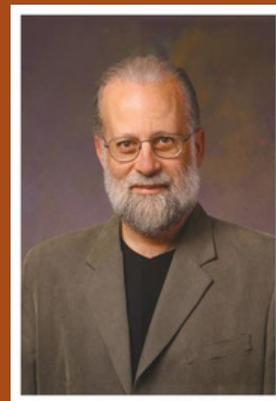
The information included in this brochure is sufficient information to start you on your way. I hope your eagerness has not diminished during this period of uncertainty... and I look forward to seeing you in Sweden (and Copenhagen), if not before.

Do consider arriving a day early, to acclimate to the time-change/jet lag and perhaps see a bit more of Copenhagen that is otherwise not part of our itinerary. The folks at Borton Overseas can help you with hotel arrangements.

Also, please let us know your ultimate travel plans. Depending on arrivals in Copenhagen, we have (as noted) the option of an organ visit or two that first afternoon. We will make plans according to your availability. If/when you send in your application, please email me, too, so that I know whom to expect.

Thanks for your patience. This will be fun (exhausting, but fun)!

Onward!
Michael Barone



Day by Day Itinerary

Day 1/Saturday, 20 May Arrive Copenhagen Arrive Copenhagen Kastrup Airport on own. There will be one coach transfer set up for airport to hotel, otherwise, individual independent transfers to hotel on own (via airport bus, train, or taxi). Possible visit to one organ in the city center during the afternoon (Skt Petri church or similar). Welcome dinner at hotel. the hotel. Overnight: Scandic Hotel Nørreport	D	Day 6/Thursday, 25 May Stockholm Breakfast at hotel. Day begins with a morning visit to Jacobs church & its organ, followed by a visit to Engelbrekts church & organ. Afternoon free (lunch & dinner on own). A short coach transfer from hotel this evening to Stockholm Concert Hall for a 7pm concert with Royal Stockholm Philharmonic Orchestra: The Rite of Spring by Stravinsky; Beatrice Rana is the piano soloist and award-winning American conductor Ryan Bancroft. Coach transfer back to hotel. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Amaranten, Stockholm	B	Day 11/ Tuesday, 30 May Jönköping/Norra Solberga/Hult/Göteborg Breakfast at hotel. Morning visit to Kristine church & organs in Jönköping. Drive to town of Norra Solberga for church and organs visit there. Coach continues in the afternoon to see organ in Hult. Journey to Gothenburg on the west coast, with a group dinner. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Post (or similar), Gothenburg	B D
Day 2/Sunday, 21 May Copenhagen/Malmö Breakfast at hotel. Morning departure by coach from Copenhagen, crossing over Øresunds Bridge into Sweden, and to the city of Malmö in the southwest "Skåne" area. Late morning visit with church service to St. Petri Church and hear organ. Group Lunch at local restaurant. Malmö Museum visit to see the old organ for St. Petri Church, with possible art collection tour. Late afternoon visit to St Johannes church and its organ. Dinner on own. Overnight: Scandic Kramer (or similar), Malmö	B L	Day 7/Friday, 26 May Stockholm – Uppsala Breakfast at hotel. Morning visit to Oscars church and its organ. Late morning visit to the Vasa Museum, with the famous restored sunken ship from 1628. Time for lunch on own. Afternoon visit to the German church & organs, and also to Gustav Vasa church. Transfer by coach to Uppsala, located about an hour or so north of Stockholm. Group dinner at hotel. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Gillet (or similar), Uppsala	B, D	Day 12/Wednesday, 31 May Göteborg (Gothenburg) Breakfast at hotel. Morning visit to Örgrye nya kyrka ('new church') & organs in Gothenburg. After a coffee/ fika break, it is on to Vasa church & its organ, followed by a group lunch at local restaurant. Afternoon visit to Haga church and organs. Dinner on own. Transfer to the Gothenburg Opera - enjoy an evening performance of Nabucco by Verdi on the main stage. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Post, Gothenburg	B L
Day 3/Monday, 22 May Malmö/Sjöbo/Karlskrona/Kalmar Breakfast at hotel. Morning visit to Övedskloster, a manor house in Sjöbo with organ. Coach continues to Karlskrona. Lunch pack in the coach. In Karlskrona, visit to Fredriks church and its organ, then to Trefaldighetskyrkan, a German church. Drive onward to Kalmar, located by the southeast coast. Later afternoon Kalmar Cathedral & organ visit. Check in, then group dinner this evening. Overnight: Clarion Collection Hotel Packhuset (or similar), Kalmar	B L	Day 8/Saturday, 27 May Uppsala region Breakfast at hotel. Depart by coach for morning visits to organ at Leufsta (Lövssta) bruk and a tour of the manor building with its collection of instruments. Group lunch at local restaurant in Lövssta bruk. Afternoon visit to organs in Valö and in Börstil. Return to Uppsala. Evening organ demo at Uppsala Cathedral. Dinner on own. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Gillet, Uppsala	B L	Day 13/Thursday, 1 June Göteborg/Helsingborg/Copenhagen Breakfast at hotel. Morning visit to Gothenburg Concert Hall and organ, followed by coffee break/fika. Late morning departure from Gothenburg, traveling south to Helsingborg. After time on own for lunch, a visit to Sta. Maria church & organs. Journey across the water via a short ferry ride to Helsingør in Denmark, before continuing down to Copenhagen. Farewell dinner at Copenhagen restaurant. Overnight: Scandic Hotel Nørreport (or similar), Copenhagen	B D
Day 4/Tuesday, 23 May Kalmar/Västervik/Västra/Norrköping Breakfast at hotel. Depart hotel for Västervik. Visit to Västervik St. Petri church & organs. Time for lunch on own. Early afternoon visit to St. Gertrud church & its organ in Västervik. Continue to Västra Eneby for church & organ visit. Onward by coach to Norrköping. Check in, then group dinner at hotel. Overnight: Scandic Strömmen (or similar), Norrköping	B D	Day 9/Sunday, 28 May Uppsala/Norrköping Breakfast at hotel. Attend 1100A Whitsunday (Pentecost) service at Uppsala Cathedral. Free time for lunch and Uppsala on own. Afternoon visit to Uppsala Mission Church. Drive south down to Norrköping. Group dinner at hotel. Overnight: Overnight: Scandic Strömmen (or similar), Norrköping	B D	Day 14/Friday, 2 June Copenhagen departure Breakfast at hotel, then check-out. One set transfer time by coach offered from hotel to Copenhagen airport. Otherwise, transfer on own to airport for flight check-in.	B
Day 5/Wednesday, 24 May Norrköping/Östra Husby/Konungssund Stockholm Breakfast at hotel. Visit this morning to organ at Östra Husby. Time for coffee/fika break. Onward to Konungssund for organ visit, followed by afternoon drive up to Stockholm - lunch stop en route. Free time then evening group dinner at hotel. Overnight: Clarion Hotel Amaranten (or similar), Stockholm	B D	Day 10/Monday, 29 May Linköping/Östra Skrukeby/Gammalkil/Jönköping Breakfast at hotel. Morning departure for Östra Skrukeby church & organ visit, then onward to Linköping for a visit to Linköping Cathedral and its organ. Free time for lunch, then coach continues to Gammalkil for organ visit, then day ends in the town of Jönköping. After hotel check-in, group dinner. Overnight: Clarion Collection Hotel Victoria (or similar), Jönköping	B D		

Code: **B** Breakfast, **L** Lunch, **D** Dinner

Itinerary subject to change

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TOUR COST

\$7599

Per Person / Double Occupancy
Single Supplement: \$1280

The tour cost is per person based on double occupancy, a minimum of 25 travelers, and subject to confirmation. While we will do everything possible to maintain the listed price and/or itinerary, they are subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control. Single room supplements may have limited availability and are on a request basis only. Not all bookings have been made and all space/rates are subject to availability at time of booking.

INCLUSIONS

- 13 nights' accommodation at 4-star hotels in standard rooms
- Private long distance touring coach for 12 days
- 13 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 9 dinners
- 2 glasses of wine/beer at one dinner
- Entrances to: Malmö Museum, Kalmar Cathedral, Övedsklosters Gods, Vasa Museum
- Concert ticket - The Rite of Spring - Stockholm Concert Hall
- Opera ticket - Göteborgsoperan
- Luggage handling at the hotels (except for Copenhagen)
- One set airport coach transfer on arrival and departure days
- Tour guide and local organist/guide
- Gratuities for tour guides and coach drivers; organist fees
- \$300 per person donation to MPR Pipedreams
- Hotel/tour taxes
- Tour host Michael Barone. If for some unforeseen circumstances, Michael is unable to travel, we reserve the right to change host.

ITEMS NOT INCLUDED

- Transatlantic airfare
- Meals other than listed above
- Entrance fees/sightseeing tours other than noted in program
- Beverages with lunches and dinners (other than coffee/tea/water) - unless noted
- Porter service at Copenhagen hotel
- Travel insurance - recommended

TOUR PAYMENT/CANCELLATION TERMS

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Your reservation holding fee of \$1900 per person is requested immediately to fulfill the group deadline requirements. Note that space is limited and reservations are taken on a first come, first served basis. Final payment is due no later than March 7, 2023. The fee for late payment is \$50 per traveler. For credit card payment, Borton Overseas accepts Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover.

CANCELLATION POLICY: All cancellations must be in writing. There is no refund for partial or unused land arrangements. The following penalties will apply:
Cancellations received by:
March 7, 2023, \$500 non-refundable;
March 8-30, 2023 Deposit is non-refundable;
March 31-April 27, 2023, 50% of the total trip cost;
April 28, 2023 - departure, 100% of total trip cost

PRELIMINARY ORGAN LIST

- **Copenhagen** - organ details TBA
- **Malmö - St Petri church:** West gallery: Marcussen 1951/2019, 88 stops. Choir organ: Klais 2019, 110 stops (transmissions out of 20 basic stops). All together an hyper-organ with a console for the choir organ Touch screens for registration. 200 stops, VI/P.
- **Malmö Museum:** Hans Christoph Fritzsich 1661, Rückpositiv Frobenius 1941. 21 stops, II/P. The old organ for St Petri church. Case and some pipes from around 1500. Placed in Malmö museum 1938-41 by Frobenius.
- **Malmö - St Johannes church:** Åkerman & Lund 2008, 59 stops, III/P. Excellent French/Swedish symphonic
- **Övedskloster:** Olof Schwan 1806, restored 2022. 12 stops I/attached P. Fine example of Swedish late baroque/classical style.
- **Karlskrona - Fredriks church:** West gallery: Fredrik Wahlberg 1764/Grönlund (reconstruction) 1986, 32 stops, II/P. North side gallery: Åkerman & Lund 1905/reconstructed 2019, 35 stops, III/P.
- **Karlskrona - Trefaldighetskyrkan** (German church): Pehr Zacharias Strand 1826, 23 stops, II/P.
- **Kalmar - Cathedral:** West gallery: Tostareds Kyrkorgelfabrik 2010, 71 stops, IV/P. Fantastic symphonic organ with many old stops. Choir organ: Ålems orgelbyggeri 1997, 18 stops, II/P. Free baroque style.
- **Västervik - St Petri church:** South gallery: Åkerman & Lund 1905, 30 stops, II/P. Fine example of a Swedish late romantic organ in original shape. West gallery: Marcussen 1968, ca 40 stops, III/P. Fine example of traditional Marcussen Organ Reform Movement organ.
- **Västervik - St Gertrud church:** Johan Wistenius 1744/Pehr Schörlin 1788, 20 stops, I/P. Restored by Åkerman & Lund 2008.
- **Västra - Eneby church:** Sven Nordström 1850-51, 16 stops, II/attached ped. One of the finest historical organs in Sweden.
- **Östra Husby:** Gustaf Andersson 1826, 23 stops, II/P. One of the finest preserved organs in classical/early romantic style.
- **Konungssund:** Anders Jonsson 1853, 8 stops I/attached ped. Very beautiful instrument with many older pipes.
- **Stockholm - Jacobs church:** Marcussen 1976, 80 stops, V/P. Very fine allround organ!
- **Stockholm - Engelbrekts church:** Grönlund 1964, 91 stops, V/P. Large all round organ by a Swedish builder.
- **Stockholm - Oscars church:** Marcussen 1949, 77 stops, IV/P. One of the very best Marcussen organs in the world!
- **Stockholm - German church:** West gallery: Åkerman & Lund 1887, 31 stops, II/P. Restored and brought back to original state 2018. South side gallery: Reconstruction of the organ from 1608/1656 by Grönlund 2004, 36 stops, III/P. Meantone, short octave.
- **Stockholm - Gustav Vasa church:** Åkerman & Lund 1906/Setterquist 1915/late small changes, 76 stops, III/P. Otto Olsson's organ.
- **Leufsta (Lövsta) bruk:** J.N.Cahman 1728 28 stops, II/P. The largest preserved baroque organ in Sweden. Fantastic historical place.
- **Valö:** Gustav Andersson 1831, 8 stops, I/attached ped. Beautiful early romantic organ.
- **Börstil:** Olof Schwan 1783, 11 1/2 stops, I/attached ped. Excellent example of a powerful late baroque organ.

PRELIMINARY ORGAN LIST *Continued*

- **Uppsala Cathedral:** West gallery: P.L.Åkerman 1870/restored by Bergenblad & Jonsson and Åkerman & Lund 2022, 55 stops, III/P. The largest preserved romantic (and historical) organ in Sweden. North side gallery: Fratelli Ruffatti 2010, 60 stops, IV/P.
- **Uppsala - Missionskyrka** (Mission Church): Organ by Nils-Olof Berg 1984, 20 stops, II/P. A most beautiful and quite unique Swedish built organ in an interesting modern church.
- **Östra Skrukeby:** Pehr Schiörlin 1794. 11 stops I/attached ped. A very fine example of Schiörlins country side organs.
- **Linköping - cathedral:** West gallery: Setterquist 1929, 61 stops, III/Ped. The last great Swedish late romantic style instrument. Behind case by Cahman.
- **Gammalkil:** Pehr Schiörlin 1806, 28 stops, II/P. One of the largest preserved late baroque/classical organs in Sweden.
- **Jönköping - Kristine church:** West gallery: Åkerman & Lund 1912/restoration Tostared 2010. 40 stops, III/P. Extremely beautiful late romantic organ. Choir organ: Ch. Wegscheider 2008, 30 stops, II/P. Baroque style.
- **Norra Solberga:** West gallery: Åkerman & Lund 1998, 38 stops, II/P. A sort of a mix of Swedish classical and early romantic styles. North side gallery: Nils Ahlstrand 1836, 11 stops I/P.
- **Hult:** Sven Nordström 1841, 11 stops, I/attached ped. Beautiful example of a single manual classical/early romantic organ
- **Gothenburg - Örgrye nya kyrka (new church):** West gallery: The North German organ in the style of Schnitger etc. Built by various builders as a research project built 2001. 54 stops, IV/P. Short/broken octave with subsemitones. Meantone. A Swedish sensation! North gallery: Henry Willis 1871, 31 stops, III/P. Originally built for St. Stephen's church, Hampsted. Moved to the Organ Hall in the Gothenburg Academy of Music and to Örgryte nya kyrka 1998 by Tostareds Kyrkorgelfabrik.
- **Gothenburg - Vasa church:** Eskil Lundén 1909/Rieger 2020, 51 stops, III/P. Fine example of a west Swedish late romantic organ in an impressive building.
- **Gothenburg - Haga church:** North gallery: Brombaugh 1992, 23 stops, II/P. Meantone, short octave. South gallery: Marcussen 1861/restored by Åkerman & Lund 1998. 38 stops, III/Ped.
- **Gothenburg - Concert Hall:** Rieger 2021, 112 stops, IV/P.
- **Helsingborg - Sta Maria church:** West gallery: Marcussen 1959/1986, 58 stops, IV/P. Famous from Bach recordings with Marie-Claire Alain and Anton Heiller. Choir organ: Mads Kjersgaard 2001, 18/II/P. Broken octave. A "Buxtehude-organ" in the style of Hans Christoph Fritzsich around 1660.

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