20 km - 4 hours 25 minutes

Hiking stage 13: Brabant Monastery Trail

Explore the area between Berken-Enschot and Biezenmortel.

Discover the area between Berken-Enschot and Biezenmortel with this 20 kilometer walking route. In this route you walk from Koningshoeven Abbey in Berkel-Enschot to Landpark Assisië in Biezenmortel. Along the way you pass various locations such as Klooster Catharinenberg and the Sint Petruskerk. You also explore statue Father Poirters and Castle Nemelaer.

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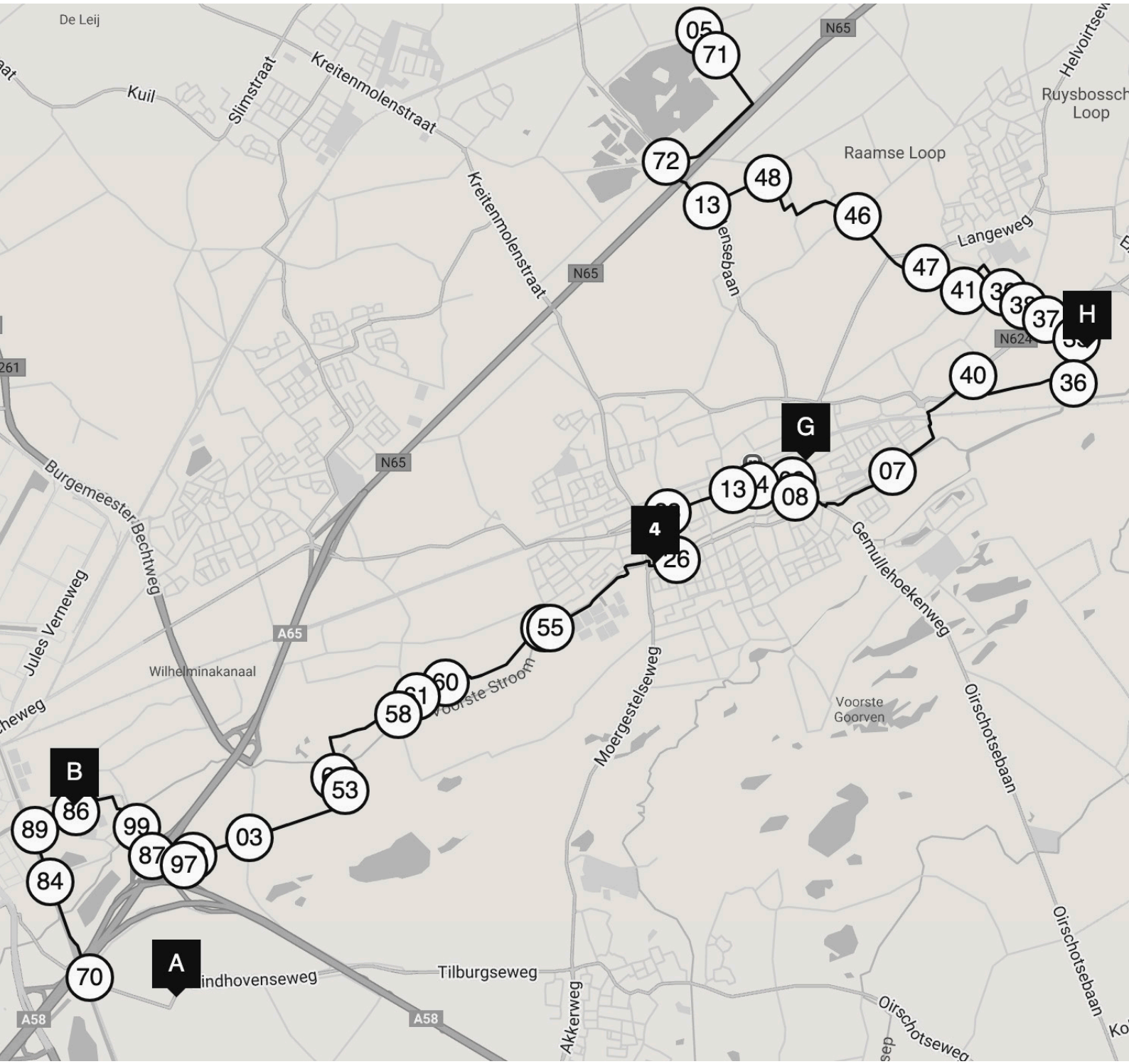

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This is what you'll see

A

Abdij Koningshoeven (Eindhovenseweg 3)

Abdij Koningshoeven is located on the outskirts of Tilburg. Here the Trappists fill their lives with prayer and work. The monks live here for almost 150 years in silence, austerity and solidarity. Want to experience the silence? There is a guest house.

B

Moerenburg (Oisterwijksebaan 15)

Southeast of Tilburg, we find Moerenburg. A nature reserve with quite a few unique qualities. How about a wide variety of animals and plants, rare natural phenomena and the thickest tree in Tilburg?

C

Monastery Catharinenberg (Poitersstraat 3)

In 1451, the Catherine Convent of the Third Order of Saint Francis stood on this site. It was burned to the ground in 1573 and rebuilt upon its return in 1617.

D

Statue of Father Poirters (Kerkplein)

Adriaan Poirters (1605-1674) was born in Oisterwijk and was a Jesuit. He was a teacher, clergyman, and writer of poetry.

E

Sint Petruskerk Oisterwijk (Kerkplein 1)

The church was consecrated in 1897 and replaced a 13th-century church. The church was designed by Pierre Cuypers.

F

Protestantse Church Oisterwijk (Kerkstraat 64)

This is a so-called Napoleonic church. In 1809, King Louis Napoleon signed a decree transferring ownership of the old Catholic church to the largest religious community.

G

Saint Joannes of Oisterwijk church (De Lind 52)

The Holy Joannes of Oisterwijk is a Roman Catholic church in Oisterwijk. It is located at De Lind 52. The parish belongs to the diocese of 's-Hertogenbosch.

H

Nemerlaer Castle (Kasteellaan 2)

Nemerlaer Castle is located in the middle of beautiful green surroundings. This castle, situated on a vast estate with stately avenues, has been mentioned in archives since 1303.

I

What on earth possesses you chaplet (Heideweg)

What on earth possesses you chapel 'what on earth possesses' you chapel in Biezenmortel.

J

Landpark Assisië (Pandaplein 1)

For 110 years, Landpark Assisië has been a breeding ground for new developments, particularly in the care of vulnerable members of society. In 1904, the then 'Huize Assisië' started providing care for people with intellectual disabilities.

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