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Subject: Re: Greetings From Munich

Posted by [Benjamin Hornberger](#) on Fri, 17 Sep 2004 03:20:38 GMT

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Hallo David,

dein Bericht ist echt witzig und ich hoffe, in nächster Zeit noch mehr deiner Erfahrungen lesen zu können. Ähnlich wie dir ergeht es übrigens den armen Menschen aus Deutschland, die zum Studium in die USA kommen ;-) -- mit dem Unterschied, dass sie normalerweise die Sprache etwas besser beherrschen. Ich wünsche dir jedenfalls eine gute Zeit und viel Spaß in München! Bald ist ja Oktoberfest...

Viele Grüße,  
Benjamin

PS: In case your phrase book is not good enough, I'm sure you already discovered <http://dict.leo.org/>!

David Fanning wrote:

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Subject: Re: Greetings From Munich

Posted by [Karsten Rodenacker](#) on Fri, 17 Sep 2004 07:34:05 GMT

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Hi, David

Welcome in Munich or better in Garching (I think you will see that there is a slight difference).

I am just looking out of my office window (in Garching direction and the new soccer stadium) and ask me how it is possible that the world looks so nicely different from Garching direction as it appears from your first impressions (ID(a)Lien/marsian/moonish ?).

I hope you will have the opportunity and the pleasure to look from some other directions too.

Regards  
Karsten

On Thu, 16 Sep 2004 19:41:26 -0600, David Fanning <davidf@dfanning.com> wrote:

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Karsten Rodenacker

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Subject: Re: Greetings From Munich  
Posted by [marcuirl](#) on Fri, 17 Sep 2004 07:34:28 GMT  
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This is excellent. Its a wonderful insight into `An American in Europe/Germany' I look forward to the next instalment.

marcu

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Subject: Re: Greetings From Munich  
Posted by [mmiller3](#) on Fri, 17 Sep 2004 16:02:07 GMT  
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>>>> > "David" == David Fanning <davidf@dfanning.com> writes:

> You can find news of my German adventures, if you are so  
> inclined, here:  
  
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Thanks for sharing that David - it reminds me very much of my times in Europe as a grad student. Milk in boxes - very exotic - don't squeeze too hard as you open them. And I'll never forget the sudden flash of insight as all that traffic came at me - "oh, that's what einbahnstrasse means!"

Mike

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