



ART TRIP (RED COLOR)

The path ART (RED colour) is one of the trails maintained by the DESERTA LANGARUM Association.

Starting from APPOINTMENT STONE (PIETRA DELL'APPUNTAMENTO) at km 2.3 of the SP352 CN, in the municipality of Torresina (44 ° 26 '22.60" N - 8 ° 01' 14.97" E), just follow the signs in red that show the message "Deserta Langarum - SENTIERI ", without any danger of getting lost

Is a loop that runs through forests and villages, over mixed routes (gravel / asphalt) easy to explore on foot, mountain bike or horseback. It isn't particularly challenging: to pace touristic, takes about 3.5 hours walk on foot for a distance of 10.830 m.

It's path very interesting from the point of view of art and culture.

Along the red coloured signs, the ancient tratturo, a cattle track pointing west along the edge of a chestnut tree grove.

After having reached the paved road, the trail takes hikers leftward, then rightward, to descend along the ridge, among cultivated lands and accompanied by a panoramic view, to *Bric della Croce*, one of the most panoramic places in Langhe. Keeping the left, the path takes hikers into a pine tree wood down to Cappella di *San Grato*, a chapel dating back to the 15th century. The path descends steeply to *Rua Barone* and *Case Fenoglio*, and then ascends toward the wood up to Cappella della SS. *Trinità*, a chapel dedicated to the Holy Trinity.

Back into a paved road, the trail stretches into the *Li Piani* basin up to a junction to reach *Assunta* hamlet. The perched Torresina village overlooks the surrounding countryside made of cultivated fields and meadows spotted by livestock. Following the signs, hikers arrive at the village, after a worthy visit to Cappella della S. *Croce*, a chapel dating back to the 19th century. The trail goes on toward the *Napoleonic cross*, which witnesses a battle which took place in 1796, and then descends to Pilone delle *Sette Vie*, to its starting point.

Place name	Progressive distance (m)	Altitude (slm)
Pietra dell'Appuntamento	0	710
Cappella San Sebastiano	995	670
Bivio Torresina	1145	670
Bricco Gamba	1800	700
Bricco della Croce	2180	680
Cappella San Grato	2595	650
Baroni	3960	540
Fenogli	4650	470
Pian diRoascio	5710	530
Cappella Assunta	6000	610
Torresina Villa	8140	690
Torresina Piazza	8220	700
Bivio per Igliano	8400	710
Pilone Bastia	8900	730
Croce Napoleone	9450	750
Sette Vie	10005	700
Pietra dell'Appuntamento	10830	710
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