

## Travel 43 Copenhagen, the Swedish coast

The south of Sweden was Danish, 350 years ago.  
All historical buildings are logically Danes.  
For example, the religious Rome of Scandinavia was Lund. The seat of the bishop since 1100.  
However, despite being Danish, the Swedish coast has a totally different atmosphere, than Denmark.  
Fx prices are even higher than in Denmark, and it is not charming.



Ferry from Denmark to Sweden in Helsingør

The visit to the Swedish coast can begin from Copenhagen by crossing the bridge to Malmø or, it can start from Helsingør by crossing the narrow strait of Kattegat, the Öresund water, to Helsingborg.

We cross at Helsingør.

We take the ferry at Helsingør and arrive in Helsingborg.

The city of Helsingborg is not great.

What is beautiful here, is the castle and the garden Sofiero, located just outside the city, on the coast, heading north.



Il castello estivo di Sofiero

It was the summer residence of the kings of Sweden, until a few years ago.



Sofiero, garden



Sofiero, geometric garden



Kulden, view of the coast

Once visited Sofiero, then visit the coast for a few km until Kulden, the peninsula.

From Kulden, go back to the south following the road closely to the coast. It is very beautiful.

On the coast, there are many small towns to visit. Very picturesque.

The next city is Landskrona. There is a very nice castle and a beautiful view from the beach.



Landskrona



Landskrona theatre

From Landskrona continues south towards Lund.

Just before Lund, there is a "town" entirely modern, that it's worth a visit: Jakriborg.

A town made 20 years ago, in Hanseatic style. Indeed, an exact copy of the cities of the Hanseatic League, years 1300.

It seems to return to the Middle Ages.

Jakriborg is a huge success. Architects from around the world come to see it.



Jakriborg i Hjärup near Lund



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Then Lund.

Lund was the religious centre of Scandinavia until 1536, i.e. before Luther.

Lund is now an university city, there are students everywhere.



Lund cathedral



Lund

After Lund visit Malmö.

It's a bigger city than Lund, but the old town is really cute.

Malmö is also a city that has tried new styles of architecture, especially in the area where there was the port and the shipyards.



Malmö, Lilla Torg



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From Malmö you can return to Copenhagen by motorway under the tunnel of the bridge or, to return to Helsingør, taking the ferry again.



Ferry from Sweden to Denmark at Helsingborg

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