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1 Nov

Louise home at last facebook.com/pages/Eu2012/2...

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24 Sep

Towards Pirate Waters. The Bike (Louise) entering Suez Canal right now. ozemate.com/royal/LouiseCo...

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8 Aug

@lsmoKalevi Tack Ismo. Vi känner att du varit med ibland. Solglimtar i Felixstowe. Mike å Ann

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7 Aug

Arrived Felixstowe 12.30 PM. That's the end of our touring. Detail cleanup of bike and all for storage & shipping. We fly Emirates Thu 9 Aug

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Stayed with Royal Enfield Interceptor friends yesterday, rode the Interceptor. Today saw a planet bearing type round about with roundabouts.

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Yesteday to Jorvik the world famous viking museum in York. Then Stamford Bridge (last Viking battle 1066 and walked the huge Maze in York.

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5 Aug

we, had a beer under cover watching it all for an 45min. Then via diversion routes, lane filtering, left it all behind, going to York.

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Left w very dark clouds chase us. At Newcastle. Hail, Flash flood, Scary thunder roads closed cars caught in tunnels, emergency everywhere.

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Vikings return. Tidal access road to Island, (high tide meters water) historic village. Lindisfarne castle/monestary on a rock. Google it.



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Ofcourse synny and blue. Olympics. Swedish triathlon girl a thousand of second from gold. What an incredible race.

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Edinburgh + Castle. East Lothian (Scot flag origin) Glenkinchie whiskey destillery tour. Yum. Return UK Lindisfarne Inn. Viking Icon site.

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And blue sky all day yesterday and today. Ok maybe a wee bit of the odd white cloud.

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Agh the highlands. Loch Lomond Castle Eilean Dorna in Dornie. Loch Ness. Nat pk ride Inverness to Perth tourist Route. Now 60 k fr Edinburgh

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Just outside Glasgow Scotland. Heading for Scottish highland this afternoon.

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Preston to Lakes Nat. Pk. North Cumbria Just bef Scotland: en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lake_Dist... Now pub next Hadrians Wall en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hadrian's...

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31 Jul

At Motel in Preston for the night. Checking RUS vs GBR in Tennis

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31 Jul

In the middle of the Irish Sea, Stena Line fast ferry Dublin-Holyhead(UK). Then via Liverpool North towards Scotland Expand



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30 Jul

Great Causeway coastal route Northern Ireland magnificent. Back to Dublin via Londonderry. Ferry back UK tomorrow. Then towards Scotland



29 Jul

At Hotel BallyGally Castle Carrickfergus, N Ireland (on Google say United Kingdom, funny eh) Earlier arrive Dublin, Titanic shipyard Belfast

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29 Jul

Now. On Stena Line Ferry. Holyhead (UK) to Dublin.

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28 Jul

Heading Holyhead (to accom there) for ferry crossing 10 AM tomorrow to Dublin. Stena Line...

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27 lu

Checked Roman baths in Bath. Hitchcock Royal Enfield motorcycles at Stratford Avon. Hotell near Warwick. Watching Olympics w bot wine.

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At the Hare And Hounds in Bath for a meal 9 hrs ago.

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27.10

At Harley Davidson in Bridgwater(yes spellt that way) for new rear tyre. The current tyre mounted at start of Italy 29 May & about 18000 k.

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26 Jul

Awsome hills + huge highland at the coast (Devon area, going fr Plymouth to Brdigwater-Bristol but hugging the coast. New rear tyre tomorrow

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Another sunny UK day. Pub hearty breakfast. Good lot of update to Facebook.

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At Wincanton o-nite at a local pub, just before Exeter on way to Plymouth. Great local English pub atmosphere. Had good look at Stonehenge



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Almost 30 deg here. BRIGHTON beach beautiful. Camped at Hampton tonight. Heading for Stonehenge and Lands End today. Expand



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Had to check out London at night. Olympic traffic lanes. Photo Big Ben. Tower bridge dollied up w Olympic rings. Found Hotel 1 AM by hwy

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Took Euro-tunnel. Dover at 9.15 (but gained an hour. Checked out Dover Catsle and the white cliffs and Battle of Britain Memorial Expand



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Reims wakeup. Turnd N 80k N of Paris. Armistice museum. Railway carriage where 1WW ended lots of stuff. Nice forest. Onto Dunkirk then UK

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BTW. Rode only tiny country roads today across the Ardennes. Good scenic contact

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Ardennes a cluster of war memorials + where France get all its grain. So many fields with produce. In Reims gr8 cathedral.. UK tomorrow. Expand



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Luxembourg surprised with a magnificent Fort hacked out in a mountain, and a great meal. Country roads all the way from there to Reims.

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At Nancy (France) a town size Malmö(Sweden). Hotel lbis ****. About 300 k east of Paris. Heading to Luxembourg tomorrow.



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We're back in France. Strasbourg. Stayed at motel at the freeway. Handy but nor so nice.(yesterday)

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Köln to Koblez, Mannheim and now Heidelberg(delayed send from 2 dsvs ago)

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Lost Maffia cap in Aachen. Check Harley shop Koln. Mannheim to Koblenz and good look at Heidelberg. Great city + surrounds. Strassburg next.

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In Köln Germany's old capital city. Hotel Mado ****

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At Maastricht.Terrorist attack bombing 45 min from here, Waare. We're obviously unaffected

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18 Jul

Half an hour from Brussels. Place called Mechelen. Took plenty time find a Best Western and then a Laundry. Great Pizza Roma baked meal.

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Very windy at dyke coastline. Some Delfie city big lineup of Windmils. Checkin Antwerp now. Sure some dark areas around here. Alleys.

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Asterdam for several attractions. Overnight at Hotel Bastion Leiden just north of the capital Den Haag in south Holland



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To Leewarden. Afsluitdijk (google it). Amsterdam city for mesl. Argentinian restaurant. Plenty sun. No rain yet today. Expand



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Halfway t Enschede rain rest day. Found **** hotel in Ommen halfway to Amsterdam

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16 Jul

Took windy country roads on to M-way. Roadwork. Cop car blue light waved me back into traffic fr shoulder. Now half an hour south of Bremen

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Across Denmark on huge bridge Stora Bält Odense. Jylland border at Flensburg. Lubeck for look-see. Then Hamburg last night motel at freeway.

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14 Jul

Left Höör. To Copenhagen. Tourist and shop down ströget. Wemt to Ole at Virum. Should be in Holland by tomorrow

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12 Jul

Left Gothenburg yesterday + quick visit to Copenhagen + nice ride Helsingborg ov Billinge, Kagerod, Stockamollan. Now in Höör couple days.

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Plenty Rain in Gothenburg today. It will be fine tomorrow when we go south.

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8 Jul

At Gothenburg aftet sunny ride and visit to Viking museum. New tyre and small service tomorrow.



7 Jul

At Gustav Fröding hotel Best Western Karlstad Värmland. 2770 kilometers in Norway total. A very moden roomy tunnel was 25 kilometer LONG!

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7 Jul

Rain all day fr Bergen Norway to Sweden. Just about to cross into Sweden. Only 120 k fr Arvika Värmland now Expand



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Great onite youth hostel at Voss. Heading to Arvika Karlstad Sweden for tomorrow

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In centre of Bergen. Norway. Port town with nice pubs.

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After this morning scenery, we finished with Greiranger. What a place good one to Google Image (Bilder) for. Scenic overload, yeah!

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KridtiansUnd Atlantveien on to Trollstigen and Trollväggen Google images. New f tyre monday Gothenburg. Norway great fiords like Alaska

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3 Jul

@IsmoKalevi Jo men visst. Storfors ikvall. Kristiansund (inte ..sand) imorgon moter upp med basta kompisa fr Gefle.

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Left Norwsy Arctic territory at 01:15 PM. Now at a place called "Mo I Rana". Its warmer

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In Fauske Norway. Heading to Trondheim. This is a cold place with magic flords

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Today. Belting rain and very cold high wind managed only 300k in tough cond. 100 k south Narvik



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Yestday.Lofoten Highlight of trip. Like New Zealand but + more fiords. Sunshine lightening up huge fiord views.

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We're at Lofoten Norway Sortland still way north of polar circle. Some of the most scenic exp.of our trip.Sun and snow covered mtns fjords

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30 Jun

Rained all night kept the temp higher. Shoppig and Pub day in Gellivare town (by bus anyway). Fingers crossed for tomorrow. Check facebook

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Still in Gelivare midnight sun and loving it Expand



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Midnight. Riding up to Dundret in Gallivare to watch the real, Midnight sun from a point where you can view 1/11th of Sweden's surface!!!

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28 Jun

Going Down the humungeous Copper mine in Gallivare this afternoon Expand



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@gmcLamnar troligen Sondag Morgon

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27 Jun

In Kiruna. Day visit. Mining like Mt Isa. Gee cold northerly fr the ice mtns but sunny. Then back to Gällivare f MC rally

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26 Jun

Now AT THE POLAR CIRCLE in Jokkmokk. Heading to Gällivare for tonite. Staying 3 days at MC rally Midnight Run Rally. No raingear yet in SW!



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Yesterday. Pulled a Swedish Gädda fish out of Krille's (nephew) lake. Fishing in midnight sun Lycksele Lappland.

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25 Jun

Hello Harnosand. Free wifi at McDonalds. Umea this afternoon Expand



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24 Jun

Hofors. Ockelbo. Bollnäs. Järvsö. Hudiksvall now and heading Sundsvall for the evening

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In Gävle with biker friends from the 75' years. Celebrating midsummer. Tio

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@IsmoKalevi Dom säger att Ulvön lagt nrd surströmming produktionen.

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@IsmoKalevi Hej ja de skall vi tänka på

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In Motals at my oldest sister. Then Gävle MC mates 2 days then north to midnight sun.

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21 Jun

At world famous Orrefors Glass smelter artistc. Heading Motala ETA 5 PM

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19 Jun

Kopparhatten trip today. Recovering from some travel fatique. Leaving early for Motala Thur. Leave Motala Fri for Gefle midsummer.



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Arrived centre south Sweden at Höör Mum place yesterday 9 PM. Staying 3 days

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Crossing over from Germany to Denmark at short crossing Puttgarten - Rödby right now.

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At Tempelhof Brandenburg Berlin

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Doing Berlin now, then Sweden TONITE

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Went to Praque Czech rep. lunch. Check city. Dresden Germany dinner at IKEA. On our way to Berlin.

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15 Jun

Done planking up Hitlers Eagle Nest.walked 3 hrs inhuge icecave Eisenwald. 30,000 sqm of ice! 1hr tour in 0deg.we're at Czec bordet 2nite.

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14 Jun

Camping just hundreds of meters, down from Hitlers Eagle Nest, Tyrole area. Going up there for a visit tomorrow. Whao views right here.

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Clutch fixed. Bike washed. Lapping it up in Austria. Insbruck. Heading to Salzburg.

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13 Jun

Clutch sll but burned out. Slipping towards Milan short 60 k. Tow next day to Milan. Rebuild of clutch

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13 Jun

Silvio pass stop 500m fr top. Whole tosd mush of dnoe +sleet. Smowing heavy. Bogged an hour. Return back.



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11 Jun

After Switzerland, plus a few alpine passes, through a mountain 3 k tunnel we're back in Italy. Bargain 3 - 4 star hotels. Silvio Pass next Expand

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10 Jun

Entered Switzerland today. St Gotthard 17 kilometer long tunnel. Psyches you out. Oberalp Pass heaps of snow at 2000 m high.Beautiful Luzern

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10 Jun

Di Garda had a bnit of fog in the distance. Verona had a colosseum too. Then a sunny day for Lake Como

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9 Jun

At Bardolino Lago Di Garda right now

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8 Jun

Great ride to San Marino all the way up (sep. Country republic) then Venice and an hour in a gondola, oh, viva italy,.

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7 Jun

We're at Senigallia quite a tourist strip here by the ocean, in line with Pisa but East Coast

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Alderobello google it. What a smurf town. Must see place... trullialberobello.org

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6 Jun

Now at Cave dwelling city stone age. Matera north Torranto in the Italian boot instep.mapwise



4 Jun

Thanks Sicily- Arriviedechie. Had a visit to Licata southmost tip of our trip opposite Libya. Catania back south eastcoast mainland 2-nite Expand



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4 Jun

@IsmoKalevi Jo 2 timmars promenad i Pompei var en fin promenad eller klattringen upp Vesuvius.

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Sipping on a Cappucino w ital shortbread in the heart of Corleone Sicily. Grazie Don Corleone. Mucha respecto.

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3 Jun

Sicily. Straight down to Palermo after some sightseeing along the coastline. Great Hotel. Thought of staying an extra day. Swam that ocean

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Jusy nu på färjs över till scicilien

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Whao. Pompei not a small set of ruins. It's a whole city some 30 Hectares. You'ld walk f 20 30 k on all open streets. What a collosseum!

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4 Jun

Took on thej Roam aquaducts, then 300 k south to Vesuvio active volcano, ride then climb to rim, smoke. O-nite below at Pompei next to ruins

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1 Jun

Medieval Small city on top of a pointy old vocanic mountain. Like a movie set:

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1 Jun

The country roads and Wine tasting grabbed a bottle of red for Rome Expand



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1 Jun

Florens oh what a city of terracotta moviestage old buildings and flowers, what atmosphere



30 May

Onite towards Florens. Should pass Rome tomorrow!

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30 May

Tow truck40 k hotel next day today HD service 60 k tow. Excellent. 2 hrs. Fatboy mag back now.New tyre. Off for apizza in Pisa! Expand



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29 May

⊚IsmoKalevi Sprackt falg punktering i 130 genom tunnel stora France-Italy motorvagen 7 mil vaster om Genoa.Sa vi far hur det gar
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29 May

Need new rear rim. But the candle we lit in St Michaels church on top of volcano, Le Puy 2 days ago, burns for another 7 days. Thanks Angels

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29 May

Ridge 2 ridge moutaincoast. 6 lane. 100 m up, 130kph Hwy, France to Italy traffic Blew rear tyre in long tunnel. we Ok. Bike split rim. Yuk Expand



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29 May

Rode world famous hairpin bend (and S-bend) Monaco Grand Prix F1 today banners and all. just days after Mark Webber, Yeah. Going Italy now

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28 May

Best roads whole trip from Verdon Gorge (the Grand Canyon of France)all the way to Draguignan. Bypassed Marseille via Alps. Soon in Cannes

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27 May

Cruised French Alps all day. E.g St Alban. Did the Roman miracle building aquaduct Pont Du Gard in Uzes(close Nantes). Very impressive

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27 May

Today. Saint Michel church i Le Puy google it.Built on top vulcano 1050 viking age. We walked all way up. Awesome.



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26 May

Right on Millau bridge (google it). Everything we hoped it to be.

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Yestday. Narbonne then through huge national forrest windy roads arriving at friends place at Le Bez.

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25 May

Left Barcelona 10PM Wed. Accom? grabbed a camping place. Took coast line to France. Paella marinara and cervesa bef left Spain Expand



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25 May

Wednesday. Barcelona. Hot. Cops didn't like me using the busway Great City. Cruising in city felt good.

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25 May

@lsmoKalevi Yepp. Southern France Le Bez with frinds 25 deg blue sky and sunny.

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23 May

Came over the mts. Down into blu sky and sun. Viva Espania. 23 deg. Love it. Judt 122 k fr Barcelona.

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23 May

Came oer Pyrenees. Never will I see so much snow along the rosd from back of my bike again. Cold

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Pyrenees next. Barcelona tomorrow.

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Thanks Ola. Weather slowed us a bit. Sun now. At Tolouse MacD. Roccamador great yesterday

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See facebook.tourisme-lascaux.fr Doin the caves



Some hr east of Bordeaux. Hotel popped out of the mist. See paysdeneuvic24.com/chartreusedoss...

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20 May

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40 K N Bordeaux. Sickbay 2nights headcold, pubhotel at Misselac,st 40 k n of Nantes. Off again this morn Le Rochelole Isle De Re Semester

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Castle St Michel on tidal island! this last friday

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17 May

Drumbled into a French Medieval Castle truly incredible chateaubrelidy.com Guy's harley guy, a great deal f nights stay, Bredily Chateu

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17 Ma

Made it to centre Bayeux Wed. Tapestry museum all morning. You gotta google Mont St Michel what a Castle on rock in ocean! Sweet! Expand



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Fr Paris to Versailles (Uh Majestic whao) then D day Omaha and Utah Beach. Somber and historic.

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London yesterday. Traffic intense! peak hour. Tropicqal rain like to the tunnel only much colder

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16 May

Paris. Champs Ellysses back an forward neon lights Tower, Arc, cappucino, hire cabin in Bois De Bologne warm. Leaving for Versailles& coast.

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14 May

Bike and trailer perfekt, done 40 k today fu8el \$2 LandsGuard Fort Felixstowe, museum. Great Accom. Paris tomorrow

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12 May

At 10k over Iraque. A380 comfort. Gr8 food. Heading to London Expand



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7 May

leaving Oz 12/05. x Eng channel f Paris 15/5 10.50 AM

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24 Dec 11

Trinity, I need an exit!

