

München



playing cards. So much for Munich night
life. Not what we expected in comparison on
MÜNCHEN bei Nacht to Oktoberfest. The people
in Munich were friendly and funny. We
spoke to people asking directions and got
nowhere, but all ended up laughing. We
tried to explain how to make Italian
garlic bread to a woman in a pizzeria.
She didn't understand the concept of putting
seasoning and butter on bread and sticking
it in the oven. The motions that went along
with the explanation were hilarious.

When we were at the train station in Florence
we sat in the cafe and played cards for
a couple of hours. The manager came over to
us and started yelling about our playing
cards. We found out that in Italy you
have to have a license to allow people
to play cards. Its true for all public places;
even the floor of the station. We were allowed
to play on the platform in Paris, so I
guess its a national law. Seems silly
to all of us.

A lot of crazy things happened on this
trip. It made it all the more fun.
I wish we weren't on our way back to
London yet. I could easily spend another
week in Switzerland and Germany.

My favourite spot during this trip was
sitting in the Alps. I forgot to tell you I
got to lay on the ground and roll down a
slope like kids do on hills. I ~~love~~ to act
childish sometimes. In Germany, the leaves
in some places were ankle deep, so we got
to kick through them, sending them flying.
Do I sound like I'm regressing? It was
fun, especially considering in London, the
leaves are swept up as soon as they fall.
Another childish act - in Geneva we played
on a playground. I'm trying to get it all in
before I leave my teens. I guess.

Well, I had a fantastic time on this
trip and can't wait to do it again. There's
always more to see.

Mom, this will probably arrive after your
birthday, so Happy Bilated Birthday.
I hope it was a good day. I brought
the card before I left for the trip, but forgot
to bring it to mail in time. Sorry.

Hope you enjoy these postcards. I couldn't
find a large one from Italy.

Love you.

Shannon

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