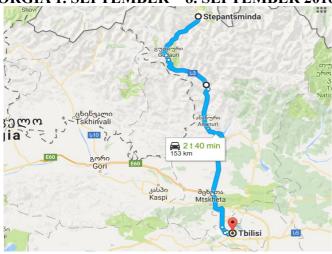
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On the 6th day we are moving from Stepandsminda to Tblisi.



Here we made a stop in Mtskheta to watch the Svetitskhoveli Cathedral.



Mtskheta lies where the rivers Aragvi and Kura meet. It was the capital before Tbilisi was.







Heavy traffic on the streets outside.





This is outside the walls of the church.



Here we will within the walls.



Heading in.



Here we are inside and looking towards the gate where we entered.



At the back of the church.



The walls from the inside.



Then some details from the church wall.



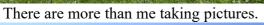






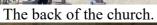


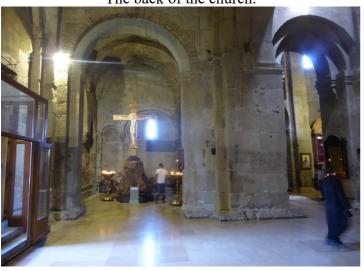


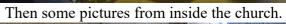






















Jesus' robe should have been buried under this monument.





The women have skirts and cover their hair to get in.





After we were in the church, we ate a light lunch at this cafe. It was a private house. The cooking in the kitchen.

We used their private toilet.



The burial place of Erekle II





Anne Berit with appropriate outfit.



I bought this beer.



We got a good omelet.



We drive first along the Kura River.



The church is called <u>Jvari</u>. The first church was built in 545, while this church that stands here now was built in 590-605.





This church is located high above the city. We were going up there after we had been in Mtskheta.



Here we are in the parking lot below the church.



There were good views back towards Mtskheta here.

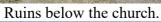




Inside the church.



















Views south towards Tbilisi.



Then it was back to Tbilisi. Fortress walls.



From the hotel we could see up to a monastery called <u>Tabor Momastery</u>.



Entering.



This must be church dog.



We can also see the <u>Tbilisi Mosque</u> in the middle of the picture.



In the evening we were on Georgian Eve with Georgian music and dance. Here we are at the entrance.



At the table.



We ordered Georgian wine to the food.



The scene.



Then came the dancers.



The restaurant is called <u>Restaurant Phaetoni</u>.



The musicians are in place.





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Then the performance were over, and we're going back to the hotel.



The exit is through the garden.



Sign outside.



This vehicle is outside the entrance.



The sign at the entrance.



The fortress with evening lighting.