**BRYGGEN - A WORLD HERITAGE SITE**

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*Hanseatic League World Heritage Site*

**BRYGGEN** has been inscribed on the World Heritage List since 1979, due to its role as the last remaining wharf-city of the Hanseatic League. Bryggen is a living, active part of Bergen, Norway's second largest city.

1. **13. Bryggen Kaufhäuser/ Annex of Bryggen Church** (art site)  
   - **BRYGGEN** was a medieval trading community located in the northern part of Bergen, Norway. The area is now a World Heritage Site and a popular tourist attraction.

2. **14. Bryggenparken**  
   - The park is a 2.5-hectare area, open all year round. It is located in the Bryggen area of Bergen and provides a scenic view of the old wharf.

3. **15. Bryggen Kunstdetal**  
   - The museum is housed in the old wharfside buildings of Bryggen, which has been a national museum since 1872. It contains historical exhibits and information about the Hanseatic League.

4. **16. Bryggen’s Stone Buildings**  
   - The stone buildings of Bryggen have been preserved since 1897 by Norwegian authorities. They represent the Hanseatic League's commercial and administrative heart.

5. **17. Old Bryggen**  
   - This area is the most preserved part of the old wharfside buildings, and it is home to the Hanseatic Museum.

6. **18. Bryggen’s Merchant Houses**  
   - The merchant houses are located in the Bryggen area and have been preserved since the 18th century.

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10. **22. The Hanseatic Museum**  
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