



The Wall Museum

Discover the most beautiful street art and wall poetry in downtown Tilburg.

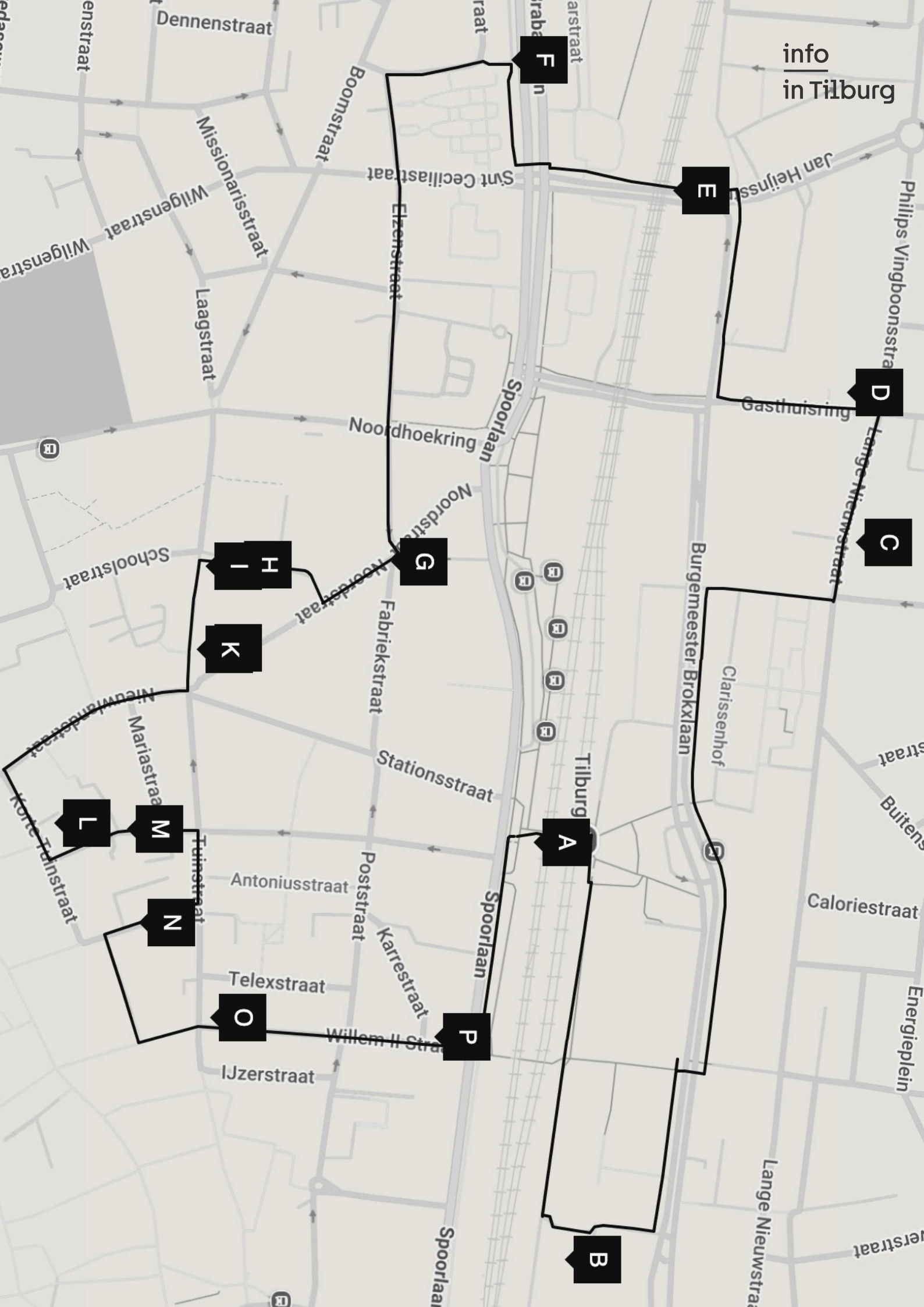
Just like a beer needs a good head of foam, Tilburg can't do without street art and wall poetry. Discover the Wall Museum; a free and 24/7 accessible collection of artworks on everyday walls in downtown Tilburg. This 4,5 km route can be followed both on foot and by bicycle.

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This is what you'll see

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Brandstore info in Tilburg (Sporlaan 33)

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B

Bartkira 2.0 (NS-Plein 5)

The iconic Bartkira mural has found a new home and has been expanded with an explosive variant. Between 2015 and 2022, the Bartkira mural was a well-known eye-catcher in Tilburg. Due to the renovation of the building, the mural has been relocated.

C

Bookcase (Lange Nieuwstraat 222)

The bookcase has three shelves full of books, which have been painted in an optical illusion in collaboration with local residents. This bookcase contains the favorite books of local residents, regardless of age, culture, or the language in which the book is written.

D

Everyday Still Life (Jan Heijnsstraat 10 -30)

Since 2020, this colorful work can be found in the parking lot of the AH XL supermarket. The mural contains various references to well-known films and TV series, such as the Transformers and the Marshmallow Man from Ghostbusters.

E

Wall paintings viaduct St. Cecilia (Viaduct Sint Ceciliastraat)

Tilburg has eight new murals. The viaduct and cycle tunnel on Sint Ceciliastraat now have a colourful and safe appearance thanks to the works. The municipality commissioned the refurbishment project to make the area more attractive and safer.

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The Chocolate Factory (Pijnboomstraat 12)

The mega work "The Chocolate Factory" adorns the side wall of the Pijnboomflat and was created to mark the 40th anniversary of the town twinning between Tilburg and Matagalpa. It symbolises appreciation and connection.

G

Assignment (Noordstraat 79 B)

The poem 'Opdracht' refers to a special piece of Tilburg history: from 31 August 2003 to 31 August 2005, JACE van de Ven was Tilburg's very first city poet. Jace van de Ven wrote the poem "Opdracht" (Assignment) when he was 17 or 18 years old.

H

A nest, a basket (Burgerijpad 8)

Since 2021, the Bijgerijpad in Tilburg has been home to Nick J. Swarth's location-specific poem Een nest, een mand (A nest, a basket). The poem adds a poetic layer to the surroundings and invites passers-by to pause for a moment and reflect on language in public spaces.

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My street (Korte Schijfstraat 66)

In Tilburg, you will find the location poem 'My Street' by poet Karla Witjens. This work depicts the everyday life of the street and the people who live there in a unique way. The poem emphasizes the connection between residents and their surroundings.

J

A CYCLE PATH RUNS OPENLY AND RED THROUGH THE CITY (Korte Schijfstraat 15)

This street poem paints a vivid picture of cycling life in Tilburg: the city as a heart through which the red cycle path stretches like an artery. The poem emphasises the role of the cycle route in student life and urban dynamics, turning an everyday phenomenon into poetry.

K

Wall painting Aziz Lessy (Nieuwlandstraat 1)

This mural on Korte Schijfstraat is a colourful, three-dimensional work of art that transforms a narrow alleyway into a small art gallery. Using 3D stucco, poetry and colour, Aziz Lessy, in collaboration with former city poet Cees Van Raak, takes street art to a new dimension.

L

The Pigeon of Peace (Rankenstraat 1)

The mural "The Pigeon of Peace" was created especially for the 75th anniversary of freedom in Tilburg. The white dove is known worldwide as the symbol of peace.

M

The Wine Steward (Wingerdhoek)

'De Wijnschenker' (The Wine Steward) is part of the Wingerdhoek, a cosy courtyard in the centre of Tilburg. Where you now park your car used to be the Verbunt wine cellars. The mural is an artistic nod to the city's wine-rich past.

N

Tilburg Topia Skyline & The Tightrope Walker (Telefoonstraat 21)

Located on Telefoonstraat, you will find a mural full of typical Tilburg landmarks: "Tilburg Topia" and "De Koordanser (The Tightrope Walker). A colourful tribute to Tilburg that brings together local culture, humour and nostalgic elements. Tilburg Topia was commissioned by the owner of the building.

O

Blnde Vlek (Tuinstraat 35)

The street poem Blnde Vlek (Blind Spot) at Tuinstraat plays with visibility and absurd language. The title "blind spot" refers to the "blind spot": a place that is easy to overlook when you look directly at it. The poem was added in 2010, making it Tilburg's second "location poem".

P

The Ostrich (Willem II Straat 5)

Behind this mural is Pizzabar Rijslust. The owners commissioned the artwork themselves, simply because they liked it. Artist Paul Watty translated their wanderlust into a colourful mural, which appeared on the side wall on Willem II Street in 2021.

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