

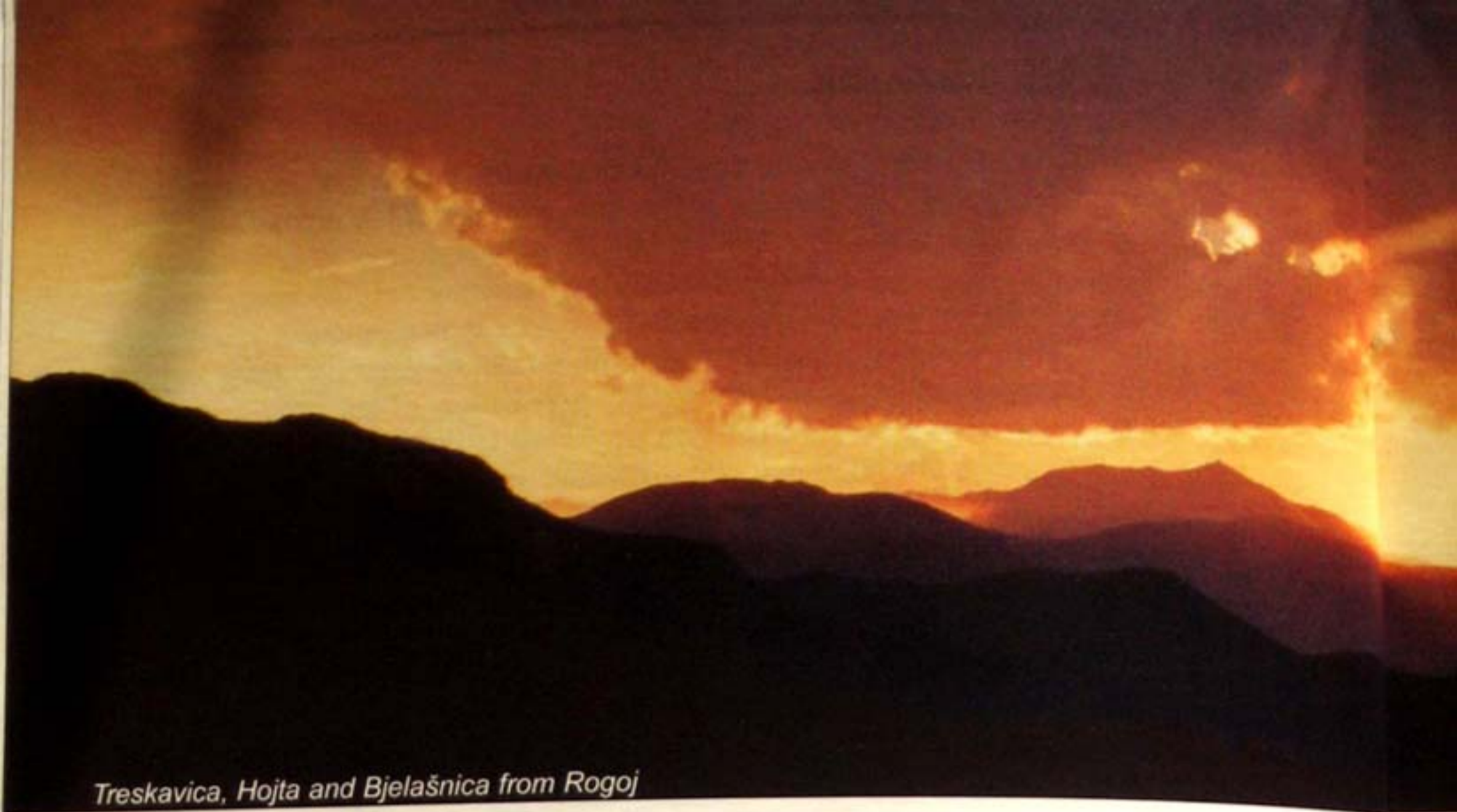


hikers, rock-climbers, speleologists, fishermen, hunters and collectors of mushrooms, medicinal herbs and edible forest fruits but for all who are searching for beauty, rest or recreational sport in the nature.

Going on mt. paths, trails or wilderness, climbing up the cliffs and slopes, we discover necropola with tomb-stones which are unique and autochthonous medieval grave stones. Tomb-stones are ornamented with vivid scenes from life, hunting, tourneys and inscriptions written in "bosančica", domestic variant of cyrillic alphabet. They are the monuments and keepers of the secret of one, today mysterious and long gone, time of Bosnian history. Keepers of the secret, but also the key to discover it, to decode the ancient and modern Bosnian man. The network of roads, hotels and mt. homes made this mountains available to all lovers of nature, rest and recreation.

Mountains that surround Sarajevo since long time ago were famous winter sport centers and during XIV Winter Olympic Games "Sarajevo '84" they were the meeting-place of all lovers of winter sports from the whole world. The competitions took place at Bjelašnica for men and at Jahorina for women alpine disciplines. On Igman, at Veliko polje in ski-running and biathlon, and at Malo polje in ski-jumps and nordic disciplines. On Trebević the competition in bob and sled. In Olympic halls of Zetra and Skenderija the competitions in figure skating, ice-hockey and fast ice-skating.

To Sarajevo you can get by air to modern international airport. By railway from south and north, and by relatively good roads through borders of neighbouring countries Croatia, Serbia and Montenegro.



*Treskavica, Hojta and Bjelašnica from Rogoj*

## **Sarajevo and surrounding mountains**

In many tourist guides you will find data that Sarajevo is the capital and the biggest city of Bosnia and Herzegovina (appr. 350.000 inhabitants) and also the political, economic and cultural center and that first settlements date from third millenium. It is located in the valley of river Miljacka at the altitude of 520 - 700 m a.s.l. It is surrounded by mountains which belong to Dinaric massive: Trebević (1629 m a.s.l.), Treskavica (2086 m a.s.l.), Bjelašnica (2067 m a.s.l.), Igman (1647 m a.s.l.), Ozren with Bukovik (1534 m a.s.l.) and Crepoljsko (1524 m a.s.l.), Romanija (1652 m a.s.l.) and Jahorina (1916 m a.s.l.) with Ravna planina (1376 m a.s.l.).

The climate in Sarajevo is moderate-continental and it is characterized by relatively short and warm summers and long

and cold winters. The coldest month is January with medium temperatuire of 1,3°C and the warmest month is July with medium temperature of 19,1°C. The average annual temperature in Sarajevo is 9,5°C.

The mountains which surround Sarajevo irresistibly attract by their beauty, with numerous peaks from 1500 m a.s.l. to 2086 m a.s.l., with pale massifs, steep cliffs, deep canyons, meek passes, gentle slopes and flower plateaus following one after the other. Such diverse belt is an ideal habitat for numerous and diverse big and small game. Mountain lakes, clear brooks and clean, impetuous rivers rich with fish, are a special ornament and richness of those mountains. In the bosom of these massifs there are numerous caves and pits, and at the surface immense pastures and dense forests. All these nature beauty and richness are as tailored for pleasure, not only for the



*Eastern ridge of Trebević*

**Starting point:** water reservoir Brus at Trebević (1100 m a.s.l.).

**Access from Sarajevo to the starting point:**

- by car, asphalt road for Trebević to Brus (appr. 11 km );
- by public transport, minibus line No. 98 Latinska ćuprija-Brus, weekends and holidays.

**Altitude difference:** 1408 m.

**Tour length from Brus to the end of the tour:** 12 km.

**Constant walking time from Brus to the end of tour:** appr. 5 h.

**Level:** M.

**Resting places:** Dobra voda, Puhova ravan, Blizanci and belvederes.

**Worth to see:** view to Sarajevo wider area.

**Note:**

the path is marked completely from Brus to the top, and from top to Stanojevići it is not marked. Use map No. 1 with tour description, terrain profile and chart of the horizons from top (enclosed in the Guide).

**Route description:**

from bus-stop at Brus, go by the fence of water reservoir passing it from the left and get to the marked path starting from above the reservoir. The path is leading through the coniferous forest all the way to the spring Dobra voda (1300 m a.s.l.).

## Peak Trebević 1629 m a.s.l. (from Knjeginjac)

### Knjeginjac - western ridge - peak Trebević



Peak Trebević from western ridge

**Starting point:** crossing to the top of Trebević at Knjeginjac (1000 m a.s.l.).

**Access from Sarajevo to starting point:**

- by car, asphalt road for Trebević to Knjeginjac (appr. 8 km);
- by public transport, minibus line No. 98 Latinska ćuprija - Brus, weekend and holidays.

**Altitude difference:** 629 m.

**Tour length from Knjeginjac to the top:** 6 km.

**Constant walking time from Knjeginjac to the top:** appr. 2 h - 2 h and 30'

**Level:** M.

**Resting places:** at the ridge during gradient.

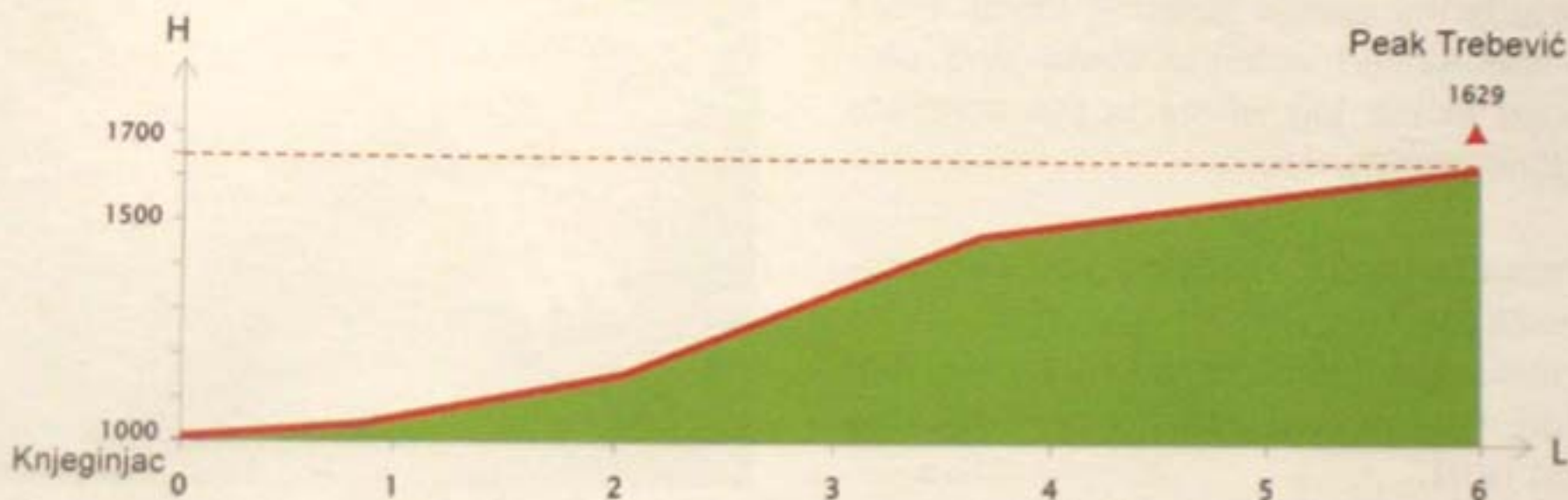
**Worth to see:** view to Sarajevo wider area.

**Note:**

the path is not marked at all from Knjeginjac to the top. Use map No. 1 with tour description, terrain profile and chart of horizons from top (enclosed in the Guide).

**Tour description:**

from crossing at Knjeginjac (bus-stop), use the road leading to the top of Trebević (partially asphalted). After appr. 1,5 km leave the road at third serpentine and follow the path. At the beginning the path is going through the low bush, and later on through the hazel-bush forest. The path is crossing the road two times by shortcuts. After that go through the pine forest and get the plateau. Further up the plateau to the western ridge.



**Peak Trebević 1629 m a.s.l. (from Knjeginjac) tour No.3**

Starting altitude 1000 m; Highest altitude 1629 m; Length 6 km;  
Altitude difference 629 m.

Sarajevo

Brajkovac

Bistrik

Berkuša

Colina kapa

Bob-sled run area

Knjeđinjac (1000)

Palet

Čunkov do

Perčin 1190

Katunište

Studenobri

Studenkovići

Stanojevići (750)

Šiljak 1042

Ostrop

1231

Bijela str.

Brdlina 737

Čaira

Blizanci

Paoca

Siljevo br.

D. Medari



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**Map No.1**  
**Trebević**  
**peak Trebević 1629 m a.s.l.**  
**tour No.1,2 and 3**  
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