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10 DELICIOUS FOODS YOU HAVE TO TRY WHILE LIVING IN GERMANY

8. Thüringer Klösse



Sauerbraten with Klösse.

The East German state of Thuringia prides itself on its Bratwurst, proudly claiming it to be the best in Germany. But another specialty of the state is the Klösse - a dumpling made out of potato.

Preparation of the potato dumpling is too complicated for any normal mortal to get their head around, involving as it does the use of a specialist *Kloßquirl*, a beating instrument traditionally made out of an old Christmas tree (it really doesn't get more German than that).

So next time you have a free weekend, head to the little-visited state of Thuringia and order yourself some Sauerbraten with Klösse. And with the state offering much more than traditional food, you won't regret it.