

## The history of the municipality Malsfeld

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**Malsfeld:** In 1196 Malsfeld was mentioned as "Malzvelten". In the Middle Ages Malsfeld was in the hands of many different families. 1521 Malsfeld was in the hand of the family "von Scholley". This family died out in 1829. The first church was built in 1253.

Malsfeld has got a brewery.

The beer of Malsfeld is famous in the villages and towns around Malsfeld. The beer is called: "Hessisches Löwenbier".

**Beiseförth:** Beiseförth was mentioned as "Beysenvorte" in the year 1319. It was like Malsfeld in the hands of different families. 1603 the family "von Scholley" bought the village. In the 18th and 19th century Beiseförth was famous for its baskets. Beiseförth is a village with clean air wher you can go on holiday.

**Dagobertshausen:** In 1106 Dagobertshausen was mentioned as "de Dageboldshusen". Till 1540 Dagobertshausen was in the hands of the office Homberg. 1565 Dagobertshausen got its own pastor. The village has an old church with colorful windows.

**Elfershausen:** This was the name of the village in the year 1253 for the first time. In the Middle Ages Elfershausen was in the hands of the family "deren von Holzheim". The domain Elfershausen was dissolved in the year 1971 and the land was sold.

**Mosheim:** In the oldest catalog of Hersfeld you can find a village "mazheim". The catalog is from 800. In 1324 the village was in the hands of the family "von Hebel". 1376 Mosheim was in the hands of the office Homberg. In the year 1896 there was a big fire in Mosheim. 14 houses and 16 stables were damaged.

**Ostheim:** The name Ostheim goes back to the year 1145. Around Ostheim you can find coal and basalt. Till the year 1967 the people exploited the resources. Today ther is a lake in the old coal-mine.

**Sipperhausen:** In the year 1142 you can find the name "de Siepbergeshusun". In 1195 the monastery Blankenheim gave Sipperhausen a church.