

Where I am from...

The place Razlog where I am from is small and typically lime-tree fragrance in spring.

It is near the sky because of Rila and Pirin, the highest rivals Vihren and Musala.

The place where I am from is green and blue

with its vast valleys and deep rivers like the Danube and the Struma.

The place where I am from has a history long, a lot of events and historical figures.

Who stopped there were Thracians, Slavs and Proto-Bulgarians.

I will never forget Rakovski, Benkovski and Levski

Fighting for rights, personal freedom and justice during the bloodiest 19-th century.

The place where I am from is rich in traditions and dances and songs,

The place that connects ideas from one generation to the other.

The place where I like smiling to see my daughters wearing traditional costumes

With pusheta in their hands and leading the dances.

The place where I am from I'm proud of it and I will always be

As it gives me confidence to be , power to live, opportunity to enrich.

The place where I am from...

You'd better come and see!

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