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## Hovorany

Title:	Hovorany
Description:	Hovorany is situated southwest of Kyjov in a very picturesque, undulated landscape covered with fields, vineyards and orchards. The village has 2, 232 inhabitants and is the centre of the Hovorany micro-region. The dominant religious structure of the village is The Church of John the Baptist **, also The Saviour´s Temple* has some importance. Out of the many interesting monuments of minor religious importance worth mentioning are the St. Rochus´ Chapel *. Other sights to be seen list the tomb of Jana Kleinová from the year 1850 (in the cemetery), the Resurrection, a cast-iron statue from the year 1863 (in the cemetery), a wooden carved cross from 1896 (in the village square), a secession Memorial of Fallen from 1920 (in the square). Scientifically interesting is the steppe-like locality called Hovoranské Meadows **. Hovorany is home to the brass band of Hovorané. The village festival is held every year on the first Sunday after Day of John the Baptist´s (usually the last Sunday in June). The folk costume that J. Klvaňa called "mutenicko-hovoransky" in 1890 has changed. At present, only a very few women over 70 wear it.
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